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White Towels	5c
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Walking Hats and Sailors	35c
Walking Hats and Sailors	50c
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Trimmed Hats	1 40
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Ladies' Jackets, Frieze	5 35

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TO RENT—IMMEDIATELY—HOUSE No. 468 Park street; $7 a month. Apply to TORONTO SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY, 437 George street. dtf

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TEN MEN WENT DOWN

Loss of the Steamship Memphis Off the Irish Coast.

THIRTY-SEVEN OF THE CREW SAVED

After Suffering Great Hardship in the Rigging Over Night—The Vessel Was Laden With Cattle, Flour, Butter, Cheese and Other Merchandise From Montreal.

London, Nov. 18.—The British steamer Memphis, Captain Williams, from Montreal, Nov. 4, for Bristol, is ashore in Dunlough Bay, near Mizen Head on the south coast of Ireland. Captain Williams and part of the crew were saved, and have arrived at Crook Haven. Nine men are supposed to have been drowned. A number of the cattle and barrels of flour forming the cargo of the Memphis have floated ashore. The fog is clearing so that the mastheads of the ship are visible from the shore. A strong, squally north wind is blowing.

The Memphis is of 3191 tons register, 345 feet long, 41 feet beam and 28 feet depth of hold. She was built at Belfast, Ireland, in 1890, and is owned by the African S.S. Co., London.

A despatch to the Central News says that the Memphis struck at 10 o'clock last night. Her crew took to the rigging, where they remained all night. Thirty-seven of them were rescued this morning in an exhausted condition by means of a line conveyed to the steamer by the rocket apparatus of the life-saving crew. Ten of the ship's crew perished.

The Memphis is completely submerged, and is a total wreck. Her cargo is floating out and washing ashore.

Captain Williams has been her commander since she was put afloat, and is well known as a careful and painstaking officer. Her cargo is said to be insured to the extent of $300,000, so the companies will suffer heavily.

CARGO OF THE MEMPHIS.

She Carried Cattle Butter, Cheese and Other Merchandise of Great Value Belonging to Canadians.

Montreal, Nov. 18.—(Special.)—Word was received here to-day that the SS. Memphis of the Elder Dempster line had gone ashore in Dunlough Bay, on the south coast of Ireland. The Memphis, which left here on Nov. 6, was built by Harland & Wolff, at Belfast, in 1890, and shortly afterwards entered the Bristol and Montreal trade of the Elder Dempster Company. In Lloyd's she is rated "A No. 1," and has a gross tonnage of 2930, while her net tonnage is 2053.

Her manifest is as follows: Hugh McLennan, 10,019 bush. wheat; Crane & Laird, 24,118 bush. peas; A. G. Thomson, 34,401 bush. corn; A. A. Ayer & Co., 2552 cheeses; A. W. Grant, 143 packages butter; A. J. Brice, 357 packages butter; Jas Dalrymple, 80 packages butter; Croil & McLennaugh, 325 packages butter; Co-Operative Wholesale Co., 230 bbls. apples; Wm. Nivin, 100 bbls. apples; J. T. McBride, 140 bbls. apples; B. & S. H. Thomson, 40 bbls. cross and ashes and 322 packages ashes; Bintliff & Peller, 60 bbls. codliver oil; Dobell, Beckett & Co., 277 pieces deals; Canadian Pacific Railway, 100 cases eggs, 108 packages bacon, 600 packages lard, 100 tubs butter and 640 sacks flour; Elder Dempster & Co., 350 head of cattle, 15 tons hay, 17 tons feed; Grand Trunk Railway, 580 packages meats, 500 cases canned meats, 527 bundles staves, 340 cheese, 700 sacks bran, 1200 sacks flour, 221 bbls. apples and 425 firkins of butter; Hyslop & Hunter, 50 cases eggs.

LOTHAIRE MUST PAY.

His Breach of Promise Costs Him £360 and Costs.

Brussels, Nov. 18.—The trial of the action for breach of promise of marriage brought against Major Lothaire, the commander of the Congo State troops, by Madame Vanhecke, on behalf of her daughter, was concluded to-day, the court granting a judgment against Lothaire. The finding of the court is that Major Lothaire shall pay Miss Vanhecke £360, the amount of expense incurred by the young woman in preparing for her marriage, and also pay the costs of the suit. Madame Vanhecke sued for £2000.

TORTURING SUSPECTS.

The Turkish Officials Trying to Secure Knowledge of the Revolution.

Constantinople, Nov. 18.—A great many Americans in Constantinople are interested in the case of a Miss Zimmer, who collected fifty or sixty children for the purpose of giving them shelter and instruction. The school she established was supported chiefly by funds contributed by Germans. Miss Zimmer's venture coming to the notice of the Government, the authorities endeavored to compel her to cease teaching the children. With this object the police have been calling at Miss Zimmer's school every day trying to make her disperse her pupils, but she steadily refuses to do so. The attention of the embassies has been directed to reports that the Turkish authorities are torturing suspected persons for the purpose of compelling them to disclose their knowledge of the revolutionary movement.

Dr. Windt Has to Give It Up.

London, Nov. 18.—A letter received here from Harry De Windt, dated Unwaldjik, on the Siberian coast of the Siberian Straits, says he has been obliged to abandon his proposed journey by land from New York to Paris, as he finds that the straits are 40 miles wide at the narrowest point, and that they are never frozen over. De Windt expects to return in a whaler towards the end of the month.

Spanish People Thanked

Madrid, Nov. 18.—The Cabinet has accepted the bonds for 400,000,000 pesetas, representing the total amount of the new Spanish loan authorized by the Queen-Regent, and the bonds already subscribed for, 250,000 pesetas, will be alloted pro rata. The sum of 7,250,000 pesetas derived from the loan will be allocated for the purpose of repairing warships.

The Cabinet at its meeting yesterday passed a resolution of thanks to the country for the generous and patriotic manner in which the people had subscribed to the new loan.

Armenian Bishop Sentenced to Death.

Constantinople, Nov. 18.—The Turkish special tribunal has sentenced the Armenian Bishop at Hassekein to death.

The bishop was condemned to death because during the late riots in Constantinople a loaded revolver was found in his house. The bishop was absent from home at the time, and upon this ground an appeal was taken against the judgment of the special tribunal, but the Court of Appeal has confirmed the sentence imposed by tribunal. The Armenian Bishop at Bitlis and a number of Mussulmans have been arrested in Constantinople for plotting against the Sultan.

The Castles Take Leave.

London, Nov. 18—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Castle of San Francisco left Waterloo station at 10 o'clock this morning for Southampton, where they will embark on board the steamship Havel for New York. A few friends gathered at the station to bid them farewell. Both appeared to be in a happy frame of mind. Mrs. Castle was perfectly composed and appeared to be in good health. The Castles were booked under the name of Michaels.

Special Tribunal Suppressed

Constantinople, Nov. 18.—The foreign ambassadors, as the result of pressure exerted upon the Porte, have accomplished the suppression of the special tribunal which has been trying the Armenians and Mussulmans arrested for participating in the late riots in Constantinople. All of the judgments and sentences which have already been pronounced by the tribunal are subject to appeal.

To Abolish Sugar Bounties.

London, Nov. 18.—The Chronicle's Vienna correspondent says that Austria and Germany are negotiating to abolish the sugar bounties.

MAN AND WOMAN DEAD.

James Ware Believed to Have Shot Mrs. Ricketts and Himself.

Bloomington, Ill., Nov. 18.—The dead bodies of James Ware, aged 30, and Mrs. Ricketts, wife of Albert Ricketts, both of Bloomington, were found lying on the Locust-street viaduct. The man had evidently shot the woman and then turned the weapon upon himself. The woman was the wife of Albert Ricketts a teamster. The man was the son of Mr Ware, who occupied a part of the house, the remainder of which was used by Ricketts and his wife. Mr. Ricketts had suspected an intimacy between Ware and his wife.

Driven Into a Water Pipe by a Bull.

York, Pa., Nov. 17.—Contractor John Berkery had an unpleasant experience today while attempting to cross a field on the farm of the late Reuben Minnich. He was attacked by a large, ferocious bull. He started to run, but the bull came after him. He saw lying in the field a number of large iron pipes. In order to save himself he crawled into one of the pipes. He had not been inside the pipe more than a minute when the animal came up, and, in its fury, struck its horns against the pipe. Berkery remained in the pipe until several farmers arrived and drove the bull away.

NEWS FROM OTTAWA

Mr. Sifton's First Effort Will be to Get a New Province.

CHIPPEWA INDIAN CLAIMS SETTLED

Canadian Carriages to be sent to Johannesburg—Joint Efforts of the Manitoba and Federal Governments to Secure the Immigration of Icelanders—General Notes.

Ottawa, Nov. 18.—(Special.)—It is expected that one of the first questions which Mr. Sifton will take up when he returns to Ottawa, will be the request of the Northwest Territories for Provincial autonomy. Mr. Oliver, M.P., advocates the erection of Alberta into a separate province of the Dominion. The Executive of the Northwest Territories, speaking as the elected representatives of that great stretch of country, have declared for Provincial autonomy for the Territories, and it is questionable whether the Dominion Government can stave off the demand for a much longer period. What the Legislature contends is that the Territories should be erected into a province with all the powers pertaining thereto, except the power to borrow money. They are willing that the new province shall be confined to living on its income, or in other words, that it shall have no power to pledge its own credit. Coupled with the demand for Provincial autonomy for Alberta, is a request for power to borrow money in order to aid irrigation, subsidize railways, develop mining and foster the dairy and live stock industries. It is claimed that if Provincial autonomy is given to the Territories it will be a great advantage to that section of the country by doing away with the bureaucratic system of Government from Ottawa, which has prevailed for many years, and which, it is contended, is not to the advantage of the Territories.

The Government has at last settled the claim of the Chippewa Indians of the Thames, which has existed since 1835. A portion of the claim has been under discussion in arbitration between the Dominion Government and the provinces About two years ago a flat was obtained from the Governor-General, and the Indians were thereby allowed to prosecute their action in the Exchequer Court. When the action was ready for trial a compromise was arrived at. By the compromise the Chippewas receive some $30,640 and some $25,000 worth of lands trespassed upon and improperly allotted to the Muncey band, and in addition all costs of prosecuting the claim, which are to be paid by the Government. Counsel for the Chippewas were Mr. George E. Kidd of Ottawa and Mr. A. G. Chisholm of London. Messrs. O'Connor and Hogg were counsel for the Government.

Mr. James Sorley, who resides near the city, has concluded a contract with a Chatham firm of carriage manufacturers for the shipment of about 60 vehicles to Johannesburg, Transvaal. The order includes twenty phaetons, and the rest is made up of top buggies, spring wagons and expresses. The vehicles are to be shipped so that they will reach Johannesburg in a couple of months.

The Minister of Militia will visit Quebec shortly, when the officers of the active militia there will lay before him their views on the question of antedating of brevet commissions.

When Mr. Sifton took the oath of office documents on the Manitoba school question were exchanged between himself and the Dominion Government, so that the matter was finally closed before he became a member of Mr. Laurier's Cabinet. The terms of the settlement will be made known about the end of the week.

The agitation for bringing back the divisional point of the Ottawa and Parry Sound Railway to Barry's Bay from Madawaska, where the company has seen fit to move it, is still going on. Mr. Stafford of Barry's Bay saw the Minister of Railways in regard to the matter.

Mr. Greenway comes east shortly in connection with new inducements for Icelandic immigration. There is a large colony in Manitoba already, and they are about as prosperous and contented a class as can be found in the whole province. The financial conditions on the island of Iceland are at present very hard on the inhabitants. The Manitoba and Dominion authorities will co-operate in the matter to bring as many Icelanders to Canada as possible.

Coroner Freeland has had to adopt a somewhat unusual course. An inquest into the death of James Watergon was held yesterday at Limebank by Coroner Freeland. There were evidences of violence on the body. The jury retired, and after a consultation of over three hours said they could not agree on a verdict. The case was left over by the coroner for the presiding judge at the next county assizes, to be disposed of by him.

The Department of Agriculture is in receipt of letters from several of the largest establishments in the district affected with hog cholera in Western Ontario, commending the action which Dr. McEachren took in establishing quarantine. Unfortunately, the latest reports give word of new places which are affected.

Mr. Leduc, M.P., is in the city to-day en route for Toronto. Mr. Leduc is the owner of a fine deposit of lithographic stone, which has been found on an island in Lake Temiscamingue, and he is going to Toronto for the purpose of endeavoring to secure capital to develop the deposit.

The Marine Department has taken up one of the gas buoys which have proved of such great advantage to mariners on Lake Erie this summer. The other buoy will be taken up on the 20th.

The Minister of Militia, General Gascolgne, Col. Aylmer, A.G., Col. Domville, M.P., Mr. Edwards, M.P., and officers of the headquarters staff and militia, visited Rockliffe this afternoon to look over the site of the proposed Dominion rifle range there.

Capt. McElhinney left for Kingston to-day to take charge of the Collins Bay Co.'s steamer Petrel, which is to be used for ice service to Prince Edward Island.

Contracts have been let for the construction of eight small bridges along the line of the Trent Valley Canal.

Mr. Fisher leaves for Washington in a few days to endeavor to secure from the American authorities the renewal of the 20 days' quarantine regulations.

Mr. McGee, Clerk of the Privy Council, returned from Toronto to-day, where he swore in Sir Casimir Gzowski as acting Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. H. R. Campbell of the Interior Department went west yesterday with Mr. Sifton in the capacity of private secretary.

Gloom

Of ill health, despondency and despair, gives way to the sunshine of hope, happiness and health, upon taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it gives renewed life and vitality to the blood, and through that imparts nerve stren gth, vigor and energy to the whole body. Read this letter: "Hood's Sar saparilla helped me wonderfully, changed sickness to health, gloom to sunshine. No pen can describe what I suffered. I was deathly sick, had sick headaches every few days and those terrible tired, despondent feelings, with heart troubles so that I could not go up and

Sunshine

down stairs without clasping my hand over my heart and resting. In fact, it would almost take my breath away. I suffered so I did not care to live, yet I had much to live for. There is no pleasure in life if deprived of health, for life becomes a burden. Hood's Sarsaparilla does far more than advertised. After taking one bottle, it is sufficient to recommend itself." MRS. J. E. SMITH, Beloit, Iowa.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

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Hood's Pills cure all liver ills, biliousness, headache. 25 cents.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1896.

THE GOOD ROADS CAMPAIGN.

The good roads agitation is yielding good fruit. Increasing interest is being manifested in the subject. Interest leads to investigation, and investigation and reflection show that good roads pay as an investment. Farmers are beginning to realize that the extra taxation involved in the possession of good roads is much less than the cost of the wear and tear of vehicles, fatigue to teams and loss of time which result from bad roads. When these truths come home to them they will be willing to volunteer for service in the campaign for better roads. And another great step will be gained when it is realized that the idea that should lie at the bottom of good roads is permanence. A road once built on proper principles should, with the necessary care, last for ever. There are roads in England in use now and in splendid condition, that were built at the time of Julius Caesar, over, 2,000 years ago. They were, evidently, built to last, and they have lasted. Of course they have not been kept in usable condition all that time without attention. And it is in England and other portions of Great Britain, where they have, perhaps, the best roads in the world. In the first place the roads are properly constructed, and being once well made, are kept in proper repair. The following paragraph will show what scrupulous attention is devoted to the maintenance of roads in proper condition in England:

"The roadmender, who is a permanent official, lives in a cottage on the line of the highway, which he is required to keep in order, and he is constantly at work. He is at once a scavenger and a road-mender. He goes over the road every day and removes in a barrow everything that is unsightly. After a heavy rain his trained eye detects signs of wear points where the water does not drain off rapidly, and he mends the break and restores the level by dumping a load of flint where it is needed. Supplies of material for roadmaking are in reserve every half mile, where flint has been carted, broken up and left for his use. He watches his section of road all the year round, and keeps it neat, tidy, free from litter, and in perfect repair; and he receives a sharp warning from the inspector if he neglects his work."

All this is expensive. Of course it is; but the result is in every way satisfactory. Over one of these highways a horse will bowl along at a good speed with a big load on a light wagon which on many of the country roads in this county would require two horses and a heavy wagon to drag along at a snail's pace, with occasional assistance from a rail from a road side fence to hoist the mired wagon from some unusually deep rut. The extra cost of roads like those of the Old Country is abundantly recouped. Good roads, though they cost more pay the better, on the same principle that it pays better to buy good honest Canadian tweed at a good price than to buy shoddy at half price. In road-making, especially, whatever is worth doing, is worth doing well.

THE ONTARIO MINING BOOM.

The mineral wealth of Ontario seems destined to have its long slumber rudely and aggressively broken. The latest issue of the Ontario Gazette contains notices of application for incorporation of no fewer than thirteen mining and prospecting companies, with an aggregate capital stock of $7,925,000. These companies are after gold, coal, iron, silver and minerals of nearly all descriptions.

MR. J. S. SNETSINGER has been nominated by the Liberals as successor to the late Dr. Bergin of Cornwall. A Mr. Pringle is the Conservative candidate.

ONE of the good effects of the Manitoba school question is the impetus it has given to the matter of educational improvement in Quebec. It is acknowledged that the school system in our sister province is defective and the proposal to improve it is meeting with great popular favour. To the Montreal Herald is largely due the honour of bringing the subject to its present prominence.

SENATOR COX.

Stratford Beacon.

Hon. Geo. A. Cox, the new Senator, started life as a telegraph messenger boy. He also took a turn at photography, and for a time travelled with a photograph car in the rural districts around Peterborough. His first start in his brilliant career as a financier came with his accepting the agency for the Canadian Life Assurance Co. for Eastern Ontario. He was a perfect type of agent—courteous, persevering and convincing in argument. He afterwards became a railroad president, and is now at the head of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, one of the leading monetary institutions of America. And from the beginning he preserved a character of the highest integrity. He is courteous to everybody with whom he comes in contact and liberal to the point of generosity in all his dealings. Mr. Cox is credited with being a millionaire. If he possesses that sum he came by it honestly, which is more than can be said of most millionaires, and it is in worthy hands. A consistent Christian, who always found time from his many and important business engagements to attend to the duties of his church, he is a good model of self-made man to hold up as an example to young Canada.

THE GARDEN OF NEW ONTARIO.

Situated in the Rainy River Valley it Possesses a Soil of Wonderful Fertility.

Toronto World.

The agricultural garden of New Ontario lies along the bank of the Rainy River for nearly its whole length from Lake-of-the-Woods to Rainy Lake, a distance of 90 miles. The State of Minnesota lies to the south of the river. There is no settlement at all on the Minnesota side. It is quite otherwise on the Canadian bank. Settlers are coming in every season, and the country is being steadily taken up. Next spring will witness a larger influx of farmers than has ever been known in the district before. The development of the country has materially advanced and pioneer life has been robbed of very many of its former terrors.

The district is settled for five miles back of Emo. The Rainy River agricultural district contains over 600,000 acres of land adapted for all kinds of farming. The good land extends back from the river to a distance of from ten to twelve miles, and over the whole of this area the rich alluvial soil is of unparalleled fertility. It has been declared by the Hon. A. S. Hardy that he knows of no other stretch of eighty miles in Ontario that can compare with it for richness or fertility of soil. The land is lightly timbered, and where necessary is easily cleared.

The great advantages of this district, especially with regard to water and wood, over a prairie country have attracted a number of settlers from the adjacent states, as well as from many parts of the Dominion and Great Britain. Already there is a white population in the district of nearly 5,000 and an Indian population of 00 on Government reserves. Some of the settlers have been on the lands for a considerable time, and have good houses and barns, large clearances, good fences well-bred stock. The Ontario Government gives a free grant to every bona fide settler, head of a family, male or female, of 160 acres of land, and if he desires it will sell him an additional 80 acres adjoining at $1 per acre, payable in three years, while any or all of their sons over 18 years of age may have 120 acres free, and may purchase 80 acres each at $1 per acre.

Speaking of the season of 1896, Mr. Locking informed me that the ground was ready to work the first week in April. Seeding began the second week, and most of it was got in in fine condition before any rains came. Crops this year have been generally good. Mr. Lockinge's spring wheat went 35 bushels to the acre. Wheat sown before May 20th, always escapes the frost. Besides all kinds of grains and roots—the district produces tomatoes, citrons, melons, currants, gooseberries and other small fruits. The prices which prevailed this season ranged as follows: Wheat $1, oats 50c, barley 60c, potatoes 50c, turnips 40c, butter 25c, eggs 25c. Stock thrives well in the district and realizes good prices. Working horses being $100 each, oxen per yoke $100 to $125, cows $40. There is a ready market for all produce at the mines and lumber camps.

The winters are cold, but people don't seem to mind the weather, even when the thermometer is several degrees below zero. The thermometer generally dips down to 50 below once or twice each winter. There is plenty of firewood in the district, which makes it in that respect preferable to Manitoba.

NORWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The ladies of the Methodist church held a very successful oyster supper last Friday evening. After supper an excellent programme was rendered in the Sunday school room.

Rev. J. A. McCamus is assisting his brother with special services in Port Perry this week.

The hunters have all returned. Most parties report few deer.

W. A. F. Campbell was in Toronto a few days last week.

The Hockey club intend organizing this week.

The Norwood Curling club have gone into the Colt's league.

H. G. Buck is having the rink fitted up for the coming season. He has had a new bottom put in the curling rinks, and will have the sides of the skating ice boarded so as to make it better for hockey.

On Thanksgiving evening a dinner will be served in the Presbyterian church here after which a good programme will be rendered.

A. J. Raddon, of Peterborough, was in town visiting his parents Tuesday.

H. J. Buck has been laid up with la grippe all week, but is able to be around again.

The Model and High School football teams played a friendly match on the grounds Tuesday evening, which resulted in a tie, the score being one to one.

A Puny and Fretful Baby.

This is now quite unnecessary! Like many others, you may have your baby fat laughing and happy, if you give it Scott's Emulsion. Babies take it like cream.

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One Laxa-Liver Pill taken each night during 30 days will cure Constipation, oft-returning Headaches and irregular action of the bowels. Laxa-Liver Pills leave no unpleasant after-effect.

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MR. G.R. BLOUNT, Methodist minister, Dresden, Ont., says: "After a prolonged attack of La Grippe, I was very nervous and weak, and troubled with severe pains. I took one box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills and am perfectly well now." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c 50c. and $1.00.

HE WAS HENRY BOYCE.

The Man Killed in the G.T.R. Yard at London Had Ten Children, Two of Whom Live in Toronto.

London, Ont., Nov. 17.—The identity of the man killed at the Clarence-street crossing of the G.T.R. has been established. The unfortunate man was Henry Boyce, a bricklayer, living at 246 Nelson-street. He leaves a family of five sons and five daughters. The sons are John of Toronto, Robert of Racine, Wis., Albert of Grand Rapids, Charles and George of this city. The daughters are: Mrs. H. Phillips of Milwaukee, Carrie Boyce, Toronto; Mrs. Henry Powell, Mrs. Samuel Powell and Minnie Boyce of this city.

Venezuelan Arbitration.

New York, Nov. 17.—A special cable despatch from London to an evening paper says: No weight is attached to the statement that Mr. Asquith and Sir George Baden Powell will be the British Commissioners in the Venezuelan arbitration. The Foreign Office experience of Sir George Baden Powell during the Behring Sea negotiations will hardly commend him in delicate Anglo-American matters. If, as is expected here, Justice Brewer is selected as one American member, Lord Justice Davey would be a fitting British equivalent.

The demand for Ayer's Hair Vigor in *such* widely-seperated regions as South America, Spain, Australia, and India has kept pace with the home consumption, which goes to show that these people know a good thing when they try it.

MR. LEGATE, Traveller for McCormack & Co., London, says: "Miller's Compound Iron Pills restored me to health after a month of prostration from nervous shock and loss of blood." He says, "Their effect on me was simply marvellous; people say they never saw me looking so well." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill druggist.

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TARIFF COMMISSION.

Great Interest Evinced at the Inquiry in Toronto.

MR. FIELDING THE QUESTIONER.

Sir Richard Cartwright Shows a Great Mastery of Detail—Jewelers Were Out in Force Yesterday—Pork Packers Also Made Strong Representations.

Toronto, Nov. 19.

Hon. W. S. Fielding, Sir Richard Cartwright, Hon. William Paterson and Sir Oliver Mowat were on hand at the Board of Trade again at 10 a.m. yesterday to continue the reception of those interested in the tariff.

The Finance Minister seems to be the controlling mind of the commission, for it is generally he who takes the deputations in hand, cross-questioning their spokesmen, and directs them as to the preparation of further information for the Government, when such is required.

Next in activity to Mr. Fielding comes the Minister of Trade and Commerce. Sir Richard has continually a pile of blue books, open and shut, before him, and from time to time he refers to these and propounds incisive questions to those before the commission. His mastery of detail avail him well here.

Hon. Mr. Paterson is comparatively silent, but once in a while, when a subject with which he is particularly familiar crops up, he becomes all alive and helps to elicit valuable information from the evidence-givers.

Mr. H. K. S. Hemming of Hemming Bros., manufacturers of jewelry, toilet and other fancy cases, constituted the first deputation heard. He asked that the duty on the finished articles produced by him be left as it is, but that the Government should put on the free list such raw materials as silk, satin, plush and velvet, when imported by case-makers for their own use.

The largest and one of the most important of the deputations yet heard by the Ministers was that representing the jewelers' and silversmiths' section of the Board of Trade. It consisted of Messrs. M. C. Ellis, W. K. McNaught, Ed Scheuer, James Ryrie, T. H. Lee, H. E. Anderson & Co., H. R. Playnter, Ambrose Kent, C. E. Gunther, Benjamin Kent, J. Davis, John Wanless, E. N. Morphy, Walter J. Barr, P. W. Ellis of J. E. Ellis & Co., jewelers, and the following silversmiths: E. G. Gooderham, Toronto Silver Plate Company; W. K. George, Standard Silver Plate Company; Roden Bros., manufacturers of sterling hardware; Saunders & Laurie, Julius Saunders of H. & A. Saunders, A. H. Dewdney of Dewdney Bros., and E. Cohen of Cohen Bros., spectacle makers.

Mr. P. W. Ellis submitted the deputation's case to the Ministers with the remark that there was no jewelers' trust in Canada, and then went on to speak of what the trade wanted. It was recommended that the duty upon clocks, other than tower clocks, and upon watches, watch cases and watch movements should remain as at present. It was suggested that watch and clock materials, including clock springs, watch glasses or crystals, watch crowns, winding bars, and sleeves be placed under a duty of 10 per cent. ad valorem, which would mean a reduction in some cases of 10 per cent. It was recommended that diamonds and other precious stones unset should be relieved of the present duty of 10 per cent. ad valorem and placed on the free list. It was asked that the present duty of 30 per cent. be left upon electro-plated flat and hollow ware and sterling silver flat and hollow ware, and that sterling silver-mounted novelties should be listed at a uniform duty of 25 per cent. A reduction of 5 per cent. was asked in gold and silver thimbles. Some representations were also made as regards the importation of composition for watch cases, spectacles, etc.

Mr. Ambrose Kent and other retailers endorsed Mr. Ellis and a discussion followed.

Mr. G. S. Russell asked for a reduction of the duty on bead ornaments from 35 per cent. to 25 per cent. to enable the Canadian importer to compete with his American rival. He also asked for discrimination as to the importation of walking sticks and trimmings. As regards silver and gold laces for regalia, it was complained that the duty on the parts was higher than on the finished article. Curling stones were recommended to be put on the free list.

Mr. Emil Poliska, representing the manufacturers of Sapolio, asked that that article should be allowed to come in under the same duty as laundry soap, as it did not compete to any extent with them. The duty, he said, should be 20 per cent. instead of 35 per cent. He also objected to the present import charge on posters and advertising matter connected with Sapolio.

Mr. A. A. Barthelmes of A. A. Barthelmes & Co. complained that the duty on the raw material for "piano actions" was higher than that on the finished article. In many cases the duty on the screws, felts, etc., used was double that on the completed article. He also mentioned a similar state of affairs as regards autoharps. He wanted his hands strengthened as against the French and United States makers.

Mr. R. McLaughlin, builder of carriages, Oshawa, represented that the present duty on finished carriages should be maintained until the duties on raw materials were lessened.

When the commission resumed work in the afternoon the first deputation they received consisted of a large number of pork packers. These gentlemen appeared to be in a very anxious frame of mind and expressed themselves very plainly. Those present were: Messrs. F. W. Fearman, President of the Pork Packers and Provision Dealers, Hamilton; James Park, D. Gunn, Andrew Park, Charles Blackwell, A. Gunn, Robert Thompson, James E. Bailey, James Madden, a representative of the William Ryan estate; Frank Mathews, Peterboro; W. E. Mathews, representative of Hull and Peterboro; W. A. Maclean, Owen Sound, and F. F. Telfer, Collingwood.

Mr. Fearman stated the case of the pork men and said it was absolutely necessary for the success of the hog trade in Canada that the tariff should not be reduced at present. He instanced the remarkable development of the hog trade in Canada during the past fifteen years. Had it not been for protection this increase would never have occurred.

It was claimed that pork is raised cheaper in the United States, and the amount of speculation indulged in had a tendency to keep down the price on the other side. If the tariff was lowered now the country would be flooded with pork from the Chicago packing houses. Canadian hogs are much better than American hogs, this being due to the feeding.

Other members of the deputation spoke and said it was their wish that the Government would not deem it wise to change the specific duty of two cents per pound now on hogs. "If the duty were taken off," said Mr. C. S. Blackwell, "we should be forced to go out of business, and the farmer would have to discontinue raising heavy hogs."

Mr. Counsell said that as it is no money has been made by the handlers of dressed hogs in the last few years. He believed in Canada for Canadians. Should the industry be wrecked by a tariff reduction. Mr. Counsell stated that it would seriously affect a multitude of people in the country. On behalf of the coopers, whose business would be greatly affected by a falling off of the pork trade, Mr. J. Lendreville was present. He stated that he had made thousands of barrels, and the trade had grown in an extraordinary and most satisfactory manner. Barrels can be made cheaper in the States than here, because across the line they have the proper kind of wood.

"Is there any probability of the duty on hogs and meats being changed?" asked Mr. Fearman, "because we would like to know it. If there is any danger it would affect the filling of our cellars, as it has done in the past."

"We can't fill our cellars with this hanging over our heads, and if we did the farmers would have to share our loss" interposed one of the gentlemen.

Hon. Mr. Fielding remarked that every possible change in the tariff would, of course, bring anxiety to some, and he wanted the deputation to make their views as strong as the case warranted and to submit them in writing. A document to which a host of statistics was attached was handed to the Minister and the anxious deputation departed.

Messrs. John and David McIntosh, the marble men, were next. Mr. John McIntosh stated that at present there is a duty of 20 per cent. on rough stone and he would like to see that duty taken off. There was practically no granite in Ontario that can be used for monumental purposes. They had to import their good granite from Vermont, that from New Brunswick not being suitable.

Mr. R. McDonnell of the Sunnyside Rolling Mills wanted the $10 per ton duty on bar iron retained and the $4 per ton duty on scrap iron reduced to $2. Mr. McDonnell, in his remarks, said that if the country could have a settled trade policy it would be of great benefit to the iron industry. At present, he said, there is no soft steel made in Ontario, and he has in his mind the formation of a company with a capital of $250,000 for its manufacture. Before going on with the formation of his company he was desirous of seeing what the Government would do regarding tariff changes before he would go on. He also contemplated organizing a blast furnace company with a capital of $100,000.

Mr. McDonnell remarked that at present steel rails are brought into the country free, and as long as that is the case we will never have a steel rail plant established here.

Messrs. C. C. Going, president; G. W. Marsh, director, and S. D. Mills, vice-president and general manager of the Toronto Junction Foundry Company, stated there was an average duty of about 30 per cent. on malleable iron and it would suit them better if they could get raw material in free. They wanted a reduction on pig iron.

The soap men came next. They were represented by Messrs. C. C. Dalton of Dalton Bros., John Taylor and Fred Richards of Woodstock. They had no association, but were there in the interests of their own firms. They stated that they wished to have the tariff on laundry soap put back to where it was two years ago. It is now one cent and was one and a half cents then. Mr. Taylor wanted the old duty of 10c per pound and 10 per cent. ad valorem placed on soap. This was changed to 3c per cent. ad valorem the last time the tariff was revised, and now some dealers sending goods into Canada took advantage of the ad valorem duty by putting ridiculously low values on their importations. On high-grade soaps the deputation would like the duty to be made 5c per pound and 5 per cent. ad valorem.

Mr. C. H. Hubbard wanted the duty on gold leaf from Germany raised from 25 per cent. to 30 per cent., as, owing to the low rate of wages paid in the Fatherland, German gold leaf can be brought into this country for a little less than Mr. Hubbard can manufacture it. Mr. Hubbard is the only man in his line of business who has been able to make it go in Canada. He turns out about $12,000 worth in a year and about $60,000 is imported.

Mr. Ellis of the Barber & Ellis Company asked that there be no reduction in the duty on paper and manufactured paper, such as envelopes, etc. At present the duty is 35 per cent. and 25 per cent. respectively, but if any change is to be made Mr. Ellis said he would not mind if the duty was changed on paper if it was changed on envelopes, etc., accordingly.

It was nearly 7 o'clock when the commission adjourned.

A MARVELLOUS CURE.

Helped by the First Box—Could not Lift Fifty Pounds—Cured by a few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Arthur, Nov. 9. (Special).—Among his more intimate friends it has long been known here that Mr. J. C. Morrison had been gradually failing in health for many years. The acuteness of his sufferings was known only to a few. His complete recovery is a surprise here and is causing much talk. Of his cure he says:—"Yes I got help from the first box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and I have taken fifteen boxes. I kept getting better every day. When I commenced I could not lift fifty pounds; now I am as strong and well as ever in my life."

Constipation Cured.

Gents,—I was in very poor health for over four years; the doctor said it was constipation. Not wanting to spend too much cash I got three bottles of B.B.B. and took it regularly. I can certify that I am now in the very best of health and feel very grateful to B.B.B.

ALFRED TESOUX, Montreal, Que.

THE MOB SWOOPED DOWN

And Filled a Number of Colored Men With Buckshot at Altoona, Ky., the Other Night.

Paducah, Ky., Nov. 17.—Four negroes were seriously wounded and five others sprinkled with buckshot last night by a mob of white men at Altoona, fifteen miles from here on the Tennessee River. Fifteen negroes were engaged in cutting timber for the Standard Oil Company. They had been ordered to leave, being told that no negro was allowed to stop there. John Keeber, the foreman, decided there was no danger of violence, and the negroes were sitting around an old house when a mob of fifty men swoped down upon them and began firing. Some of the negroes ran into the woods, and others sought refuge in the house with the foreman. The mob then started to burn the house, but the foreman sued for peace, and the negroes were given twenty-five minutes to leave. The seriously wounded are: Smith (foreman), Mitchell Clark, John Boyd and Zena Jenkins. They were brought to this city. No effort has been made to apprehend the mob. Not a negro can be found for miles around Altoona to-day. Several more have been killed by mobs in this neighborhood before.

IT IS ALL TALK.

Yes, but it is Norwood Talk—The Kind That Tells in Norwood.

Talk that tells.
Talk that is endorsed.
Every day talk by people that know.
City talk.
Kidney talk.
Do the kidneys talk?
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You are learning the kidney language.
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Lame back means weak kidneys.
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The kidneys are talking trouble.
Here is some Norwood talk:

Mr. George Taylor, well known in Norwood, has this to say about Doan's Kidney Pills:—

"For a great many years I have been a sufferer from kidney disease. Terrible pain in my side and back made my life a burden. The urine was a dark wine colour, and I was greatly troubled with frequent urination. My sleep was destroyed because of this annoying trouble.

"I have taken scores of medicines, but could get no relief, and thought that I would never be cured. Happily I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills, and got a box at J. C. Moffatt's drug store, and have continued their use for one month.

"I am thankful to say as a result that they have fixed me up. I feel like another person. I do not now have to get up at night, and in fact am entirely cured.

"I think they are the grandest medicine ever placed before the public, and I heartily recommend them to all sufferers from kidney disorder of any kind."

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Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $3.50, now 2 50

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Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 60
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Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colours..... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1.25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves .... were $1 25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
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Black Cashmere Hose..... were 30c, now 20c
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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

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Royal Templars.

The Midland District of Royal Templars intend to hold their semi-annual meeting in Peterborough next Thursday—Thanksgiving Day.

Rev. G. M. Milligan, D.D.

Rev. G. M. Milligan, D.D., will lecture in St. Paul's church on Monday evening, Nov. 24th. Subject of lecture "How to Brighten Life." Admission twenty-five cents. In aid of the Children's Rescue Work.

A Fine Team.

Undertaker Comstock has just purchased a very fine jet black team from a farmer near Lindsay. They were originally matched for a Rochester undertaker, but Mr. Comstock heard of the pair and was fortunate enough to secure them.

The George Street Church Board.

A meeting of the Quarterly Board of the George street Methodist church was held last evening and the following Board of Stewards was re-elected :—Messrs. John Lockhart, B. F. Ackerman, Thos. Morrow, James Might, Benj. Shortly, Jas. A. Fife, M. D., and D. W. Dumble, Recording Steward.

Settle Your Accounts.

Business men are now sending out their accounts, and every person receiving them should settle without delay, the full amount, or as much of it as possible. Clear off the small debts, and there will not be much difficulty in lessening the larger ones. Five dollars kept constantly on the move, will easily pay off a thousand of indebtedness in a week. Money will move freely and dispel much of the "hard times" if everyone will make an effort to pay what they can. There are thousands of dollars locked up that should be in circulation, in settling up old standing accounts.

St. Andrew's Society.

The annual general meeting of the St. Andrew's Society will be held on Thursday evening, Nov. 19th, 1896, at 8 o'clock in the Morgan House. Business : Election of officers, making arrangements for the celebration of St. Andrew's Day, and other important matters. Members are urgently requested to attend, and all Scotchmen who wish to identify themselves with the Society are invited to be present.

R. W. BELL, President. WM. MENZIES, Secretary.

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The Lucky Guessers.

The interesting guessing competition which has been in progress at Messrs. M. L. Henry & Co.'s grocery store for the past month closed on Monday evening. The exact number of bars of soap displayed in the window was found to be 1,090. Two persons guessed 1,100, which was the closest figures to the exact number, resulting in a tie for the box of soap. The names of the fortunate guessers were Mr. Edward Ward, an employee of the Lock Works, and Mr. D. Doig. Under the circumstances Messrs. Henry & Co. had nothing left to do but to divide up the prize, and give 50 bars to each of the lucky guessers. The competition was quite keen, and between 800 and 900 guesses were made, showing that considerable business must have resulted from the advertisement of Henry's soap window. The large proportion of the guesses were quite close to the right number, although the lowest guess was 100 and the highest 9,500. Mr. J. W. Latimer refereed the count.

MORE SHEEP SLAUGHTERED.

Mr. J. J. Howden's Flock Attacked on Tuesday Night.

The sooner that sheepowners realise that the only safety for their flocks lies in locking them up securely at night, the sooner will the ravages, which are occurring nightly, cease.

On Tuesday night last the farm of Mr. Joseph Forster, Reeve of North Monaghan, was visited by dogs, but he had his sheep all safely housed. Notwithstanding this fact the bloodthirsty brutes attacked the door and actually endeavoured to force an entrance into the barn. Mr. Heasman, who lives near Mr. Forster heard the noise made by the dogs and, as he lives nearer to the barns than the owner, he ran over and saw what the animals were trying to do. He then hastily aroused Mr. Forster, who, getting a gun, endeavoured to get a shot at the dogs, but they discovered his presence and fled before he could do so. One of the dogs was of a yellowish colour.

The same night Mr. J. J. Howden's place was visited by the brutes, on the Otonabee side of the river, near the locks. He had not exercised the same forethought as Reeve Forster, and his flock of nineteen fine lambs was greatly reduced in number in consequence.

He heard the dogs growling and barking in the field and at once surmising what was the matter he picked up a rifle ran out, and obtained one shot at the dogs before they fled but did not succeed in hitting either of them, although he saw two. Out of the big flock seven were killed outright and five more were so badly mangled as to necessitate Mr. Howden's killing them. Of the remaining seven, four had escaped through leaping the fence, and two were recovered next morning at Mr. Winch's barns, a half mile distant.

The question now arises, if these dogs when they have the thirst for blood so strong upon them, will not eventually turn upon the man who disturbs them while they are engaged in ravaging a flock. A couple of such savage beasts could tear a man in pieces if he was not provided with a weapon for defence.

REV. D. O. CROSSLEY, OF NAPANEE, IS CALLED.

The Charlotte Street Quarterly Board Unanimous on the Point.

At a meeting of the Charlotte street Quarterly Board last night, it was resolved to extend a unanimous invitation to Rev. D. O. Crossley, of Napanee, to become the pastor of the church during the ensuing term.

The following stewards were elected : Messrs. A. L. Davis, M. A. Morrison, R. Neill, J. L. Hughes, Jas. Stevenson, T. H. Goard and Wm. Forster. As a Sabbath school committee the following were chosen : Messrs. A. L. Davis, R. Neil and J. L. Hughes.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Mr. William Fredenburgh Drops Dead Whilst at Work.

The very sudden death of Mr. Wm. H. Fredenburgh occurred yesterday afternoon whilst he was at work with Mr. George Trotter, who was making some repairs to his house on the corner of Reid and Smith streets.

Mr. Fredenburgh was engaged in mixing the mortar when he suddenly straightened up and fell back dead without uttering a word.

The deceased was 63 years of age, and up to seven years ago resided in Trenton. Since that time he has been living in Smith township, just across the boundary line. He was a brother of Mr. James Fredenburgh's and was married.

The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon next, at two o'clock, from the residence of Mr. George Trotter, corner of Smith and Reid streets, to the Little Lake Cemetery.

DEATH OF MRS. JOHN HICKEY.

She Was Only Sick One Week of Inflammation of the Lungs.

The death of Mrs. John Hickey, aged 76 years, occurred this morning at the family residence, No. 71, Elm street, after an illness of just a week. On Thursday last Mrs. Hickey contracted a severe cold which settled on her lungs and developed into inflammation, which was the cause of her demise.

The deceased was born in Limerick, Ireland, where she married Mr. John Hickey, coming to Peterborough in 1850, where she has resided ever since, being one of the oldest residents of the town. A husband and two children survive her, the latter being Ellen, the wife of Eugene Archambault, of town, and John Hickey, of Rochester.

The funeral will take place on Saturday morning at nine o'clock from the late residence of the deceased to St. Peter's Cathedral.

ANNOUNCEMENT NOTES.

The Spider and Fly Company.

The Woodstock Sentinel-Review says : A good audience was present at the opera house last night to see M. B. Leavitt's great spectacular production, "The Spider and Fly." The costumes were pretty and a gorgeous line of scenery is carried. Teddy Simonds appeared as the star comedian, and his turns and songs are extremely good. Besides this three very clever sisters do a contortionist and dancing performance, which is one of the best features of the show. The ballet dancing and fancing marching is well done. The closing tableau is splendid. This company appears at Bradburn's opera house on Saturday night next.

Myra Collins Company.

Plenty of good singing, dancing, etc., can be enjoyed by attending the Opera House, week commencing Nov. 23rd, when Myra Collins and her jolly company will appear. Mr. Dan Simons, the popular Peterborough boy, is with this company. Dan will be pleased to be home for one week. The prices have been reduced to 10 and 15c. No higher. Don't forget the date, week commencing Monday, Nov. 23rd, with matinees Thanksgiving and Saturday afternoons.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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Mrs. Appleby's New Fancy Goods Store, No. 426 Water St., is now open with an entirely new selection of the latest novelties in Fancy Goods. Look out for her grand Christmas Opening about 1st Dec.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's :—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 437 George street.

PERSONAL

Mr. R. B. Rogers was in Ottawa yesterday.

Mr. Fred Jones attended the big Seagram sale of horses in Toronto yesterday.

Mr. H. P. Kennedy will be in Toronto on business for the next few days.

Mrs. D. H. Burritt is confined to her room with illness, as is also one of her children.

Mrs. Sidney Strike, of town, is visiting her friend, Mrs. W. H. McCallum, in the Dale, Port Hope.

Mr. W. A. Wood, of town, has been ill in the Toronto General Hospital of typhoid fever for some time.

Mr. Thos. Telford, it is regrettable to learn, has been confined to his bed for the past four or five days.

The Port Hope Guide says : Mr. Sam McElroy, Peterborough, a former resident of Port Hope, was in town to-day, calling on old friends.

Mr. Frank Ellis, the popular porter at the Grand Central Hotel, who has been ill in the Nicholls Hospital for some weeks, is again able to be out.

Mrs. Wm Moyse, of Peterborough, who has been spending a few days in Port Hope the guest of Mrs. W. A. Russell, has returned home.

—A paragraph in the Ottawa correspondence of the Toronto World says that the contract has been let for eight bridges on the line of the Trent Valley Canal.

A well known young Bellevillian has been honoured in the person of Mr. John A. Forin, son of Mr. John Forin of this city. Mr. Forin has been appointed a judge at Rossland, B.C.

Messrs. T. F. Matthews, of Peterborough, and Mr. W. E. Matthews, of Ottawa, representing the respective branches of the Matthews Company' business, were in attendance yesterday at the Tariff enquiry in Toronto.

The Lindsay Post says :—Mr. Thomas Mimms, engineman, who has been running on the Lakefield branch, has been transferred to Lindsay, and will remove his family here in a few days. We welcome Mr. Mimms as a citizen of Lindsay.

Mr. Shoemaker, who has been appointed head miller of the Consolidated Milling Co., with his wife and two daughters, arrived in town on Saturday from Sarnia. They are at present boarding at No. 90 Hunter street, and so far are delighted with Peterborough.

Mr. J. W. Crosby returned to town yesterday from Campbellford, where he had been engaged in placing a number of new pianofortes in the homes of some of the citizens of that embryo town, and in negotiating for several others which are to follow.

The friends of Miss Retta Irwin, a member of the graduating class for 1896, of the Nicholls Hospital Training School for Nurses, will be glad to learn of her rapid convalescence from her protracted and critical attack of typhoid. Her recovery has been eagerly watched for by her relatives and friends, and since her removal from the hospital to the home of her parents on Stewart street, she has been permitted to enjoy numerous personal congratulations on her restoration.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

The melancholy days have come,
When he and his heart's desire
Find it too cold to hang by the gate,
And too warm to spoon by the fire.

—No police court this morning.

—A number of wages cases against Corry & Laverdure will come before the magistrate on Monday.

If your eyes trouble you in any way, have them tested by W. Madill, optician. No charge for examination.

—Mr. Charles Herring, while shooting on Salmon creek, yesterday, shot a large white owl. Its spread of wings is five feet six inches.

—The concert in the George street Sunday school to-night promises to be very entertaining. A varied and pleasing programme has been prepared.

—Lizzie Burley of the township of Hope picked a pimple on her lip with a needle a few days ago. Blood poisoning set in and she died yesterday from the effects.

—The hunters are all complaining of the amendments to the game laws, and say that large numbers of wounded deer have been found in the woods already.

—Here's another victim to the baneful tobacco habit. Mrs. Isabella Riddle, of Markham, died last Tuesday at the age of 106 years. She enjoyed her pipe to the last.

—Great numbers of dandelions are now in bloom, which is a sign, an old weather observer remarks, that winter will not set in early. Let it be accepted for what it is worth.

—The Quarterly Board of the Omemee Methodist church have given a unanimous invitation to the Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, of Napanee, to become their pastor next June.

—A George street merchant whilst on his way to the bank yesterday dropped a fifty cent roll of coppers, but on retracing his steps half an hour later found them in the gutter unmolested.

—A dog poisoner has destroyed a large number of valuable animals in Belleville. It is a pity this man could not be secured to kill off some of the useless curs of North Monaghan and Otonabee.

Mr. Bert Wallace, G.T.R. operator, is off on a couple of weeks holidays and his place at the key is being taken by Mr. S. Dunn, relieving agent, of Allandale. Bert will spend most of his time in Midland and Toronto.

—The George Matthews Company's branch meat store in Hintonburg was entered by thieves on Sunday morning last, and a large quantity of meat taken. No clue to the robbers.

—There should be a great crop of Mayoralty candidates in the larger centres of Canada this year. It is hinted that the Duke of York will confer knighthood on the Chief Magistrates on the occasion of his visit to Canada.

—Lindsay council is discussing the advisability of giving the mayor a salary of $200 per year. One of the councillors objects to "increasing the bonded indebtedness of the town to the amount of $5,000." This is just about what it means.

—If you want to economise burn the People's Coal Co's coal. All kinds of coal in stock, including best hard coal for stoves and furnaces, soft coal for grates, and smithing coal. Office—220 Charlotte street. Telephone 306.

—During the summer Mr. W. G. Fraser, of Campbellford, cut two heads of cabbage in his garden, and from the stalks there sprouted fifteen heads, eight on one and seven on the other, all of which became solid and fit for table use.

—During the early part of next month the farmers will be made wealthy again with the money they will receive from the sale of cheese. With good prices the latter part of the season, it is expected that there will be a fair average for the six months.

—Now that poultry is being placed upon the market, it would be advisable to heed the instruction of poultry dealers, who recommend the removal of all feathers and the entrails, but not the skin in plucking. Poultry sells best when offered in good condition.

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Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

A NOVEMBER WEDDING.

Marriage of Mr. Alfred E. Simpson, of Lakefield, in Hamilton.

Hamilton Herald.

A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Waters, 30 Erie avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, when Miss May Brown, sister of Mrs. Waters, was married to Alfred E. Simpson, of Lakefield, Ont.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Tovell, and the bridesmaid was Miss Nellie Oliver, of this city. The groom was assisted by Mr. Heath, of Port Dover.

The ceremony was performed in the presence of about twenty of the nearest relatives and friends of the bride. Since coming to the city Miss Brown has been identified with the First Methodist church and has become very popular amongst a large circle of friends by whom she will be greatly missed. She was the recipient of a large number of handsome presents, among them a solid gold watch and chain from the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson left on the noon train for Detroit. The bride and groom above mentioned are well known in Campbellford. The bride is the daughter of Mr. David Brown and the groom for some time was employed by the Rathbun Company.

NO INTERFERENCE.

To the Editor of the Examiner :—

SIR,—We desire to say that the very unusual display of posters put up about town are not in reference to a matter for which our firm is responsible, nor can our goods be sold to satisfy it. And further, that the attempted sale cannot and will not in any way interfere with our contract on the canal.

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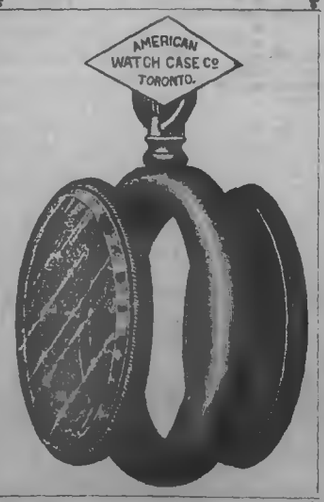

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Instead of waiting or whining, we begin this week with a series of **EVERY OTHER DAY BARGAIN SALES.** On

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we let go the following important lines of goods at prices that must close them out. Fix you eye on these Bargain Days, but remember that the prices named are for these days only :

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Prices for Sunday School Library Books will be lower than ever in these days.

Wall Paper.

Here is a chance that will upset your house and paper now :
500 Rolls Wall Paper finished in metal colourings 5c and 7c lines for..... 4c
800 Rolls Wall Paper of American and Canadian glimmers, new designs, 8c and 10c lines, for 6c
300 Rolls special line of Gilt Wall Paper, suitable for parlours and dining rooms, regular 15c and 20c lines for..... 9c
Come and see and be convinced that you can buy wall paper on our Bargain Days at prices never before offered.

Window Blinds and Cornice Poles.

55c Window Blinds for 37
25c Dado Blinds for..... 19c
30c Fringed Blinds for..... 23c
25c Cornice Pole for..... 13c
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300 Quires of 5c Note Paper for..... 3c
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Good Writing Tablets, 100 sheets for..... 4c
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Ladies' Felt Hats, were 75c..... 25c
Ladies' Vests and Drawers..... 25c
All Wool Tweed Dress Goods..... 35c
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Elder Down Cushions..... 50c
Ladies' All Wool Vests, special..... 50c
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LOCAL NEWS.

Madill's Cream of Witch Hazel
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Y. W. C. A. Notes
Girls, don't forget the Bible class in the Y.W.C.A. rooms to-night at the usual hour.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.
Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, on Saturday, November 28th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases.

See Grafton & Co's for Underwear at 15c, 25c, 35c, 45c, 50c. Best value in town.

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Windsor Newton's best artist colours, cheapest in town; Canvass, worth 75c per yard, for 60c; Canvass, worth $1.00 per yard, for 75c; academy brand, all sizes. All kinds and sizes of brushes at special prices. When you get your picture finished bring it and have it framed neatly and cheaply. We loan artist's studies free of charge for two weeks to students buying $1 50 worth of artist materials.—A. H. SNATTON & Co.

The Auburn Power Company.
The last issue of the Ontario Gazette contains a notice of application for incorporation of "The Auburn Power Company of Peterborough (Limited.)" The notice sets forth that the objects of the company are "the production, sale and distribution of electricity for purposes of light, heat and power. The amount of capital stock is to be $90,000, in $100 shares." The names in full of the applicants are as follows: James Kendry, Manufacturer; John Carnegie, Gentleman; Robert Maxwell Dennistoun, Barrister-at-law; William Hewitt Meldrum, Miller; and Margaret P. Meldrum, Married Woman, all of the town of Peterborough, aforesaid, of whom the said James Kendry, John Carnegie and William Hewitt Meldrum are to be the first or provisional directors of the said company."

XMAS OPENING TO-NIGHT.
Don't forget the Xmas Opening at MISS MELVILLE'S to-night.

The Penalty of Politeness.
Yesterday a lady from the country called at a certain shop in town and requested permission to leave her basket for a short time—till she called for it. The proprietor with a smiling politeness characteristic of his demeanour, very affably assured the lady that he would be only too happy to oblige her. He took the basket and placed it carefully on top of a steam coil, which was not hot enough to injure the basket, but had heat enough to make it disgustingly hot for the proprietor of the shop a short time later. In due time the lady returned and claimed her parcel, which was handed her. She noticed that it was rather light, and forgetful of the favour she had received rather irately proceeded to tax the courteous shop keeper with abstracting some of its contents. Investigation showed that the contents of the basket—butter—had melted and flowed through the interstices of the basket upon the floor, and the coil not being in a very good light, the catastrophe was not noticed till close examination was made. A friendly compromise was effected, as there is no more wisdom in crying over melted butter than spilt milk. One thing that intensified the uncomfortable experience of the gentleman was that the presence of a lady prevented the employment of language sufficiently vigorous to express his feelings.

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BAPTIST MISSION CONFERENCE.

Bad Weather Makes a Small Attendance — Addresses by the Mission Officials of the Church—The Responsibility of Christians in Reference to Missions.

The unusually rainy and stormy weather accounted for a small attendance at the Baptist church last night, for the mission conference which was addressed by distinguished workers in the mission field of the church.

After the usual devotional exercises a brief address was given by Rev. A. P. McDiarmid, M.A., secretary of Foreign Missions, on the general subject of the object of God in redeeming the world, which was to use the redeemed ones for His work in extending the blessings of that redemption. He particularly referred to the great responsibility that rested upon Christians in relation to the spread of the Gospel. God had appointed no other way than through the members of the Christian church. In this great work a diversity of gifts was needed, but all working to the common end of saving lost men and women. The gifts of all were redeemed in order that they might be consecrated to the work of of extending the Kingdom of Christ. Even the business man, as a type, should consecrate his business gifts to making money to be used in the spread of the Gospel. There were many obstacles to the use of these gifts, but they might all be summed up in one word—worldliness, in its various forms—than which there was nothing more destructive of spiritual life in the soul. The great motive to activity in the work of extending the Kingdom, should be the love of Christ.

After the singing of the hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee,"

Rev. E. Bosworth, field missionary of the Grand Ligne Mission, Quebec, addressed the meeting. He urged his hearers to each one regard himself or herself as specially selected by God to do some special work in the salvation of souls. But not only as individuals was the duty of working for God laid upon us, we were banded together for the same purpose. There was no doubt of the work that God had assigned. Christ commissioned His disciples to preach the truths of His Gospel and before He ascended to Heaven He urged upon them the duty of the spread of the Gospel to the "uttermost parts of the earth." When we looked upon the fifteen millions of souls in the world, the truth was forced upon us that our duty was not only to those in our own town, but our zeal should lead our hearts to go out in love to the whole world. The speaker related experiences of his own which showed the necessity of the blessed consolation of the gospel in many spiritually barren regions of our own country, where he had been the first Christian minister that had visited isolated settlers in seven and nine years respectively. In all the six hundred miles between North Bay and Port Arthur, within the some twenty-five villages and towns, there had not been planted one branch of the church of the New Testament. The speaker pointed out the great field for mission work in the Northwest. There was much to be done, but the speaker was thankful that much had been done. Twenty years ago there was only one Baptist in Winnipeg. Now there were two prosperous churches with large congregations, and in the whole Northwest there were three score churches. Referring to the Province of Quebec the speaker inquired why God had selected the Baptist church to carry the gospel to the great province where the great majority were bowing down to idols, and relying upon the mediation of so-called saints, rather than upon that of the great Mediator. There were 300 millions in India alone, who had never heard the name of Christ.

Rev John P. McEwan, Superintendent of Home Missions, said the presence of the officials of the mission department was not to present the claims of any particular work, but to deepen the interest in missions, and impress the sense of responsibility that rested upon the individual Christian. In the Home Mission Field the past year there were 146 missionaries at work, and he was glad to say that in every one of these fields, with one or two exceptions there was evidence that souls had passed from death unto life. Never did their seem to be so many open doors as at present, nor such an evident willingness to receive the great message of the Gospel.

After a few closing words from Rev. Mr. McDiarmid the meeting closed with singing and prayer.

Special Bargains in Men's Overcoats for Friday and Saturday at Grafton & Co's.

ARCHDEACONRY OF PETERBOROUGH.

Summary of the Proceedings of the Third Annual Meeting—Division of the Diocese of Toronto Unanimously Favoured.

The third annual meeting of the Archdeaconry of Peterborough opened on Tuesday morning last at Cobourg. The following clergy were present in the course of the day:—Ven. Archdeacon Allen, Rural Deans Allen, Cooper and Harding; Canons Macnab, Spragge and Farncomb; Revs. J. Gibson, J. Creighton, A. G. E. Westmacott, Rev. J. C. Davidson, W. J. Creighton, W. E. White, G. H. Webb, H. Symonds, R. A. Rooney, G. Warren, A. D. Tarrant, C. H. Marsh, W. H. French, E. Daniel, J. H. McGinnis, G. Major, W. L. Baynes Reed, Wilson McCann. Lay delegates were present:—Mr. Cummings, from Colborne; W. P. Plant, John Coyle and E. Weir, from Hastings; John Burnham, Q.C., from Ashburnham; F. H. Falkner, from Havelock; Col. Bolton, Mr. Osler, Judge Ketchum, from Cobourg; Mr. A. L. Colville, from Campbellford; Mr. Grace, from Lindsay; Mr. Thompson, from Gore's Landing and Harwood; Mr. R. M. Dennistoun, Peterborough. A considerable number of ladies also attended the meetings.

Proceedings opened with a celebration of the Holy Communion at 9 a.m., followed by a devotional meeting, conducted by Canon MacNab, after which the delegates adjourned to the school house, when the Archdeacon delivered the opening address and nominated as his representatives on the Council, the Rural Deans of Durham, Northumberland and Haliburton.

The delegates elected Canon Spragge to represent Northumberland, Rev. E. Daniel to represent Durham and Rev. E. Soward Haliburton. Rev. H. Symonds was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer. Lay representatives were also, for the first time, elected to the council as follows: Mr. Grace, of Lindsay, for Durham; Mr. Colville, of Campbellford, for Northumberland, and Mr. Bemister for Haliburton.

The meeting then adjourned for lunch, which was bountifully provided by the ladies of St. Peter's church. Speeches were made after lunch.

In the afternoon the question of the division of the diocese was fully discussed by Rev. W. E. Cooper, Messrs. A. L. Colville, John Burnham, and F. E. Hodgins, of Toronto, and others. The following important resolution was passed unanimously.

Moved by Col. Boulton, seconded by Rev. C. H. Marsh:

"That whereas it is desirable in the interests of the Church that a division of the Diocese of Toronto be made as the present area is too large for the efficient supervision of one Bishop, in the opinion of this Conference it is desirable that a new Diocese be formed consisting of the counties of Ontario, Northumberland, Durham, Peterborough, Victoria and Haliburton; that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Committee on the Extension of the Episcopate, and that a special committee, consisting of the Archdeacon, Col. Boulton and Rev. H. Symonds be appointed to confer with the clergy of the County of Ontario in regard to the proposed division."

In the evening Divine service was held in St. Luke's church, when the sermon was preached by Rev. H. Symonds from Ephesians v, verse 32: "I speak concerning Christ and the church." The musical portion of the service was well rendered and a short devotional service by Canon McNab brought to a close a very successful opening of the Conference.

BURIED AT DUNSFORD.

The Sad End of an Accident in the Back Woods.

On Thursday of last week, as noted briefly in a previous issue, James Bell, hotel keeper at Orono, was drowned while hunting with a party of Toronto and Orono friends about thirty miles north of Havelock, Methuen township.

The lake was very rough about the time he was due to arrive from his watch some miles distant from the camp, and it is supposed the canoe was overturned by a huge wave.

The body was recovered on Saturday previous to the arrival of Messrs. Wm. and Arthur Bell, of Dunsford, brothers of the deceased and Robt. Thurston, a brother-in-law, who at once left for Havelock upon being notified of the unfortunate occurence, and they passed through to Dunsford with the body on Monday. The funeral took place Tuesday at 2 30 o'clock from the residence of Mr. Thos. Bell, another brother of the deceased, and the remains were followed to St. John's cemetery by a large number of sorrowing friends, many being present from Orono, Havelock, Bobcaygeon, Lindsay and other points. Deceased was 44 years of age, and leaves a wife, four sons and a daughter.

ENJOYED HER PIPE AT 106.

Probably the Oldest Resident in Canada Passes Away.

Mrs. Isabella Riddle, aged 106 years, relict of the late David Riddle, one of the oldest settlers in this part of the country, died on Tuesday at the residence of her son, James, on the tenth concession of Markham. Deceased was in possession of all her faculties. She has always been a very industrious woman and of late years spent most of her time knitting. She has been a widower over fifty years and always enjoyed her pipe.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Members of the Bible Institute are reminded of their usual meeting to-night at 8 o'clock.

A Bicycle Accident.
Yesterday afternoon, says the Port Hope Times, as Miss Ella Merrifield was riding on her wheel along Mill street going north, a farmer named Orlando Gifford, driving a load of barley to town, ran into her. Miss Merrifield was thrown from her wheel and severely bruised, while the wheels of the waggon passed over her bicycle, completely wrecking it. The farmer drove on without stopping to assist the young lady or to apologize. He was on the wrong side of the road and was warned to turn out, but instead of doing so, crowded Miss Merifield into the ditch. A suit for damages will be instituted by Mr. C. A. Merrifield.

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379 GEORGE STREET.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

LACROSSE.

Mr. Frank Dougherty, one of the best known and most skillful lacrosse players in the Province died at Owen Sound yesterday morning from a combination of ailments. Mr. Dougherty, better known as "Doc," played with the "Ontarios" of Port Hope, for one season, and was a general favourite with all the boys, who regret to learn of his death. At one time he had the reputation of being the best "all around" player in the world.

FENCING.

An invention has been tried in London which is said to do away altogether with the difficulty constantly experienced by an umpire in judging hits between two equally matched competitors at fencing. This end, it is declared, has been achieved by covering the front of each jacket with fine copper or brass wire gauze, and connect this with the adversary's foil and an electric bell (of the burglar alarm pattern) and battery in the safe circuit. It follows that when a hit is made the circuit is closed and the bell rings and continues to ring until stopped by the person in charge.

A special arrangement in each foil handle provides that only a direct point produces a ring. Two entirely electrically distinct circuits are used, each including a bell, foil and jacket; flicks or blows or grazes produce no result. The bells being of different tones and moreover placed on opposite sides of the room, there is no difficulty in deciding who has scored a hit, or, in cases of almost simultaneous hits, who delivered the point first. By a simple arrangement the wires passing from the batteries to the combatants' collars are kept well out of the way, however sudden may be the movement of advance or retreat.

In the London trial six selected amateurs competed for a pair of foils, and five bouts were fought. The experiments were completely successful. A military expert, Captain Hutton, who was present said that the device would be of great value at such competitions as the Royal Military Tournament, for the best judges sometimes made mistakes, while the electrical current could not err.

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DIED.

FREDENBURGH—Suddenly on Thursday, Nov. 19th, 1896, William Henry Fredenburgh, aged 68 years.

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WHAT'S THE MATTER?

Something Mysterious in Connection with Mr. James Martin White, M.P. for Forfarshire.

London, Nov. 17.—Considerable mystery attaches to a report concerning James Martin White, a Liberal who represents Forfarshire in the House of Commons. The Dundee Advertiser announced on Saturday last that Mr. White had accepted the Stewardship of the Chiltern Hundreds, in other words had retired from politics. Immediately thereafter Mr. White declared that the announcement was wholly untrue. He added that he was going to India on business, but hoped to return by the time Parliament resumed its sittings. That something is wrong was shown to-day by the action of the Legislative Committee of the Dundee Liberal Association, which held a meeting and discussed the case of Mr. White. The committee finally adopted a resolution declaring that since it had been informed that grave charges affecting Mr. White's personal character had become the subject of litigation, the committee would take no action in the case, hoping that Mr. White would be able to clear the charges up. Mr. White started for India yesterday. Mr. White, who is about 39 years old, is a member of the firm of J. W. White & Co., No. 54 Worth-street, New York, which is chiefly engaged in the importation of textile goods. He is a Justice of the Peace, member of the Council of University College, Dundee, chairman of the Technical Institute and President of the Dundee Technical Association. The character of the charges against Mr. White is as yet unknown.

The Daily Mail, in its issue to-morrow, will seek to minimize the gravity of the charges against Mr. White. It does not state definitely what the charges are, but the article indicates that a suit for breach of promise of marriage has been, or is to be, brought against Mr. White by the daughter of a Scotch clergyman.

INTER-IMPERIAL TRADE.

The Conservative Associations of Great Britain Resolve in Favor of Commercial Federation.

London, Nov. 17.—The National Union of Conservative Associations, in its session at Rochdale, has adopted resolutions favoring a commercial federation between Great Britain and her colonies, the restriction of the immigration of pauper aliens and the creation of a national reserve of breadstuffs.

Mr. Robert A. Yerburg, M.P. for Chester, in supporting the last-mentioned resolution, urged that the Government should store ten million quarters of wheat. He also argued in favor of restoring a duty of one shilling per quarter on foreign corn.

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ROBBED A CANADIAN.

That is the Charge Against Two New York Young Women Clothed in Purple and Fine Linen.

New York, Nov. 17.—Two fine-looking women, clad in purple and fine linen, with sparkling jewels and costly furs, were brought into the Supreme Court before Justice Lawrence to-day by an officer from the Tombs. They were Misses Nellie Mason and Jessie Roberts, who were arrested several days ago on the complaint of E. L. Peltier, a Canadian, who charged that they had robbed him of $75 in a saloon on 40th-street and Broadway.

P. A. McManus obtained a writ of habeas corpus for the women, and urged that there was no evidence to show that they had committed the theft in spite of the fact that Magistrate Mott had held them each in $2000 bail for the grand jury.

It was in the evidence, he said, that Peltier had not examined his pocketbook from 6 o'clock on the evening in question until after the women had been with him, and then he accused them. They had immediately been searched, but nothing was found on them. Assistant District Attorney Oliver said that Peltier had told one of the women to keep her hands out of his pocket where the money was. Decision was reserved.

THE CROOK OWNED UP.

The Safe in a Napanee Hotel Was Robbed and a Job Was Put Up on the Supposed Thief With Success.

Napanee, Ont., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—A. E. Douglas, proprietor of the Paisley House here, had an experience last night with a light-fingered gentleman. A one-armed stranger, giving the name of Ross, and alleging himself as a traveler for a Chicago firm, has been staying at the Paisley House for a few days, and last night after many of the guests had retired Ross walked up to the office to pay his bill, and among the bills offered in payment was a crisp new American two-dollar bill. Mr. Douglas recognized the bill as similar to one which had been deposited by a guest shortly before. He had a suspicion that the safe in which over $300 had been placed for safe keeping shortly before had been rifled, and investigation proved this fact. He immediately called in the police and sent for Police Magistrate Daly, but before their arrival communicated the fact of the robbery to a drummer guest who knew Ross. This gentleman approached Ross, and, stating that he was short, asked Ross for a loan of ten dollars, which request Ross complied with. The drummer went to the office, placed a mark on the bill and had a talk with Douglas. The drummer then approached Ross, and told him something was wrong with the bill and that it had been stolen and was recognized by the mark on it, and as the bill came from Ross he was suspected of the robbery. Ross broke down, and acknowledged taking the money, repaid it and left. The Magistrate and constable allowed Ross to go unmolested to pastures green.

SPAIN'S LOAN.

The Government Asked for Fifty Million Dollars and Over Twice That Amount Was Subscribed.

London, Nov. 17.—A despatch from Madrid to The Central News says the new Spanish loan has been subscribed for to the amount of 570,000,000 pesatas, though only 250,000,000 pesatas were required. The sum total of the loan authorized by the Queen Regent was 400,000,000 pesatas, but the Government decided to ask for only 250,000,000 pesatas, reserving the remaining 150,000,000 pesatas, for which there was no immediate need.

The success of the Government in floating this internal loan is regarded as assuring the Government's ability to secure a foreign loan should it ever become necessary, and the Government are greatly encouraged.

It has been decided to send 10,000 troops to the Philippine Islands at once, in addition to the 6000 which are already under orders to leave for Manilla.

Mining Engineer Furlong Drowned.

Butte, Mont., Nov. 17.—A private telegram received in this city yesterday states that Francois F. Furlong of Butte, a well-known mining engineer, was drowned at Vancouver while trying to cross the bay for the purpose of examining some mines for English capitalists. Furlong has been engaged in mining in Mexico, South America, Australia, New Zealand, Portugal, Japan and all over America. He was 50 years of age and unmarried. He had a brother in London and a sister in Australia.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is dull, and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.10 to $4.25.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices steady; dealers asking $7.50 west. Shorts, $9 to $9.50 west.

Wheat—The market is quiet, offerings are increasing, but buyers hold off. Ontario white is quoted at 85c to 86c outside, and red at 85c. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 92½c and 93c, milling in transit, and at 83½c, afloat Fort William. No. 2 hard is quoted at 91c, Toronto freights.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with sales at 30c west.

Barley—Trade dull, with No. 1 quoted at 35c to 37c. No. 2 at 30c and No. 3 extra 26c outside.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 21c to 21½c, and mixed at 20c outside.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices are unchanged, there being sales outside at 43½c.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 35c east.

Corn—Market dull, with prices firm at 28c to 29c outside.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The market to-day was quiet and steady. The receipts were 48 car loads, including 700 sheep and lambs and 1500 hogs. The demand for export cattle was slow. Sales were made at 3¼c to 3¾c per lb. Really choice animals are worth 4c. Bulls, for export, 3c to 3¼c. There were few choice butchers' cattle, and they would bring 3c to 3¼c per lb.; medium butchers' at 2½c to 2¾c, and inferior at 2c to 2¼c. Offerings are chiefly confined to inferior grades. Milch cows unchanged at $25 to $40 each, and calves firm at $3 to $5.50 per head.

Old Country cattle markets are not improving. The demand is poor and all the markets are well supplied. A cable from Liverpool says: "There was a dull market both here and in London to-day. States cattle sold at 5¼d per lb., Canadian cattle at 4¼d, and ranchers at 4d."

Sheep and lambs in moderate supply on local market, and prices firm. Export sheep sold at 3c per lb., and bucks at 2¼c to 2½c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3c to 3¼c per lb.

Hogs in fair offer, with receipts of 1500. The best sold at 3¾c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3½c to 3¼c, light weights at 3½c, sows at 2½c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Nov. 17.—Spring wheat, 7s 1½d to 7s 3d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 7d to 7s 9d; corn, 3s 2½d; peas, 4s 10d; pork, 50s; lard, 23s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 30s 0d; do., light, 28s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow, 20s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast and on passage 3d lower. English country markets quiet.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures weak at 6s 11¾d for Dec., Jan. and Feb., and 6s 11½d for March. Maize easy at 3s 2¼d for Nov. and Dec., and 3s 1½d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 3d.

Paris—Wheat 22f 90c for Dec. Flour 48f 15c for Dec.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat dull at 6s 10¾d for Dec., Jan. and Feb., and 6s 10¾d for March. Maize quiet at 3s 2d for Dec. and 3s 1½d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 6d.

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BRIDE'S WARNING IN VAIN.

Told Her Betrothed Not to Blow Out the Gas, But He's Dead.

Baltimore, Nov. 17.—Edmund G. Crosby, a young farmer from Prince George's county, came to Baltimore yesterday to visit his sweetheart and to arrange for his wedding, which was to have taken place a week from to-morrow. This morning he was found dead from asphyxiation at the home of Mr. William J. Shriver, No. 1534 North Carey-street, the uncle of his bride-elect. Wilbur W. Shriver, a son of Crosby's host, with whom he slept, was rendered unconscious from inhaling the gas, but will recover.

In parting last night the last words of Miss Hallie Hall, Crosby's betrothed, to her lover were: "Don't blow out the gas when you retire." Crosby, evidently in his anxiety to turn the gas entirely off, wrenched the stop-cock so that the gas escaped. He slept directly under the gas jet, and had been dead several hours when his room was entered this morning. Young Shriver awoke in the night partly suffocated by the escaping gas, and attempted to escape from the room, but when he reached the door he fell unconscious.

When they put a man in jail, he cannot follow his natural inclinations. He cannot eat what he wants to—he is limited to a very frugal diet. Is it not equally true of a dyspeptic? For all of the real enjoyment he gets out of life, he might as well be in jail. He cannot eat what he likes, nor enough. He suffers much, gets little sympathy. At first, perhaps a little heaviness in the stomach, a little sourness, windy belchings and heartburn; headaches and biliousness and a foul taste in the mouth in the morning. Chronic constipation is almost inevitable, and means that the body is holding poisonous, impure matter that should be gotten rid of. The poison is being reabsorbed into the blood and the whole body. Impurity in the blood may lead to almost any disease. Constipation is the start of it all. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, cure it so it stays cured. No other remedy in the world will do that.

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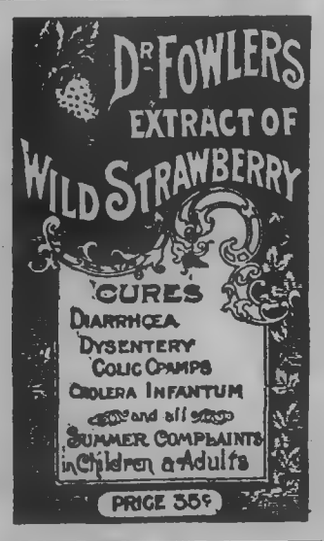

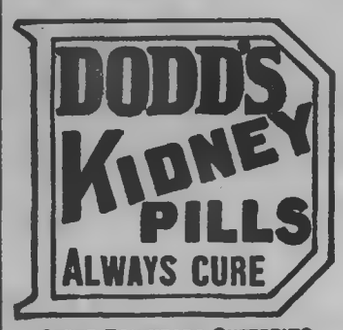

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The turkey is deserving of special sympathy inasmuch as it may be regarded fairly as the representative American bird. Its likeness would be more appropriate than that of the eagle as the national emblem. No species of its genus is a native of the old world. When the Spanish conquerors came to Mexico, they saw and wrote home about the turkey. They described it as a kind of peacock. Montezuma had one of the greatest zoological collections ever got together, comprising nearly all the animals of the country, to which were added many brought from afar. He was very proud of his menagerie, on which great sums of money were spent. Large numbers of turkeys were furnished alive as food to the carnivorous beasts. At that period turkeys had already been domesticated for centuries in the land of the Aztecs, and they were reared in much the same way as at present.

From Mexico the domesticated turkey was brought to the West Indies as early as 1520. It was carried to Europe by the Spaniards, and the delicacy of its flesh being highly appreciated, it soon spread over the greater part of Europe. In the reign of Francis I it was imported into France. The first one eaten in that country is said to have been served at a banquet on the occasion of the wedding of Charles IX. This was in 1570. The bird was bred with much care and not long afterward it found its way into Africa and Asia. In 1541 it was introduced into England. Although these facts are beyond dispute, there was question for a long time as to the origin of the turkey. In Great Britain it was popularly supposed to have come from Turkey, and hence the name given to it.

The most remarkable event in the history of the turkey, however, remains to be told. From Europe it was brought to the United States, and it is the descendants of these imported birds that appear on our Thanksgiving tables, trussed and browned, with giblet gravy for an appetizing accompaniment. In fact, our domestic turkey is the Mexican bird—a different species from the familiar wild turkey of this country. The notion so widely held that the barnyard turkey is this wild turkey domesticated is an error. It was first proved to be such by the late Spencer F. Baird, formerly secretary of the Smithsonian institution; hence the difficulty of mating wild turkeys with tame ones. The wild turkeys of Mexico today, on the other hand, are just like our tame turkeys, being derived from the same original stock. They have the same white meat — decidedly whiter than that of the wild turkeys of the United States—and they exhibit other likenesses in addition.

There are two species of wild turkeys in North America. One is confined to the eastern and southern United States and the other to the southern Rocky mountain region and adjacent parts of Texas, New Mexico and as far south as Orisaba. In a word, one species belongs to eastern and the other to middle north America. Our barnyard turkeys are derived from the latter stock. The differences between the two species are not so marked as to excite the attention of the casual observer. In the Mexican or barnyard fowl the tips of the tail feathers and the feathers overlying the base of the tail are creamy white. The same feathers in the wild turkey of the eastern United States are brown always.

In view of the facts here stated, the Mexican wild turkey of today becomes interesting. It is a very shy bird and lives in families like the goose. Sentinels are kept on watch while the flocks feed. The female lays 12 brownish red, spotted eggs, which are hatched in 30 days. It feeds on various kinds of berries and fruits and prefers pecan nuts to any other diet when they can be found. Its habits in all important respects are like those of the wild turkey of the United States.

When migrating, if they reach a river which they want to cross, the turkeys wait on the near bank for a day or two, for consultation apparently. Meanwhile the males gobble continually and strut about with lowered wings and expanded tails. When the proper time arrives, the entire flock rise to the tops of the highest trees, and, at a signal from the leader, the birds launch themselves in the air and fly to the opposite shore. Should the stream be wide the young and feeble individuals are apt to miss the point aimed at and fall into the water. They swim ashore with much dexterity, closing their wings, using the expanded tail for a support and striking out rapidly with their long and powerful legs. Sometimes, if the bank is very steep, a few may be unable to ascend, and, falling back from unsuccessful attempts, they are drowned.

In Yucatan and Guatemala is found a third species of turkey, which is one of the most beautiful birds known to the ornithologist. Its feathers blaze with metallic reflections of gold, green, blue and bronze. It is somewhat less in size than the other two kinds. Its tail is ornamented with eyes like those of the peacock. This species is called the "ocellated" turkey.

Thankful For Small Favors.

In 1633, according to Palfrey, "there was great scarcity of corn, yet people lived well with fish and the fruit of their gardens," and yet these supplies, insufficient for comfort, were deemed enough to be *thankful for*, and in the proclamation of Governor Winthrop calling for "a day of public thanksgiving through the several plantations" he refers to "the many and extraordinary mercies which the Lord has been pleased to vouchsafe of late to this plantation—namely, a plentiful harvest, ships lately arrived with persons of special use and quality, etc."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Oysters Served Raw.

Wash the oysters well in cold water; then have them opened in the deep shell to preserve their liquor. Cover the bottom of deep oyster plates with chopped ice, place the oysters on top and serve; or put a small napkin over the ice and arrange the oysters on the napkin. Another way is to place the oysters for 15 minutes on chopped ice, arrange them without ice on plates and serve with lemons cut in quarters.—Exchange.

Thank Him.

For pasture lands folded with beauty,
For plenty that burdened the vale,
For the wealth of the teeming abundance,
And the promise too royal to fail,
We lift to the Maker our anthems,
But none the less cheerily come
To thank him for bloom and fruition
And the happiness crowning the home.
—Margaret E. Sangster.

A Reminder of the Fathers.

Thanksgiving day comes with its annual reminder of the fathers, who in the midst of their poverty and distress thanked God for their blessings and had hope for the future. It is the self sacrifice of one generation that constitutes the prosperity of the next. The rock of Plymouth is no stony bowlder to be shielded from rough contact by a marble canopy. It is rather a sure faith in the supreme obligations of duty and of personal character as the main element of durable success.—Independent.

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Old Time Thanksgivings.

In 1652 the magistrates at Plymouth, desiring to show loyalty to England on the close of the war in England by the battle of Somerset, placed themselves on record thus: "The court desired that a public day of thanksgiving throughout the colonies might be observed therein to give thanks for the great victories granted to the army in the behalf of the parliament and the commonwealth of England."

In the Plymouth colony Thanksgiving days were appointed for 1651, 1668 and 1680 and in the Massachusetts Bay colony in 1633, 1634, 1637, 1638 and 1639. In New York the Dutch governors proclaimed Thanksgiving days in 1644, 1645, 1655 and 1664 and the English governors followed this precedent in 1760 and 1775.—Exchange.

A Beautiful Custom.

Our beautiful national custom of setting apart a day for Thanksgiving annually must never be suffered to fall into desuetude. The home day, when the clans gather and rally, when bearded men, having traveled for days, arrive breathless and eager at the old threshold to keep Thanksgiving among kith and kin, when troops of grandchildren surround the old table, when all the land is thrilled and moved because of the great feast—this day is so peculiarly our very own that we must always hold it dear. Its religious and its social character should continue to be interchangeable, and the consecration to God should but make the separateness of its home joys the more precious.—Mrs. M. E. Sangster.

Stubborn Rhode Island Settlers.

The Rhode Island settlers, stubborn in this as in other things, never took kindly to thanking anybody for anything. Sir Edmund Andros, the imperious governor of New England in the reigns of Charles II and James II, thought his will a match for their stubbornness. Several times he ordered them to appear to be thankful on a certain day, but the colonists did it with so bad a grace that several of them were hauled before the magistrates and charged with contempt and disobedience of the king's ordinances.—New York Sun.

The Best Turkey Cook.

There's a queer thing about the cooking of a turkey. And in my estimation there's only one person who has solved the riddle—or one class of persons. A farmer's daughter can cook a turkey, but no one else in the world. I want my "turk," as the boys say, cooked by a farmer's daughter. The chestnuts inside must be big ones, domestic chestnuts, but the bumping big kind that grow in Indiana and nowhere else.—Benjamin Harrison.

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It stings the toes
And bites the nose
As over the ground we go.

Over the river and through the wood
To have a first rate play.
Hear the bells ring,
"Ting-a-ling-ding!"
Hurrah for Thanksgiving day!

Over the river and through the wood
Trot fast, my dapple gray!
Spring over the ground,
Like a hunting hound,
For this is Thanksgiving day!

Over the river and through the wood
And straight through the barnyard gate
We seem to go
Extremely slow.
It is so hard to wait.

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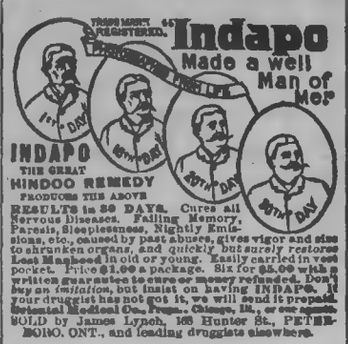

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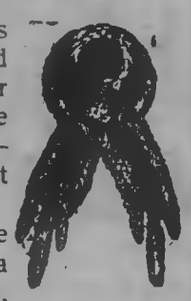

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SELWYN LITERARY SOCIETY.

Held in the Temperance School House on Friday Evening Last.

The regular meeting of the Selwyn Literrary Society was held in the Temperance Hall on the 13th inst. The meeting was opened at eight o'clock with the president in the chair, after which the following programme was rendered :

Chorus	Glee club
Minutes	Secretary
Critic's paper	Mr M Succee
Solo	Miss Bella Pearson
Reading	Mr A Walton
Instrumental music	Mr J Hoolihan
Reading	Miss McConkey
Address	Mr W C Manning
Reading	Mrs Bell
Debate—Resolved that city life is better than country life. Messrs E McIlmoyl and E Howson and M Succee and W Hatton.	
Instrumental music	Mrs Roseborough
Paper	Editor
Chorus	Glee club

God save the Queen.

SELF-DENIAL WEEK.

This Annual Event in the Salvation Army Begins Next Sunday.

The annual Self-Denial week of the Salvation Army takes place throughout this territory from November 22nd to November 29th, inclusive. Every salvationist is more than occupied with preparations for this event.

A wonderful testimony to the Army's development and activity has been paid in past years by the large sums of money which have been raised in this way.

Each member of the Army, as well as the friends of its many social institutions, are asked to abstain from all luxuries, and in many cases officers and soldiers have actually determined to do without certain articles of food which are ordinarily considered necessary, in order that by their acts of self-denial they may add financial support to the Army and its many different branches of work.

The social operations in this wide field have been greatly developed during the past twelve months, there being several extensions of the work. As a natural consequence, therefore, the demands upon the Army's funds have increased, and this will require still greater effort to raise a corresponding increased amount during this special Self-Denial week.

There is hardly anything more refreshing than a cup of good Tea. But then really good Tea is scarce and that is why so few understand the invigorating qualities of the herb. One of the most experienced "Tea-tasters" selects our best brands of household Teas. If you will try them in preference to what you usually use you will soon detect the difference and understand how refreshing a cup of good Tea really is. Prices according to quality.

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LAKEFIELD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Edward Blomfield left here on Tuesday afternoon for Regina, N.W.T., where he will join the Northwest Mounted Police.

Miss Dench returned to her home at Windsor on Wednesday after a pleasant visit to her uncle, Mr. R. Q. Dench.

Mr. — Kelly of Uxbridge is the guest of his son, Mr. J. E. Kelly.

Mr. James Madill of Kingston is the guest of his his brother, Mr. J. L. Madill.

Mr. Alex. McEwen of Carleton Place, is in the village visiting friends.

Mr. J. B. Smith of Brighton is visiting friends.

Mr. Herbert Chubb sailed on the Parisian from Quebec for England.

Mrs. Andrew Fairbairn is very ill with scarlet fever.

Mr. John L. Simpson has opened out a butcher shop opposite the English church, where he will keep on hand all kinds of fresh meat.

Mr. Garnet Greso, formerly of Millbrook, has opened out a photographic studio over Mr. J. C. Carveth's store.

Mr. Cunningham of Douro has purchased a milk business here.

Street Inspector Doidge has had the street at both ends of the bridge graded with broken stone. This is a great improvement, as there were great holes at each end of the bridge.

It is is also talked of having Queen street graded from the bridge to the railway track.

Mrs. G. Vinette, of Peterborough, will be at the Queen's Hotel, Lakefield, on Thursday and Friday, November 26th and 27th, with a supply of her valuable preparation for the hair, which restores gray hair to its natural colour, stops falling out, cures baldness, scalp troubles, etc.

Our deer hunters have been very successful this season.

The Gordon-Grylls hunting party returned home Monday night with thirteen deer.

The Strickland Canoe Co. hunting party arrived home on Tuesday with fifteen deer.

The Casement - Crowe - Fraser party came back on Tuesday morning, bringing with them eight deer.

The Hendren - Sprye hunting party returned on Saturday evening having three deer.

There were a number of other hunters out who had very good luck, among them being Mr. W. J. White, Robert Lennox and others.

R. Graham & Son are offering extra inducements to buyers of tea in quantities, their teas being acknowledged to be the best and at popular prices, 25, 35, 40 and 50c, either green, black or mixed. They also carry Appleton's, Tetley's and Bollsera blends of India Ceylon Tea.

On Saturday evening a number of young men on pleasure bent robbed a hen roost. Policeman Doidge has the names and it is expected they will come up in court, unless otherwise settled.

Mr. Harry Masters, who was watering Mr. Hull's horses, met with an accident on Saturday evening. One of the horses kicked him on the hip, inflicting an ugly wound, the calk on the horse's shoe cutting through to the bone.

On Monday the noon train changed time, being forty-five minutes later coming in. This is a very great inconvenience to the business men, as under this present arrangement they do not receive the mail from Toronto until after three o'clock and are unable to answer the same day. If the Grand Trunk Railway will send the noon train in earlier instead of later, it would more greatly benefit the neighbourhood than the present service.

The Public Library has been receiving new additions to its stock of books, also new magazines and periodicals. We notice now on the reading table, among other new papers, the Daily Globe, which we have no doubt will be read with interest by a great many who otherwise would not have an opportunity of selling it. There are a number of books and magazines out, which the obliging secretary would like to have returned. The following new books have been added :—Life of Sir John A. Macdonald, Pope, Vols. 1 and 2; Life of Christ, Geikie; History of the United States, Andrews, Vols. 1 and 2; History of Civilization, Guisot, Vol. 1, 2 and 3; Poetical Works, Crabbe; Other Worlds than Ours, Proctor; Christopher Columbus, Irving; Sketch Book, Irving; Monte Christo, Dumas; Les Miserables, Hugo; Dr. Cladius, Crawford; Donovan, Lyall; Silas Marner, Eliot; Kidnapped, Stevenson.

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BENGFORT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. R. J. O'Hare, purchaser of the John Moyse estate, is pulling down the old dwelling house on the estate and intends erecting a more handsome and modern building with all the latest improvements.

As Mr. John Bradshaw was taking a fat beef away on Thursday last it went mad. After driving it two or three miles it had to be shot by Mr. Thos. Armstrong.

Mr. Jos. Higgins has rented the farm belonging to Mr. John Finnie and is now doing his fall plowing.

Mr. Abner Wood and wife have moved to Baillieboro. They will occupy the house recently vacated by H. B. McFee, merchant tailor of Centreville.

Master Russell Morrison is improving slowly under Dr. McKee's care.

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WARSAW.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Miss Lillie Kidd is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Jas. Doughty.

Rev. Mr. Johnston, of Stirling, occupied the pulpit in the Baptist church on Sunday last in the absence of Rev. Mr. McDonald, who has resigned.

Mr. W. J. Stephenson, of Norwood, was in town last week.

Miss Effie Hughes was home over Sunday.

Mrs. M. Hope, of Peterborough, is visiting at Mr. F. A. Choate's.

The hunting party consisting Messrs. Morgan, Tully, S. Miller, Charlton, W. Miller and Steve Miller, returned on Saturday evening with the regulation supply of two deer each. Who can beat this?

Mr. Wm. Middleton has moved to the city.

The Warsaw hockey team organized last night. Full particulars next week.

Mr. Fred Doughty arrived home from the hunt with a deer and a half.

The Methodist Sunday School is practising for the Christmas entertainment.

The Warsaw creamery was completed last week, and is now in running order. It is needless to say that the butter turned out is first class. Mr. S. R. Payne and Mr. Jas. Greystock are in charge, which is a sufficient recommendation as to the quality of the butter.

The heavy weight hunting party returned a few days ago, and report the Apsley road in first-class walking condition. They claim to have captured the walking championship of Burleigh. There is no truth in the report that sole leather is in great demand in Apsley. The settlers say there will be a good hard bottom on the road when the snow comes.

The annual meeting of the Bible Society took place last week. The reports showed things to be in a prosperous condition. Dr. Couch was elected president. Rev. Mr. Fraser of Bowmanville addressed the meeting.

A new sidewalk has been erected at the Methodist church.

The numerous ducks on Lacy's pond tempted one of the 3rd line marksmen to take a holiday and try his skill. Shouldering his shot gun early one morning he started for the pond. But the ducks evidently expected him and made themselves scarce, so scarce in fact that he headed for home with an empty game bag and stomach also. On his return trip he journeyed through the woods with the hope of seeing some partridge. He was not disappointed either, for a flock lit in a tree in front of him. Catching sight of a couple of heads he fired and was quick enough to kill two birds with one shot. But the birds in this case happened to be a pair of fat turkeys. Shouldering the two turkeys (no easy matter for a small man) he took a short cut to the nearest house, but the owner being absent he took a tour of the farm and found Jack in the fields and gave him an explanation of the matter, and also one of the turkeys. He then wended his way homeward, a sadder and wiser man. Moral—Don't go duck hunting on your neighbour's farm.

PETERBOROUGH MARKETS.

[Corrected weekly by W. H. Wrighton, Produce and Commission Merchant, George street.

PETERBOROUGH, Nov. 18th, 1896.

There is considerably more grain moving. Prices paid are about as follows :—Spring wheat 80 to 81c; fall 82c; standard oats 22½ to 23½c; peas 44 to 45c; mummy peas 45c to 46c; rye 30c; barley 25 to 31c. On the market fresh butter 18 to 19c, with 20c asked; eggs 15 to 17c; crocked butter 16 to 18c; chickens 35 to 45c; geese 50 to 60c; turkeys 60c to $1; lamb 5 to 6c; potatoes 40 to 50c bag; apples 40 to 50 bag; potatoes 40 to 50c bag. No other changes.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Nov. 16th.—Cattle cables were worse to-day and very discouraging to shippers. A private cable from Liverpool quoted 4½d for choice Canadian cattle; middling unquotable; choice States 5½d, and sheep 5d. Freight rates here are firm at 50s to 55s, one steamer being let at 60s insured. There were about 650 head of butchers' cattle, 25 calves and 1,200 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. The butchers were present in large numbers and trade was good with prices ruling about the same as on last Thursday and from ½c to ¼c per lb higher than they were a fortnight ago. Some of the butchers maintain cattle were sold at 2¼c per lb to day which could have been bought ten days ago at 2c per lb. Really good cattle sold to-day at about 2½c per lb, and some were held for more. Pretty good stock sold at from 2¼c to 2½c per lb, common animals at from 2c to 2¼c do, with some of the leaner beasts at about 1¼c per lb. There is an active demand with pretty good prices paid for good veal calves as not many of this sort are being brought to market. Prices range from $5 to $10 each. Shippers were paying from 2¼c to 2¾c per lb for good large sheep, but the sea on is near over. Good lambs sold in lots at about 3½c per lb. Fat hogs sold to-day at from $3.75 to $3.95 per 100 lbs.

BRITISH APPLE MARKET.

Montreal Nov. 16—A. R. Fowler, Montreal, received the following apple cable to-day (Monday):

Liverpool—Messrs. Simons, Shuttleworth & Co., cable—The market is weaker; prices remain about the same. There appears to be a demand which will take incoming receipts materially altering present prices.

London—Messrs. Garcia, Jacobs & Co, cable—Market opened strong, continuing so during day, with a slight advance. The market is showing great activity and prices hardening. Baldwins, greenings, spies, 9s to 11s; G. russets, 10s to 12s; Spitz, seeks, C. reds, 8s to 10s.

Shipments from Montreal for week ending Nov. 14 To Liverpool, 27,668 brls; to Glasgow, 20,998 brls; to London, 18,367 brls; to various, 6,145 brls; to Bamburg, 6,000 brls.

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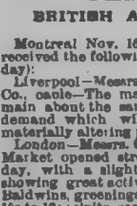

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THE CIVIL SERVANTS

And the Number of Hours They Labor.

THERE MAY BE A SHAKING UP.

Some of the Ten o'Clock Birds Will Probably Have to Show Up Earlier—The Rich Minerals of the Yukon Country—General News From the Capital.

Ottawa, Nov. 19.

The question of civil servants is now under consideration by the Government. The order-in-council governing the hours of work stipulates that clerks shall attend from 9.30 to 4. There is nothing said about lunch hour, but it is contended by some of the Deputy Ministers that the order implies that the clerks shall work through without a break from 9.30 until 4 p.m. There has been a great lack of uniformity in different departments. In some an hour or more is allowed for lunch, the clerks leaving at 4. In other departments a lunch hour is taken and the clerks leave at 5. Then again, there has been considerable laxity about the hour of arrival in the morning, some civil servants reaching office at 9 or a little after, others being systematically 10 o'clock birds. The Ministers recognize that something like uniformity must be insisted upon and, as it is conceded that a man works better by a break of half an hour or more in the middle of the day, it is possible that an order will be passed making the regular hours from 9.30 till 5, with one hour for lunch.

The Agricultural and Dairy Commissioner has received a copy of the resolution passed by the Toronto City Council commending the action of the Government in its efforts to promote cold storage, and calling attention to the cold storage warehouse which is in course of erection in Toronto. Prof. Robertson will visit Toronto next week to meet a committee of the City Council or members of the Board of Trade and those interested in the business of handling such perishable products as would be benefited by cold storage, in order to give information in reference to the construction and equipment of the proposed building.

From Toronto Prof. Robertson goes to Chicago to look into recent improvements in refrigerator cars. Some new devices have recently been put into operation in connection with refrigerator railway cars, and on one western line in particular they have been in use during the past summer with success. The cold is produced from ice, with a division of galvanized iron round the inside of the car separating the damp air from the ice from the contents of the car, and in that way cooling the dry atmosphere and protecting the products which may be in the compartment. The Department of Agriculture purposes arranging for an extension and improvement of the refrigerator car service as adopted this year for the carrying of butter and other perishable products for export, and the question of providing refrigerator accommodation on the Intercolonial Railway is to be dealt with. It is with a view to ascertaining what is being done in the United States in the way of providing the very best style of construction that Prof. Robertson, at Mr. Fisher's request, proceeds to the Western States; that whatever system may be decided upon the cars may be ready for use in the spring.

Apropos of mineral wealth in the Yukon district, of which Mr. Hamilton of the North American Trading and Transportation Co., recently brought such substantial evidence to Ottawa, it is learned that the Department of Customs only recently received another considerable consignment of gold dust from Fort Cudahy in payment of duties. The consignment amounted to ten thousand dollars in value. As this only covers collections up to the 1st of January, 1896, it will be seen that the revenue-producing capabilities of the Yukon country is considerable. In all probability Mr. D. W. Davis, recently appointed Collector at Fort Cudahy, will be forwarding another instalment of gold dust before the close of the season, on account of collections of the current calendar year.

Prof. Robertson, Dairy Commissioner, attended a meeting at Alexandria when the farmers considered the question of establishing a winter creamery at that point. As an evidence of what can be accomplished by systematic effort, it may be stated that five years ago the first butter factories were established by the Dairy Cimmissioner. There were only two in operation that winter, but during this winter there will be about 160 in all parts of the Dominion. Mr. D. M. Macpherson, M.L.A., is running eleven factories this winter. He charges the patrons three cents per pound for manufacturing the butter and marketing it for them.

Deposits in the Government Savings Banks for the month of October amounted to $290,568 and withdrawals to $280,464, thus leaving an excess of withdrawals amounting to $10,104. Last year, for the same month, the withdrawals exceeded the deposits by $80,721.

Complaints come from Manitoba that American hunters are crossing the international boundary and carrying off large numbers of elk which the Manitobans are not allowed to shoot. The mounted police will watch things closely and see that the practice is put a stop to.

Fort Anne, one of the oldest military stations in the Dominion, was visited by the Minister of Militia while he was in Nova Scotia. It is in an extremely dilapidated state, and the Minister is inclined to do all he can toward repairing it. General Montgomery Moore suggests, however, that a museum be erected on the site, of the fort, to the cost of which he would be pleased to offer a handsome donation. This does not meet with the approbation of the local military men, who want the old fort maintained on account of its historic associations.

The Fisheries Department is advised that the last of the season's sealing fleet from Behring Sea has arrived in port with a poor catch, on account of rough weather.

Reports of illegal fishing by the Americans off the Queen Charlotte Islands, have reached here, and the cruiser Quadra has been sent up from Victoria for the purpose of investigating the facts, and if necessary securing a seizure or two. There has been a warning that the regulations will be strictly enforced, any violation of the same meaning a fine of $400.

Ottawa University Football Club is running a cheap excursion to Toronto to-morrow.

Commander Spain of the fisheries protection fleet left for Owen Sound to-night to inspect the cruisers Petrel and Dolphin.

By the middle of next week all electric cars will be equipped with fenders. They are similar to those used in Toronto.

Dr. Montizambert, Chief Quarantine Officer at Grosse Isle Station, was here to-day on his way to Toronto.

The School Management Committee of the Public School Board has granted the request of the ladies of the Band of Hope to be allowed to give a temperance lesson once a month in Bell-street school.

Hon. R. W. Scott, Q.C., Secretary of State, has entered into a new law partnership here with his son, D'Arcy Scott, and W. H. Curle, late of Toronto. The name of the new firm will continue to be Scott & Scott.

During the early part of next month Hon. Mr. Fisher will attend a number of farmers' meetings in Ontario and Quebec.

The local Liberal organ, The Free Press, urges that ex-Warden Fitzsimmons should be appointed Warden of the British Columbia penitentiary.

C. VANDERBILT TO QUIT.

It is Rumored That William K. Will Take Cornelius' Place in the Business World

New York, Nov. 19.—It is generally believed in Wall-street that Cornelius Vanderbilt will never again return to active business life, but that William K. Vanderbilt, his brother, will take Cornelius' place.

Cornelius Vanderbilt looked after the railway interests of the whole family. He was chairman of the boards of directors of the Big Four, Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, New York Central, West Shore and Canada Southern roads, and he was also interested in the management of the New Jersey Central, Delaware Lackawanna & Western and Delaware & Hudson.

When he was stricken with paralysis last summer William K. Vanderbilt stepped into his place. He is now well "broken in," and it is thought by many that he will continue to do the work.

"Even if Cornelius Vanderbilt recovers entirely," said a Wall-street man, "he will do nothing except guard his health. Another stroke of paralysis might be fatal. William K. Vanderbilt has shown himself an excellent business man. Personally, however, I am more inclined to think that H. Walter Webb will take Cornelius' place."

Chauncey M. Depew said that Cornelius Vanderbilt would continue to look after his business interests as heretofore.

"He is not attending to business at present," said Mr. Depew, "but he is improving in health every day, and we hope that it is only a question of time when he will be able to attend to all of his affairs."

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THE TARIFF ENQUIRY

Furniture Men Want the Duty Retained.

LEATHER MEN FEEL THE SAME WAY

Book Publishers for the Most Part Agree That the Tariff is About Right—Artists Go for Free Trade—More Deputations Than Could be Heard.

Toronto, Nov. 20.

The tariff enquiry was continued at the Board of Trade yesterday, and the representatives of many industries were heard.

At 10 o'clock Mr. Wm. A. Verner, manufacturer of soda waters, waited upon the Commission, and asked that the duty of 20 per cent. on steel tubes containing natural carbonic acid from the spring at Saratoga be not collected every time the tubes enter the country. Those tubes are sent back after being emptied to be refilled, and under the present regulations Mr. Verner said he had already paid 720 per cent. on their value.

Mr. Alex. G. Allen of the White, Allen Manufacturing Co., manufacturers of fringes, cords, tassels, etc., for upholstering purposes, asked for a removal of the duty of 30 per cent. they now pay on raw materials, such as silk, cotton and chenille yarns. He opposed increase of the duty on tonet goods.

Mr. Geo. H. Hees of G. H. Hees, Son & Co., waited upon the Commissioners to ask that the present duty of 35 per cent. ad valorem or 5c per square yard on window shades should be at least maintained. He pointed out that before the present duty was put on his firm manufactured its goods in Detroit for the Canadian market. When the duty was imposed, a factory employing 80 skilled hands was established here, and if it were taken off the cheapness of the raw material across the border would render it impossible for them to continue manufacturing here. Even at present the American manufacturers sometimes managed to unload their culls on this market.

Next came a deputation representing the artists of Toronto, consisting of Hon. G. W. Allan, honorary president of the Ontario Society of Artists, and president of the Ontario School of Art and Design; M. Matthews, president of the O.S. A; R. F. Gagen, secretary O.S.A.; James Smith, secretary Royal Canadian Academy of Arts; G. A. Reid, R.C.A.; F. McG. Knowles, A.R.C.A., and Manager Beswetherick of the Art Metropole. Their appearance seemed to break the monotony of the session for the Ministers, for in contrast to the other deputations the artists asked for the removal instead of the maintenance or increase of the present duties.

Senator Allan asked for the removal of the existing tariff on artists' materials. None, he said, were manufactured in this country, and no obstacles should be left in the way of the progress of art in the country and the artistic education of our young.

Mr. Knowles supported Mr. Allan, and Mr. Beswetherick, representing the importers of artists' materials, agreed to the removal of the duties in case he were given sufficient notice to allow time to arrange his stock accordingly. He said the change would lessen his profits for a time, but this loss, he thought, would be made up by the increased number of patrons he would get.

In reply to a question by Hon. Mr. Fielding, Mr. Knowles said that if the Government were unable to remove all the duties, it was most important that the tariff on "academy boards" should come off.

The artists were followed by a quartet of medical men. Drs. Wilson, Oldright, Fraser and McPhedran appeared to request the removal of the duties on medical literature and surgical instruments. The duty on books, they held, was a tax on knowledge, and in the interests, especially of the poor, for whom many physicians did a lot of charitable work, the tax on surgical instruments should also be removed.

A deputation of seedsmen consisting of Messrs. Geo. Keith, S. E. Briggs, J. A. Simmers, Jas. Goodall and Robt. Rennie, asked that the duty be taken off clover and grass seeds imported for agricultural purposes. They represented that these seeds imported for garden purposes should retain the impost. It was pointed out that seeds are imported from the United States, Germany and France, and that the postal rates discriminated against Canada and in favor of the United States. The postal charge on seeds going into the United States from Canada is 16c per pound, and on those coming into Canada from the United States 8c.

Messrs. J. L. Spink, C. B. Watts and M. McLaughlin asked that if possible the duties on grain and flour remain undisturbed. The deputation averred that the millers were unanimous in making the request, and that the farmers were benefited by the duty to the extent of from 5c to 15c per bushel on every bushel of wheat they sold. The danger of second-class American flour being slaughtered on the Canadian market was noted. The discrimination in freight rates between Minneapolis and other points and much nearer Canadian points was also commented upon.

President Crompton of the Crompton Corset Co. and Vice-President Walker of the same company had a secret interview with the Ministers.

When the Commission resumed work at 2 o'clock the first deputation was composed of bookmen and publishers. Those present were: Messrs. A. S. Irving, Rev. William Briggs, Richard Brown, W. J. Gage, D. A. Rose, William Bryce, H. L. Thompson of Copp, Clark & Co., and G. Roberts. The deputation were not there as an association, but on their own separate interests, and it transpired that it would be hard to please them all, because an ad valorem duty that was satisfactory to the handlers of cheap books would not suit those who had the more expensive grades to handle, and the general opinion expressed was that the specific duty of 6c per pound, as it now stands, would be most fair to all concerned. Books on the curricula of the colleges are admitted free, but a declaration must be made at the time of their entry that they are for the use of students. The letter of the statute is not fairly and honestly car-

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Cripple

The iron grasp of scrofula has no mercy upon its victims. This demon of the blood is often not satisfied with causing dreadful sores, but racks the body with the pains of rheumatism until Hood's Sarsaparilla cures.

"Nearly four years ago I became afflicted with scrofula and rheumatism.

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Running sores broke out on my thighs. Pieces of bone came out and an operation was contemplated. I had rheumatism in my legs, drawn up out of shape. I lost appetite, could not sleep. I was a perfect wreck. I continued to grow worse and finally gave up the doctor's treatment to

Well

take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon appetite came back; the sores commenced to heal. My limbs straightened out and I threw away my crutches. I am now stout and hearty and am farming, whereas four years ago I was a cripple. I gladly recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla." URBAN HAMMOND, Table Grove, Illinois.

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POLITICS IN MUNICIPAL MATTERS;

The people of London the Less, according to the newsy News, are inclined to fight out the municipal elections on political lines—a mistake, gross as a mountain, open, palpable. It would be just as wise to make the issue some particular form of religion. To elect a man to municipal office because he is a Baptist, Presbyterian, Roman Catholic, Anglican or Methodist, is just as good a reason as to elect him because he is a Liberal or a Conservative. He may be *one* of these, or all rolled into one, and that fact per se will make him no more fit to be an alderman or a councillor than it would fit him to be an archbishop or a prime minister. Capacity for the duties of the office sought, conjoined with integrity, are aside from the statutory requirements, the only qualifications that should commend the candidate for municipal office to the support of the electors. Sir Charles Tupper was not much to blame if, as is credited to him, he inaugurated a crusade for the seizure of municipal offices for the machine element of the Conservative party. As premier he was out of a job, and in this respect Satan found mischief for idle hands to do. We have no sympathy with an attempt to domesticate the Tamany Tiger in Ontario. London had better think twice before importing party politics into its municipal contests.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE present Warden of Elgin County, Mr. Richard Lockes, is a son of the first Warden of that county, who accepted the the chair in 1853, when the county was separated from Middlesex.

THE Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance doesn't want very much change in the Ontario Liquor License Act. They only demand that temperance hotels be licensed and inspected, that bar-rooms close at 7 o'clock every night and at 4 o'clock p. m. on Saturdays, that no shop licenses be granted, that the age of minors to whom liquor be not sold be advanced from 16 to 21, and that clubs where liquor is sold be brought under the restrictions of the Liquor License Act.

ACCORDING to the report of Bulletin No. LX of the Ontario Bureau of Industries, the total yield of the grain crops in this Province for the year 1896 was 72,415,921 bushels. Of this wheat contributed 15,078,441 bushels, grown on 816,955 acres, the average yield per acre being 17 2-10 bushels. The advance in wheat prices has led to more being sown this year than last. The report respecting the crop this year says: "There has been considerable increase in the area of fall wheat sown this year. Seeding was done between the latter part of August and the 25th of September, with the soil in favourable condition, and while many correspondents speak of a good showing, some complain that there is hardly as much top as usual. A few complain of brown spots, which in some instances are ascribed to the Hessian fly, and in others to lack of rain. Dawson's Golden Chaff, Red Clawson and Manchester appear to be the most popular varieties.

THE EXAMINER has heretofore pointed out the machine character of the recent conclave of politicians who assumed to arrange matters for the Conservatives of Ontario. We believed that they did not represent the best elements of the party, and Mr. John Ross Robertson, M.P., for East Toronto, thinks so too. His journal, the Telegram, says:

"The men who did the fighting in line have been ignored. The committee is a cancus managed on cancus methods, governed by men who are chief in the cancus at Ottawa. By implication, if not by a formal announcement, the independent Conservatives, the men who believed that the main doctrines of the party are right, are told that they must remain without the pale or else accept John Haggart as their leader in Ontario. They may be pardoned for declining to obey the command, for they were not allowed to express their opinions as to the desirability of conferring such dignity upon the former Postmaster-General.

The convention of a fortnight ago had better not have been held if its outcome is to make the members of the above galaxy the party members. Some of them are local leaders of a certain degree of importance. Most of the others have no more right to appear as party generals than they have to be considered men of weight in private life."

EXEMPTIONS.

Some time ago the mayor of Toronto sent out enquiries to a number of other cities regarding exemptions from taxation. He thought Toronto was carrying a bigger burden of exemptions than most places and wanted to make sure of it.

From the replies received, a Toronto paper publishes a compilation as follows:

	Assessment.	*Exemption.*
Kingston	$ 8,069,030	$ 2,889,000
Montreal	114,000,000	23,000,000
Detroit	134,229,130	38,000,000
Toronto	151,800,000	23,115,586
Hamilton	34,279,531	5,238,600
Buffalo	197,084,780	21,139,300
St. John, N.B.	34,556,800	2,582,200
Halifax	24,621,150	1,954,000

Next follow Boston, New York and Cleveland down to Baltimore, which has only $2,127,280 of exemptions as compared with an assessment of $280,730,260. Apparently the law of Maryland admits practically no exemptions. There seems no other exemptions, as Baltimore contains an enormous amount of property devoted to religious, charitable and educational purposes. It is the chief place of the Roman Catholic church in the United States, and John Hopkins' university alone holds millions of property. What college property means is seen in Kingston's case, where a small city has a big university.

HOW TO DETECT CONSUMPTION.

Dr. Holmes of Denver Tells the Pan-American Medical Congress About an Important Discovery.

Mexico, Mex., Nov. 19.—Many interesting papers were read before the Pan-American Medical Congress to-day, but that of Dr. A. M. Holmes of Denver, Col., on his discovery of a new treatment of consumption from *morphology* of blood attracted the greatest interest, and was the subject of considerable discussion.

Dr. Holmes' paper was entitled "The Diagnosis of Tuberculosis by the Morphology of the Blood." It contained a presentation of the manner in which he made the discovery of detecting the tubercular germ in the human blood before the system has been attacked and at a time when it may be eradicated by the treatment of any physician. Dr. Holmes' discovery has been discussed very widely in medical circles, and he was invited to be present and personally present the subject to the congress.

The manner in which the discovery was made while he was experimenting with blood drops was interesting to the professional men present. He had noticed under a microscopic examination a difference in the shape and formation of the corpuscles, especially of consumptives, and extended his researches, with the result that more than one hundred total strangers were brought to him for examination, and in each case he had either detected the presence of the disease or announced the extent to which it had made inroads on the patient.

This discovery, while not a cure, is considered by many to be more far reaching than of Professor Koch, in that the disease is discovered at a time when it is a simple matter for any physician to cope with it. In presenting his researches the Doctor practically gave up everything for science, and the result of labors in the principal hospitals of Europe for a period of fifteen months is now given to the world. A vote of the thanks of the congress was extended to the Doctor for his paper.

NUGENT LOST $100.

A Niagara Falls Man Victimized by a Montreal Swindle—Accident at the New Gorge Bridge.

Niagara Falls, Nov. 19.—(Special.)—Alexander Bell, manager of the Scottish Canadian Loan Association of Montreal, for whom the police of that city are inquiring under a charge of fraud, has lately been operating his scheme in this district. His correspondence was received by several prominent moneyed men, but only one had confidence enough in him to forward money. Mr. Frank Nugent was the unlucky man, who was victimised to the extent of $100.

A small piece of iron fell from the traveling derrick at the works on the new arch bridge this morning and struck a workman on the head who was on the scaffold below. He would have been overthrown had it not been for the timely assistance of a fellow workman.

Thomas Young, a rich farmer living in Pendleton, N.Y., while driving home early yesterday morning from a dance, was held up by two highwaymen at a lonely spot eight miles west of Lockport under cover of a revolver. He was rifled of over $100 in cash and a gold watch. This is the tenth similar hold-up in the vicinity within the past month and residents are growing excited.

WALLER FAILED.

He Started Out to Beat the World's Twelve Hour Record and Broke Down.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 19.—The 12-hour ride against the world's record of 289 miles, by Frank Waller to-day at the Memphis Coliseum failed at the 106th mile, just at a time when success seemed certain. Waller lowered every American record from the hour to the 106th mile, and was maintaining a pace of 26 miles and a fraction an hour at the time of his cramping, the real reason of his quitting. The following, with the intermediate times, are records for America, established by Waller to-day: Twenty-eight miles, 1.04.03; 30 miles, 1.08.31; 35 miles, 1.19.55; 40 miles, 1.31.09; 45 miles, 1.42.12; 55 miles, 1.53.18; 60 miles, 2.16.12; 65 miles, 2.27.41; 70 miles, 2.39.21; 75 miles, 2.51.20; 80 miles, 3.03.12 1-5; 85 miles, 3.15.33; 90 miles, 3.30.07; 95 miles, 3.39.41 3-5; 100 miles, 3.52.14 1-5; 105 miles, 4.09.29 2-5; 106 miles, 4.12.04.

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This is now quite unnecessary! Like many others, you may have your baby fat laughing and happy, if you give it Scott's Emulsion. Babies take it like cream.

MR. G.R. BLOUNT, Methodist minister, Dresden, Ont., says: "After a prolonged attack of La Grippe, I was very nervous and weak, and troubled with severe pains. I took one box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills and am perfectly well now." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Mudill, druggist.

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Shiloh's Cure, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket line contains twenty-five doses only 25c Children love it. Sold by John Nugent, 259 George Street.

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HORSE THIEVES CAUGHT.

They Stole the Nag in Rochester and Got to This Side, But Were Nabbed at Thorold.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—Chief of Police Young received word this afternoon from the American officers that two young horse thieves had crossed to this side of the river. Inquiry showed that the thieves had traded the stolen horse at this place and driven west. The local police at Thorold were notified, and soon after the culprits were under lock and key at Thorold Jail. The horse was stolen from Rochester.

A woman of unsound mind, who paraded the streets all last night with a sheet over her head, was locked up to-day.

At a meeting of the Hockey Club last night Thomas Cranston was appointed official referee.

LEND YOUR EARS

To Your Back and Listen to its Talk—A Peterborough Man Tries It.

Did you know the back could talk;
Tell you why it aches and pains;
Tell you why it's lame and weak;
Warn you of the kidney's ills;
Tell you of Doan's Kidney Pills?
Listen to them when they speak.
Relieve the kidneys, cure the ache.
Bad back, acute pains and kidney ills,
Are quickly cured by Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here is proof of it at home. The testimony of Mr. George N. Graham, the genial host of the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, is as follows:—

He says:—"I have been a great sufferer for some time with pain across the back, extending up between the shoulders, swelling of the limbs, dizziness, loss of appetite, and in fact felt completely broken up.

"I had lost 17 pounds in three months, and thought that I would never get better. I have taken many kinds of patent medicines, and have also been treated by medical men, but did not seem to get any better at all, in fact was constantly growing worse.

"I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertisement and got a box of them at Lynch's drugstore, and by the time I had taken one box noticed a marked change for the better.

"I have taken seven boxes altogether, and am now free from pain; the swelling in the limbs has disappeared, and my appetite is good. In fact, I feel that I am completely cured.

"I can heartily recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to those suffering from any form of kidney trouble. They are the best kidney medicine I have ever used.

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For the last two weeks we have been advertising good second-hand Pianos at remarkable prices, in order to clear our warerooms. Now, it is the turn of the Organs. Read through this list:—

KARN—6 Octaves; black and gold; tall case; 12 stops	$65 00
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THE TARIFF ENQUIRY.

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ried out, because some not over-particular persons will make affidavits that books are for students or colleges when they are not. Mr. Bryce, in presenting his side of the case, produced cheap books such as are imported, and which, he explained, could be made in the United States cheaper than in Canada, the additional cost of paper here being a large item. Another reason our cousins across the line could produce books cheaper was that with their big market they can run off unlimited quantities of the books, and in our smaller market the publisher cannot do this. If the Government decided to change from a specific to an ad valorem duty he hoped that they would make it high enough to protect his interests, which were large.

Another matter taken up by the deputation was the admission of stereotype plates to this country duty free, as they now are, notwithstanding the fact that the Typographical Union deputation had said there was an existing duty of 2 per cent. The bookmen strongly objected to any duty being placed upon the plates and stated that the printers could not have properly considered the matter or they would not ask to have a high duty put upon the plates.

Mr. W. B. Stewart of the Dovercourt Twine Mills and Mr. John Leckie do not want the Government to make any change regarding cotton or nets, as they didn't expect an increase of the 20 per cent. duty and could not stand a decrease. Mr. Leckie suggested a 20 per cent. duty on all their imports, particularly seine twine, which was admitted free for fishing purposes only, and accordingly there was considerable fraud regarding it.

The next delegation was representing the Dominion Furniture Manufacturers' Association. The gentlemen were Messrs. J. S. Anthers, Berlin, President; Simon Snyder, Waterloo; C. G. Pease of the American Rattan Company, Toronto; D. Knetchel, Hanover; W. B. Rogers, Toronto; T. Gibbard, Napanee; George McLegan, Stratford, chairman of Tariff Committee; J. Acton and Mr. Hill of Wiarton. Mr. McLegan put forth their case very clearly and stated that any change in the fiscal policy as it applied to them might be disastrous. He showed that, owing to competition, furniture is sold in Canada just as low as it is in the United States. There was no combination among furniture men here to keep up prices, and much the same quality of material is used in the manufacture of Canadian furniture as American, but the latter had such an extensive market that they could make up so many new styles, whereas our market is not large enough for that. Quite a lot of American furniture is sold in Canada at prices that can compete with the Canadian article notwithstanding the 30 per cent. duty placed upon it. The reason assigned for this is that when a style becomes obsolete there, as it does in a few months, the stuff on hand is sold at a sacrifice to the Canadian dealers. The statement was made, and generally concurred in, that Canadian people will buy imported goods quicker than they will those manufactured in their own country, and in some cases are willing to pay a little more for the sake of saying their furniture was imported. One manufacturer stated that he and others in the business went to the States twice a year, and, after getting all the new designs, they bring them here and reproduce them at the same price as they are sold in the United States. Some orders to the manufacturer ask him that he will not put his name on the goods. This is done so that they may be sold at better prices as imported goods.

According to the furniture men, if a reduction of the present duty is made one-half of the furniture concerns now operating in Canada could not keep up. It would virtually mean the closing of the factories, as they are now manufactured up to and perhaps beyond the needs of the Canadian market. If the Americans are allowed to come in and take any more of the trade it will be necessary for most of the firms to close up or look elsewhere for a market.

The tannery men had a large representation, as follows: Messrs. Charles King, James Robson, J. E. Bowman, G. W. Beardmore, L. J. Breithaupt, Berlin; Joseph Carrington, Kingston; S. R. Wickett, Toronto; C. J. Mariatt, Oakville; A. R. Clarke, Toronto; G. W. Lang, Berlin; Charles Knees, Oshawa; W. Beardmore, Toronto; W. J. Bickell, Toronto. They had a strong grievance to the effect that the last tariff reform had so affected the trade that some of our largest tanners have been driven out of the country. They wanted a general increase of duty to offset the inroads the United States Leather Company and other large American concerns were making in our leather market. They would like to see the duty raised from 17 1-2 per cent. to 20 per cent., as it was before, and on boots and shoes they thought a 30 per cent. tariff would be of all round benefit.

Sir Richard read a declaration in his possession, showing that special inducements were offered buyers to purchase from several Canadian firms, or as he put it: "If you choose to confine your trade to members of our association we will give you a certain discount."

It was explained to Sir Richard that this declaration was no attempt at coercion, it was to keep out the ravages of the United States Leather Company. Members of the association compete with each other, and it is not considered any breach of faith to undersell a neighbor. Every member can sell at his own prices.

Like the furniture men, the tanners stated that preference was given by the Canadian buyer to imported goods.

Mr. William Beardmore warmly remarked: "If you want to see tanneries kept up in Canada we've got to be protected from the United States. It's been getting worse and worse right along and something should be done." He told how the wealthiest packing concern in the United States had started a tannery at Boston and were going to make a big effort to get into the Canadian market. Prices would cut no figure with them until they got established and they could afford to lose half a million a year for a few years without feeling it to any extent, and unless a high tariff was put up this concern was going to very greatly affect certain branches of the trade here.

It was nearly 7 o'clock when the interview with the tannery men concluded, and there were other delegates waiting outside. The coffee and spice men, C. C. Dalton, J. W. Cowan, Mr. Todhunter, W. A. Mitchell, A. Jardine and R. Watson of the Toronto Spice Company, were ushered into the Chamber, but Mr. Fielding explained to them that the Ministers had important engagements and had not time now to give a full hearing to the deputation's views. Accordingly, another appointment was made. The deputation were going to ask for slight changes in the tariff.

A couple of machinery men, Messrs. Alex Gourlay of Galt and Mr. A. R. Williams, Toronto, tried to get an interview, but they will also be heard by appointment.

Hon. Mr. Fielding stated to the newspaper men that he and Hon. Mr. Paterson would sit at 2.30 this afternoon to hear several deputations by appointment. Owing to important engagements, Sir Richard Cartwright and Sir Oliver Mowat would not be present. Mr. Fielding said further that he regretted very much the inability of the commission to complete the enquiry here at this sitting, but the Ministers would, on their way back from the west to the Capital, spend another half-day in this city, and they hoped to finish their work here then. The delegations not yet attended to will be notified of the date on which the Ministers will be here.

A MARVELLOUS CURE.

Helped by the First Box—Could not Lift Fifty Pounds—Cured by a few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Arthur, Nov. 9. (Special).—Among his more intimate friends it has long been known here that Mr. J. C. Morrison had been gradually failing in health for many years. The acuteness of his sufferings was known only to a few. His complete recovery is a surprise here and is causing much talk. Of his cure he says:—"Yes I got help from the first box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and I have taken fifteen boxes. I kept getting better every day. When I commenced I could not lift fifty pounds; now I am as strong and well as ever in my life."

Drowned While Shooting.

Orono, Nov. 19.—The body of James Bell, hotelkeeper of this town, was brought home to-day. He was drowned while out shooting at Tonawanda Lake, 26 miles northeast of Havelock, last week. His body was found in an upright position, apparently in the act of grabbing for his canoe, both arms being stretched upright, with his hands in a clasping attitude. Mr. Bell was one of the most popular and most esteemed sportsmen in the province. He was in a shooting party, with J. C. Cockburn and others from Toronto, when the accident occurred, but he was alone in his canoe when it upset. He leaves a widow and two children. Mr. Bell was a frequent visitor to Toronto, the sportsmen of which city knew him well.

The Spaarndam in Trouble.

Rotterdam, Nov. 19.—The Netherlands Line steamer Spaarndam, from New York, Nov. 7, for this port, ran aground at Maasluis, ten miles south of here, this morning in a thick fog. Her passengers are being landed.

Insurgents Becoming Demoralized.

Madrid, Nov. 19.—Official despatches from Havana say the insurgents are rapidly becoming demoralized through want of provisions and their incessant pursuit by Gen. Weyler.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is quiet, and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.10 to $4.25, but no sales reported.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices steady; dealers asking $7.50 west. Shorts, $9 to $9.50 west.

Wheat—The market is quiet, and somewhat irregular. The weaker cables caused some surprise and created an unsettled feeling. Sales of red and white were made outside at 85c. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 82c afloat, Fort William; it is quoted at 88c on track, Midland, and at 93c lake and rail, Toronto.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with sales at 29c to 30c west.

Barley—Trade dull, with No. 1 quoted at 35c to 37c, No. 2 at 30c and No. 3 extra 26c outside.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 21½c, and mixed at 20c to 20½c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady; sales at 42½c to 43c, north and west.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 35c east.

Corn—Market dull, with prices firm at 28c to 29c outside.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Nov. 19.—Spring wheat, 7s 1½d to 7s 3d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 7d to 7s 9d; corn, 3s 1½d; peas, 4s 10d; pork, 80s; lard, 20s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 28s 6d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow, 20s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast firm, on passage 3d to 0d higher. English country markets 6d to 1s cheaper. Maize on passage quiet.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; futures steady at 6s 1⅝d for Dec., 6s 1id for Jan. and Feb., and 6s 11¼d for March. Maize quiet at 3s 1¼d for Nov. and Dec., and 3s 0½d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 6d.

Paris—Wheat 22f 45c for Dec. Flour 48f 25c for Nov. and Dec.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat quiet at 6s 9⅝d for Dec. and Jan., and 6s 10d for Feb. and March. Maize quiet at 3s 1d for Nov. and Dec. and 3s for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage, buyers and sellers apart. Maize on passage dull.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 22f 40c for Dec. Flour 48f for Dec.

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An Owen Sound Traveler Stopped in a Swamp and Beaten to Insensibility by Tramps.

Owen Sound, Nov. 18.—(Special.)—This afternoon Mr. Harry Burnham, travelling salesman for Messrs. McClary Bros., grocers of this town, returned here from his usual trip to Shallow Lake and Park Head in a bruised and used-up condition. He states that about 7 o'clock last night, when coming through the swamp between those places, on his way to Owen Sound, he was held up by two tramps, one of whom stopped his horse and held it while the other dragged him from his buggy and beat him into insensibility. They were rifling his clothes when Mr. Berry, a farmer living near, who had heard Burnham's cries, came to his assistance, and the men made off. Burnham's injuries, while not serious, are quite painful. He has two large abrasions on his forehead over his left eye, as well as an injured arm and lacerated hand. He was taken to Hepworth, where his injuries were attended to, and this morning he proceeded home.

The Hepworth and Park Head constables started out in pursuit of the men, but have been unable so far to locate them. Two strangers answering to the description given by Burnham of his assailants called at the residence of Mr. R. J. Doyle, insurance manager, yesterday afternoon, a few hours before the assault upon Burnham, and asked for work. They were given work by Mr. Doyle, but did not stay longer than a few minutes, and disappeared. They were undoubtedly tramps.

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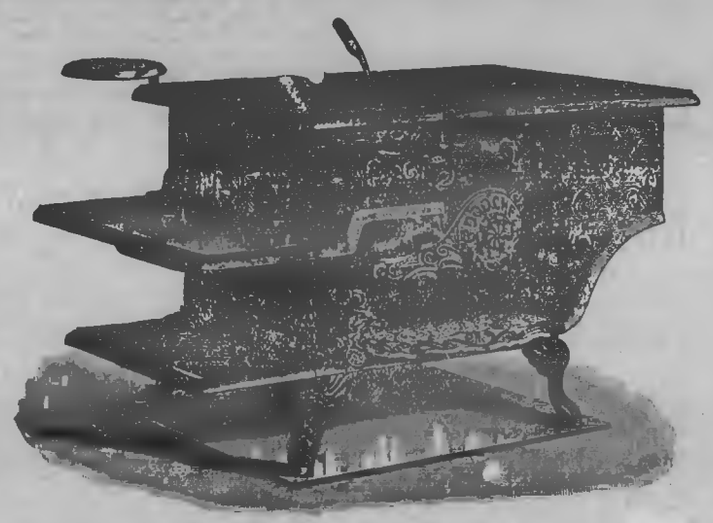

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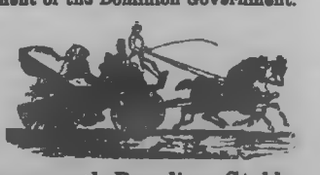

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Ladies' Underskirts.....were $2.00, now 1 50
Ladies' Underskirts.. ....were $3.50, now 2 50

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Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
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Laces at cost.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Electric Lamps.

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We will place on the Bargain Table, Men's blue and black Beaver and Tweed Single-breasted Overcoats, sizes 35 to 42. Note that the special price is for Friday and Saturday only, and isn't this enough to startle the clothing trade of the town, the beautiful Overcoats that were $4.95 to $6.50, at the ridiculously low price of..... **$2.98**

The Cox Banquet.

Mr. R. Fair, secretary of committee, again requests, those who wish tickets for this banquet to make application before Saturday night, when the committee have to report in view of making arrangements.

Mrs. Appleby's New Fancy Goods Store, No. 426 Water St., is now open with an entirely new selection of the latest novelties in Fancy Goods. Look out for her grand Christmas Opening about 1st Dec.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

Last Friday a painting class was organized in the Y. W. C. A. rooms. To-night this class will begin work. We would like to see every member present and also any others would like to join with us.

Safe, Sure, Painless.

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Public School Inspector.

Messrs. Robt. Fair, W. H. Hill and J. J. McBain, of the Board of Education, have just returned from Brockville, whither they went to make enquiry into the personal character of Mr. Walker, Mathematical Master of the Collegiate Institute there, with a view to making a recommendation to the Board as to his fitness in this respect for the position of Public School Inspector — his qualifications in everything else being all that which is desirable. As the result of the trip, the three members are more than satisfied and think that if the Board accepts Mr. Walker's application an ideal Inspector will have been secured.

A Suggestion.

A citizen makes the suggestion that as winter is almost upon us and tenders for snow-ploughing will be asked for shortly, that it would be a good idea for the council to sub divide the snow-ploughing divisions of previous years. It is well nigh impossible at present for a man with a horse and snowplough, no matter how willing he may be, to properly cover the ground—or rather sidewalk—after a fall of snow. Witness many times last winter, after a heavy fall of snow at night, the snowplough might be seen making its rounds on some streets towards the noon hour. Mechanics and business men going to their employment, and even little tots on their way to school, had to work their way as best they could on some streets through deep snow.

WEDDING BELLS.

Nuptials of Miss Prudence Lipsett and Mr. Samuel Long.

Ashburnham had a very pretty wedding yesterday afternoon when Rev. H. Symonds, rector of St. Luke's church, performed the marriage ceremony between Miss Prudence Lipsett, eldest daughter of Mr. George Lipsett, sr., of Ashburnham, and Mr. Samuel Long, who for the past nine years has been residing in Minnesota.

A large number of friends were present in St. Luke's to witness the ceremony.

The bride, who looked charming in a gown of white silk with garniture of pearls, was given away by her brother, Mr. Arthur Lipsett. She wore a bridal veil, caught up with sprays of orange blossoms, and carried a handsome spray bouquet of cream roses. The bridesmaids were her sisters, Misses Jennie and Minnie Lipsett. The former was most attractively attired in a gown of pink crepon trimmed with white silk, and the latter wore a pretty combination of cream cashmere and lace. Both carried bouquets of roses.

Mr. Edw. Armstrong assisted the groom.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's father where the wedding dejeuner was served.

Amongst the many handsome presents which were received was that of a chair, from the Girl's Guild of St. Luke's church, of which the bride was a valued member.

Mr. and Mrs. Long have taken up their residence on the corner of Sophia street and Railroad avenue.

A VAGRANT CIVIL ENGINEER.

Is he an Imposter?—Claims to Have Been Chums With Sir John MacDonald and Sir Oliver Mowat—His Yarns Don't Hang Together—His Disjointed Tale of Woe.

The past day or two a man about forty years of age, whose appearance indicated a swift style of living, but whose address and language suggested education, and whose clothing, though somewhat in the seedy stage, indicated fine material and fashionable tailoring, has been practising on those whom he might suppose would be sympathetic. This gentlemen, whose name is given as Hinds, claims to hail from Kingston way. He was a friend of Sir John MacDonald and also a playmate of another distinguished Kingstonian, Sir Oliver Mowat. Sir John, he says, got him a job as civil engineer under the government, but with a change of government, "the perfidious Liberals," to use the language of the Mail and Empire, guillotined him and he was thrown upon the cold mercies of the world. He applied, while here, to an engineer employed on the Trent Valley Canal, and worked on his sympathy for $3.00. If he could only get to Toronto he was sure his old playmate, Sir Oliver, would do the handsome thing by him. It is to be noted that, as the vagrant engineer is about 40, and the Minister of Justice 76, Sir Oliver must have been a chubby boy of about 40 when "we two played together." The next day the adventurer called at the Oriental Hotel on another engineer who, having been informed of the gift of $3.00, which had in the interval been "blown in," was wary, and refused to respond to the appeal of fraternal obligation. Nothing daunted, the suppliant visited two or three ministers, to whom he unfolded his rather disjointed tale. He claimed to have met, within a week or two, an engineer in Napanee, whose name he gave, and to have received assistance from him. One of the ministers knew that the engineer mentioned had been in Peterborough all summer on the Trent Valley Canal, and so informed the suppliant, who promptly requested to withdraw both his statement and himself—which he did, and so ends his connection with this brief history. The police have no knowledge of his movements.

ASSAULT UPON A CHILD.

A Father Sent to Gaol for One Month at Hard Labour.

A nicely-dressed woman, accompanied by a handsome girl, her daughter, appeared in the police court this morning to complain of the ill-treatment of a little boy, aged eight, by his inhuman father. The child's mother told of the last assault upon which complaint had been laid. Her husband, a worthless mean spirited fellow, attacked the child without any provocation, and kicked and beat him savagely until she at considerable risk threw herself in between them and with the aid of others who came to her assistance, rescued the boy from the man's clutches. This man, as shown by the evidence, has been in the habit of treating his children cruelly, and when the daughter mounted the stand to testify she described her father ill-treatment of herself and her brothers in a voice broken with emotion. On one occasion, she said, though at that time he was quite sober, he held the child's head against the wall and struck him viciously three times with his clenched fist. He had also struck her with his fist on the head and from her description it was apparent the prisoner richly deserved what he eventually got. This daughter supported the family. The prisoner offered a few remarks in explanation but they only aggravated his offence. A Children's Aid Society officer attended. The magistrate told the prisoner that if he ever came before him again on a similar charge he would give him a long term.

HALF-PRICE SALE ON SATURDAY.

Now and then prices get ridiculously low. A well-known maker of Overcoats and Ulsters offered his entire sample line of Frieze Coats at a big reduction and we bought them. Saturday 500 of these go on sale at these prices :

Overcoats and Ulsters that were $7 for $5.50.

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Saturday we will be in splendid shape to meet our customers with good heavy Tweed and Frieze Pants for 98c a pair. One sale with us means many! You'll come back again to the Always Busy Clothiers.

The cold days are coming and if you want to prepare for it with good Winter Underwear, we want to show you the All Wool Shirts and Drawers, which we will sell you on Saturday for just One-half price.

We know you will be satisfied with the material in these Coats, Pants and Underwear, for we tested it severely, and we wouldn't sell it if it wasn't right. It isn't necessary to tell you who's doing the business.

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CANADIAN ODDFELLOWSHIP.

Election of Officers—Gratifying Progress of the Local Lodge.

Loyal Peterborough Lodge, No. 164, C.O.O.F., held a meeting last night in their lodge rooms for the election of officers. The following officers were installed in their respective offices :

S W English ..... P N G
M A Jamieson ..... N G
W Creamer ..... V G
D Lethangue ..... Sec
M A Turner ..... Treas
H M Moores ..... Lecture Master
Archie Moore ..... Warden
A Thorndyke ..... Conductor
Robt Arsott ..... R S N G
John W Taylor ..... L S N G
Harry Nell ..... R S V G
Jas E Haggart ..... L S V G
E H Heal ..... R S S
Robt Wilson ..... L S S
Alex Scott ..... I G
Chas Lewis ..... O G
R H Adams, M A Jamieson, Jas E Haggart } Trustees
J D Tenny, S W English, Dr Brown } Auditors

After the ceremony each member took their respective offices and speeches from the newly appointed officers took place. M. A. Jamieson, the newly appointed N. G., in a well-chosen speech, thanked the members for the honour they had conferred upon him by appointing him their N.G. He would endeavour to the utmost of his ability to discharge the duties that had been imposed upon him. The address was listened to with attention and on resuming his seat he was warmly applauded.

W. Creamer, the newly-appointed V.G., made a neat and spicy speech, also thanking the members for the honour they had conferred upon him. He would use all means in his power for the furtherance of their noble order. The speech throughout was well delivered and received hearty applause. Loyal Peterborough is making rapid progress and at no distant day will have the honour of being the banner lodge of the province.—[Com.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Street cars to-morrow.

—Additonal local matter on eighth page.

—Bicycles are out again, as the roads have improved.

—Five per cent. will be added to all taxes after Dec. 14th.

—Pay your statute labor tax or have a police court case on your hands.

—The North Star makes her last trip of the season down the river to-morrow.

—A number of hunting parties are being organized for Thanksgiving Day. It will go hard with the partridges if the weather is good.

—If there is no change in the weather there should be an enormous market to-morrow, as the frost has put the roads into good shape.

—The choir of St. Paul's last night decided to give a recital in the church early in December. Mr. Dingle, organ soloist, and Mr. Eaton, baritone, of Belleville, will assist.

—The surveyors of the C.N. & P. railway are surveying the proposed route between Cobourg and Warkworth. They arrived at Burnley last Friday, and this week are working between Burnley and Warkworth.

—The young man who was convicted of destroying a number of plate glass windows in Port Hope by scratching them was fined five dollars and costs, amounting in all to $12. He did the damage unthinkingly.

—A generous friend of the Children's Aid Society yesterday contributed $4.00 to the funds. Such unsolicited evidences of practical interest in the excellent work of this organization are very warmly appreciated.

—If you want to economize burn the People's Coal Coy's coal. All kinds of coal in stock, including best hard coal for stoves and furnaces, soft coal for grates, and smithing coal. Office—230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

—Now that the winter is coming on the question arises as to what is to prevent the town from keeping a portion of the Little Lake cleared for the skaters during the next few months. Hamilton always looks well after its young people in this respect.

—Mr. W. C. Chisholm, ex-reeve of Murray township, while shooting in the woods near Wooler on Wednesday last, shot a pigeon, on the leg of which was found a silver band with the initials "Q.L." and numbers "370" and "95" engraved upon it. The bird must have been a carrier.

—It is said that that a boy of about sixteen years, belonging to a party who were hunting in the vicinity of Jack's creek, last week, shot a bear, two bucks, one doe and a fox. None of his companions were favoured with a shot. All the luck centered upon him.

—Farmers have been ploughing all the week, and if the weather permits it, the plough will move till late in December, as it did last year. On the many farms there is work being done in cleaning the fields of stumps and stones, which in some places cover more than half the soil.

—The Brockville Recorder says :—"In one of the Public Schools of the town a pupil recently disfigured a new desk by cutting it. The school board promptly took the matter up and caused the pupil's parent to replace the disfigured desk. It is thought this will prove a warning to other pupils, as the board intends to protect the school property in this way." This seems a very good example for other places to follow.

RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

For years the employees of the Grand Trunk have been paid on the 15th of every month, and this is the date recognized by the different railway union organizations as the proper time for the payment of all salaries. This month, however, the cheques have not arrived, and the men in Toronto and all points in Western Ontario are wondering what has caused the delay. The officials do not seem willing to explain, but a rumour from Montreal, apparently solves the problem. It is to the effect that the clerks in the audit office there have gone out on strike, and that the business there is in a sort of demoralised state. The trouble, it is said, was caused by the clerks being overworked.

The new management of the Grand Trunk is nothing if not progressive. In the olden days the superintendents made annual trips along the different branches and agents along the line knew of their coming a month before they arrived and took good care to have everything in good order before the officials put in an appearance. Now these man are sent out at unexpected times and the result is that employees all along the system have an eye to business all the time. In getting out the new time-table the American hustlers have slightly over-stepped the mark. The official sheet, which was placed in the hands of every engineer, orders the man who holds the throttle on the Wabash Express to make the run from Grimsby to Winona in exactly two minutes. The schedule says that the train shall leave Winona at 8.49 and arrive at 8.51. The figures on the chart show that the distance between these two points is 4.84 miles, which means that the engineer in order to comply with the rules of the new company must bowl along at the rate of nearly 2½ miles a minute.

If your eyes trouble you in any way, have them tested by W. Madill, optician. No charge for examination.

THE MANITOBA SCHOOL QUESTION SETTLEMENT.

The Officials Terms of the Settlement —As Agreed Upon by the Governments of the Dominion and Manitoba— Provisions for Religious Instruction— Employment of Roman Catholic Teachers.

(Special to the Examiner.)

OTTAWA, ONT., Nov. 20, 1896.—Premier Laurier gave out to-day the terms of the settlement of the educational questions which have been in dispute in the Province of Manitoba as agreed upon between the Dominion and Manitoba Governments. The settlement provides that religious teaching shall be conducted in any public school, a majority of the trustees of which authorise it, or a certain number of parents petition for it. Such religious teaching shall take place between the hours of 3 30 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon and be conducted by any Christian clergyman, whose charge includes any portion of the school district, or by a person duly authorized by such clergyman. In any school where the average attendance of Roman Catholics is a certain number, the trustees, if the parents of such number of Roman Catholic children so petition, shall employ at least one duly certificated Roman Catholic teacher. Under the same circumstances regarding non-Roman Catholic children, the trustees are required to employ at least one duly certificated non-Roman Catholic teacher. Where the school room accommodation, does not permit of the Roman Catholics and non-Roman Catholic pupils being placed in seperate rooms for the purpose of religious teaching, such teaching of Roman Catholic children shall be carried on during the proscribed period of one half of the month, and that of the non-Roman Catholic children during the other half of the month. Where ten pupils in any school speak the French, "or any language other than English," as their native language, the teaching of such pupils shall be conducted in French, "or such other language" and English, upon the bi-lingual system. No pupil is to be present at any religious teaching unless the parents or guardians of such pupils desire it.

It might be said that the swamps are full, and it is many years since there was so much moisture during October. According to a theory advanced, a hot summer is generally followed by cloudy autumn weather, bringing considerable rain, and evaporation of the lakes, caused by the heat, forms into clouds, and cools the air below the freezing point, and later on there comes the precipitation of vapor in the form of snow. If this holds true, there may be quite an amount of snow this winter.

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Elder Down Cushions..... 50c
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Men's Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers..... 50c
$1 Blankets, per pair 85c
All Wool Carpet..... 65c
Heavy Bed Comforters..... 99c
Heavy Wool Shawls..... $1 00
Health Brand Undervests..... 1 00
New Trimmed Hats, latest styles..... 1 00
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Elder Down Comforters..... 3 99
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LOCAL NEWS.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, on Saturday, November 28th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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Rev. G. M. Milligan, D.D.

Rev. G. M. Milligan, D.D., will lecture in St. Paul's church on Monday evening, Nov. 24th. Subject of lecture "How to Brighten Life." Admission twenty-five cents. In aid of the Children's Rescue Work.

Look Out for Crooked Straits Coin.

A considerable number of silver coins from the Straits Settlements are finding their way into circulation here. As they are of the familiar denominations, 10, 25 and 50 cents, and bear the stamp of Her Majesty's head, they are readily accepted at their face value. These coins are not tokens redeemable directly or indirectly in money of greater bullion value. They are worth little more than half their face denomination and should be accepted accordingly

Artist's Material.

Windsor Newton's best artist colours, cheapest in town; Canvass, worth 75c per yard, for 60c; Canvass, worth $1.00 per yard, for 75c; academy brand, all sizes. All kinds and sizes of brushes at special prices. When you get your picture finished bring it and have it framed neatly and cheaply. We loan artist's studies free of charge for two weeks to students buying $1.50 worth of artist materials.—A. H. SHATTON & Co.

From Picton he Came.

Thos. Brown, a decrepit old man, with shaggy grey hair and beard to match, arrived in town, says the Port Hope Guide, on Saturday, and enjoyed the hospitality of Castle Gamble on Sunday night, having footed it all the way from Peterborough, so he said. His only possession and apparent means of support is an old yellow cane and a compulsion to beg. He reported at this office to-day, and when in reply to his heartrending appeal for "a cup o' tay," we tossed him a $5 bill (!) told us this bit of history: "I'm from Picton, and me name's Brown; I've been lingering all summer in the woods of Dummer, and I'll monkey round the band wagon till I'll get sent down. I'll go and see the Mayor, who'll do it on the square, and perhaps I'll make Picton, where I've a son-in-law who's a bricklayer, good day, sair. "We jumped from the chair, but got a second hand drink from his air, and from all accounts we think he'll be sure to get there, if he strike's the Con's lair.

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SUMMARY OF THE SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

A Discussion of the Work Taken up on the Work of the Church Amongst the Young—The Simplification of the Prayer Book.

The second day of the Archidiaconal meeting at Cobourg was taken up with the discussion of the work of the Church amongst the young, and the question of the simplification of the arrangement of the Prayer Book. In addition to the members present on the previous day, Revs. Davidson, Kenrick, Broughall and Macklem, and Messrs. Dennistoun and Maycock were in attendance. The number of clerical members was in excess of any previous meeting.

In his opening remarks the Archdeacon spoke very strongly in depreciation of party tickets at synod elections.

Rev. G. H. Webb read an excellent paper on catechising of children in Divine service. He believed it was possible to improve existing methods of conducting Sunday school, and explained the system of Rev. Spencer Jones in his work entitled "The Clergy and the Catechism. Mr. Webb's paper will be published. Revs. Davidson, Harding, Macklem, Symonds, Col. Boutton and Mr. Maycock, of Bailieboro, also spoke on the topic.

REV. C. B. KENRICK

introduced the subject of "Preparation of Candidates for Confirmation." He pointed out some errors in the teaching on confirmation, and referred to the necessity of sparing no pains with the moral preparation of the candidate. Revs. Canon Harding, Macklem, Cooper and Daniel took part in the discussion.

The subject of "Young People's Associations" was introduced by an able paper from Miss Eyre, of Cobourg, which was full of information as to the various church associations for young women, such as the Girls' Friendly Society, the Daughters of the King, St. Agnes' Guild and others. Rev. Baynes Reed, sub-warden of St. Luke's Boys' Brigade, spoke on the church Boys' Brigade.

After luncheon, which was bountifully spread by the ladies of Cobourg, Rev. Canon Farncomb in an able manner discussed church social gatherings. Since Christianity laid the utmost stress on fraternity, social gatherings were a necessity. Church people were not always so friendly as they ought to be. "If our Christianity is worth anything, our cast-iron distinctions should be dropped in the society of the church." He defended the raising of money through church gatherings, provided the entertainment was a legitimate one. Raffles and lotteries were condemned, but he could not see why those who were endowed with musical and other gifts should not supplement their regular offerings by placing these at the service of the church.

Mr. R. M. Dennistoun said man was a gregarious animal. Social gatherings were therefore a necessity. There was great diversity of opinion as to the form church social gatherings should take, and he thought authorities should

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upon which they should be conducted. He thought that gatherings for work were better than gatherings for amusement. The clergy should not be afraid to join in the social amusements of their congregation. Messrs. Plante, Maycock and Revs. Spragge, McGinnis, Rooney, Major, Marsh, French, Cooper, Creighton, Allen and Gibson took part in a lively discussion on the question.

On the simplification of the arrangement of the Prayer Book Rev. John Creighton and Rev. G. Warren read papers. Mr. Warren's paper will probably be published. He believed the Prayer Book could be simplified in its arrangement so as to make it more generally useful. Revs. H. Symonds, T. S. Macklem, Gibson, Rooney and Cooper also spoke on this question.

The customary vote of thanks was then passed, and the business part of the Conference was closed.

In the evening an interesting missionary meeting was held, when Rev. E. Daniels spoke on Africa, Rev. T. Street Macklem on Japan, and Rev. C. H. Marsh on China.

In the course of the proceedings Rev. E. Daniels made the important announcement that a house in Port Hope had been offered to the Archdeaconry, to be used as a Home for the Homeless. The matter was referred to the Council for consideration.

AN ITALIAN LOVE STORY.

A Love Sick Signor Draws His Gun and is Put in Limbo.

Sabitano Palumbo languishes in the cells.

Sabitano bought a wife, he says, and now her parents refuse to give her up to him. Through thinking over his wrongs Sabitano waxed wroth last night, and drawing his revolver proceeded, it is said, to terrify the neighbours who lived in the locality of his inamorata.

Frank Williams, another Italian, with a somewhat less romantic name lodged an information against the enamored Sabatino with the result that the latter appeared before the magistrate this morning.

The case has been adjourned until the Crown can subpœna the necessary witnesses.

It is said that Sabitano is a suitor for the hand of fifteen-year-old Mary Walker, the young senora who was in the police court yesterday, charged with assaulting Mrs. Bourne. Palumbo's suit did not find favour in the eyes of Mary's parents, but when they were hard up some time ago they accepted money from Sabitano, he says, on the understanding that he could have the daughter. The parents now wish to back out of the agreement and hence the trouble.

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"WHA WILL NO FECHT WI' CHARLIE!"

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

Reports for the Year—Depletion of the Treasury—Election of Officers—St. Andrew' Day Celebration.

The annual meeting of the St. Andrew's Society was held in the Morgan House on Thursday evening, the 19th instant. There was an average attendance at the meeting. The President, Dr. Bell, presided. After the minutes of the last annual meeting had been read and confirmed, the following accounts were presented:

A P Morgan	$1 75
Review Printing Co	3 25
EXAMINER Printing Co	5 80
Times Publishing Co	1 83

The Secretary, in reply, to the President, stated that these accounts represented the total liabilities of the Society so far as he was aware.

On motion, the accounts were ordered to be paid out of the first available funds of the society.

The treasurer, Mr. Alex. Gibson, submitted the annual financial statement of the year, which showed a small balance of $1.35 to the credit of the society. The report also showed that only a very small number had paid their subscription fee of $1.00 for the past year. This falling off in the membership was no doubt another evidence which the influence of hard times and the scarcity of dollars had upon all societies of a similar nature. Every Scotchman, therefore, in the town and county should help on the good work of this society by contributing at once the small suscription of one dollar, which is all that is asked for membership fees.

On motion, Dr. Caldwell and Mr. Thos. Gemmell were appointed to audit the treasurer's books. After investigating they reported, certifying to the correctness of the accounts; and the treasurer's report was then passed.

Some discussion ensued on the state of the funds and the necessity there was for some steps being taken to improve their condition. A number of those present came forward and paid their fee for the ensuing year, but not enough to create a fund such as was required for prosecuting the benevolent work of the society to the extent which, the President thought, the demands of the coming winter would necessitate.

It was then moved by Mr. W. Menzies, seconded by Mr. Alex. Gibson, that Messrs. H. W. Watson, Thos. Gemmell and John Cunningham be a committee to consider the best means of raising funds to pay off the present obligations of the society and to place the society in a better financial condition for the benevolent work of the ensuing year; said committee to have power to act with the sanction of the President.

Dr. Caldwell, speaking to the motion, said he did not wish to throw any cold water on the Society, but it was evident that its usefulness as a benevolent society was on the wane. He sharply criticised the manner in which the funds had been used for other than purely charitable work. For the past four or five years there had always been a balance of the expenses in connection with the annual celebration to be defrayed out of the funds of the society, which he thought was not justified. The annual dinner should be made self-sustaining by making the tickets cover the whole expense connected therewith. He had enjoyed the annual dinners as well as any of them, but was opposed to taking money out of the funds for that purpose. He made up his mind that he for one would not be a party to this any longer, and announced that he would not become a member this year. He could not help noticing also that there had been a lack of enthusiasm among the Scotchmen of both town and county, in helping the society to keep up its charitable work, and while the life of the society might be protracted by a few active members, its benevolent fund was not likely to accomplish much good, unless more encouragement was forthcoming.

Mr. Chas. Cameron said there was considerable force in Dr. Caldwell's remarks. There had, however, been circumstances in connection with the history of the Society since he became a member thirty-six years ago, that had more of the blue-ruin character about them than the present. He instanced one occasion years ago, when the few staunch friends that rallied around the annual meeting had almost decided to wind up its affairs. One enthusiastic member, now dead, rose to his feet and deposited his last dollar, remarking—"That's my dollar, and I'll see that you all pay your's!" His example was followed by all present, and it was not long before the Society was on its feet again. He confessed that dollars were hard to find just now, but he would never think of letting the Society die on that account. He was prepared once more to be one of the few who would stand by the Society in its hour of adversity, even if he had to celebrate "the Day" with a glass of cold water.

The motion for the appointment of the committee was carried.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The next business was the election of officers for 1896-97, which resulted as follows:

President—Dr. R. W. Bell.
1st Vice-President—A. G. Dickson.
2nd Vice-President—H. W. Watson.
3rd Vice-President—W. Breckenridge.
Physicians—Drs. Carmichael, of Peterborough; and J. R. Fraser, of Lakefield.
Chaplain—Rev. Dr. Torrance.
Treasurer—Alex. Gibson.
Secretary—Wm. Menzies.
Executive Committee for the town—Messrs. R. M. Dennistoun, chairman, C. Cameron, C. N. Brown, W. H. Robertson, A. Mercer, John Logan, John Cunningham, G. H. Noble, G. M. Rogers, D. A. Shaw, Thos. Gemmell, Wm. Ingles.
Executive Committee for the county:
Otonabee Township—John Cleghorn, Donald MacFarlane and Adam C. Thompson.
Keene—Jas. McNeil.
Smith—Henry Bowie, W. Graham, Geo. Harvey.
Lakefield—Dr. John R. Fraser, Robert Graham.
Ennismore—A. Morrison, R. Telford.
Monaghan—Joseph Tully, John Fowler.
Asphodel and Belmont—John Breckenridge, Donald Cameron.
Norwood—W. E. Roxburgh.
Havelock—W. Mathieson.
Douro—Jos. Renwick, Thos. Russell.
Harvey—Geo. Smith.

Mr. John Cunningham was appointed official collector for the society, the same as last year.

ST. ANDREW'S DAY CELEBRATION.

The following committee was appointed to arrange for the annual celebration on St. Andrew's Day, November 30th,—The President and Messrs. Alex. Gibson, H. W. Watson and the secretary.

The meeting then adjourned at the call of the President.

MISS MELVILLE'S OPENING.

A Bewildering Display of Exquisite Fancy Work—Many New Designs Shown.

Miss E. Melville held her holiday opening in novelties and fancy work last evening, and although the opening was not expected to take place until seven o'clock yet her store was crowded from four until ten by ladies anxious to see the many beautiful knick knacks which it was known would be shown. Nobody was disappointed, as this year Miss Melville has excelled herself, and the novelties—particularly in the line of presents for gentlemen, are far ahead of those introduced in previous years.

One piece of work in particular attracted the attention of everyone who attended the opening. It was a roll pincushion of sufficient length to reach from one end of a dressing case to the other, and is designed to beautify that usually bare space just beneath the glass.

There are also a great many designs in Honiton lace on bolting cloth and some beautiful things in Battenburg lace, as well as a number of doyleys and centrepieces of netted lace with linen centres, ornamented with the popular holly designs.

A butterfly pin cushion is one of the novelties which attracts a great deal of attention, as do the new chrysanthemum centres.

Besides these there are a host of exquisitely worked patterns of new slipper cases, photo baskets and cases, tea cosies in Battenburg lace, gentlemen's shaving cases of every conceivable design, newspaper cases and pin cushions of the daintiest possible conception.

Any one puzzled as to what to give for a Christmas present cannot call upon Miss Melville without being suited, as the variety of the beautiful pieces of fancy work is such as to suit every taste.

PERSONAL

Miss Ella Bennett is visiting friends in Port Hope.

Hon. Geo. A. and Mrs. Cox leave to-night for a two weeks' visit to the south.

Rev. W. L. Baynes Reed was in town to-day on his way home from the Archidiaconal Conference at Cobourg.

Mrs. M. Porter, of Bowmanville, is visiting for a time with her sister, Mrs. Geo. J. Chalmers, 542 Water street.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Examiners for Ontario Land Surveyors, held recently at the Crown Lands Department, Toronto, among those who were successful in passing the examinations for admission to practice as land surveyors for Ontario, was Mr. Elias John Boswell, graduate of the School of Practical Science and son of Mr. J. S. Boswell, Peterborough.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Cholera, Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus and all summer complaints and fluxes of the bowels in children or adults.

NIGHT SCHOOL

How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to improve their Education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the student.

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A SATISFACTORY CONFERENCE.

The Archidiaconal Gathering at Cobourg Closed Last Evening with a Missionary Meeting.

Cobourg, Nov. 18.—The second and last day of the Archidiaconal Conference was held here to-day

"The Work of the Church Amongst the Young" was discussed. On "Public Catechism" Rev. G. H. Webb of Colborne and Rev. J. C. Davidson, M. A., of Peterboro, spoke; "Preparation of Candidates for Confirmation," Rev. C. B. Kenrick, M. A., Port Hope, and Rev. Canon Harding Apsley; "Young People's Associations,' Miss Eyre, Cobourg, and E. E. W. McGaffey, Lindsay.

At 1 p.m. luncheon was served in the school room by the ladies of the congregation.

At the afternoon session "The Parish," "Church Social Gatherings" and "The Prayer Book" were discussed.

At 8 p.m. a grand missionary meeting was held, at which the following clergy addressed the conference on the different topics. "Foreign Mission Work in Japan," Rev. T. C. Street Macklem, M. A., Toronto; "Mission Work in China," Rev. C. H. Marsh, Lindsay; "Mission Work in Africa," Rev. E. Daniel, M. A., Port Hope. This meeting was well attended and closed a most satisfactory conference.

TWO UNSAVORY CASES.

One Man Sentenced for Criminal Assault and Another Let Off.

Whitby, Nov. 18.—The Assize Court finished here to-day. There were two criminal assault cases. In the first David Christopher Compton of Glen Major was found guilty and sentenced to two years in the Central Prison. The second, that against James Burney of Port Perry, resulted in acquittal, Judge Armour not being satisfied with the statement of the woman, a Jewess, the wife of a Russian pedlar living in Port Perry, and refusing to let the case go before the jury. Mr. C. J. Holman conducted the Crown business at these assizes.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is dull, with fair offerings. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.10 to $4.25.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices steady; dealers asking $7.50 west. Shorts, $9 to $9.50 west.

Wheat—The market is quiet, but prices are well held. Ontario white is quoted at 36c to 37c outside, and red at 36c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is offering at 94c, and No. 1 Northern at 93c, without sales.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with sales at 30c west.

Barley—Trade dull, with No. 1 quoted at 35c to 37c, No. 2 at 30c and No. 3 extra 26c outside.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 21c to 21½c, and mixed at 19c to 20c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices are unchanged, there being sales outside at 43½c.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 35c east.

Corn—Market dull, with prices firm at 26c to 26c outside.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Nov. 16.—Spring wheat, 7s 2d to 7s 3d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 7d to 7s 9d; corn, 3s 2½d; peas, 4s 10d; pork, 50s; lard, 22s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 30s 6d; do., light, 32s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 6d; tallow, 20s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast nothing doing, on passage firm. English country markets firm. Maize on passage steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures firm at 7s 1½d for Nov., Dec., Jan. and Feb., and 7s 1½d for March. Maize quiet at 3s 2½d for Dec., and 3s 3d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 3d.

Paris—Wheat 23f for Nov. and Dec. Flour 49f 75c for Dec.

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THE FLOOD SUBSIDING.

But Still the Rivers Have Not Fallen Enough to Give Material Relief—Other Rivers Rising.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 18.—In some sections of the flooded districts the Skagit and Snohomish Rivers are slowly receding However, they have not fallen enough to give material relief, and the smaller rivers to the south of the city in King County are still rising, entailing great loss of property. Much of the wheat crop for which the Skagit River bottoms are famous, has been irreparably damaged and an immense quantity of hay has been washed down the river into Puget Sound. From the northern counties come reports of great destruction to stock, hundreds of cattle, sheep and hogs having been drowned.

In Seattle there is but little improvement as regards railway communication, there being no overland trains moving. The Northern Pacific made an unsuccessful attempt to get an eastbound express through. Its lines between this city and Tacoma are impassable, while river bridges have collapsed and many landslides are still blocking the way. The Seattle and International ran a train through north to Sumas yesterday afternoon, thus connecting with the Canadian Pacific. The local agent of the latter road reports its main line clear. To day the Great Northern expects to have a train running as far north as Stanford on the coast line.

HAVOC EVERYWHERE.

Rain is Causing Enormous Damage in Idaho Railway Washouts Stop Traffic.

Wallace, Idaho, Nov. 18.—Rain is king in the Coeur d' Alene. Down mountain gorges floods have been raging since Sunday morning, creating havoc everywhere. Of six railroads, running into Wallace, but one can run trains, while the best residence portion of Wallace is a scene of desolation. Buildings have been swept away and their places are occupied by drift-wood, while two blocks have had the soil washed off to bed rock. Since Nov. 1, snow has been falling and ten feet lay on the summits of the mountains. This quickly became slush, when the warm rain commenced falling last Thursday. The depth of snow prevented the water from starting quickly, but Saturday night the streams were swelling considerably. On Sunday morning trains were held up by washouts Through the western part of Wallace runs a placer creek, along which are built the houses of well-to-do citizens.

Fifty thousand dollars worth of property has suffered along the placer creek. The railroad loss may be as much more in the whole district, while no estimate can yet be made of private losses in other places, or the loss on country roads and bridges. All the large mines will have to shut down. Many miles of Northern Pacific track have been washed out in this vicinity, and several bridges have also been destroyed. Kingston, below the junction of the south and north forks of the Coeur d' Alene River, is reported all afloat.

VETERANS OF 1866.

A Reunion at Leamington Which the Old Boys Enjoyed—They Owned the Town.

Leamington, Ont., Nov. 18.—The re-union of the veterans of 1866, consisting of the old North Ridge Rifles and the Leamington Infantry, who were out on duty at the time of the Fenian invasion, took place in Leamington to-day. Besides these there were several veterans of 1837 who were invited as honored guests of the men of 1866. There was a large turnout, nearly one hundred responding to the call. Many in the town decorated their places with flags and flags were flying from all the public buildings. About 11 o'clock the veterans assembled at the Town Hall, when an address of welcome was read to them by Mayor Capt. J. E. Johnson, who extended to them the freedom and hospitality of the town. The veterans then, led by the Leamington band to the music of "The British Grenadiers," paraded and marched through the principal streets, which were lined with the citizens. They were repeatedly cheered as they passed through the town. The line of march brought them to the Presbyterian Church, where the town had provided a sumptuous banquet for them.

Dinner over, they again marched to the Town Hall, where patriotic addresses were made by Col. Wilkinson,, Captain Billings, an old veteran of 82 years, who was captain of the North Ridge Rifles during those stirring times; Major Fox, captain of the old Leamington Infantry, and others.

The most pleasing part were addresses which were presented to Capt. Billings and Major Fox by their old comrades in arms, and the replies made by their old officers. The whole affair passed off with great enthusiasm, and all were delighted with the spirit manifested by the citizens, as well as those who took part in the re-union. At the close a meeting of the veterans was held, when it was decided to organize and make it an annual affair, and perhaps endeavor to associate with other organizations of a like nature.

VENEZUELA ARBITERS.

Lord Dufferin and Sir George Gainsford Bruce Suggested by a London Newspaper.

New York, Nov. 18.—A London special to The Journal says: A London newspaper today suggests the names of Lord Dufferin and Sir George Gainsford Bruce as suitable Venezuelan arbiters. The idea may be at once dismissed. The former has definitely retired from public life, and the latter is considered as too professorial and impractical for such work, despite his brilliant abilities.

A cablegram to The Journal from Berlin says: The Foreign Office is entirely satisfied with the result of the Bismarck interpellation. My Hamburg special says that Prince Bismarck is formulating a sensational rejoinder, the piece de resistance of which is the disclosure that Italy has been allied to Russia since 1891, in the same manner as was Germany before 1890.

A cablegram from Paris to The Herald says: The Figaro announces that Count De Moltke Huitfeldt, Danish Minister in Paris, is seriously ill. He had two apoplectic strokes last week, but owing to his strong constitution his physicians have not lost hope. His eldest son, Comte Adam, has arrived in Paris.

The Anchoria in Sight.

New York, Nov. 18.—The disabled steamer Anchoria from Glasgow was sighted off Fire Island at 2.30 p.m.

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MRS. STERNAMAN'S CASE.

Mr. Thayer Declares There is No Case for Extradition—Lawyers Will Argue Next Tuesday.

Buffalo, Nov. 18.—Nothing of importance was brought out by either side this morning in the case of Mrs. Sternaman. The court room was crowded with the usual number of spectators, who are directly or indirectly interested in the case.

The first witness called was Benjamin J. Morningstar, agent in this city for the Chautauqua Loan Association of Jamestown, N.Y., Mr. Morningstar's office is at No. 231 Niagara-street. He said that he had a conversation with Sternaman last May in regard to buying some stock in the Chautauqua Association. He said that Sternaman declined, saying that he could not afford it, as he was paying considerable money out for his own life insurance. This was the only evidence brought out by Mr. Thayer. Mr. Thomas revealed nothing in his cross-examination.

The next witness sworn was Charles R. Roberts, special agent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company of New York. Mr. Roberts resides in the metropolis. A cross-examination by Mr. Thayer brought out the fact that Mr. Roberts had been sent by his insurance company to Cayuga, Ont., to ascertain the cause of Sternaman's death. Roberts said he was present at the inquest held in Cayuga, but was not responsible in any way for the arrest of Mrs. Sternaman.

This practically ended the case so far as the evidence was concerned. Next Tuesday is the day set for the lawyers to sum up their respective sides. Mrs. Sternaman looked brighter this morning than at any time during the examination. Mr. Thayer made the declaration in the court room that the Crown has not one iota of a case against the accused woman.

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THANKSGIVING DAY.

THOUGHTS SUGGESTED BY THE ANNUAL HARVEST FESTIVAL.

Its Origin and Ancient Manner of Observance—Its Modern Significance—The Country Feast—A Tempting Banquet. The Perfect Form of Giving Thanks.

An annual harvest festival of Thanksgiving has been by no means peculiar to this country or even to modern ages. Indeed the Hebrews had their harvest festivals, the principal one being the autumn feast of ingathering (feast of the Tabernacles), a thanksgiving for the whole produce of the wine press, of the fruit orchards and the cornfields. Similarly, too, the Greeks and Romans had festival seasons in honor of Demeter, or Ceres, the goddess of agriculture. All these were sanctioned by religious rite, games and joyous indulgence in the pleasures of the table. So our Thanksgiving day has a noble descent in history, and the Puritans of Massachusetts not only showed their piety, but their scholarship, in some of the old sermons still extant. A discourse of the celebrated Dr. Cotton Mather on Thanksgiving is curious in its learning concerning the prototypes of the Puritan festival among the nations of the past. It shows how well the fathers knew they had linked themselves with a great historic observance.

However the day has become shorn of its religious quality in the minds of the masses, who sacredly enjoy the Thanksgiving turkey, its connection with worship is always earnestly enjoined by state and federal proclamations. It is indeed the sole religious festival observed in the United States by virtue of civil authority. The annual practice in New England during colonial times was imitated after awhile by the Dutch and English governors of New York, and the continental congress proclaimed the festival annually during the great war struggle. It remained afterward, however, a purely state affair till, in 1863, President Lincoln began the practice of proclaiming an autumnal Thanksgiving annually.

In the earlier time Thanksgiving day was the most important of American festivals, for Christmas was looked on with more or less suspicion by the rigid Puritans. Aside from churchgoing, shooting with the rifle at turkeys was the most widespread habit of the day. This is still practiced to some extent in the purely rural communities. Nowadays, however, the overshadowing feature of the holiday in the way of amusements is the prevalence of the great football and other games selected for that date. Our universities make it the occasion of their most brilliant athletic contests. Out of the cities where the more important of these friendly battles would naturally occur local games are arranged which perhaps evoke as much interest among the spectators. It is curious to observe that among all the strong and servile nations this tendency to connect national festivals with athletic contests has been all but universal. Among the Americans, Englishmen and Germans of today, the cognate branches of the Teuton family, this is specially noticeable.

The religious exercises of Thanksgiving nearly always look in some way toward matters of national gratitude rather than those of individual thanks. So we expect the church addresses to be largely of a political character, dealing with topics of public morals. Our ministers naturally avail themselves of this escape valve to discharge views of political questions once a year, and many a good stump speech, as well as some poor ones, have been thus shot from the battery of the pulpit. Not a few of the most powerful and eloquent addresses of Henry Ward Beecher, Rev. Dr. Storrs, Dr. Hall, Dr. E. H. Chapin and other preaching celebrities have owed themselves to this occasion. A sermon delivered by the Rev. Dr. Palmer of New Orleans on Thanksgiving day, 1860, is said to have aroused and crystallized secession sentiment scarcely less than Mirabeau's oratory did the revolutionary sentiment at the convocation of the French states general in 1789. So, while most of the Thanksgiving pulpit talking may lack pith and fire, it sometimes becomes a projectile of monstrous force and effect.

But, after all is said, one must confess that the true modern significance of Thanksgiving is that of the feast day—the family feast day. It gathers the scattered branches together from far and wide to sacrifice at the altar of family love, where are enshrined the Lares and Penates of the old home. There is something of this feeling, too, at Christmas, but it chiefly touches the individuals of each family branch. Thanksgiving seeks the gathering of the clan and becomes in many cases perhaps the most beautiful and delightful occasion of the year, full of the purest joy and sweetness, a veritable fountain of refreshment. The spectacle of three or four generations of a family assembled together from distant dwelling places under the ancient family rooftree is charged with the heart's truest poetry. The significance is not that it surfeits the belly with toothsome and succulent dainties, but that it fills the soul brimful of love and sympathy, effervescing anew after long absence. This is the truest religious sacrifice of the day, and so the dinner table becomes perhaps the most consecrated shrine of all, though no blood of the grape is poured out in libation there.

It is in the country that the finest joys of Thanksgiving are found. They go with turkey and pumpkin pie, not with terrapin and canvasback; with sparkling apple juice, not with champagne. The crisp, pure air, the association of rural life revived again with exhilarating freshness, the warming of family ties, the homely, appetising dishes, into whose concocting the cook has poured the purest love and joy of the heart as well as fragrant spices and sweets, make up something which no banquet of Lucullus could equal. Many a worldworn spirit has found in such an occasion a new sense flaming out of the ashes of ennui and weariness, that, after all, life is well worth living. And so may it be always.

We have said nothing in this article about the giving of thanks, which the name of the day emphasizes. Well, perhaps the indulgence of love and innocent joy and the new birth of all the best sympathies of one's nature are as perfect a form of thanksgiving to the great Creator of all as prayer and psalm singing within the walls of the chapel. Without the first named all else is but as "sounding brass and a tinkling cymbal."

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A Day of Family Reunions.

It is customary for the forenoon of Thanksgiving day to be observed in a religious way. Churches hold service during this time, and the occasion for thanksgiving is dwelt upon with a grateful spirit. The rest of the day is given to rational amusements and to feasting. All absent members of the family are invited to the dinner and it is made a time of family reunion.—Detroit Free Press.

A Colonial Pudding.

Tickletooth pudding was the name of the Thanksgiving pudding of old colonial days. It was only a memory of the great progenitor of that name which the pilgrims had left at home in old England. There were no 10 pounds of solid fruit, no 20 luscious eggs, rich beef suet, nor was it dampened with choice brandy and home brewed ale. But it was probably more easily digested.—Exchange.

Thanksgiving Sentiments.

In everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. And the peace of God which passeth all understanding shall guard your hearts and your thoughts in Christ Jesus.—Philippians iv, 6.

And he that suppleth seed to the sower and bread for food shall supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the fruits of your righteousness; ye being enriched in everything unto all liberality, which worketh through us thanksgiving to God.—II Corinthians ix, 10, 11.

I exhort therefore first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, thanksgivings be made for all men; for kings and all that are in high place; that we may lead a tranquil and quiet life in all godliness and gravity. This is good and acceptable in the sight of God, our Saviour.—I Timothy ii, 1.

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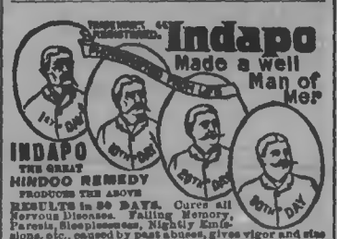

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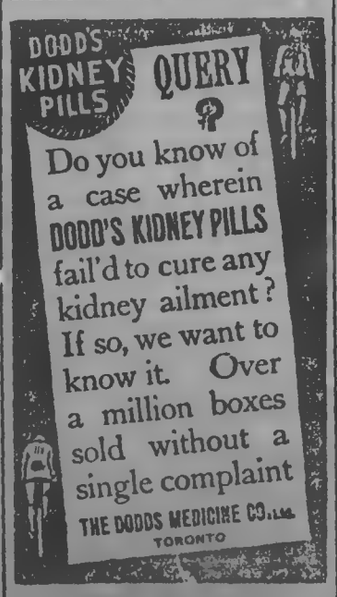
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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

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The Kingston Whig says: It is expected that the Ontario Hockey Union will establish three series this season instead of two, as heretofore. In that case the Victorias will enter the Junior series. The Union meets during the last week in the present month.

CURLIANA.

Lindsay curlers hold their annual meeting last night. The report of the bonspiel committee was read by Mr. Harstone. After referring to the arrangements already made, the report stated that it would be necessary to collect about $300 to defray the cost of suitable prizes. The committee also suggested that only two Lindsay rinks be entered in the double rink competition, the trophies won (if any) to become club property; entries of single rinks to be unrestricted, and prizes to become the property of the winners. The suggestions were approved of, and Messrs. Flavelle and W. McLennan were appointed skips for the double rink competition by ballot.

Mr. J. H. Hart, one of the delegates to the meeting of the Midland Colt's Association held in Peterborough last week, gave a very concise report of matters pertaining thereto. The association was organized two years ago by Mr. Biggar, of Belleville, when the clubs comprised Peterborough, Campbellford and Belleville. Last year Kingston, Port Hope and Cobourg entered, and this year Norwood and Lindsay had accepted invitations to join, making sixteen rinks in all. The trophy played for was valued at $50. Some confusion had resulted as to the definition of the term "Colt," and he felt that some of the players were very old "Colts." At the meeting in Peterborough he understood that curlers who had not played previous to 1893 would be allowed to play for Lindsay, but since then he had been informed that 1894 was the date. Players were eligible for three years from date of entry.

Mr. Harstone, in moving that the action of the delegates be endorsed, said that it made very little difference whether the entry limit was made 1893 or 1894—there were numbers of good players eligible in either event, and in the course of three years the matter would right itself.

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Oftentimes we hear complaints that winter apples are spoiling in the early part of the winter. The reason of it is that they are kept in too warm quarters. Apples should be kept in a cool, dry place; at a temperature of 30°, if possible, and will keep better in closed barrels kept on their side, elevated from the floor to permit the air to circulate all around. Barrels that are opened for use are also better standing elevated from the floor and kept covered from the air. Scabby apples are better kept out of the barrels and spread out in a dry place. In opening a barrel of apples for use it is advisable to open the bottom to use from first, as the pressing process squeezes the apples at the bottom, which is the end that is pressed and will not keep as long as the faced end, which is placed in carefully by hand, stems downward, and where the choicest apples are generally put in order to protect them from the press.

DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT.

What Ladies Can do When They Work Harmoniously — Excellent Music. Beautiful Flowers. Dainty Refreshments and Charming Social Enjoyment.

The entertainment presented last night in the lecture room of the George street Methodist church, under the joint auspices of the Epworth League and the Ladies' Aid Society of the church, was a very pleasant success in every respect—musically, socially and gastronomically.

The room was well filled with auditors, and the platform was finely decorated with the beautiful, shock-headed chrysanthemum, which also prodigally supplemented the charms of youth and beauty of many of the lady contributors to the programme.

Rev. W. R. Young occupied the chair, and introduced the successive numbers. The programme opened with a very sweetly sung duet by the clever Belleghem sisters—Clara and Annie. This was followed by a brilliant pianoforte duet, "The Charge of the Cavalry," by Harriss, performed by Misses Sherin and McAllister, (of Pembroke, sister of Mr. C.B. McAllister, town.) Miss May Richardson contributed that often-heard, but ever-sweet song, Adams' "Holy City." She sang it so sweetly that she had to respond to a recall—with "My Dad's the Engineer." Mr. McCaig made a very creditable debut in Peterborough as a violinist, giving that dreamy musical tid-bit of Schumann, "Traumerei." His excellent playing, which was much assisted by Miss Grant's excellent and sympathetic accompaniment, caused him to be loudly recalled. He responded with a spirited rendering of the music of the old Scotch song, "I lo'e ne'er a laddie but ane." Dr. Clark gave in good style a reading from an old English play. His imitation of the Scotch dialect was excellent. An old time favourite, Mrs. W. W. Daly, next charmed the audience with an exquisitely sweet singing of the sweet song, "The Maiden and the Rose," but gave even further delight with the recall number she was compelled to give, "Far Away." The delicate pathos she infused into this was simply charming. A rousing quartette sung by Misses McAllister and Annie Belleghem and Messrs. Miller and Skitch, deserved the hearty applause with which it was received. Miss Florence Hall sang her solo so charmingly that she was compelled to respond to a recall. There's a world of music in this young lady's voice. Mr. A. R. Davis, C.E., was called upon to give an address, but owing to the lateness of the hour he announced that he would give it later. Miss Vina Belleghem and Mr. Mulligan sang with much spirit, "Flow Gently Deva," and were rewarded with very hearty applause. The excellent programme closed with a musical trio, mouth-organ, autoharp and guitar, by Messrs. Roadhouse and Hendricks. The programme presented was a most excellent one and the performers generally did justice to their numbers. The several accompaniments were supplied by Mr. Geo. Schneider, organist of the George street church, Miss Grant, organist of St. Andrew's, and Misses Sherin and McAllister.

At the close of the programme dainty refreshments, coffee, cake, etc., were served, and a most pleasant season of social intercourse was enjoyed.

DAUGHTERS OF ENGLAND.

The Varied Programme Which Was Prepared for the Occasion.

A most pleasing entertainment was held last evening in the Sons of England hall, under the auspices of the Daughters of England. The chair was occupied by Dr. Pigeon, who introduced the programme by a few appropriate remarks. The Sons of England Band then rendered the selection known as "The Firemen" in splendid style, showing a vast deal of improvement since their last appearance. Miss Lizzie Rounds then recited "If I was a Man," in a manner which won for her considerable applause. Messrs. Roadhouse and Hendricks followed with a guitar and autoharp duet, given in their well known admirable style. Master Herb Taylor's song was well received, and Mr. George Adam's "Mocking Bird" song brought down the house.

At this juncture an intermission was announced to allow the ladies an opportunity of serving refreshments. After a pleasant half hour spent in discussing cake and coffee, etc., Mrs. Edward Harris, the president of the Lodge, made a brief address on the aims and objects of the order, calling attention to the fact that it was rapidly increasing in membership, as there were now over a hundred branches established in Canada and the roll of the local lodge was rapidly increasing in length.

Miss Bell opened the second part of the programme with a brilliantly rendered instrumental. Mr. George Adams then gave his "Irish Cuckoo" song amidst roars of laughter.

One of the most interesting numbers on the programme was then given by Misses Alice Carter, Emma Campbell and Jennie McLellan, and Messrs. Vas LeBar and Geoffrey Pratley. It was a dialogue entitled "Way Down East," and those taking part won golden opinions by the clever way in which they took their parts. A pleasing song by Mr. W. F. Taylor brought the programme to a close and was followed by the singing of the National Anthem.

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To the Editor of the Examiner:—

SIR,—We desire to say that the very unusual display of posters put up about town are not in reference to a matter for which our firm is responsible, nor can our goods be sold to satisfy it. And further, that the attempted sale cannot and will not in any way interfere with our contract on the canal.

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What makes me catch that horse-thief bold,
(I grabbed him and right off he rolled)
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Would race me with his colt one day
What was it run so quick away?
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What helped me win Alldy Brown,
The prettiest girl in all our town,
All in her pea-green Sunday gown?
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What doesn't need a feed at all,
Just takes a hand's breadth for stall,
And leans up quiet in the stall?
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What makes this world a tip-top place,
What most improves the human race,
And for said race what sets the pace?
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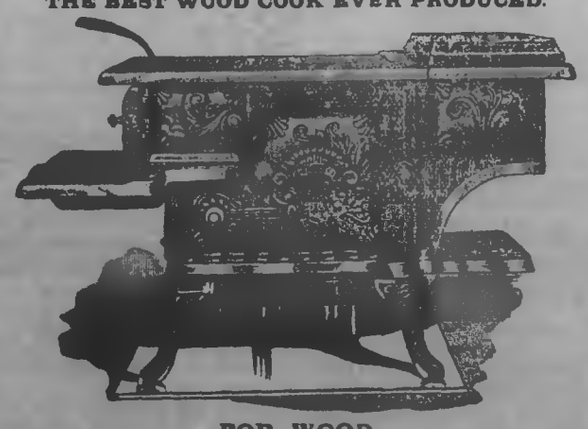

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Boot Manufacturers Want More Protection—Iron Men Would Like Such an Arrangement as Would Lead to the Development of Our Mines—What Other Men Say.

Toronto, Nov. 21.

The Tariff Commissioners have gone away, but their business here is not yet finished, and they will be back again, although the date of their second visit is not definitely decided upon. Sir Richard Cartwright left yesterday for Rochester, where he has gone to secure the benefits of mineral springs. Hon. W. S. Fielding and Hon. William Paterson left last night for Ottawa. It is the intention of the commission to sit in Hamilton on Tuesday week.

Deputations were received by the commissioners on the first flat of the Rossin House yesterday morning, while in the afternoon they resumed business at the old stand—the council chamber of the Board of Trade.

Messrs. J. D. King, Edmund Weston, W. A. Marsh, W. B. Hamilton and C. B. Hamilton were a boot and shoe deputation received at the morning session, and one of these gentlemen stated afterwards that they had simply asked for an equalization of the duties on the various things used by them in manufacture. It was considered that a great discrepancy existed between the duties they pay on their raw material, about 20 per cent., and those accorded them as protection amounted to 25 per cent., so that the real protection was only 5 per cent. The deputation wished the difference to be made at least 15 per cent., and thought it could be done without decreasing the revenue. The dealers pay 17 1-2 per cent. duty on fine leathers, and they consider 15 per cent. sufficient. The raw material of the tanner was admitted free and they wanted equal protection on such articles as kids, linings, inks, dressings, blackings and machinery. In reply to Mr. Fielding, it was stated that it would be impossible to compete with the United States if free trade were established.

Another delegation who had a private session with the Ministers were Messrs. George Bertram, and Edward Gurney. They discussed general iron duties without reference to any particular industry. The gentlemen asked that, owing to the present duties on pig iron and bar iron being so much higher than those of the finished article, some reduction should be made and that some other way should be found of bringing about the development of the iron deposits of the Dominion other than by taxing the users of iron to such an extent as has been done for years past. The users of iron do not take the position in any spirit of antagonism to the producers of pig and bar iron, but they think the question should be considered from the standpoint of the general interests of the country, and it appears at present as if there were no other way of bringing about the development of our iron deposits to any great extent than by a bounty, and reduced duty, rather than by an excessive tax, which runs from 40 to 50 per cent., while 27 1-2 per cent. is the average duty on the finished product.

None of the iron users are advocates of free trade, even in raw material. They were quite willing a duty should be imposed, but not to the present extent.

Mr. F. B. Hays of the Toronto Carpet Company sought an interview with the commission, but was asked to call again in the afternoon, which he did.

At the afternoon session in the Board of Trade, the carpet section of the Manufacturers' Association were represented by Major J. A. Murray, Toronto; F. B Hays, Toronto; R. Dodds, Guelph, and A. R. Burrows, Guelph. Major Murray, on their behalf, told the commission how the carpet trade had struggled along under difficulties for years, and how hard they had found it to persuade people that the home product was as good as the imported. They did not ask the Government to increase the duty, but they would ask it to put an upset price of 50 cents per yard on wool carpets, and 30 cents per yard on other carpets. The American markets had flooded ours and had sent in a lot of cheap stuff. The carpet trade of Canada is a most important one if properly protected, and carpets made here were rapidly becoming more popular even than imported. The deputation trusted that the Government would not harm the industry by any change in the tariff that may be made.

Mr. Burrows manufactures chenille curtains at Guelph. Other firms had tried it also, but were unable to make it go with the low duty on imports. Mr Burrows said he would send a statement to Ottawa, showing why he thought the tariff should be raised.

Messrs. W. R. Johnston, T. O. Anderson and John Watson represented the ready-made clothing manufacturers, but not as an association. They represented theirs as an industry which paid in Toronto alone nearly one million dollars a year for labor. They thought the tariff on goods coming in here in competition with them should at least be kept as high as it is, viz., 30 per cent. ad valorem and 5c per lb. which is equivalent to from 35 per cent. to 40 per cent. ad valorem. The deputation considered that if any change was made by way of lowering the duty this industry would be imperilled. It was as much as the trade could do to compete with the English markets at present, and with a lower tariff, Yorkshire goods would soon be on our markets to a large extent. The clothing industry was the largest in Toronto at the present time, and was a great help in many houses in the city. If this industry was knocked out there would be no market for Canadian tweed. The woolen manufacturers are not making fortunes, some of the companies have not paid dividends for years, while others are not doing anything at all. It was stated that if the English goods were allowed to come in it would drive all the factories now operating here to Yorkshire, where there were so many facilities for making goods cheaper.

"No inferences should be drawn from any questions we ask," said Mr. Fielding. "We are not going to do anything in a hurry."

Mr. A. H. Eckardt of Philp & Eckardt, casket-makers, preferred not to have the tariff raised on material used in the manufacture of caskets such as hardware, plates, handles, etc. Coffins and caskets can be imported, covered with cloth and lined with satin at a duty of 25 per cent. Under these conditions Mr. Eckardt thought his trade should be put in a position to compete with these goods, as they at present have to pay the same duty, on the articles they use in manufacture, as outside competitors have to pay on the manufactured article. Mr. Eckardt also asked that his industry be put in a similar position to the hat and cap trade, who get their sealing in free by having them cut. The casket men are quite willing to have their sealing cut before they come here. He also wanted the Government to protect the manufacturers from exorbitant freight on the subsidized lines. This, Mr. Eckardt pointed out, had been a great drawback to the export trade of his and other firms, although it was much better now.

Mr. Fielding stated that if Mr. Eckardt's firm had notified the Department of Trade and Commerce of any complaint against one of the subsidized lines the matter would have been investigated.

Mr. J. C. McLachlan of the Toronto Electric Motor Company wanted to have magnet wire placed on the free list. The present duty is 30 per cent. If it was placed on the free list it would enable us to get the American markets. The wire is not covered here to any extent, only in a few sizes, and by the firms using it. Mr. McLachlan did not care a rap for any competition. Once before a reduction from 35 per cent to 30 per cent. had been allowed on magnet wire.

Mr. Joseph Wright, president; David Carlisle, vice-president; John Stark, director, and J. W. Taylor, managing director of the Toronto Radiator Manufacturing Company, were the next to wait upon the commission. They wanted the tariff left as it was, the present duty of 27 1-2 per cent. being considered sufficient under certain conditions, which they named. They were, however, desirous of having a bonus of $4.80 per ton on exported radiators, whether made of Canadian or American iron. The competition from the United States gave considerable cause for complaint. Labor was much cheaper there than here, was of an inferior class, and the vast expanse of this country made freight expensive. Radiators, Mr. Taylor said, are sold in Toronto 20 per cent. cheaper than in the United States, and the cheap rate of freight, viz.: 14c, from Boston to St. John, compared with the 55c rate from Toronto to St. John compelled the Canadian concern to sell 10 per cent. cheaper in St. John than the United States firms did, in order to meet the American competition. The present duty of 27 1-2 per cent. ad valorem was, if anything, not high enough, as it gave the American concerns an opportunity to work off their surplus stock in this country.

Messrs. G. C. Heintzman and G. C. Royce, piano men, did not care for the reporters to be present at their interview, but it was learned that they were satisfied to have the tariff concerning them left as it is and if a change is contemplated they would like the duty on walnut reduced from 10 per cent. to 5 per cent. The latter is the duty on foreign wood, under which head they claim walnut should come.

In the interests of those who are engaged in making acetic acid, Messrs. A. G. Peuchen of Peuchen & Co., J. H. Bowman of Canada Chemical Company, London, and W. H. Evans of the Canada Paint Company, Montreal and Toronto, were a deputation who protested against a proposition that had been made to the Government by the vinegar manufacturers to the effect that an excise duty of 3c per gallon be placed on acetic acid, similar to the way in which vinegar is taxed. It was pointed out that acetic acid had been of benefit to the people. For instance pickles, which a couple of years ago cost $3 a pail, now cost $1.25, because the acid had been used in preserving them. Many people preferred acetic acid vinegar to fermented vinegar, and it was not injurious to health any more than ordinary vinegar.

In the event of the proposed duty being imposed the acetic acid factories would have to close. They are quite willing to compete with the vinegar men on equal terms if the duty on vinegar is taken off. The production of acetic acid from wood, it was maintained, is a purely Canadian industry and one of benefit to the country.

Messrs. S. P. Saunders and W. B. Evans, sponge makers, asked that the present 20 per cent. duty on sponges be taken off, excepting from the bleached article. Raw and unbleached sponges could then be admitted and the duty left on the finished article. These gentlemen also asked that the duty on certain chemicals used in their industry be removed.

This was the last deputation heard, although a couple of others were waiting outside. Hon. Mr. Fielding stated to the press representatives that the commission expected to be in Hamilton on Tuesday week, and then the subsequent program would be announced. They expect to put in another day at Toronto and will probably call here at the conclusion of their mission in Hamilton.

FORTY MILLION TAELS

To be Expended in Railroad Building in China—American Money Will be Used.

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 20.—A. Spitzel of Chicago, who is closely identified with the projected American-Chinese railroad between Pekin and Canton, arrived here from the Orient yesterday. Mr. Spitzel said the Tsung Li Yamen has received a secret edict appointing Sheng Taotai director-general of railways, and granting him permission to construct the Kankow-Canton-Souchov line. It also authorizes him to borrow 20,000,000 taels, 10,000,000 to be furnished by the Tsung Li Yamen, the Northern Superintendencies to furnish 3,000,000 taels and the Southern Superintendencies 7,000,000 taels. About 40,000,000 taels will be required for the construction of the lines. Native materials must be employed as far as possible on the Hankow lines, but foreign engineers may be engaged. Sheng Taotai is the head of the telegraph administration in China. Mr. Spitzel said the railway will certainly be built, and with American money and largely with American material. The road cannot be proceeded with now until next season, but will be started as soon as the Pei-Ho River is free from ice. Mr. Spitzel says American citizens are bound to excel in the struggles of the nations for trade supremacy in the Orient.

THE HARVEY CASE ALIVE YET.

Mayor and Aldermen of Guelph to See the Attorney-General About the Light Sentence Imposed O'Connor Released.

Guelph, Nov. 20.—(Special.)—The end of the Harvey case is not yet. It is currently reported throughout the city that as soon as his three months is up he will be arrested on other charges, to which he has pleaded guilty. The Mayor and a committee of aldermen intend visiting the Attorney General in reference to the light sentence imposed by Judge Chadwick.

Ald. Scroggie has been elected treasurer of the city, to enter on his duties next month.

Thomas Flaherty, who is locked up on a charge of breaking into and stealing from cars on the G.T.R., has elected to be tried before a jury on Dec. 3.

J. C. Dillon of Fergus was charged before Magistrate Saunders this morning with the seduction of Hattie, the 16-year-old daughter of Mrs. Mary Wilkie of the same place. He was committed for trial.

James O'Connor, who was sent to Kingston Penitentiary in 1892 by Justice Street for seven years, for a criminal assault on a young girl named Florence Marriatt, has been released, as the girl's father believes he was not guilty.

UNITED IN DEATH.

An Eloping Couple Separated in Life Deliberately Planned to Die Together—Prussic Acid Used.

Valley City, N. D., Nov. 20.—A man and woman of middle age, well dressed and of refined bearing, arrived here last night and registered at the hotel as Thomas Owens and wife, New Rockford. They at once went to their room and were not seen again alive. This morning when the couple did not appear, the room was forced open and they were found lying across the bed, both dead. A partly empty bottle of prussic acid on the table pointed to their suicide with that poison. A note was also left by the suicides stating: "Though separated in life, we are one in death. Make no enquiries as to us." Money was enclosed for burial expenses. The woman was Mrs. A. C. Swain of New Rockford, N. D., and her companion was Frank Addison of Baltimore, Md. They eloped Wednesday from New Rockford, and the news had been suppressed on account of the high esteem in which the family was held. Mrs. Swain was 40 years of and the mother of four children, one aged 18, a daughter. Addison's age was 40. The Swain family sent word here to have the remains of the woman sent to New Rockford for interment.

BLACK JACK WOUNDED.

Western Outlaws Get the Worst of It in an Encounter With Officers—A Bold Highwayman in Indiana.

Tucson, Ariz., Nov. 20.—News has reached here of a desperate fight near the Chihuahua line. For some days past Marshall Hall and a posse have been in hot pursuit of Black Jack and his gang of bandits. Several times the officers of the law were quite close to the desperadoes, but not near enough to engage them. Finally, however, they caught them in a position where they had to fight. At the first fire the notorious Bob Hayes was killed. Black Jack was badly wounded, but escaped. None of the posse were injured. The officers are still in pursuit of Black Jack.

A Lone Highwayman's Nerve.

Decatur, Ind., Nov. 20.—A lone highwayman with a pair of revolvers stopped a section gang on a hand car on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad about dusk last evening and held them up for over $100. There were four men on the car, and they had just received last month's salary. The highwayman compelled them to throw their money on the track and then leave.

Cleveland Hardware House Burned.

Cleveland, Nov. 20.—A Superior-street block, owned by ex-Congressman R. C. Parsons and occupied by W. H. Luekete-meyer & Sons, wholesale hardware, was destroyed by fire this morning. The building, valued at $75,000, and stock, valued at $100,000, are a total loss. Both were insured.

One of the members of the firm and two employes were burned about the faces and hands before they could escape.

Boils

It is often difficult to convince people their blood is impure, until dreadful carbuncles, abscesses, boils, scrofula or salt rheum, are painful proof of the fact. It is wisdom now, or whenever there is any indication of

Impure

blood, to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and prevent such eruptions and suffering.

"I had a dreadful carbuncle abscess, red, fiery, fierce and sore. The doctor attended me over seven weeks. When the abscess broke, the pains were terrible, and I thought I should not live through it. I heard and read so much about Hood's Sarsaparilla, that I decided to take it, and my husband, who was suffering with boils, took it also. It soon purified our

Blood

built me up and restored my health so that, although the doctor said I would not be able to work hard, I have since done the work for 20 people. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured my husband of the boils, and we regard it a wonderful medicine." MRS. ANNA PETERSON, Latimer, Kansas.

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Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

The Daily Examiner is delivered to all parts of the Town for 10c. a week 35c. a month, $2.00 for six months.

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AN ENGLISH JOURNAL ON TUPPER.

Following is the comment of the London Daily News upon Sir Charles Tupper's attack upon the Governor-General: "Sir Charles Tupper has undertaken, in The National Review, a task which might have been left to more disinterested hands. It is the discussion of the constitutional rights of a Colonial Governor—not in the abstract, but with special reference to what occurred when Sir Charles Tupper himself was defeated at the Canadian polls. Upon Sir Charles' own facts, the the reader's sympathy will surely incline to the side of Lord Aberdeen, for what is the indictment against the amiable Governor-General? It is that after a general election, in which Sir Charles Tupper's party was beaten, Lord Aberdeen chose to regard the acts of his advisors as in "an unusual degree provisional," and refused to sanction the appointment of further Conservatives and judges to the Senate and to a judicial bench already well packed with members of Sir Charles Tupper's party. In the Senate there was only one vacancy from the Province of Ontario, and it was currently understood that Mr. Laurier coming in as Prime Minister would put into that position Sir Oliver Mowat, whose services would be required as leader of the Liberal Government in the Senate. Lord Aberdeen saw that the appointment of Senators by the advice of a defeated Minister would "tend to embarras the probable successor of the Government." Any constitutional question here raised appears to have been created by Sir Charles Tupper's own indiscretion and conspicuous eagerness to embarrass his successors by acts for which he could claim no popular sanction, he being already a defeated minister. In this country a retiring Minister submits to his Sovereign the names of friends for whom he desires reward; but he would not dare to use his purely provisional power after defeat to cram the bench of the Senate."

A DIFFERENT TARTE.

The Hamilton Herald, independent, under the heading, "The Transformation of Mr. Tarte," says: "We believe that Mr. Tarte is an exceedingly shrewd politician and an ardent Liberal; but we believe that he has also become a Liberal in the best sense of that much abused term. The transformation of this man from a champion of extreme ultramontanism in religion and of narrow Gallic nationalism in politics into the exponent and defender of liberal views, both in religion and in national politics, is one of the most interesting studies in the development of opinion that the history of our time affords. Not more than two or three years ago Mr. Tarte would have been horrified at the theory that in the education of Catholic children clerical authority should yield to the authority of the State, and he would have bitterly resented the prediction that the growth of a French nationality on the banks of the St. Lawrence is a dream that will never be realized. Now he argues that a good secular education for Catholic children is more important than the retention of clerical control over the schools," and his patriotism has grown wide enough to include Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Much may be expected from Mr. Tarte."

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THE COUNTY COUNCILS ACT.

The Government are in receipt of numerous letters of inquiry on several points in connection with this bill, as follows:

(1) Are the Reeves and Deputy Reeves (who will not have seats in the County Council) of towns and townships still to be elected?

Answer—The law upon this point remains precisely as it was. The act makes no change in this respect, and therefore they are to be elected as heretofore, though they are not to take seats in the County Council.

(2) Who has the power of appointing nominating officers during the present year?

A.—The Warden of the county; in future years, the County Council.

(3) Can a voter divide the two votes which he is authorized by the act to give, or must he give both to one candidate?

A.—He may divide them or give them both to one candidate, as he pleases.

(4) Are nominations to be held on the same day as ordinary municipal nominations, or the week previous to the ordinary nominations?

A.—The statute is plain on this point. They are to be held the week previous, but the vote is of course to be taken on the same day as the vote for municipal elections.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

AT the Conservative convention for Cornwall and Stormont, held at Newington Thursday. Mr. James Leitch, of Cornwall, was unanimously chosen to contest the riding at the coming bye-election.

THE Government proposes to arrange for an extensive service of refrigerator cars weekly on railways for the carriage of perishable food products to Great Britain. Plans for the cars are now being considered.

THERE seems to be considerable activity in the organization of Conservative clubs. They are needed. Sir Charles Tupper's Conservative club that was used on Manitoba to such poor effect seems to have been a failure and hence the demand for new ones.

SPEAKING in reference to the Tariff Inquiry now going on in Toronto, the Evening Star (ndependent) says:—"Toronto's business men who have had the pleasure of conferring with the tariff commission have been agreeably surprised with the courtesy and frankness with which they have been received, and especially with the urbanity of Sir Richard Cartwright, who has hitherto been depicted as a particularly disagreeable ogre. Instead of such a man, he has been found genial and courteous to a degree and has won unstinted praise. Those who have come in contact with him are warm in their admiration of the treatment they have received, and they are eminently pleased with the visit of the commission."

UNTOLD AGONY.

Distracted By Excruciating Rheumatic Pains—Seven Years' Untold Misery—No Remedy to Help—No Physicians to Thwart the Onslaught But South American Rheumatic Cure Charms Away the Pains in 12 Hours and the Suffering Slave is Emancipated.

J. D. McLeod, of Leith, Ontario, says:—"I have been a victim of rheumatism for seven years, being confined to my bed for months at a time, and unable to turn myself. Have been treated by many of the best physicians without benefit. I had no faith in cures I saw advertised, but my wife induced me to get a bottle of South American rheumatic Cure. At that time I was suffering agonizing pains, but inside of 12 hours after I had taken the first bottle the pains left me. Three bottles completely cured me, and I rejoice in having the opportunity of telling what a great cure it has wrought in me. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

COMPRESSED AIR AS A MOTIVE POWER.

Its Application by a Montreal Company Its Advantages Over Other Motive Powers.

The utilization of compressed air for mechanical purposes has long attracted the attention of scientific engineers, but compression by steam or hydraulic power has never been perfectly successful, on account of the loss of power caused by the heating of the air in mechanical compression, and the cooling of it in transmission. These difficulties have been completely overcome by the Taylor system, the air from which is, by the tests, six times drier than the normal atmosphere, and of the same temperature as the water-fall. The advantages and economical working of this system have been fully demonstrated, and can be seen at Magog, P.Q., where a plant of 150 horsepower has been installed for the Dominion Cotton Mills Co., Ltd., and which since 7th September has been running their printing engines with perfect satisfaction, and a great saving of expense (formerly these engines were run by steam). Mechanical air compressors were tried and failed to operate these same engines. It will be invaluable for mining operations, pumping, drilling, elevating and ventilating, and presents the most economical and safest power for working street railways, being the cheapest and most efficient system for the transmission of power yet discovered. It use will lessen the rate of insurance. The plant consists of a shaft sunk to a depth sufficient to obtain the pressure required, ending in a receiving tank for the air and the water. It can be applied to any water-fall, but more successfully where there is a head of three feet and upwards, bringing into use many new waterfalls at present not considered available for power. By this system air can be compressed to any pressure and transmitted by (ordinary) pipes any distance required, with little loss of energy, and with practically no wear and tear. The air takes the place of steam, and can be applied direct to any style of engine. Being perfectly automatic (after the plant is installed), there is no cost for operating. The Dominion Cotton Company's plant at Magog, P.Q., as per Professor McLeod's report, shows an efficiency of 62 per cent. of the actual power of the water used; transmitted in compressed air, with a waste of 20 per cent. of the air taken down. In the installation of any future plant this waste of air will be avoided by increasing the size of the air chamber, and consequently the efficiency will be increased by not less than 10 per cent.

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WELL UP IN YEARS.

His Cure Complete and Permanent—Dodd's Kidney Pills Triumph Again.

COBOURG, Nov. 20. (Special.)—No end of quiet talk has been created in this town and its immediate farming suburb in the vicinity of the old Court House and Jail.

This was the outcome of something concerning Mr. Alex. Russell, a wealthy farmer, who, though well up in years, has been cured of a long-standing kidney disease from which he had endured great distress.

Of his case he says: "I have been troubled for many years with a kidney and urinary disease which in spite of medical treatment continued to torment me beyond endurance.

"My trouble was bladder and urinary difficulty. Was subject to acute attacks of inflammation and intense pain in passing urine.

"Local physicians failed to help me and friends interested advised me to use Dodd's Kidney Pills, of which I have used one dozen boxes.

"As the result of using this medicine I have been completely cured and I believe permanently so. The release and ease I enjoy is worth a hundred times its cost."

"Such a medicine as Dodd's Kidney Pills should be used by every aged person as I believe that all of us need kidney treatment.

"I say all this in the hope that it may be published, and thus prove to be the means of guiding others."

Indian Thanksgiving.

It is but fitting that in the evolution of this truly national holiday the original occupiers of the soil should have their part. It was about this time each year that the American Indian was wont to build great fires in the woods and roast the flesh of the deer and bear and boil the corn and stew the pumpkin and make the welkin ring with the noise of his feasting, singing and dancing before the long winter closed down.—New York Sun.

THE WOMEN TOO.

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Mrs. Jemima Cole, Havelock, told the following wonderful story:—"For a great many years I have suffered from disease of the kidneys. The pains in my back and side were sometimes excruciating.

"My limbs were so swollen that I could scarcely lift my feet from the floor, and I was in great agony nearly all the time. I thought that I would surely die from the pain.

"I have taken dozens of advertised remedies, aut got no better during their use. I was also treated by several doctors, but am sorry to say they did me little or no good. In fact they stated that they could do me no good, which made me despair of ever getting better.

"When I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised I sent to W. H. Jeff & Co's. drugstore and got a box thinking I would try them as a last resort.

"The change from the start was very great and now after one month I am free from all pain. The swelling has gone down and I feel quite strong and healthy.

"I was also troubled with rheumatism and neuralgia which have completely disappeared, thanks to the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. In fact I do not think there is a medicine in the world that in such a short time could have taken me from the almost dying condition in which I was to the healthy and vigorous state that I am in now.

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THE NAPANEE SUSPECT.

A Louisville Police Officer Goes East to Identify the Prisoner Charged With a Terrible Crime.

Toronto, Nov. 20.

W. R. Brown, a police officer of Louisville, Ky., was a visitor at Police Headquarters last night. He left for Napanee to identify and bring back to Louisville James Burnett, who is wanted on a charge of killing Theo D. Gilliam.

Gilliam belonged to Indianapolis, Ind., and was visiting in Louisville at the time he was killed. It was in August, 1895. A social club was holding a picnic, when Burnett tried to force his way into the grounds. Gilliam and another refused him admittance. Burnett drew a knife and slashed Gilliam in the neck, severing the jugular vein. Burnett escaped in the crowd, and has eluded capture until a few days ago, when he was arrested at Bath, near Napanee. He was traced by his letters to his mother, who still resides in Louisville. The officer says he has no doubt but Burnett is the guilty man, as he saw him at the gate five minutes before the crime was committed.

Memorial Church Rectory.

Rev. Canon Richardson, London, Ont., Sends a Record of

PERSONAL INTERVIEWS

With People Restored to Health by Ryckman's Kootenay Cure.

LONDON, Sept. 29, 1896.

S. S. Ryckman Medicine Co.,
Hamilton, Ont.

DEAR SIRS,—I take much satisfaction in sending you this record concerning persons living in London who have used "Kootenay Cure," and with whom I have had personal interview and can vouch for their statements. Mr. C. B. Hamilton, aged 32, a miller, and highly respected citizen, was troubled with sciatica of a very aggravated type for over twelve years. He began taking your medicine last spring and has now gained entire freedom from pain and does not suffer any symptoms of the troublesome disorder. Mrs. Sarah Burdick, aged 68, widow, has been for seven years a victim of Eczema. She was unable to wear her clothes and friends had to wait on her as on a child. She began to take your medicine last March and is now without a blemish on her body. Eight bottles of the medicine cured the disease that was thought to be incurable. A most astonishing cure is that of Mr. Patrick Ryder, aged 70, a retired farmer, well and favourably known. He was sorely afflicted with intermittent Rheumatism for some thirty-six years. About a year ago he could neither dress nor undress himself, but after taking your excellent medicine, the rheumatism left him, and he is not only well but a very active man for his years. Mrs. Sarah Judge, living in West Nissouri, had Neuralgia and Rheumatism for twenty years. She has used Kootenay since February last and is now perfectly cured. Had her sufferings continued much longer she states she would either have been in the asylum or the grave. Mr. McGowan, 35 years of age, has endured agony during the past year from a disease of the skin called pemphigus. His whole body was covered with angry sores and ulcers, and he never had a moment's relief from pain and suffering. He took your medicine and he has become quite rid of all disease, only the scars remaining to tell his horrible affliction.

I have much pleasure in writing the above, and am certain you have the heartfelt gratitude of those whom you have relieved of suffering by your valuable and excellent "Kootenay Cure."

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Sir Donald Smith Tells Englishmen About It.

WHERE IMMIGRANTS CAN DO WELL

Provided They Have Energy and Enterprise and are Not Afraid of Work—The High Commissioner Was Listened to Attentively and Given a Vote of Thanks.

London, Nov 20.—Sir Donald A. Smith, Canadian High Commissioner in London, delivered an address before the Newcastle Geographical Society to-night upon the recources of the Dominion of Canada. The address embodied a comprehensive view of the progress of Canada since the landing of John Cabot on the coast of Newfoundland in 1497, and described the growth of her internal and international water and railway communications, her industries, agriculture, mining and fisheries.

In conclusion Sir Donald said: "More advantages can be obtained by emigrants of the right class in Canada than in any other quarter of the world. Canada does not want anybody unless he has a capacity for hard work, energy and enterprise. Given these, nowhere can one realize so rapidly such great results. The Canadians are proud of their country and believe in it. They are proud of their connection with the Mother Country and constantly endeavoring to make their beloved Dominion not the least important in a family of nations all under one flag, which seems to be the ultimate destiny of the Empire."

A large audience was present and listened closely to Sir Donald's very interesting description of the Dominion and the work that has been done there. He was frequently applauded.

Principal Gurney, who presided at the meeting, lauded Sir Donald's generosity, and a vote of thanks to the High Commissioner was adopted.

SPAIN'S TROUBLES

How There are Signs of a Rebellion in Porto Rico.

Madrid, Nov. 20.—The Government has received official advices from the Island of Porto Rico saying that extensive precautions are being taken there to prevent surprises by filibusters in the event of the news received from Cuba and the Philippines being of such a character as to encourage a rising of the islanders. The defences of the island are being examined and strengthened, as many well-known separatists have recently disappeared, leading to the suspicion that they are organizing an insurrection. All the houses and their inmates as well are being registered and the landing places where filibusters might attempt a coup are closely guarded by sentinels. The secret societies which have long existed in Porto Rico have recently increased their activity and documents recently seized by the authorities indicate that preparations are being made for a rising at an early date.

Mr. White Drops Out.

London, Nov. 20.—The Dundee Courier announces that James M. White, M.P. for Forfarshire, has applied for the stewardship of the Chiltern Hundreds, the equivalent of resigning his seat in the House of Commons. Mr. White, who is the head of the firm of J. F. White & Co., importers of textiles in New York, has recently become involved in litigation connected with charges seriously affecting his personal character, and is said to have sailed for India.

A PREACHER'S FALL.

Rev. Oliver J. Booth, Formerly of Montreal, is a Wreck Owing to His Weakness for Drink.

New York, Nov. 20.—Five years ago in the city of Montreal the curse of drink drove the Rev. Oliver J. Booth from his pulpit and his church. He sought a refuge and a living in this city and tried hard to get along, even enduring the separation from his wife, but the curse clung to him, and his latest step was that of early this morning, when he was removed to Bellevue Hospital from his lodging at No. 238 West Fourth-street.

The Rev. Mr. Booth is a fine-looking man, 41 years of age. He is of the Episcopal faith. Outside of his sole fault, his failing for drink, he is a man of strong character and in possession of many attainments. Upon reaching this city from Canada Mr. Booth spent several months with the Rev. Dr. Greer of St. George's, and with Mr. Thompson, manager of the "Under the Polar Star" theatrical company. All three attended the same college together, and continued the friendship then formed.

Mr. Booth's weakness overcame him upon several occasions and he determined to save his friends from the humiliation he felt he was causing them by living among strangers.

He went to West Tenth-street, where he lived for a long time, or until about a month ago, when he moved to his present residence, where he occupied a back parlor. On Tuesday he left, and on his return showed signs of having been drinking. Yesterday Mr. Thompson called and relieved Mr. Booth of all his money to make him stop drinking, but the latter obtained it and at midnight was on the verge of delirium tremens. He became so boisterous that the police were called in and he was removed to Bellevue in an ambulance.

A MARVELLOUS CURE.

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Arthur, Nov. 9. (Special).—Among his more intimate friends it has long been known here that Mr. J. C. Morrison had been gradually failing in health for many years. The acuteness of his sufferings was known only to a few. His complete recovery is a surprise here and is causing much talk. Of his cure he says:—"Yes I got help from the first box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and I have taken fifteen boxes. I kept getting better every day. When I commenced I could not lift fifty pounds; now I am as strong and well as ever in my life."

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A Cedar Hill, Victoria, B.C., Case That Has Caused Most Favourable Comment.

After a Lifetime of Agony From Rheumatism, a Lady is Cured by Paine's Celery Compound.

There is no other medicine in the world so prominent to-day as Paine's Celery Compound. The results it invariably gives to rheumatic sufferers are so astonishing and satisfying that it has justly been named the world's wonder-working medicine.

The desperate case of Mrs. Elizabeth King, Cedar Hill, Victoria, B.C., is one that is well known to hundreds in the city of Victoria and vicinity. For almost a lifetime Mrs. King endured the variable agonies of rheumatism, and failed to find a cure by the aid of doctors and patent medicines.

A friend, knowing personally the value of Paine's Celery Compound and its power to overcome the worst cases of rheumatism, advised Mrs. King to give it a trial. The afflicted lady complied with her friend's request, and was delivered from her life of torture, and now, with a heart full of joy and thankfulness, makes a public statement for the benefit of the thousands that have not yet found a cure; she says:

"I have been troubled with rheumatism all my life, and about eight years ago I had a very severe attack, almost losing the use of my right arm. A friend recommended Paine's Celery Compound, and kindly gave me a bottle. I was so much benefitted by that one bottle that I took three more, and was quite cured. Since then it has been almost my only medicine for all the ailments from which I have suffered, and all my family have found some benefit from it. I am sixty-five years of age; I live on a farm, get up early in the morning, and am equal to a good day's work."

Wouldn't Pray for the Prince.

In every service of the Church of England the royal family is prayed for, the Queen and Prince of Wales being especially mentioned. It is related that a little English girl, after long cogitation, asked her mother why the prince was excluded from the prayers. "He isn't," said the mother. "Yes, he is," persisted the child. "The minister always says: 'All but Edward Prince of Wales.' The mother laughed heartily, and had some trouble in explaining that the clergyman's pronunciation was to blame. He said: "Awlbert Edward Prince of Wales."

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225 Fine Black Worsted, plain and fancy	10 00
Tweed Pants 75c, 85c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00.	
Fine Worsted Pants $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00.	
500 pair Men's Heavy Wool Full-cloth Pants	1 19
Men's Beaver Nap Overcoats	3 90
Fine Beaver Overcoats	5 50
Fine Worsted Overcoats	4 50
Fine Corkscrew Overcoats	6 00
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Heavy Frieze Ulsters, from $3.50 to	7 00

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$3.50 Boys' Reefers in genuine Frieze, heavy plaid lined, in grey and brown	$ 2 55
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Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Board of Education.

There will be a special meeting of the Board of Education on Monday night next.

Electric Lamps.

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W. C. T. U.

The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at Mrs. Geo. Paton's, 293 Brock street, on Monday, 23rd inst., at 3.30 sharp. A large attendance is desired.

Tuesday Night Next—Rev. Dr. Milligan.

Rev. G. M. Milligan, D.D., will lecture in St. Paul's church on Tuesday evening, Nov. 24th. Subject of lecture "How to Brighten Life." Admission twenty-five cents. In aid of the Children's Rescue Work.

We will place on the Bargain Table, Men's blue and black Beaver and Tweed Single-breasted Overcoats, sizes 35 to 42. Note that the special price is for Friday and Saturday only, and isn't this enough to startle the clothing trade of the town, the beautiful Overcoats that were $4.95 to $6.50, at the ridiculously low price of..... **$2.98**

From the Ladies' Auxiliary.

The chair which was presented to Miss Prudence Lipett on the occasion of her marriage, was the gift of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Lukes's church, and not of the Girls' Guild as stated yesterday.

A Charity Social.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Peter's Cathedral will hold a Charity Social in the Catholic Association rooms on Wednesday evening, Nov. 25th, (Thanksgiving Eve.) First-class music will be provided, besides refreshments. Tickets, 50 cents each. 3d121

District Council Royal Templars.

In connection with the half yearly meeting of the District Council of the Royal Templars an entertainment will be given in the Sons of England hall on the evening of Thanksgiving Day at 7.30 o'clock. The programme will include an address by Rev. Jas. G. Potter, B. A., of St. Andrew's church, on the approaching Dominion plebiscite, and vocal and instrumental music and recitations. The public are invited. The chair will be occupied by Mayor Yelland.

Artist's Material.

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A Potato Story.

Mr. R. W. Wood, Grand Trunk station agent at Bainsville, is to the front with the champion potato story of the season. In the spring Mr. Wood planted a North King potato. It was a very large tuber, weighing fully two pounds, and the numerous eyes were separated and planted about two feet apart. The plants were carefully tended and during the dry season watered daily. This fall when the product of this one potato were dug they weighed 180½ pounds, or a little over three bushels. Several of the potatoes weighed over two pounds. The planting and also the digging was witnessed by several reliable parties.

LAST NIGHT'S FIRE.

Some Odd Circumstances Connected With It—A Narrow Escape.

The brigade was called to Patterson street at a quarter to five this morning, but the flames, which were in the residence of Mr. Lockett, were under control before the arrival of the firemen.

A very odd circumstance connected with the fire is that it was discovered smouldering in the mattress of the bed in which Mrs. Lockett was asleep, and she was rescued with difficulty, being almost unconscious through the effects of the smoke.

Another strange incident exists in the fact that when the family hurried down stairs they found one of the windows raised and a quantity of eatables on the table, which had not been left there when the family retired.

The fire was confined to the one bedroom and was easily quenched without the necessity of turning on the water.

A SMITH WEDDING.

Nuptials of Miss Laura Darling and Mr. Sidney Blewett on Wednesday.

A most interesting event took place at the residence of Mr. Richard Darling, fourth line Smith, on Wednesday afternoon last, when his second daughter, Miss Laura, was united in marriage to Mr. Sidney Blewett, of Communication line.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. McLeod, of Gilmour Memorial church, and the bride, who was becomingly costumed in brown tweed, was given away by her father. Her cousin, Miss Laura Ballechem, of town, was the bridesmaid and the groom was assisted by Mr. James Blewett, of Selwyn.

The large wedding party partook of a most inviting dejeuner during the evening.

LAST EVENING'S ASSEMBLY.

It Proved to be a Brilliant Success—Over 200 Guests Invited.

The assembly which was given at the Huffman House last evening by the gentlemen boarders was attended with great success and passed off in a manner which certainly reflected credit on the management, and as this was but the first of a series to be given during the winter, it is expected that a great deal of pleasure will result before the close of the season.

The patronesses were Mrs. H. C. Rogers, Mrs. W. J. Sherwood, Mrs. R. M. Dennistoun, Mrs. R. W. Grubbe, Mrs. Charles McGill and Mrs. T. A. S. Hay. The committee of management was composed of Messrs. Pope, Cluxton and Kerr.

Refreshments were served during the evening and the ball room was very tastefully decorated for the occasion. There were about two hundred guests invited.

THE SKATING AND CURLING RINK COMPANY.

The Annual Meeting Held Last Night—Election of Officers.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Skating and Curling Rink Company was held last evening in the rink parlours, and it is understood a very satisfactory statement was presented by the Secretary-Treasurer.

The officers and directors of last year were unanimously re-elected as follows:

President—W. G. Ferguson.
Secretary-Treasurer—John Crane.
Directors—W. G. Ferguson, Adam Hall, C. McGill, R. P. Boucher, M.D., and R. S. Davidson.

SALVATION ARMY SELF-DENIAL.

To Raise Funds for Rescue Work—The Record of the Army for the Past Year.

A paragraph appeared in Friday's Examiner announcing that from Nov. 22 to 28 would be the self-denial week of the Salvation Army, the purpose being to raise funds for the special work of the Army, especially the rescue work. The social operations have greatly developed during the past year, and there is need for an increase of funds. The work of rescue is a noble one, and has therefore a strong claim of Christian sympathy. The funds gained by the week of self-denial are devoted to the propagation of no doctrine or dogma, but to the rescue of fallen women, to the feeding and housing of the hungry and the shelter of homeless children in Army homes. In this connection the results of the social work of the Army for 1895 will be interest :—

Fallen women taken to Homes, 548; number of these satisfactory, 498; unsatisfactory, only 50.
Meals supplied to poor men, 169,427.
Beds supplied to poor men, 75,515.
Poor men found employment, 4,650.
Numbers of homeless children have been sheltered in Army Homes.
The army also at this present time are sheltering many of the exiled Armenians.

DIPLOMAS RECEIVED.

For Exhibits Sent from Peterborough to the World's Fair in 1893.

The Public Library has received from the Education Department of Ontario a number of diplomas. These have been awarded to the parties mentioned below for the exhibits contributed to the Educational Court of Ontario at the World's Fair, Chicago, 1893.

There is one each for the Public Library, Miss H. G. Hillard, and Messrs. W. F. Connal, R. C. Cluxton, Jas. H. Metheral, L. C. Adams, Russell Evans, George Atkinson and R. L. Hamilton. The parties entitled to these diplomas may have them by calling at the Library,

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, on Saturday, November 28th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases.

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FIRE BRIGADE BAND SUIT SETTLED.

Claim Paid in Full—Each Party to Pay its Own Costs.

The suit brought in the Division Court by the Fire Brigade Band to recover $100 for services rendered on the occasion of the annual exhibition, was concluded today. The Agricultural Society had paid $80 into court, and the action was really to recover the $20 balance claimed.

After a large number of witnesses had been examined a settlement was arrived at by which the Agricultural Society agrees to pay the claim in full, each party to pay its own costs. Mr. R. M. Dennistoun appeared for the Band and Mr. W.H. Moore for the Society.

LAST OF THE SEASON.

A Wheeling Trip to Lakefield and a Venison Supper.

A number of wheelmen took advantage of what will probably be the last opportunity this year for a spin, and rode out to Lakefield yesterday afternoon.

The air was bracing, though not cold, and better weather for wheeling could not be desired. The roads were rutty in places, but the run was easily made in thirty-five minutes. Arrived in Lakefield the party participated in a venison supper at Mr. Bob. Munro's and came home by moonlight, when every rut in the road could be as clearly seen as in the day time. Several other parties rode out during the evening and were treated to something in the way of a novelty at Mr. John Craig's, where Mr. Will Sanderson kindly consented to give an exhibition of his kicking powers. Will is over 40 years of age but is as straight as a rush and stands 6 feet 2½ inches in his stockings. Without in any way exerting himself he can easily kick the top of the highest doorway in the Craig House, either frontwards or backwards.

THE INSTITUTE LITERARY SOCIETY.

An Important Decision—Women Have no Right to Vote in Dominion Elections—A Good Programme Presented.

The fifth regular meeting of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute Literary Society was held Nov. 20th, with the vice-president, Mr. J. W. Kelly, in the chair.

After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, Mr. S. Smithson and Mr. J. Fessenden were elected assistant editors for the ensuing month.

The following programme was then rendered :

Selection..... Glee Club
Instrumental solo..... Miss Kendry
Journal..... Editor
Duet, guitar and mouthorgan..Messrs. Davidson and Sisson
Debate—Resolved "That women have a right to vote in the Dominion elections."

The affirmative was sustained by Miss Weir and Miss Yenny; the negative by Mr. Smithson and Mr. F. Beer. The judges Miss English, Mr. Grey and Mr. Turner decided in favour of the negative.

During the absence of the judges the critic's report was given by Miss Judge.

Another selection was then given by the Glee Club, after which the meeting closed with the National Anthem.

THE THANKSGIVING MARKET.

An Enormous Number of Turkeys Brought in To-day.

The market to-day was not as large as that of last Saturday, which fact is doubtless to be accounted for through the fear of the farmers that, although it would be easy enough getting in to Peterborough, return journey would not be accomplished with the same facility. That there was strong grounds for the suspicions is shown by the heavy fall of snow.

An unprecedented number of turkeys were brought in, but the price of the smaller ones only went down to fifty cents and the owners of the larger birds held off for $1. The proximity of Thanksgiving probably led to the marketing of such a quantity of fowl. Chickens brought 30 and 40c, geese from 50 to 65c, and ducks averaged between 60 and 75c per pair. Eggs were rather scarce at 15 and 17c, but there was plenty of butter at from 18 to 20 cents.

PERSONAL

Rev. J. J. Rae lectured in Grafton last night.

Mr. John Lang, M. P., was in town today.

Miss Laura Haselip, of Monaghan, has been the guest this week of Mrs. Hamill.

Sir MacKenzie Bowell is talked of in the Belleville press as that city's mayor for 1897.

Mr. Anson Cartwright, of Belleville, is renewing old acquaintances in Peterborough.

Mr. Thomas Telford, who has been seriously ill, is, it is a pleasure to say, on the way to recovery.

Mrs. Frank Foster, of Toronto, is spending a few days in town with her nephew, Mr. Ed. Brown.

Rev. W. R. Young is on a missionary tour in the north country, and will not return home until Tuesday.

Mrs. B. A. Jackson has closed her residence for the winter, and with her sister left to-day for Clay Centre, Kansas, where she will remain until spring.

Rev. E. Roberts, ex-president of the Bay of Quinte Conference, and pastor of the Belleville Tabernacle Methodist church, accepted a call to Brighton.

The Port Hope Guide says: Mr. George Edwards, of Denver, Col., was in town today. He is the editor of one of Denver's newspapers. He went north to Peterborough.

Mr. E. Skitch, Campbellford, District Councillor Royal Templars, is in town today arranging for an address and entertainment in connection with the society on Thanksgiving day.

Dr. W. George Beers, of Montreal, editor of the Dental Journal, and one of the most prominent dentists in Canada, was in town to-day calling up the local members of the profession,

The following paragraph has been taken from the Colton Chronicle California. The Mr. Rose referred to is a member of the firm of Wilcox & Rose, hardware merchants of that city, and a brother of Dr. Rose, of Peterborough :—"Edward H. Rose, the enterprising hardware man, has returned from Honolulu. When Edward temporarily deprived the town of the privilege of enjoying the manifold charms of his presence, we did not expect him to resume himself in these parts before Christmas. But he snuffed the Thanksgiving turkey from afar across the rolling seas and returned this week and those who have been pining under his banishment need pine no more. A significant coincidence of his visit to the Island was the pardon of the Queen Lilliokilani and her restoration to citizenship. If this was due to Ed's diplomacy his visit will mark an era in that Island and will no doubt prove a strong bond of affection between Colton and the sea-girt Isle. We are glad to welcome him back in fine health."

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ARRESTED FOR HORSE STEALING.

Alva and Charles Hawley Appropriated a Horse to Enable them to Reach Home.

Special to the Examiner.

Rochester, Nov. 21st.—Alva and Charles Hawley, the young men who stole a horse and wagon last Tuesday morning and drove to Canada for the purpose of getting to their father in Peterborough, were arrested at St. Catharines. They appear to be very repentant. They say they knew no other way to reach their father as they had no money. They drove to Suspension Bridge and the officer permitted them to cross over the bridge without paying any tolls. The boys had been working for Abraham Puffer, of Parma. Their mother lives in this city, and they will be taken before Justice Breese, of Spencerport. Deputy Sheriff O. E. Nichols, who went after them, induced them to return to this country without resorting to legal proceedings. They were both brought back to this city yesterday afternoon and lodged in the county gaol for examination Monday. The lads were known among their associates as Edward and Frederick. Their right names, as given above. Alva is 19 years old, and Charles 17.

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Catholic Piety 25c, for..... 19
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Ladies' Purses, silver mounted, worth 35c, for..... 22
Ladies' German Purse, 3 pockets, 50c, for..... 35
Ladies' Purses, solid leather mounted..... 45
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Elder Down Cushions..... 50c
Ladies' All Wool Vests, special..... 50c
Men's Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers..... 50c
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ANNA EVA FAY'S CABINET TRICKS.

A FEW OF THE MANIFESTATIONS EXPLAINED.

It is Just as Easy as Rolling off a Log When You Know How the Trick is Done, He Says.

Mr. R. M. Roy, is the white-headed Mahatama of the non-occult. He takes special delight in causing trouble to all the spirits of the past and present who preside over the mysterious "manifestations" of cabinet seances, and throw banjos and tambourines into the air, much to the mystification of a befuddled public. "Bob" used to be a medium himself, but he has seen the error of his ways and now he is telling the people how they are deceived.

"You can be a somnomatic mind reader yourself," said Mr. Roy the other day, "if you only know the way to do the the trick. It is just as easy as rolling off a log when you know how the thing is done. If you have ever seen a medium do this trick at a public performance you will remember that the assistants first distribute among the audience what they call slips of paper. These slips are in reality pads of strawboard or cardboard. The face is a small sheet of clean paper. Beneath this paper is a sheet of carbon paper slightly smaller than the top sheet, and below the carbon is another piece of paper.

"They are not difficult to make. All the materials necessary is strawboard, carbon sheets, strawpaper and ordinary writing paper. In manufacturing the pads the strawboard is cut the desired size. A sheet of ordinary paper cut slightly smaller than the pad is laid on it and over this paper is placed a sheet of carbon. Now comes the only difficult part of the work. The carbon must be concealed and the pad made to look like a solid piece of strawboard. For this purpose the strawpaper of exactly the same shade as the board is employed. It is cut the same size and carefully pasted around the edge, so as not to leave the slightest wrinkle to betray the trick.

"In a large audience several hundred of these pads are used every night. Both sides are loaded with the carbon paper, so that two or more questions can be obtained on each pad. The most difficult part in somnomancy is played by the assistants who obtain the questions from the audience. They are provided with a number of loaded or "fake" pads, and also with a few "straight" ones which are pieces of cardboard not prepared with the carbon. These are for suspicious people who may wish to investigate by cutting or tearing the pad. It is for this class of skeptics the assistants are constantly watching.

"The assistants who travel with a performing medium are all adepts in legerdemain. Their dress coats are provided with capacious pockets in which the written pads are deftly slipped as soon as they have been collected. From the pockets at the same time are taken other pads, so that, to the eye of the audience, it appears that the assistant always has in his hands the pads collected from the audience. The mind-reading trick is usually the last upon the programme. When Miss Fay appeared here her somnolence act was preceded by an entertainment given by a mimic and impersonator. It was explained that this gentleman was introduced to entertain the audience and give the medium an opportunity to rest herself in preparation for the severe test to which she was about to be subjected. That is a good scheme, for the assistant performer generally puts the audience into good humor.

"While he is on the stage the audience for the moment loses track of the writing pads. A bunch of those, presumably those written by the audience, is very carelessly thrown down in front of the stage by the chief assistant, who the withdraws, as he says, to see that the medium is resting.

"As soon as the assistant gets behind the scenes, he slices off the tops of the pads with a knife, takes off the carbon sheets and exposes the copies of the questions on the sheets beneath. He then copies the questions for the medium on small cards, putting the name of the questioner first. The cards are numbered consecutively. An answer is prepared for each question and written on the card. In a town like this a local man is usually provided by the theatre management to give points on local questions.

"The cards being prepared, the medium conceals them on her person, and the assistant returns to the audience with the top sheets of the pads. He picks up the bunch of pads he had left in fron of the audience and then it is an easy matter to do the rest.

"Sometimes the medium is covered with a sheet, or better, a flag, as well as being blindfolded. She has her cards in her hand, and the light from the footlights is usually strong enough to enable her to read them. She calls out, 'I see, or I hear, the name of Smith—John Smith.' 'What does Mr. Smith want?' the assistant asks.

"He asks something about a business enterprise, says the medium. 'Shall I be successful. I think it is, in the new summer-enterprise? Yes, Mr. Smith, you will be.'

"The assistant triumphantly holds up a pad covered with Smith's original writing, and, after reading it, asks Smith if that was his question. The nonplussed Smith arises, bows his acknowledgments and a murmur of wonder runs through the audience. The rest of the questions are drawn out by the spirits in the same way.

"Sometimes the medium is not covered, and she holds her head high in the air, as if looking far out into the spiritland. Her head rests upon the back of her chair. Close to her ear is a small opening. This is the end of a tube which runs through the chair, down a rear leg into a room beneath the stage, where an assistant whispers to the medium the questions and answers.' When the trick is done this way the stage is usually darkened.

"All the people engaged in these affairs are of course very accurate and skilful. A single blunder would upset the whole thing and the spirits would not then be in good mood.

"The manifestations that seem the most wonderful are frequently the simplest. When Miss Fay was here a committee from the audience tied her feet together, tied her hands behind her back and fastened them to a staple hammered into an upright board. They also tied a cloth around her neck, this cloth also being fastened to a staple. Then the cabinet was closed and the ringing of bells and the thrumming of banjos commenced immediately. When the curtain was whisked back there was the medium, fastened just as she had at first. How could she have wrung the bell or touched the banjos? The spirits must have moved them. Of course.

"Now, let me tell you something. If you are ever one of a committee at the performance of a medium who undertakes that trick, either insist on hammering a staple of your own into the board or else tie the bandages that hold her hand and head around the board itself. The staple is the little joker.

"It seems to be a common eye-bolt and ring, such as one may buy anywhere for 5 cents. It passes inspection among the audience and committee, and seems as solid as a chunk of steel. These simple eye bolts are ingenious mechanical devices made by Themplemann, of Chicago. They cost $10 each. The ring which hangs from the eye-bolt is usually bound tightly with cloth. The bandages around the wrists and neck of the medium are fastened not to the eye-bolt itself, but to this ring. At a point near the juncture of the screw and the eye-bolt there is an invisible spring back which, when pressed at a certain angle, opens the eye-bolt and releases the ring to which the medium is tied.

"When the cabinet is closed the medium switches the ring around the eye-bolt until the proper spot is reached, presses the spring and—presto, she is freed from the post. Any slight-of-hand performer can release her hand from a wrist bandage, and the playing of the spirit-worked banjos is thus made easy. With the neck free from the post, the medium may bend down to the table in the cabinet and seize a harmonica between her teeth. The cloth around the ring deadens any sound that may be made by the spring, in the eye-bolt. The ring is so fastened that when released it does not fall down. It remains rigid. Thus it is easy for the performer to throw her head back to the post and snap the ring into place again. It is a pretty trick, and needs an adept for its successful performance.

"The writing from the box is done in the same way. The medium is tied to the staple in the post, releases one hand or both from the wrist bandages and knocks off instruments placed in front of her. You must not suppose that these things can be done in a day or by any one. It requires years of practice for one to become expert in sleight-of-hand. Ask Hermann. He knows.

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NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Additional local news on eighth page.

—The steamer Mary Ellen made a trip to Julian's Landing to-day.

—Farmers say they have seldom seen the swamps so full at this season.

—A clergyman in Whitby, an exchange says, is agent for a life insurance company.

—A social in aid of the poor will be held in the Catholic Association rooms on Thanksgiving eve.

—A crepe veil was found on the market this morning. The owner may have the same by applying to the Chief of Police.

—Several flocks of wild geese have been seen flying southward this week. This is much earlier than usual and indicates the sudden approach of winter.

—Yesterday morning H. Calcutt purchased five hundred bushels of barley from a local dealer. It took ten span of horses and wagons to convey it to the brewery.

—If you want to economize burn the People's Coal Coy's coal. All kinds of coal in stock, including best hard coal for stoves and furnaces, soft coal for grates, and smithing coal. Office—220 Charlotte street. Telephone 368.

—Chicken thieves have been again getting in their fine work, and several parties whose birds have been stolen are cleaning up and loading their shot guns, with the intention of marking some of the thieves.

—Commencing Monday night, Nov. 23rd, the Myra Collins Dramatic Company open a week's engagement at Bradburn's Opera House. Dan. Simons, the clever dancing comedian, is with this company, and he is looking forward to a grand reception in Peterborough. This company is one of the best repetoire attractions on the road, the plays being all new and well staged. Prices for this engagement are 10 and 15c. Seats reserved at Ormond & Walsh's drug store for 15c.

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TERMS OF SETTLEMENT OF THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

THE RESULTS OF A CONCILIATORY POLICY.

National Character of Schools Preserved — Facilities for Religious Teaching — Employment of Roman Catholic Teachers.

The following is the text of the official statement, given out by Mr. Laurier, of the terms of settlement of the Manitoba school question as agreed upon by the Governments of the Province of Manitoba and the Dominion of Canada:

1. Legislation shall be introduced and passed at the next regular session of the legislature of Manitoba embodying the provisions hereinafter set forth in amendment to the Public Schools Act for the purpose of settling the educational questions that have been in dispute in that province.

2. Religious teaching to be conducted as hereinafter provided (1) if authorized by a resolution passed by a majority of the school trustees, or, (2) if a petition be presented to the Board of School Trustees asking for religious teaching and signed by the parents or guardians of at least ten children attending the school in the case of a rural district; or by the parents or guardians of at least twenty-five children attending a school in a city, town or village.

3. Such religious teaching to take place between the hours of 3.30 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon and to be conducted by any Christian clergyman whose charge includes any portion of the school district, or by a person duly authorized by such clergyman or by a teacher when so authorized.

4. Where so specified in such resolution of the trustees, or where so required by the petition of the parents or guardians, religious teaching during the prescribed period may take place only on certain specified days of the week instead of on every teaching day.

5. In any school in towns and cities where the average attendance of Roman Catholic children is forty or upwards, and in villages or in rural districts where the average attendance of such children is twenty-five or upwards, the trustees shall, if required by the petition of the parents or guardians of such number of Roman Catholic children respectively, employ at least one duly certificated Roman Catholic teacher in such school.

In any school in towns and cities where the average attendance of non-Roman Catholic children is forty or upwards, and in villages and rural districts where the average attendance of such children is twenty-five or upwards, the trustees shall, if required by the petition of parents or guardians of such children, employ at least one duly certificated non-Roman Catholic teacher.

6. Whereas religious teaching is required to be carried on in any school in pursuance of the foregoing provisions, and there are Roman Catholic children and non-Roman Catholic children attending such school, and the school room accommodation does not permit of the pupils being placed in separate rooms for the purpose of religious teaching, provision shall be made by regulations of the Department of Education (which regulations the Board of School Trustees shall observe) whereby the same allotter for religious teaching shall be divided in such a way that religious teaching of the Roman Catholic children shall be carried on during the prescribed period on one half of the teaching days in each month, and the religious teaching of the non-Roman Catholic children may be carried on during the prescribed period on one-half of the teaching days in each month.

7. The Department of Education shall have the power to make regulations not inconsistant with the principles of this act for the carrying into effect the provisions of this act.

8. No separation of the pupils by religious denomination shall take place during the secular school work.

9. Where the school room accommodation at the disposal of the trustees permits, instead of allotting different days of the week to the different denominations for the purpose of religious teaching, the pupils may be separated when the hour for religious teaching arrives, and placed in separate rooms.

10. Where ten of the pupils in any such school speak the French language (or any laguage other than English), as their native language, the teaching of such pupils shall be conducted in French (or such other language) and English upon the bi-lingual system.

11. No pupils to be permitted to be present at any religious teaching unless the parents or guardians of such pupils desire it. In case the parents or guardians do not desire the attendance of the pupils at such religious teaching then the pupils shall be dismissed before the exercises or shall remain in another room.

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The meeting at 4.15 to-morrow afternoon will be addressed by the Rev. S. H. Grigg, of McMaster University, Toronto. Good singing will be led by Mr. G. W. Mulligan. All are cordially invited to come.

CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be two masses celebrated, the first at 8 a.m., the second at 10.30 a. m., and Vespers at 7 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate. 25th Sunday after Trinity. 8.30, Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon; 2.45 p.m., Sunday School; 7 p.m., Evening Service and Sermon. Ushers on duty—Messrs. Macfarlane Wilson, J. E. Johnston, J. H. Hudson, Jos. Mitchell.

ST. JOHN'S MISSION CHAPEL.—Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. 25th Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion at 8.30 a.m., Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 a.m.; Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Nov. 22. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. will be conducted by the pastor. Sabbath School and Bible class 3 p.m. Y. P. S. C. E. Monday at 8 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Junior C. E. on Friday afternoon at 4.15. Seats free. All cordially invited.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance D.D., pastor, Sunday, Nov. 22nd. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m., by Rev. E. F. Torrance, D.D. Sunday School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Y.P.S. C.E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W.R. Young, B. A., pastor. Sunday, Nov. 22nd. Services at 11 a. m., and 7 p.m., conducted by Rev. John S. Clark, of Whitby, ex-president of the Conference. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats. Grace church Sunday School at 2.30 p.m. At the evening service Miss McAllister, of the Dominion church, Ottawa, will sing "The Golden Threshold."

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. J. Rae, pastor Sunday, Nov. 22nd.—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the Rev. J. W. Shore, of Bobcaygeon. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Sunday, Nov. 22nd. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by Rev. S. E. Grigg, Toronto. Sunday school at 3.00 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all are welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. F. Tapscot, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be cordially welcomed. Regular meeting of Young People's Society on Wednesday evening.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST — Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., in the rooms in the Bank of Commerce Block, entrance on Water street, same as Business College. Public meeting every Friday night at 8 o'clock. A welcome extended to all.

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CROOKS BOUND TO GET IT.

A Peculiar Series of Thefts of a Young Man's Money Deposited in a Hotel Safe at Napanee.

Napanee, Ont., Nov. 19.—(Special.)—The authorities have caused the arrest of the one-armed man, Ross, who confessed to the theft of over $300 on Monday night from the safe of the Paisley House, and who repaid the money and was allowed to go. The arrest was made at Millbrook and County Constable Sills is on his way to Millbrook with a warrant for Ross' arrest. Ross lives in Cobourg.

Mr. Douglass, the proprietor of the Paisley House, did not have the money recovered from Ross in his possession long. It seems the crooks were bound to have it. Douglas placed the money in the safe and afterwards it got into the hands of Douglass' bartender, Mike McCarney. The money, $330, belonged to Giles O. B. E. Van Blaricom of Deseronto, whose father died about eight years ago, leaving his children $800 apiece. Giles was the youngest son and came in for his money in April last. He received $700, and it has been flying freely since then, although he has been working in a factory in Deseronto. The $330 represents all that is left of the money received in April. He arrived in town on Sunday and after depositing his money at the Paisley House went out to do the town. He was told on Monday night that Ross had taken his money and he went home to Deseronto on Tuesday. He got word to come for the money, but McCarney put him off when he asked for it, and on Wednesday, too, McCarney told Douglass he had paid Van Blaricom. John O'Neill and Mac Miller, two notorious crooks from Kingston, arrived in town on Wednesday afternoon and about dark, accosting McCarney and Van Blaricom, accused them of stealing $330, and McCarney handed over the money to O'Neill. The crooks then took the other two towards the lock-up, and then told Van Blaricom it was a dirty place, and if he would sign a receipt for the money and promise to appear before a magistrate in the morning they would give him $20 to pay his expenses, and he could stay at a hotel for the night and they would write to his mother. Van Blaricom signed the receipt, got the money and the crooks left him. O'Neill transferred the money to Miller. Shortly afterwards Van Blaricom got over his fright and went with Chief Constable Storms to the Police Magistrate, who saw Douglass and told him to take steps to get the money, as he was responsible. Douglass hurried to the station in a rig, found Miller in the caboose of a freight, and Yardman Richardson held the train. Miller was asked to go down to the Paisley House, but went to McCarney's house, where he was surrounded and then he went to the Paisley House, where he handed Constable Hinff $150, saying he got it from McCarney to give to Douglass. Then he was arrested. McCarney was arrested this morning. Miller had $400 on him when arrested. Both of them have been remanded for eight days. O'Neill is at large. He is said to have a record of previous convictions and Miller has a bad reputation. Van Blaricom is held as a witness.

Ross Wanted at Cobourg.

Port Hope, Nov. 19.—(Special.)—Beverley Ross, the one-armed man mentioned in the Napanee despatch to The World yesterday, and who was arrested in Millbrook, is also wanted in Cobourg for stealing an overcoat. He was on the westbound G.T.R. passenger train at Cobourg at 6.30 p.m. on Wednesday, and quietly walked off with a $35 overcoat, which had been left on the seat by a gentleman who had got off for a lunch. Ross walked up here during the night, but was seen by a brakeman with the coat on his arm. He took the early morning train from here for Millbrook to-day. Ross is well connected.

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Sheffield Master Cutlers at the Festive Board.

SIR DONALD SMITH WITH THEM.

The High Commissioner Speaks of the Development of the Colonies—Death of Mrs. Scott Siddons—Thirty German Miners Killed—Jameson Undergoes an Operation.

Sheffield, Nov. 19.—The annual banquet of the Master Cutlers' Association was held here to-night. Among the speakers was Rt. Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, Government leader in the House of Commons, who spoke on commercial topics, not touching upon party politics.

Sir Donald Smith, Canadian High Commissioner to Great Britain, responded to the toast "The Colonies." He cited statistics showing the development of the colonies, and predicted their forward progress would be greater in a very few years, while at the same time, he said, he hoped their relations with the mother country would grow closer. Sir Donald advocated the establishment of commercial relations as pronounced by the recent Inter-Colonial Conference at Ottawa.

THIRTY MINERS KILLED.

A Disastrous Explosion of Firedamp in a German Colliery.

New York, Nov. 19.—A despatch from Berlin says: A fire damp explosion has occurred in a colliery at Recklinghausen, Westphalia. Twenty-five bodies have been recovered, and forty or fifty men are known to be still entombed.

Later.—All but five of the entombed miners were finally rescued. It is estimated that about 30 were killed.

DEATH OF MRS. SCOTT SIDDONS.

The Famous Elocutionist and Actress, So Well Known in Canada.

Paris, Nov. 19.—Mrs. Scott-Siddons, the celebrated actress, died here to-day.

Mrs. Mary Frances Scott-Siddons was a daughter of Capt. William Siddons, who was a grandson of the actress, Mrs. Sarah Siddons. She married Lieut. Scott, a British naval officer, in 1884, and two years later made her first appearance on the stage in Edinburgh as Juliet. In 1887 she gave readings from Shakespeare in London, and appeared at the Haymarket as Rosalind. In 1888 she gave readings in New York and acted at the Fifth-avenue Theatre. Since that time she has performed in most of the cities of the United States, Canada, Australia and England, appearing mainly in Shakespearean characters, and also as Pauline in "The Lady of Lyons," and as Coralie in "Ordeal by Touch," written for her by Richard Lee.

Mrs Merritt's Funeral.

London, Nov. 19.—The body of Mrs. Alma Merritt, wife of George W. Merritt of New York, who committed suicide in the Hotel Cecil Saturday night while temporarily insane, was taken last night to St. Martin's Church, where funeral services were held, and to-day was cremated at Woking. Mr. Merritt has received a large number of letters of sympathy.

Philippine Insurgents Defeated.

Madrid, Nov. 19.—An official despatch received here from Manila, Philippine Islands, says that the insurgents have been defeated in engagements with the Spanish troops, fought at Santa Cruz and Angrat, the rebels losing 500 men killed and the Government loss being slight.

The Editor Was Whipped.

Paris, Nov. 19.—M. Pierre-Legrand, a member of the Chamber of Deputies, and M. Henri Turet, editor of The Polite Republique Francaise, have fought a duel, in which Turet was wounded in the arm. The combat grew out of politics.

Don't Want Universal Suffrage.

Paris, Nov. 19.—The Senate to-day, by a vote of 212 to 32, rejected a motion of urgency on the proposition adopted in the Chamber of Deputies on Wednesday to substitute universal suffrage for the municipal councils in the election of the delegates who elect Senators.

They are All Fighters Now.

Madrid, Nov. 19.—A despatch to The Imparcial from Havana says the state of the country may be judged by the fact that there are no longer any neutral inhabitants in the districts where military operations are proceeding. Only combatants are to be found.

The Memphis Entirely Lost.

London, Nov. 19.—The British steamer Memphis, which was wrecked Tuesday night in Dunlough Bay, on the south of Ireland, has entirely disappeared. The coast is strewn with wreckage, which is being stolen and carried away by the wholesale.

Russian Wheat Yield.

Moscow, Nov. 19.—According to the official report, the yield of the principal cereals in fifty Governments of European Russia and the Caucasus in 1896 is 16,250,000 quarters below the average of the last thirteen years.

Jameson Under the Surgeon's Knife.

London, Nov. 19.—Dr. Jameson, the leader of the Transvaal raid, who is now confined in Holloway Prison, underwent a surgical operation to-day for the relief of a painful malady, from which he has long been a sufferer.

When they put a man in jail, he cannot follow his natural inclinations. He cannot eat what he wants to—he is limited to a very frugal diet. Is it not equally true of a dyspeptic? For all of the real enjoyment he gets out of life, he might as well be in jail. He cannot eat what he likes, nor enough. He suffers much, gets little sympathy. At first, perhaps a little heaviness in the stomach, a little sourness, windy belchings and heartburn; headaches and biliousness and a foul taste in the mouth in the morning. Chronic constipation is almost inevitable, and means that the body is holding poisonous, impure matter that should be gotten rid of. The poison is being reabsorbed into the blood and the whole body. Impurity in the blood may lead to almost any disease. Constipation is the start of it all. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, cure it so it stays cured. No other remedy in the world will do that.

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HYPNOTIZED A PRINCESS.

Artist With Whom Don Carlos' Daughter Eloped is an Ugly Cripple With a Demoniacal Influence Over Her.

Berlin, Nov. 19.—The Berlin police were informed that Don Carlos' daughter, Elvira, who eloped with the penniless artist, Filippo Folchi, from Rome, was hiding in Berlin, but the clue was false. The lovers are probably still in Southern France.

Elvira is not pretty, but has a beautiful figure. Her young stepmother's cruelty and haughtiness drove the Princess from home.

Folchi is an ugly cripple. He exercises a demon-like influence over the Princess.

JAMES LEITCH, Q.C.,

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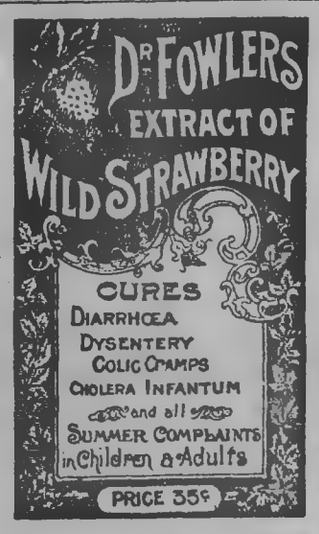

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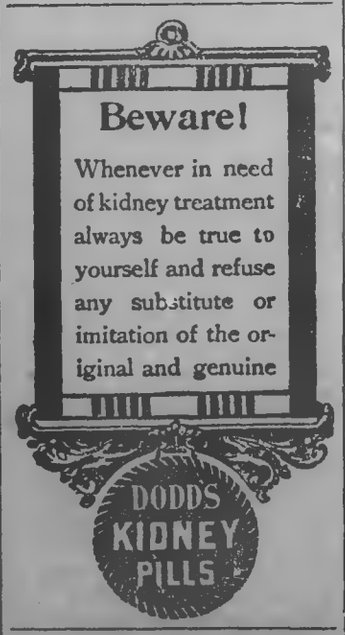
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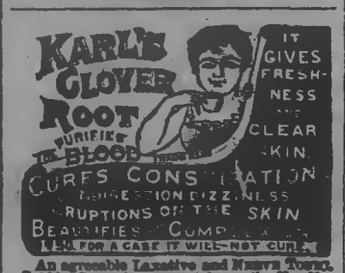

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Has Thanksgiving Observance Degenerated, After All?

It seems to be generally held that the "first Thanksgiving" came after the first bountiful harvest by the pilgrims and was chiefly a religious feast, and this is true enough, but this "first Thanksgiving" was not the only one. It took place in 1623, and while all who took part were seemly and devout in their demeanor there was probably no lack of hilarity and honest, hearty laughter. In this it was probably more like the modern city Thanksgiving observance than some rural Thanksgiving doings of the middle of this century and later. In another matter it resembled the modern day—it was marked by what must have been very like athletic sports, for the account of the day by Mr. Winslow, one of the pilgrim fathers, says:

"Among other recreations we exercised our arms, many of the Indians coming among us, and with the rest their greatest king, Massasoit, with some 90 men, whom for three days we entertained and feasted."

Now for the other first Thanksgiving. It was held in 1798 in New York city and was the first observance of the holiday by the national authorities. In the course of the day a dinner was eaten at Fraunce's tavern, at which a number of patriots got shamefully drunk and had a free fight, in which an officer's nose was broken. After that they had so disgraceful a quarrel about a turkey that Hamilton swore, and when Washington heard about it he swore twice.

If this be true, and it seems so to be, then our forefathers were quite as human as the rest of us.

Before Starting.

Mrs. Coopah—Whah' fo' yoh take dat gun, Mr. Coopah? Yoh doan' want no gun to get a Thanksgiving turkey?

Mr. Coopah—Yes, indeed I does, honey. It doan' look so suspishualike w'en I bring um home as I go by Rev. Enos Jones' house.

One Man's Memories.

It's all right to say that the old time Thanksgiving dinners were the best ever eaten and that the features of the day's celebration when we were boys incomparably better than the football and other games that are chief features now. But if you were a country boy 30 or 40 years ago you might remember some peculiarities of the day as then observed that might have been pleasanter. For instance, the sermons which I used to have to attend were tremendously long drawn out and exceedingly dreary efforts, and I used to sit in agony through the hour and sometimes hour and a half consumed in their delivery. Then the dinner. It was a big one at my father's house, and it took days and days to get ready for it. But during all this time of preparation my life was a burden. All the women folks were rushed with work and therefore cross and "touchy," and when I was not kept busy helping them I was being shooed out of the way, so that I should not interfere with the progress of affairs. So many persons were asked to the dinner that we children had to wait invariably, and there were always six or seven of us.

Now, my father was the chief deacon of his church, and the minister's boy was always one of the children who "waited." He was such a mean little chap that we never got on well together while our elders ate, and I generally had to box his ears. Once I "licked him good," and then my father, the deacon, licked me better—so well that I couldn't sit down to eat the cold dinner when it came time. Moreover, I was always so hungry when at last it came time to eat that I gorged myself terribly with the cold food, and my dreams those nights would be awful. I remember that one year, having great faith in the efficacy of prayer, I prayed that next year everybody might forget all about Thanksgiving. When the day was remembered and observed as usual next year, my faith received a great shock, which lasted till I remembered that faith to be effectual must be held by the righteous, and this I knew I was not.

Turkey Always In Evidence.

Gradually the observance of the holiday has spread, until now the day is kept from Maine to California. It has not detracted from the due keeping of Christmas day in the south nor has it interfered with the observance of New Year's day in New York. It has become to the American what Christmas day is to the Englishman and something more. Widely scattered members of families endeavor to be present in order to eat their Thanksgiving dinner under the old rooftree. The turkey, which Franklin wished to make the national emblem in place of the eagle, is always in evidence on Thanksgiving day.

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Doctor—There, my good man, is something to give you an appetite for your Thanksgiving dinner.

Patient—Yes, but doctor, can't you give me a dinner to go with the appetite?

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Think of God's mercy to our homes. Are our families unbroken? Are we glad in the love of dear ones left to us? Let us give thanks to the God of households.

Think of God's mercy to our land. Have we been spared the pangs of war, famine and pestilence? Have our fields given rich harvests? Let us give thanks to the God of nations.—Independent.

Thanksgiving In 1771.

In 1771, long before which time Thanksgiving had become an annual custom in New England, the customary Thanksgiving proclamation of Governor Hutchinson met with a very cold reception. The spirit of independence was abroad, and patriotic Americans could find little to be thankful for under the British yoke. Most of the Boston ministers absolutely refused to read the proclamation to their congregations, and several in the country also declined.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Inappropriate Dishes.

Mince pie and plum pudding, wrapped in blue flames, find places on some tables. Really they do not belong there. By right they should be relegated to Christmas, with the fruit cake just a year old, for if there is a New England dish it is the golden pumpkin pie.—Exchange.

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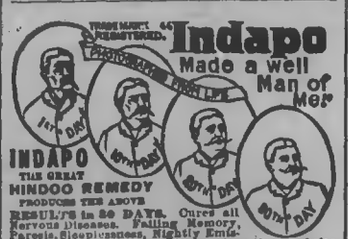

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VI.

Some foolish people oft will say,
You can't take a spin on a wintery day,
Why, what's the odds if you are wrapped,
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VII.

Then if the lucky number you get,
You really shall not regret,
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And because the WHEEL'S the very best.

FORTNIGHTLY CLUB COLUMN.

No. LXXVIIII.

Mr. John Morley on Popular Culture.

Having delivered himself of those opinions of the study of history, which formed the principal subject matter of last week's column, Mr. Morley proceeds to expatiate on the value of training the mind to the formation of sound opinions and judgments. We are called upon every day to form judgments in moral, political and practical affairs, but there are thousands of people who think that the formation of just opinions is not merely one of the easiest things in the world, but that it requires no training at all, but is a kind of natural endowment of humanity. This is more particularly true of religious judgments and opinions than which none are more difficult to form. To one who has ever remarked the extraordinary self-confidence of people in matters theological, it is by no means surprising that there are 340 religious denominations. "It sometimes seems, says Mr. Morley, "as if Swift was right when he said that mankind were just as fit for flying as for thinking."

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Knowledge is worth but little until we have so made it our own that we can reproduce it in precise and definite form. I dare say many of us once or twice in our life time have met with men with a great knowledge of fact on a variety of subjects, who yet appear to be unable to turn their knowledge to account. The truth is facts are only the raw material of knowledge. They must be worked up in the factory of our own brains before we can turn them out as knowledge. "Nobody can be sure that he has got clear ideas on a subject unless he has tried to put them down on a piece of paper in independent words of his own." As examples of the pains those who are really desirous of mastering a subject, are prepared to take, Mr. Morley instances Gibbon and Daniel Webster, who after glancing over the title, subject or design of a book would take a pen and write roughly what questions they expected to find answered in it, what difficulties solved, what kind of information imparted." Another piece of advice, which probably few would have the perseverance to adopt, is, when you have read a good book, to sit down and write a short extract of what you can remember of it. We understand there is a branch of the National Home Reading Union in Peterborough, and we earnestly recommend those members whose eye these words may happen to meet, to make a careful analysis of at least one of the books they are called upon to read.

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We said last week that Mr. Morley was distinguished for moral earnestness. In the following extract he touches a higher level than moral and glows with spiritual earnestness. "You may have often heard from others, or may have found out how good it is to have on your shelves, however scantily furnished they may be, three or four of those books to which it is well to give ten minutes every morning, before going down into the battle and choking dust of the day. Men will name these books for themselves. One will choose the Bible, another Goethe, one the Imitation of Christ, another Wordsworth. Perhaps, it matters little what it be so long as your writer has cheerful seriousness, elevation, calm and, above all, a sense of size and strength, which shall open out the day before you and bestow gifts of fortitude and mastery."

Mr. Morley utters two words of warning to readers. First, never to be content with mere aggressive and negatory criticism of the page before them. The page may be open to adverse criticism, but the reader will often find an unexpected profit by asking himself:—"What does this error teach me? How comes that fallacy to be here? How came the writer to fall into this defect of taste? To ask such questions gives a reader a far healthier tone of mind in the long run, more seriousness, more depth, more moderation of judgment, more insight into other men's ways of thinking as well as into his own, then any amount of impatient condemnation and hasty denial, even when both condemnation and denial may be in their place."

The second warning is not to be too ready to detect an inconsistency in an author. What appears to be a contradiction may be another side of the truth. Few great thinkers or speakers have escaped the charge of inconsistency. Language is but an imperfect medium of thought, and truth is very often concealed under a paradox. St. Paul tells us we are saved by faith, he also tells us we are saved by hope, and yet again he asserts that charity is greater than either of them.

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Mr. Morley's conclusion of his address we must give in his own language. Addressing himself to the average man he says: "We cannot, like Beethoven and Handel, lift the soul by the magic of divine melody into the seventh heaven of ineffable vision and hope incommensurable; we cannot, like Newton, weigh the far off stars in a balance, and measure the heavings of the eternal flood; we cannot, like Voltaire, scorch up what is cruel and false by a word as a flame, nor, like Milton or Burke, awaken men's hearts with the note of an organ trumpet; we cannot, like the great saints of the churches and the great sages of the schools, add to those acquisitions of spiritual beauty and intellectual mastery which have, one by one, and little by little raised man from being no higher than the brute to be only a little lower than the angels. But what we can do—the humblest of us in this great hall—is by diligently using our own minds and diligently seeking to extend our own opportunities to others, to help swell the common tide, on the force and the set of whose currents depends the prosperous voyaging of humanity. When our names are blotted out, and our places know us no more, the energy of each social service will remain, and so too, let us not forget, will each social disservice remain, like the unending stream of one of nature's forces. The thought that this is so may well lighten the poor perplexities of our daily life, and even soothe the pangs of its calamities; it lifts us from our feet as on wings, opening a larger meaning to our private toil and a higher purpose to our public endeavour; it makes the morning as we awake to it welcome, and the evening like a soft garment as it wraps us about; it nerves our arm with boldness against oppression and injustice, and strengthens our voice with deeper accents against falsehood, while we are yet in the full noon of our days—yes, and perhaps it will shed some ray of consolation, when our eyes are growing dim to it all, and we go down into the Valley of the Dark Shadow."

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The Hart Emery Co., of Hamilton, have asked the Bureau of Mines, through the Crown Lands Department, to supply them with a sample of the corundum recently discovered in Carlow township, Hastings county. They propose to test it and compare it with the corundum found in North Carolina. Hon. Mr. Gibson, Commissioner of Crown Lands, has instructed Mr. W. W. Roach, manager of the Government diamond drill, to procure some hundreds of pounds of the mineral, part of which will be sent to the Hart Emery Company, while the balance will be retained by the Bureau of Mines for distribution among such others as may desire samples. Corundum is the raw material, so to speak, from which emery wheels, emery powder, paper and cloth are prepared.

Catarrh of Long Standing
Relieved in a Few Hours.

It is not alone the people of our own country, and prominent citizens like Urban Lippe, M.P., of Joliette, Que., and other members of Parliament, who, having used Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, pronounce it the most effective remedy they have ever known, but people everywhere are expressing their gratification at the effectiveness of this medicine. C. G. Archer, of Brewer, Maine, says: "I have had catarrh for several years. Water would run from my eyes and nose days at a time. About four months ago I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, and since using the wonderful remedy I have not had an attack. I would not be without it." It relieves in ten minutes. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

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379 GEORGE STREET.

THE MANAGEMENT OF TOWN STREETS.

Peterborough Not the Only Place Improvement is Called For—The Slipshod Principle Apparently Prevails in Corporations Generally.

The Woodstock Sentinel-Review, under the heading of an "Object Lesson," prints the following, much of which can be taken home by Peterborough with good results:

"Mr. McNichol, chairman of the Board of Works, is providing the town with a striking little object lesson. He is following up Mr. Campbell's address on the street improvement by showing at once how our streets should and should not be made. This may seem paradoxical; but it is strictly accurate. Mr. McNichol is gradidg and draining the short piece of street between the court house and the central school. He has made the street the proper width, which leaves a wide boulevard on each side between the old lines of sidewalk and the gutters. He has improved the grade by cutting it down. And, most important of all, he has put a tile drain under each side of the ditches.

If Mr. McNichol were to go a step further, he would show completely the sort of street which Woodstock should have. If he were to excavate the street and macadamize it next spring, his present object lesson would be complete. As it is, he is just showing townspeople what a good country road should be. Its width, its crown, and the method of drainage ought to be just what is illustrated in this case. Then there should be a good coating of gravel or broken stone, thoroughly rolled into a crown that will carry traffic and shed water. If all the streets of Woodstock were made on this principle, we would be doing very well. But still we would only have good country roads in town, and country roads are not the best for a town.

But we will never get even good country roads in this town, simply because we have no one to superintend their construction and maintenance. We will continue to have a succession of town councils that know little or nothing about road-making, and much of the money expended on the streets will always be thrown away. There are only two ways in which we can get good streets; first, by passing a general bylaw, as was suggested in these columns the other day, and thus putting all permanent street making on the frontage tax plan; or, second, the town council, on petition from ratepayers on one or more of the leading streets should take the initiative and begin laying macadam next spring. If one street were macadamized as an object lesson, in a few years there would be a score of them; and we should soon hear the last of bad streets, and the wasting of public money on them.

We advise ratepayers to take a look at Mr. McNichol's object lesson (provided for us at the wrong season of the year, of course) and then just think out for themselves what might be done all over town, if we had a proper system under competent direction.

WOMAN, WHY?

You Have Sallow Skin, Pimples, Eruptions, Discolourations.

Why resort to Cosmetics and Powders to hide the effects?

Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills regulate the system and restore to the cheek the healthful rosy bloom and peach blush of youth. 10c. a vial.

Disorders like these arise from sluggish liver. From one to two pills a dose, will clarify and purify the complexion in short order. Dr. Agnew's Pills at all druggists. See that you get what you ask for. 10c for 40 doses. Sold by H. S. McDonald.

MR. G.R. BLOUNT, Methodist minister, Dresden, Ont., says: "After a prolonged attack of La Grippe, I was very nervous and weak, and troubled with severe pains. I took one box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills and am perfectly well now." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

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Constipation Cured.

Gents,—I was in very poor health for over four years; the doctor said it was constipation. Not wanting to spend too much cash I got three bottles of B.B.B. and took it regularly, I can certify that I am now in the very best of health and feel very grateful to B.B.B.

ALFRED TEROUX, Montreal, Que.

KEENE.

An Organized Movement for Intellectual Betterment.

A branch of the National Home Reading Union has been formed in Keene, the Rev. W. L. Baynes Reed being chosen leader.

This is an English institution, but has Canadian headquarters in Montreal. Its objects are to unite readers of all ages on a common basis for purposes of mutual improvement by following a course of systematic study of good literature.

There is a prescribed course of study with a very wide option, and the members meet periodically to discuss the portion read, ask questions and read essays on the subject.

If the full number of books sent in are all read, certificates are issued at the end year. The society has been in existence for several years and is eminently useful and practical in its results.

IN THE DARK VALLEY.

"Dodd's Kidney Pills have Saved My Life"—This is said by Thousands—Prevention the Safest.

"In the valley and shadow of death"—"Given up to die." There are many thousands of such living in Canada to-day who say, "Dodd's Kidney Pills have saved my life."

No matter to what stage the disease may have come, do not despair. The triumphs of Dodd's Kidney Pills have been won in exactly such fights for life.

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HALF-PRICE SALE ON SATURDAY.

Now and then prices get ridiculously low. A well-known maker of Overcoats and Ulsters offered his entire sample line of Frieze Coats at a big reduction and we bought them. Saturday 500 of these go on sale at these prices:

Overcoats and Ulsters that were $7 for $5.50.

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Tell us, honestly, if you want, a good Overcoat or Ulster, any lower than these prices!

Saturday we will be in splendid shape to meet our customers with good heavy Tweed and Frieze Pants for 98c a pair. One sale with us means many! You'll come back again to the Always Busy Clothiers.

The cold days are coming and if you want to prepare for it with good Winter Underwear, we want to show you the All Wool Shirts and Drawers, which we will sell you on Saturday for just One-half price.

We know you will be satisfied with the material in these Coats, Pants and Underwear, for we tested it severely, and we wouldn't sell it if it wasn't right. It isn't necessary to tell you who's doing the business.

GOUGH BROS,
The Wonderful Cheap Men.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1887, Chap. 110, Sec. 38, the creditors of Harry Robinson, late of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Barber, who died on or about the 26th day of Oct. A. D., 1896, are on or before the 12th day of Dec. 1896, to send by post, prepaid, to J. R. Stratton, one of the Executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, Mary Robinson, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, statements of their account and the nature of the security (if any) held by them; and that on and after the said 12th day of December the assets of the said deceased will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof to any person whose claims shall not have been received by them at the time of the distribution of the said assets or any part thereof as the case may be.

J. R. STRATTON,
MARY ROBINSON.
Executors for Harry Robinson Estate.
Peterborough, Nov. 6th, 1896. 5dz

The First of these Monthly Competitions will commence January 1st, 1897, and will be continued each month during 1897.

$1,625 IN BICYCLES AND WATCHES GIVEN FREE EACH MONTH FOR Sunlight SOAP WRAPPERS

As Follows:

10 First Prizes, $100 Stearns' Bicycle, . .	$ 1,000
25 Second " $25 Gold Watch	625
Bicycles and Watches given each month . .	1,625
	12
Total given during year 1897,	**$19,500**

HOW TO OBTAIN THEM.

Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper—that portion containing the wording "SUNLIGHT SOAP." These (called "Coupons") are to be sent enclosed with a sheet of paper on which the competitor has written his or her full name and address, and the number of Coupons sent in, postage paid, to Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto, marked on the Outside Wrapper (top left-hand corner), with the NUMBER of the DISTRICT Competitor lives in.

NO. OF DISTRICT	NAME OF DISTRICT
1	Western Ontario, consisting of Counties York, Simcoe & all Counties W. and S. of these
2	East'n Ontario, consisting of Counties Ontario, Muskoka & all Counties E. & N. of these
3	Province of Quebec
4	Province of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the 5 districts, prizes will be awarded as follows:

The 2 competitors who send in the largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Stearns' Bicycle, value $100.

The 5 competitors who send in the next largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Gold Watch, value $25.

2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

5. Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., will endeavor to award the prizes fairly to the best of their ability and judgment, but it is understood that all who compete agree to accept the award of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., as final.

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A HEATER that throws out the warmth instead of sending it up the chimney, that burns steadily, and, after all, looks well in a room. That's the kind of stoves we sell—just as near perfection as stove men can get.

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For $1.75 per pair—White and Cream with colour stitched edgings, in frills, Scotch Muslin Bedroom Curtains, worth $2.50.
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Walking Hats and Sailors	50c
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Trimmed Hats	1 40
Fancy Coloured Ribbons	8c
Fancy and Striped Ribbons	10c
Fancy and Reversible Ribbons	25c
Ladies' Jackets	3 45
Ladies' Jackets, Frieze	5 35

DRESS GOODS.

Rough Novelty Suiting, 44 inch	35c
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All Wool Cheviot	39c
Brocaded Silk	28c
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The most marvellous Bargains offered in years to make quick sales and room for incoming novelties.

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EGYPTIAN QUESTION.

Will the British Expedition Move Forward?

THE SIRDAR AND LORD SALISBURY

Have Been Having Conferences in London and Lord Wolseley Was With Them—Old Women Kill Each Other in Warwick—Rains in India—Other Cablegrams.

London, Nov. 22.—(New York Tribune Cable.)—The Egyptian question must have occupied much of Lord Salisbury's time lately, for General Kitchener has been closeted with him frequently, as well as with Lord Wolseley. Rumor credits the Sirdar with success in convincing Lord Salisbury of the expediency and necessity of continuing the advance from Dongola to Khartoum, but the force will probably halt where it is until spring. General Kitchener returns to Egypt at once to await the decision of the Court of Appeal in the proceedings against the Caisse.

The report that Italy has entered into a secret treaty with Russia is a symptom of the uneasiness caused by the Bismarck disclosures, which have created a general distrust of European diplomacy and excited a suspicion that backstairs intrigues are constantly going on. Germany itself has learned nothing from the debate on the treatties, but it is preoccupied now with a discussion over dueling and the atrocities of military privilege and the necessity of putting an end to barbarous practices, which are contrary to the genius of civilization, while sanctioned by military option and university habits.

The Daily Chronicle has discovered that trusts, combinations and monopolies exist in free trade England. It says: "We have heard talk of the great coal trust. There is already almost a monopoly of bicycle tires, a powerful company controls all the motor car patents it could get hold of and now the London correspondent of an Aberdeen journal announces that a powerful syndicate is about to acquire and work a considerable number of butcher shops in London. Already, he says, shops of the value of $200,000 have been offered. The same capitalists are at work in Liverpool, and there businesses to the value of $300,000 have been offered to them."

One discovery may sometime be brought into view, and plutocracy may be recognized as a great menace to England, just as it has been described by English moralists as the chief social danger of the American Republic.

Mr. Balfour has been blowing hot and cold on both fair trade and free trade. After reminding the Cobdenites at Sheffield that only two countries in the world, Great Britain and Turkey, had adopted their ideas, he administered several side thrusts to Colonel Howard Vincent and other fair traders, who had carried protectionist resolutions at the meeting of the National Union at Rochdale. Having boxed the economic compass without enabling his audience to discover the direction in which his own opinion pointed, he fell back upon German competition and technical education, which now form the common stock of English political oratory. A much better speech was made by Mr. Balfour at Edinburgh the same day on the subject of athletics in school and college, in which he asserted that training of this kind, when scientifically conducted, was as good an education as could be obtained in lecture and class rooms.

TROUBLE ONLY BEGINNING.

The Matabele Revolt Threatens to Break Out Again—The Cattle Plague.

New York, Nov. 22.—A London special to The Times says: "England is just awakening to a realization that her South African troubles have only begun. It is not so much that the Matabeles revolt threatens to break forth again on a larger scale than ever, or that the materials for a fresh deadlock in the Transvaal business are believed to be accumulating at both Praetoria and Berlin. The really serious feature is that detailed information about the rinderpest which is now coming in reveals an unexpectedly terrible state of affairs. The plague is now leaping sixty miles a day. It cannot, so far as now known, be checked by any human device, and must inevitably kill every head of cattle in South Africa. The attempts made last summer to stop its ravages by a wholesale slaughter of native cattle provoked the rising of the blacks, and if they are repeated among the more powerful Basutos, Zulus, and Griquas, who live nearer the coast, they will produce a mutiny against which the combined forces of the Dutch republics and the English colonies will be powerless to stand. The advice now pressed on the Government is to stop killing cattle or otherwise fighting the pest, and instead to use money in taking a census of all the cattle in South Africa and compensating owners, native and white alike, after the epidemic has passed. Unless Dr. Koch, who has been sent out from Germany, and is now nearing Cape Town, can find a way of arresting the progress of the plague, this is probably what will be done. In any event, the rinderpest will alter the whole character of life in South Africa, for to put an end to dairy farming and most other present forms of agriculture in that country will drive the rural colonists by thousands to the towns, where there is nothing for them to do. Cecil Rhodes, it has been announced, intended to sail next week for England to testify before the Parliamentary Committee in January, but the threatened revival of the Matabele troubles may change his plans.

OLD WOMEN KILL EACH OTHER.

A Remarkable Domestic Tragedy Which Took Place in Warwick, England

New York, Nov. 22.—A London special says: A domestic tragedy, which can scarcely be matched among unnatural crimes, is interesting the inhabitants of Warwick. Two sisters, one aged 86 and the other 73, were found dead in their home, where, apparently, they had killed each other in a terrific quarrel. It is known that they often had serious squabbles, the elder one especially being quarrelsome and almost irresponsible. They had begun, apparently, by throwing crockery at each other, one room being littered with broken dishes. Then one had resorted to the tongs for a weapon and the other to the broomstick. Both were considerably injured, but the doctors are inclined to think that death was caused in each case by the violence of their exertions rather than by their wounds. There was no robbery or signs of foul play by a third party.

RAINFALLS IN INDIA.

The Disastrous Drought Has Been Broken in Some Districts.

London, Nov. 21.—The Earl of Elgin, Viceroy of India, telegraphs from Calcutta that a fair rain has fallen along the coast of the Madras presidency up to Masulipatam, which is located at about the centre of the coast line. Showers have also fallen along the coast of the Bombay presidency as far north as Ratnagiri, which is 150 miles south of Bombay. The despatch adds that the price of grain is still rising, and that 161 persons are employed on the relief works that have been started by the Government to avert the effects of famine. The Viceroy makes no mention in his despatch of the drought in the Deccan, which is the greatest territory lying between the Madras and Bombay presidencies, having been checked by a good fall of rain, which had caused a rapid decline in the price of grain in that district, information to which effect was contained in a despatch from Bombay received this morning.

RUSSIA AND FRANCE.

A Solemn Act Accomplished Through an Affectionate Meeting.

Paris, Nov. 21.—In the Chamber of Deputies to-day, M. Millerand, Socialist, asked the Government to explain the nature of the understanding between France and Russia.

M. Hanotaux, Minister of Foreign Affairs, read a declaration setting forth that the Cabinets of France for several years past had each followed the same line towards Russia, the effect of which had been observed upon the occasion of the recent visit of the Czar, which visit had resulted in cordiality, which the whole world felt. A solemn act, he said, had been accomplished through the affectionate meeting of a great sovereign and a great people. After enlarging upon the enthusiasm of the Czar over the fetes given in his honor, M. Hanotaux said: "I can only reply to M. Millerand by recalling the precise concerted terms expressed by the Czar and the President of the republic at Cherbourg, before the naval officers; in Paris, before the representatives of the Government, and at Chalons, before the military chiefs. The Chamber will appreciate the fact that duty imposes upon me the obligation to say nothing more concerning the entente upon which nobody now dreams of casting any doubt."

SHEEP WORTH MONEY.

They are Claimed to be the Greatest Wool Producers in the World - Niagara Falls Notes.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Nov. 22.—(Special).—A car containing 17 head of sheep of the Hampshire and Oxford breeds passed through here yesterday en route from Michigan to Madison Square Garden, New York. These sheep were imported from England last spring and are claimed to be the finest wool-producers ever in America. During the past season they have won thousands of dollars in prizes at exhibitions and have never been beaten. In the group there is a yearling ram, weighing 400 pounds.

Last night a Railway Young Men's Christian Association was formed in the G.T.R. offices.

Ground was broken at Fort Erie yesterday afternoon for the Fort Erie Jockey Club's new race track. A special train left Buffalo at 3 p.m., carrying a number of invited guests and interested parties, to witness the ceremonies. The turning of the sod was done in the rain and the party adjourned to the Tift House, where a banquet was held.

WAS A GREAT BATTLE

Ottawa College Boys are Now the Rugby Champions.

SCORE WAS TWELVE TO EIGHT.

Over 4000 People Wended Their Way to the Rosedale Grounds to Witness the Game, Which Was Played in Several Inches of Snow—Much Enthusiasm Shown.

Toronto, Nov. 23.

OTTAWA COLLEGE 12, VARSITY 8.

The great match for the championship of Canada, played on the Rosedale grounds on Saturday afternoon, between Ottawa College and Toronto University, resulted in a triumph for the visitors.

The columns of steam which rose from the heated bodies of the contestants proved the pillar of cloud by day which led the Children of the Capital out of the wilderness of the possibility of defeat into the promised land of triumph.

The match was played in two or three inches of snow, which fact tended to interfere with brilliant play, but nevertheless the style of the game was rather above than below the average in the Ontario Union. Some supporters of Varsity held that the state of the grounds and the deadened condition of the ball was all in favor of the Ottawa and against the Toronto team. They based this assertion on the fact that the snow and slush interfered with Varsity's usual open game, while aiding and abetting the close tactics customary among the Easterners.

However this may be, as the game went, it was evident to all who know anything about the game that the visitors were a shade the better of their opponents in most respects. Gleason, as centre half, made a better showing than his opponent, Counsell, but that was because Smith, the College quarter, fed him better, and the scrim., assisted by the two wings, gave him a chance to kick. But Gleason is not in the same class with Counsell when it comes to close work. Both can kick as readily with the left as with the right, but Counsell time and time again made kicks where Gleason, had he been so hard pressed, would have dropped on the ball. As regards the other half-backs, Shea and Murphy, neither played like Boyd and Kingstone at the same positions. Kingstone has one fault from which he was not free on Saturday: he is almost sure to kick into the crowd rather than over it. At bucking the line, he has no equal, and many of Varsity's gains in territory were due to his dodges and dashes through the line. He forms a great barrier of protection to the rest of the line.

The fact that the College threw two of their wing men into the scrim. proved a great obstacle to Varsity's scrim. feeding Hobbs, who was perfectly unable to get the ball out. On this account it would be impossible to compare him with Smith, whose work was really done for him by his scrim.

The two backs, Morrison and Belanger, both play a strong, clean game, but Morrison had the most to do and he did it better. He is faster and a better tackler and kicked than the little Frenchman.

On coming to the wing line, barring Caldwell and McKenzie, who were marked by Prudhomme and Green respectively, Varsity had a little the advantage. Campbell marked Quilty, and broke away from him with ease. Campbell played a star game all through, and for a young player is a wonder. Barr and McDougall tackled and followed up well, and proved too much for their marks, Tobin and James, the crack wing of the College. At nearly every stage of the game Bradley marked Foley and got away with ease. Elliott played a hard game from start to finish, and his strong tackles and sharp rushes were marked features of the match.

Taking the two teams together, it must be said there was but little difference in their play. The College were better trained and went into their work with more snap. They are not any more scientific, but they play a more tricky game. They have an art of getting the ball out of the scrim which looked decidedly foxy to the spectators. The way they worked the screw was a surprise to Varsity, who were unable to check it until near the end of the first half. This kind of play made the game look more like an American one than any ever seen in Ontario. Varsity did not try to work the wedge except on one or two occasions. In fine weather and on dry grounds the result would, perhaps, have been different, but the superior training of the Easterners gave them the game in the snow and slush.

Despite the wretched state of the weather thousands of lovers of the great game wended their way to Rosedale to witness the match. From 1.30 till 2.30 o'clock a constant stream of men, old and young, plodded across the Rosedale Ravine bridges, through slush and snow, all bound on seeing the contest. Shortly after play began an estimate of the crowd present placed the number of spectators at about 4000 people. The big grand staud was full to overflowing the club house verandahs were crowded, excited spectators lined up six deep around the enclosure fences and even upon the snow-covered bleachers a few enthusiasts were to be seen.

The great majority of the throng were of course Torontonians, but a contingent of Ottawa ardents were also on hand to "root" for the visitors and answer the college yell which thundered from the throats of our own students.

The betting on the event varied. At first the visitors wanted odds, but it is thought that something like $1000 was finally put up on even terms.

Great interest centred in the match all over the country. Not only the Ottawa, but also the Montreal newspapers had representatives on the grounds wiring the progres of the game to headquarters.

The College won the toss and kicked west. There was very little in the choice, as the wind was dead. Perry kicked off at exactly 2.30 minutes past 2. Belanger returned, and the ball was scrimmaged near touch at the 45-yard line. Elliott made a good kick and followed up so fast that Tobin had to fall on the ball and the ground was saved. Near the college line Varsity got a free kick, which Counsell took, and sent the ball down to McDougall, who gained a few yards. This was a new tactic employed by Varsity, and worked well all through the first half. When the ball went in scrimmage the college began to shove by what is known in football technique as screwing the scrimmage. Varsity did not seem prepared for this, and all through the first half were shoved with great ease. From an offside Varsity got a free kick, but did not gain anything. Kingstone broke through the scrimmage and gained five yards.

An Easterner got his knickers almost torn off, and play was stopped for seven minutes.

On resuming the college got a free kick from an offside in scrimmage. Boyd made a good return, so did Belanger, and but little was gained. For some minutes the play was scrimmage work with very little advantage on either side. Finally Elliott dribbled from a short punt from Bradley and got over for a try. He took the kick, but missed. Time of play 16 minutes.

On the kick off Gleason sent the ball across the field, but it was recalled to scrimmage because Kingstone was not given five yards. From the scrimmage Hobbs passed back to Counsell, who punted for 30 yards from a close quarter.

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Extreme tired feeling afflicts nearly everybody at this season. The hustlers cease to push, the tireless grow weary, the energetic become enervated. You know just what we mean. Some men and women endeavor temporarily to overcome that

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Feel-

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Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1896.

THE MANITOBA SCHOOL SETTLEMENT.

The people of Canada, with one accord and without reference to political opinions, express in their references to this question a feeling of relief that so vexed a question so provocative of the disturbance of national harmony has, by the settlement referred to, been closed to the satisfaction of all reasonable persons concerned. The politicians on both sides of opinion, in their interviews with the metropolitan press, figuratively heave a sigh of relief over the settlement of the subject, which has removed its disturbing influence from the arena of practical politics, never to come up again except in the discussion involved in Parliament and the Manitoba Legislature. In this matter Mr. Laurier has certainly kept his promise, that the matter should be speedily settled without coercion and in a spirit of conciliation. If the settlement is received in a similar conciliatory spirit by those interested, then will a most dangerous and vexed question have been removed from the arena of politics, and all moderate men on both sides will hail this conclusion as a distinct step in national consolidation and national homogeneity. There is evidence of a growing popular disposition among all shades of religious belief, in spite of what ministers of more than one denomination are demanding, that our schools should be devoted more exclusively to the imparting of that secular education for which they were designed and maintained by the taxes of the people and the financial assistance of the state.

FARMERS' INSTITUTES.

During the eleven years' existence of the Farmers' Institute in Ontario, it has shown a remarkable development. The first meetings, twelve in number, were held in 1885. The number of meetings has steadily and rapidly increased, that last year the total number of meetings held was 666. There has been a large increase in the attendance at meetings as well. In 1895 the total attendance at the 308 meetings held in that year was 71,033: last year the attendance was 102,461. When one looks through the annual report, one is struck with the idea of the immense benefit that must result from the attendance of over 100,000 of our foremost farmers—for it is this class that almost invariably forms the audiences at Institute meetings—to listen to expert discussion of matters pertaining to the farming and and allied industries. The report of these meetings occupy about 250 pages of paper covering every department of agricultural activity. They are admirably illustrated and contain untold stores of practical information that tend to keep, as they have helped to place, the Ontario farmer in the front rank. With the ample means for instruction that is placed by the Ontario Government through the Farmers' Institute and other means, one is not surprised that Ontario and farm products take the lead in the world. We are often stigmatized as slow, compared to our bustling "Yankee" neighbours, but in the matter of farming we can give them points and "beat them hollow." In the matter of state assistance to Institutes they are far behind us. The report referred to gives comparative statistics for the year 1895-6, as to Farmers' Institutes, of a dozen of the most important States of the Union, most of them with populations greatly in excess of Ontario, yet the number of meetings held in Ontario are greater by three to one, than those held in the most populous States, and the attendance, with one or two exceptions, almost double. While this is the case (and here is a pointer for those who cavil at the expense put upon agriculture in Ontario) the expense of the meetings is very greatly less in Ontario. The average cost of holding each Institute meeting in the States mentioned is $48, while the average expense of holding similar meetings in Ontario is less than $15. That is, we have far greater results in Ontario at a much less expenditure of money. While Farmers' Institutes in Ontario are doing so much for the farmers that take the advantages they present, there are thousand of farmers who still remain out of the pale of their good influences. We have not space here at present to enumerate the great advantages the farmer derives from the expenditure of a 25 cents fee for membership. But in every neighbourhood there is some progressive farmer who can supply the information and give personal testimony of the immense benefits of Institute membership to the farmer.

THE settlement of the school question, the Ottawa Free Press remarks, was not unfitly announced on Mr. Laurier's 55th birthday. The country will with one voice wish him many happy returns of the day, and hope that he may long be spared to do the state such signal service as he has already, during his brief tenure of office, performed.

OTONABEE COUNCIL.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

All the members present. Moved by Mr. Johnston, seconded by Mr. Deyell, that the resolution passed at the last meeting of council, agreeing to pay one-third of cost of excavating a ditch through the old Cobourg railway dump, be rescinded, as it was represented that the cost would not exceed $35.00. Mr. Alex. McFarlane was present, stating that he was having the above ditch excavated, and requesting the council to pay part of cost. On motion of Messrs. Weir and Lancaster it was left over to next meeting of council. John O'Leary was present requesting that the road on the 3rd con. line, between lots 31, be raised, as it floods over in the spring. Messrs. Anderson and Lancaster were appointed to investigate and take action. John Bell, on behalf of himself and Wm. Dowdell, requested wire for a snow fence opposite their lots. John Deyell was empowered to deal with it. The clerk was instructed to notify all medical practitioners who may have a practice in Otonabee attending any patient with contagious disease, and do not notify the local board of health that they will be prosecuted. This action is taken, as there has been neglect on the part of some of the Peterborough physicians. The following accounts were ordered to be paid: Joseph Laroch, clearing out ditch through his farm to take the water off base line at duck pond; erecting railing at duck pond, A. and G. Robertson, $5.50; Jas. Robertson, $3.50; Jas. Wood, $350; Jas. Wood, cedar, $3.76; John Morrison, gravel, $12.48; Chas. Greystock, drawing and cutting in culvert, $2.10; Jas. Nelson, raking stones off road, $1; Alex. Conroy, pay for one day's statute labour, 75c.; John Bell, three days employed as sanitary inspector, $5; John Taylor, damages drawing gravel for 1895-96, $4.10.

Council adjourned to statutory meeting on Dec. 15th at 10 a.m.

PURITAN THANKSGIVING.

They Insisted on Religious Services—Opposed to Instrumental Music.

The Puritans, with their regard for the vast importance of sacred things, insisted that religious service should enter into the observance of the day. A picturesque simplicity and a whole souled devoutness linger about the commemoration in the meeting house of colonial times. There were two services a day. Each of the sermons was two hours long, and on Thanksgiving day the preacher was scrupulously conscientious in improving the opportunity which came to him only once a year.

The prayers and the psalms were of corresponding length. The church was provided with square, boxlike pews. The family sat around the four sides, the children being placed with their backs to the minister. A most important functionary was the tithing man, who tapped the heads of the men who fell asleep during the sermon with the ball-like end of his staff of office. The other end had a tuft of feathers, with which he tickled the drowsy women. The old time Puritans were strenuously opposed to the introduction of instrumental music into the church service.

Now and again a violin began to creep in, to the disgust of many of the old preachers, one of whom is immortalized in history by his utterance, "We will now sing and fiddle the Forty-fifth Psalm."

One ventures the opinion that the atmosphere of the old Puritan church on Thanksgiving day was hardly conducive to cheerfulness of spirit. A historian, writing of the Sabbath in Puritan New England, remarks, "The New England congregations piously frose during service time well into this century." The church in Brimfield in 1819 refused to pay for a stove, and a few years later, when a subscription was made to buy a church stove, one old member refused to contribute, saying good preaching kept him hot enough without stoves.—Philadelphia Times.

M'KINLEY'S PREFERENCE.

He Likes Turkey Roasted Brown, With Sausage Flavoring.

I like my turkey roasted, but not stuffed. Now, shades of a man of New England ancestry! Dynamite is too good for such a fellow! But still I don't like my turkey stuffed. I like a 12 pound animal, with lots of fat on him and butter spread all over him. I want him roasted brown. I think it is 20 minutes to a pound of turkey, not counting the first few minutes while he is getting used to the oven. But I don't want anything inside of him. A spiced stuffing ruins the flavor of the meat and gives indigestion.

How do I like him served? Oh, I like him with a string of sausages over his breast as a flavoring and with a lemon for a head. That is a good way to serve a turkey. You can boil the lemon awhile and make it soft, to be sliced and eaten like a pickle if you want to. My turkey is an Ohio bird. I forgot to mention that. Have you ever eaten an Ohio turkey? No? Then you don't know what is to give thanks for your Thanksgiving dinner. Do you want the rest of the menu? No? I am sorry, because I know a good dinner from beginning to end.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Bronchitis, and all Lung Troubles are quickly cured by Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam.

FATHER COURTED SON'S BRIDE.

And the Marriage Was Beginning When the Son Appeared—A Wedding that Did Not Take Place.

Geneva N.Y., Nov. 20.—"Henry, I've taken your bride. You don't care, do you?" With these words, Arnold Recklinghausen greeted his son when the latter returned home last night after a month's absence. Henry did care, as the sequel shows.

A few years ago Henry Recklinghausen was married, but he and his wife did not live happily together. Within a few months they separated by mutual consent. Since then Henry has been living with his father, who is reputed to be the wealthiest German in Geneva.

Henry became infatuated with Johanna Black, a comely German girl, several months ago. He courted her openly, and it was generally understood by the friends of both parties that the two would wed as soon as the young man obtained a divorce from his wife. It was to secure evidence which would aid him in the suit that Henry left Geneva shortly after the death of his mother, six weeks ago.

With his son away, Widower Recklinghausen sought solace from Johanna, and, receiving her sympathy, he quickly forgot his grief. Johanna, for a time, at least, transferred her affections from son to father. The transfer was so complete that she agreed to marry Recklinghausen senior. It was mutually agreed between the two to have the marriage ceremony performed last night.

That it was not was neither the fault of the bride-elect nor of her elderly lover. It was due entirely to Henry, who returned unexpectedly to Geneva, and entered his father's house at the very moment that Rev. Mr. Burkhardt of the German Church was about to begin the marriage service. Upon perceiving Henry, the girl gave a scream and turned, so that she fell fainting into the young man's arms. Widower Recklinghausen was the first to recover his speech, and, turning to his son, he briefly explained the situation.

Henry left the house, taking Johanna with him. There were about 40 guests present, but they quickly departed with the clergyman.

A similar case occurred in Toronto some years ago, but in the Toronto instance the father really married the son's sweetheart. From the day of the wedding to the time of the father's death the son and father never exchanged a word.

COULDN'T GO ACROSS THE RIVER.

Immigration Inspector O'Brien at Niagara Falls Sends Back Two Canadian Families.

Niagara Falls, Nov. 20.—Immigration Inspector Maurice O'Brien yesterday sent back to Canada two families who tried to come into the United States at this port. One family consisted of a man, his wife and six children. They hailed from St. Catharines and were on their way to Lockport.

Another family of Germans, from Berlin, Ont., consisted of an old man and his wife, their daughter and her six children. The daughter claimed she had a husband in Buffalo, where they were bound, but inquiry failed to locate him. They are still on the Canadian side. This is about the season that the yearly exodus from Canada to this country begins.

GRADUATED AS NURSES.

Many Who Have Stood the Hard Work at the General Hospital Get Their Reward.

Toronto, Nov. 21.

The annual graduation exercises of the Training School for Nurses took place last evening in the large theatre of the Toronto General Hospital. The event was the most successful one held in years. The hall was appropriately decorated for the occasion and presented a very brilliant appearance. Twenty-one of the pupil nurses who had passed the required examinations received the certificate and badge of the school.

Following is the graduating class which was rewarded in the above manner: Misses Mary Dougal, Owen Sound; Mary Playter, Newmarket; Jessie Watson, St. Catharines; Alice E. Stewart, Stratford; Mary Williamson, Hagersville; Hattie Marshall, Toronto; Henrietta McKim, Toronto; Edith M. Fisher, Seaforth; Sadie H. Gladstone, East Toronto; Harriet Mulholland, Toronto; Elizabeth M. Fraser, Lakefield; Elizabeth Widdifield, Picton; Mary G. Church, Merrickville; Mary Phillips, Newmarket; Grace Wilson, Goderich; Phoebe Burkholder, Hamilton; Ida Anderson, St. Thomas; Mary Allen, Toronto; Olive Bentley, Sutton West; Eliza L. Sewrey, Barrie; Mary E. McClelland, Parry Sound. The presentation of certificates was made by Dr. O'Reilly and Mr. O. A. Howland, M.L.A., while the badges were given by Drs. J. F. Ross, McPhedran, Sheard and A. H. Wright.

The remaining program under direction of Mr. Walter S. Lee, consisted of addresses by Revs. G. M. Milligan and Louis F. Jordan, a song by Miss L. Craig, recitation by Mrs. Ross, violin solo by Miss Kerr, and the report of the school read by Miss Solvely.

This report indicated, among other things, that probationers would henceforth remain on duty in the hospital for three years. There had been 500 applications for admission into the school, and of these 28 only had been accepted. Five had been dropped from the roll for various reasons, and there are still 62 nurses attending the school.

Among others there were present: Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Lee, Dr. and Mrs. O'Reilly, Miss Thorburn, Inspector R. Christie, Dr. Nevitt, Mr. O. A. Howland, M.L.A., Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Miller, Rev. A. H. Baldwin and Drs. Cassidy, Nevitt, McPhedran, J. F. Ross and Milligan, Dr. and Mrs. Spence, Dr. and Mrs. Sheard.

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WAS A GREAT BATTLE.

(Continued From First Page.)

Barr followed up well and saved the ground. In the scrimmage which followed, Varsity was shoved easily. Smith, the great college quarter, heeled back to Gleason, who made a pretty punt, but Tiny was ready and returned. It was returned, and he sent back to Tobin, who passed back and Counsell did the same, and but little ground was gained for either side.

Considerable scrimmage work followed now for some minutes, with but small advantage for either team. From heel out by Smith to Gleason, who kicked, the oval was sent to Varsity's 25-yard line, and when it went into scrimmage Varsity began to shove. A free kick was given the white and blues from an offside in scrimmage. Counsell took the kick; Gleason tried to return, but McKenzie broke his wing and saved the ground. It looked as though the college was beginning to loosen up, but Gleason got a chance for a punt and Boyd was forced for a touch in goal. Score 4—2.

This gave the college heart, and the play was fast and fierce for some time. From the scrimmage Counsell made a fine punt, but Gleason made his mark. Joe McDougall returned to Barr, who broke his wing, passed to Elliott, who did the same, and gave the pigskin to Campbell, who dribbled for 30 yards.

Ottawa began to work the mass play with great effect, and by screwing the scrimmage gained considerable territory. From a good deal of this kind of play Counsell got in a punt, which Gleason returned, and an offside play gave Varsity a free kick. The oval was passed back and forth by Counsell and Gleason, Boyd and Tobin with Kingstone forming a mighty protection to his two colleagues. Finally Barr broke away with a dash, but the ball was slippery and a Garnet forced him to drop, but before giving the ball "Biddy" laid his man low and the play was stopped five minutes to let him come to.

On resuming play Varsity got a free kick and Counsell gained 40 yards by sending the pigskin into touch. On the throw-in Campbell blocked his wing and Caldwell and Kingstone carried the oval right across the field, but gained little. On scrimmaging the ball at the 5-yard mark, Smith fumbled and Barr dashed through for five yards before Shea rode him down. From the scrimmage the ball went into touch, and from the throw-in Shea made a beautiful run and dodge from Caldwell, Kingstone and McDougall, gaining 20 yards on the run. Counsell got a chance for a punt from the heel out and made his gain of 25 yards.

The College scrim got offside and Varsity secured another free kick. Counsell sent the ball diagonally across to McDougall, who ran and dribbled for 30 yards, making one of the prettiest plays ever seen on a football field. In the scrimmage which followed Varsity was shoving. Smith at quarter was playing a star game. From the scrimmage Gleason broke through for a run. Counsell and McDougall did good blocking work, but could not stop a try. Tobin missed the kick. Score, 8—4.

When play began again both Boyd and Counsell muffed, and the ball went into touch on Varsity's 25-yard line. On the throw in Varsity got a free kick, but gained nothing, owing to Gleason's quick return. Varsity got another free kick from the scrimmage and Counsell sent the ball into touch at the 45-yard line. It was scrimmaged at 15 yards. Gleason broke through and gained 5 yards before McKenzie dropped on his neck. Counsell made a beautiful return, from a muff of Boyd's, by a long kick within very close quarters. The play was a series of passing back and forth now for some time with the ball gradually working toward Varsity's line. Finally Gleason broke away for a try, which he did not convert. Score 11—4.

From the kick off Kingstone made a good dash and gained 10 yards. The ball went to touch, and was scrimmaged at the 25-yard limit. Smith hurled back to Gleason, but he could not kick, as Campbell rode him down, and dribbled the ball near the line. It was sent over, but Belanger relieved by a long kick. Kingstone got away by some brilliant dodging and warding off and gained about 20 yards. He was hurt a little, but soon went on with the game. By dribbling and kicking on the part of Counsell and Boyd the oval was carried back to the college line, and was there when time was called for the first half.

After a rest of 15 minutes the two teams went into their work with grim determination to do or die. No changes were made in the personnel. On going into play Varsity was given a free kick, but did not gain more than 10 yards. Varsity began to work the throw-in trick now with a good deal of effect. Campbell broke for 10 yards, but Gleason returned to the 25-yard line. From the throw-in he broke through again, but Campbell stopped him. Counsell made his mark from the bedout, but did not gain, owing to Gleason's return. Dodds had his head crushed, but stayed in the game. From the scrimmage Gleason made a pretty kick with his left. Counsell caught, but passed to Boyd, who was forced to rouge. Score 12 to 4.

From some pretty passing back and forth by Counsell and Gleason the college worked the ball back to Varsity's line. Gleason got another kick, but Counsell made the finest relief ever seen on a gridiron. Several men were on him, but with his left hand he fought them until he could get in his kick, which he did with such force that the ball was sent to the 50-yard line. Any one but Tiny would have rouged.

Barr and Elliott followed up well, and the gain was saved. From the scrim. Varsity got a free kick, but it was of no use, as the forward line could not follow up fast enough. Gleason returned the ball and Counsell made his mark. Gleason sent it back, and Kingstone made his mark and gained 40 yards by kicking into touch. Gleason and his quarter whittled 15 yards off this by some pretty combination work, but Campbell watched his chance, and ran 20 yards before being stopped. After a series of scrimmages, in which Varsity had the best of it, Barr made a dash for 20 yards before Boucher nailed him. More scrimmages and several free kicks followed for Varsity, which were of little use, as Gleason was allowed to return. The college began kicking into touch to kill time, as the ball was getting dangerously near the line. Finally Gleason got a good chance to kick, the wings followed up fast, and the pigskin was sent over Varsity's line, but Counsell, after doing some hard fighting, got in a punt and relieved. Varsity began to press hard. From the scrim. on the 45 yard line, Counsell made a long punt, which Elliott saved by following up fast. Scrim. followed on the college 25-yard line. Hobbs passed back to Connsell, who kicked around the crowd, giving Elliott, Campbell and Kingstone a chance to follow up, which they did, and Courtney got the try, which Elliott failed to convert. Score, 12—8.

For about 15 minutes a good deal of scrim. and return work was indulged in. Finally, a series of that kind of play let Varsity get the ball in the college quarters, and a desperate fight was made to get it over. For 10 minutes it was just on the line, and a little luck on Varsity's side would have tied the score, or, perhaps, given them the game. Inch by inch the plucky fellows forced it up, inch by inch it was fought back. Every man on both teams knew it was a critical moment, and worked coolly and carefully, but with all his ability. Hobbs seemed unable to get his bones on the pigskin. Finally the College got a free kick, which was well followed up. Gradually it was worked back to Varsity's line, and when time was called it was on the 25-yard line. Final score: Ottawa College 12, Varsity 8.

The teams were:

Varsity		Ottawa College
Morrison,	145.....Back.....Belanger,	150
Boyd,	165..Half Back..Gleason,	150
Counsell,	178..Half Back..Murphy,	138
Kingstone,	180..Half Back..Shea,	150
Hobbs,	136..Q'tr Back..Smith,	140
Dodds,	203..Scrimmage..Clancy,	168
Malloch,	220..Scrimmage..Boucher,	175
Perry,	160..Scrimmage..McCredie,	200
Bradley,	195.....Wing.....Foley,	154
McKenzie,	180.....Wing....Prudhomme,	168
Caldwell,	168.....Wing.....Green,	170
McDougall,	152.....Wing.....Tobin,	175
Barr,	160.....Wing.....James,	158
Elliott,	176.....Wing.....Lafleur,	153
Campbell,	160.....Wing.....Quilty,	162

Mexican Ambassador Dead.

Madrid, Nov. 22.—Gen. Riva Palacio, the Mexican Ambassador to Spain, is dead.

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THIEVES CAUGHT.

Buffalo Detectives Gather in Two Brothers Who Admit Having Robbed a Chicago Jewelry Firm.

Buffalo, N.Y., Nov. 22.—The two men arrested in the postoffice by Detective Sergeants Devine and Sullivan, after a desperate fight last night, weakened this morning, when placed "on the rack" at Police Headquarters, and admitted that they were George and Arthur Hawkins, the brothers wanted in Chicago for holding up and robbing the jewelry firm of Hermann & Co., on the eighth floor of the Masonic Temple in that city, on the afternoon of Nov. 5. All but a few of the diamonds and other precious stones stolen and remaining to be accounted for, were recovered in a room in the house at 128 West Eagle street.

The thieves arrived in Buffalo from Cleveland on Saturday morning and rented a room at the above address. They had the stolen jewels with them, several stones of which they had pawned in Detroit and Cleveland. After taking possession of the room, they placed the gems in the bottom of a cold comnode, and covered them with several soiled handkerchiefs. Then they went out and finally walked down to the postoffice to get their mail. There they met the detectives and were arrested. Arthur, who is 22 years old, and the youngest of the brothers, when questioned, acknowledged that he and his brother were the men who robbed Jeweler Hermann; said that he realized the fact that he was caught, and was ready to admit everything.

A CORNER IN TURKEYS.

U. S. Syndicate Said to be Organizing to Scoop in Canadian Poultry for the English Market.

Detroit, Nov. 20.—A despatch from Chatham says that a syndicate composed of Elliott & Co. of Detroit, Hallman Bros. of Grand Rapids, Willmore & Wells of Cleveland and T. Cory & Co. of Petrolia, is trying to corner the Canadian turkey market. The fowl are for shipment to England, and top prices are being paid. The syndicate, it is said, between the present time and Dec. 10 intend to corner the Ontario market, and, if need be, extend their field to Manitoba and British Columbia.

Bishop Keane's Successor.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 20.—The announcement is made here this morning that the holy father has appointed Rev. Dr. Thomas J. Conaty, rector of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Worcester, Mass., to succeed Bishop John Keane as rector of the Catholic University at Washington, D.C. Dr. Conaty is about 40 years of age.

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(Signed) BURTON MORRIS.

Declared before me at the City of Toronto, in the County of York, this 2nd day of November, 1896. J. H. DENTON, a Commissioner, etc.

UNSOLICITED TESTIMONY:

ASTHMA FOR YEARS.

"I have suffered very severely from asthma for over twenty-five years," says R. G. Moore, of Hamilton. "If I ventured away from home the change of air would bring on such bad attacks that I was afraid I would suffocate at times. A short time ago I found it necessary to go to Paris, Ontario, on business. On the way my old enemy attacked me with great severity. As soon as I got to Paris I went to Armitage's drug store and bought a bottle. It relieved my Asthma, and although I have been away from home several times since, I experienced no more trouble. I regard my quarter as well spent, and intend to send some more after it."

A PREVENTATIVE OF COLDS.

"I have been a chronic sufferer from severe colds for a long time," says Miss Hattie Delaney, of 174 Crawford street, Toronto. "Usually at this season of the year I did not know what it was to be free from them. Nothing did me much good until I got a bottle of Chase's Linseed and Turpentine. It not only cured my cold, but I have not had another since. I ascribe the credit wholly to Dr. Chase."

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"I tried a bottle of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine for a troublesome affection of the throat," writes Manager Thomas Dewson, of the Standard Bank, now of 14 Melbourne avenue, Toronto. "It proved very effective. I regard the remedy as simple, cheap and exceedingly good. It has hitherto been my habit to consult a physician in troubles of this nature. Hereafter, however, I intend to be my own family doctor."

A CROUPY COUGH.

"My little boy had a bad croupy cough," says Mrs. Smith, of 256 Bathurst street, Toronto. "My neighbor, Mrs. Hopkins, recommended me to try Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. I did so, and the first dose did him good. One bottle completely cured the cold. It is surprising the popularity of Chase's Syrup. It appears to me it can now be found in every house."

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Board of Education.

There will be a special meeting of the Board of Education to-night.

Health Talks.

"Woman's Mission" will be the subject of the Health Talk on Tuesday evening in the rooms of the Y.W.C.A. at 8 o'clock.

"Grafton & Co., have captured the trade of Peterborough," is a common expression these days, among those who have watched the trend of retailing in this town.

A Charity Social.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Peter's Cathedral will hold a Charity Social in the Catholic Association rooms on Wednesday evening, Nov. 25th, (Thanksgiving Eve.) First-class music will be provided, besides refreshments. Tickets, 50 cents each. 3d121

Foresters' Thanksgiving Concert.

The Annual Thanksgiving Concert under the auspices of Courts Peterborough and Langton, Canadian Order of Foresters, will be held this year in the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe Street, on the evening of Thanksgiving Day. A good programme has been arranged for and those attending may expect a very pleasant evening—such as the Foresters are noted for providing. Tickets 25c.

The Senator Cox Banquet.

The executive committee appointed by the general committee in connection with the banquet to Hon. Senator Cox, met on Saturday night and completed all arrangements save fixing the date, which is still left open. The services of the Fire Brigade Band which were generously volunteered for the occasion, were accepted, the toast list arranged and the speakers selected. Tickets to nearly the seating capacity of the dining hall have been issued. There are however a few tickets yet available which will be supplied to first applicants.

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Silver Mine Deposit.

It is reported in the Toronto papers that Mr. Bennett, who is working the mica mines north of Stony Lake, has discovered a deposit or mineral known as silver zinc in the township of Balfour, the township in which the coal discovery was made. The report says, on an English expert's advice, Bennett bored with a diamond drill and, 98 feet down, struck the silver zinc. L. A. Morrison, of Toronto, is associated with Bennett in the discovery. The discovery is six miles from the coal mine, not far from Chelmsford.

Dr. Milligan's Lecture.

The Rev. Dr. Milligan will no doubt be greeted by a large audience to-morrow evening in St. Paul's upon the occasion of his lecture "How to Brighten Life." The clergymen of the various churches will occupy seats on the platform. The reverend doctor writes that he is looking forward with pleasure to his visit having pleasant recollections of Peterborough. There is no more entertaining and instructive lecturer on the continent that Dr. Milligan. There will be a short musical programme under the kind superintendence of Mr. Crane. Ushers will be on duty.

MARK LOCKINGTON COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

CHARGED WITH BURGLARIZING THE MORGAN HOUSE.

The Preliminary Hearing Took Place This Morning—Bail is Refused—The Welsh Case Comes up on Wednesday Morning.

The police court was crowded to the doors this morning, as it was known that Mark Lockington and David Welsh were to appear before the Magistrate charged with the serious crime of burglarizing the Morgan House.

Welsh appeared first, but as he had not consulted his counsel, Mr. Daniel O'Connell, his case was enlarged until Wednesday, and his bail fixed at $1,000.

The case as against Lockington was then brought up. Fred Lund, one of the Morgan House bartenders, was the first witness. He testified that he had locked up the bar-room on Tuesday evening last and described the location of the bar with the side door, half glass, leading into the yard. On Tuesday night he had seen by the cash register slip that there was $32.40 in the till. He had not counted the cash. He was roused shortly after one o'clock by Mr. E. W. Cox, who was staying in the hotel

FOR THE NIGHT,

and was told there was something wrong down stairs. By the time he got down Mr. Cox was there and also James Gordon, the night watch. The glass in the side door was broken, the bolt drawn and the door open. The till of the cash register was on the floor and $19.90 was scattered on the floor.

The witness knew Lockington personally, as he had at one time been a yardsman at the hotel. He was in the bar on Tuesday evening, at about 10.45 o'clock, with some other man whom he did not notice. Lockington paid for the drinks. Both were apparently sober.

Cross-examined by Mr. F. D. Kerr, counsel for the defence, the witness stated that he was the last one to leave the bar Tuesday evening. The cash register till was easily opened, as the drawer flew out whenever a key was pressed. During the day the bar was always in charge of some one. Some of the bills taken were Lower Canadian ones. If the burglars had knocked down several keys in opening the drawer it would have totalled up a large amount of money on the registered slip. Either he or John Jay,

THE OTHER BARTENDER,

could take money from the till without the register slip showing it.

Re-examined by County Crown Attorney Wood, the witness stated that he had taken no money from the till during the day.

Re-examined by Mr. Kerr, Mr. Lund stated that at times he might make mistakes in change, but the register made no mistakes.

James Gordon testified that he was night watchman, and was on duty on Tuesday last. Found something wrong with Morgan's hotel. He saw a person on the east side of Water street, opposite the Ontario Bank. He was at the Bank of Commerce building at eight minutes after one o'clock. He found the side door of Morgan's hotel closed but not fast. He went inside and attracted the attention of those within, and found things as described by the previous witness. The person he saw opposite the Ontario Bank had a dark overcoat and umbrella.

To Mr. Kerr—A person came behind witness, and while he was in Hall & Gilchrist's yard this person passed and went into Leary's stable yard. He did not know who the man was he saw opposite the Ontario Bank.

To Mr. Wood—It was only about three or four minutes after he saw the man opposite the Ontario Bank that he reached Morgan's, and Mr. Cox entered the bar about three minutes after witness.

E. W. Cox testified that on Tuesday night last he was staying at the hotel. His bedroom was over main entrance of hotel. He heard a noise that roused him from a partial sleep, and then after listening he heard a crash like a broken pitcher. While he was listening the clock struck one. He also heard footsteps coming out of the yard and upon the sidewalk; the footsteps came west. Raised window and looked out, but at that time the person had disappeared round the corner, of Water street. He could see plainly, there was an electric light opposite. Later he saw Lockington on walk in front of bar door, going west. A very short time elapsed from the time the street at this point was clear till he saw the prisoner. He could not have walked from the lane in the time he took to appear before the bar door, after witness saw the street clear. Witness watched Lockington till he had crossed George street going west. Witness then described his visit to the bar. Helped Lund count money and reckon up register slip. Both were correctly done.

To Mr. Kerr—We both counted the money and the result was as Lund stated. About half a minute after hearing the sound of breaking glass he heard a louder crash and listened for further noise—perhaps two minutes—and then he heard footsteps, he thought, going west. At once he heard the footsteps he got up and raised the window, looked west and saw no person, except the one he had mentioned, and looked east without seeing any body. Then he looked west and looked east again. From the time of looking east first was less than a minute. When he first saw the man coming from the east he was in front of the bar door. He thought he had on a sack coat. Thought he wore a black hat. Had dark clothes and a dark hat. Saw his face and knew him. When he first heard steps he thought they were on the board walk leading from the side door of bar to the street.

Geo. I. Roesel, Chief of Police, testified that he arrested Lockington at Wm. Hall's on Hunter street, over the marble works at the creek. It was about 2.30 a.m.; he was not undressed. He searched the prisoner; found two 5-dollar bills, one 2 dollar bill, one 1-dollar bill, 55 cents in silver and 25 cents in coppers. He said that "Croft could account for his having the money." He was warned that what he might say would be used in evidence against him. He said, jokingly, the next morning that he might as well plead guilty and get five or ten years, as he was not of much use outside. Then the chief said to him that he had made a bad mess of it; he (the chief) would not have upset the till and left the largest part of the money. He said that he wasn't as handy with one arm as he (the chief) and Stewart would be with two.

To Mr. Kerr—When he arrested Lockington the latter was not sober.

William Hull, in whose house Lockington was arrested, testified to the fact that the prisoner boarded with him off and on when he was out of work. He had not been around lately as he was working at the Croft House. It was two o'clock Wednesday morning when he admitted him to the house on the day of the arrest.

The next witnesses were brought to prove the fact that the prisoner had little or no money just previous to arrest.

S. R. Armstrong, town and police court clerk, testified that Lockington had stated that he was unable to pay his statute labour tax and had applied to the council for its remission.

Wm. McCallum stated that the prisoner had a meal at his restaurant a week ago Wednesday and stated that he had no money to pay for it.

The crown then closed its case.

Mr. F. D. Kerr, counsel for the defence, said that no case had been made out. There was no direct evidence to connect Lockington with the robbery. None of the money found on him had been identified as that lost from the bar.

The magistrate stated that evidence had been submitted showing that a window had been broken, a door opened and the till interfered with. It was also shown that $12 50 was missing. A larger amount of money than this had been found on Lockington's person. He was seen immediately after the robbery on Hunter street, and yet an instant before he was not there. The presumption would be that he came out of the Morgan House yards. All that was sufficient evidence to commit the prisoner for trial. He refused to accept bail.

HUNTING NOTES.

Quite a number of bears were shot by hunters this season.

All the hunters say that it was miserable weather for hunting.

A hunting party coming from the north last Saturday brought down three black bears.

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Crowds are being attracted by the great closing-out sale of C. H. Routley's stock of fancy goods, stationery, crockery, china, lamp goods, trunks, valises, wall paper, etc. This sale is a bona fide one, as the business must be closed up before the 31st December. Mr. Routley also offers for sale his commodious brick residence, No. 416 Stewart street, modern design and equipment in every respect. Furnace, hot and cold water, electric light, bath, etc.; brick driving shed and stable. Also dwelling, No. 274 Hunter street, well situated. Also, buggy, phaeton, cutter, harness, etc.

South Harvey Elections.

The new plan of electing county councillors is being talked about. It may be desirable for thickly populated counties, but in such divisions as ours, for instance, which has the townships of Harvey, Galway, Cavendish, Burleigh and Candoe, the district is too large and scattered. Our reeve, Robt. Shaw, is going to have a run at it, and I suppose the reeve of each municipality will do the same. Two of them can be elected, and no more. Councillor Shearer will run for reeve, and so also will Councillor Dewdney. I hear, too, that some would like to bring out Mr. Henry Seymour. He would run well in the north, and would have friends on this side.—Bobcaygeon Independent.

High Class Concert.

Miss Mabel Chambers, daughter of Mrs. Chambers, the well-known Peterborough vocalist, has been abroad for several years studying music, is in town, arranging for a high-class concert to be held in the opera house on Dec. 3rd. She will be assisted by the best local talent, and is accompanied by Miss Belasco. A Montreal exchange speaks as follows concerning the talented young ladies: A large and thoroughly appreciative audience was present in the Association Hall last evening, when two Montreal young ladies, Miss Mabel Chambers and Miss Bertha Belasco, who for several years past have been studying music abroad, made their initial bow to a Montreal audience. Both young ladies received a flattering reception, and deservedly so, for their talent has had the best of training in Europe. Miss Chambers is the possessor of a remarkably sweet and flexible soprano voice. Her upper notes are particularly fine, and she sings with much artistic expression. Miss Belasco is a pianist of great ability and, with Miss Chambers, will be a decided acquisition to musical society in Montreal. Her rendition of Chopin's Etude A Flat and Etude F Flat and Liszt's Nocturne were rapturously encored. She is also a most sympathetic accompanist. Miss Chambers' numbers were Mendelssohn's "Zuleika," Greig's "Slumber Song" and "Love Has Eyes," by Bishop. All three showed her finely cultivated voice to advantage and an encore was demanded. Professor Goulet had to respond to an enthusiastic encore for his rendition of the "Intgans Tasse." Mr. A. Hodgson is too well known to need much praise, but it is sufficient to say that he was particularly happy in choosing Schubert's serenade, "Oh! That We Two Were Maying," for it suited his voice admirably. Miss Chambers was also heard in the aria "With Verdure Clad," which was beautifully rendered. The programme opened with Greig's sonata for piano and violin by Miss Belasco and Prof. Goulet and was charming. Mr. Emery Lavigne and Mr. J. Henry Robinson, Montreal's two favourite accompanists, played with their usual good taste.

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—A special meeting of the Board of Education has been called for this evening.

—Mr. D. A. Fraser, of Norwood, has purchased from Mr. Isaac Dunn, of Trent Bridge, a white mink skin.

—The Myra Collins Company, consisting, amongst others, those favourites, Myra Collins, Lee Kellam and Danny Simons, arrived in town this morning.

—On Tuesday Mr. H. J. Douglas, of Warkworth, shipped via C.P.R. to Brandon, Manitoba, a pair of Ayrshire cattle, the express on which amounted to $106.

—In Owen Sound gaol, containing 32 cells, there are now confined 59 prisoners, including 36 vagrants. Of the five females three are vagrants and one is insane. Many of the inmates have to sleep on shake-downs in the corridors.

—The Listowel Banner says that the oldest deer hunter in the province this season was probably John Gofton, proprietor of the Gofton house, Wroxeter, who is 80 years of age, but is a keen hunter, a dead shot, and a thorough sportsman.

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—Last week Mr. Martin F. Clark, of Belmont, was out hunting in Methuen township with a party of sportsmen from Percy and Seymour, and while going along the west side of the mountain one morning, to set out the dogs, he went to step over a bluff when he missed his footing and fell upon a sharp stone, breaking two of his ribs.

—A school teacher from Methuen township, named W. J. McLean, appeared before County Police Magistrate Edmison at Havelock last week on the charge of assaulting George McGinnis. McGinns blamed McLean for meddling with the harness of a horse which he was hitching up for two ladies. McLean denied it and a fight ensued in which McGinnis lost several teeth. The teaher was fined $5 and costs—over $25 in all.

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HO! NED!

A Forgotten Hero—An Incident of 1885.

MR. EDITOR,—The subject of Batoche has been so thoroughly threshed out that one ventures at this late date only with much diffidence to revive memories of those stirring days. But honours were so easy for some officers whose names appeared in general despatches that the temptation is natural to present for local drill shed chat the name of a real hero who was with us, but whose praises have never been sung. The name will be new to most members of your battalion, although long since safely embalmed in the hearts of the Peterborough, Belleville, Campbellford and Lindsay men of 1885.

Residents of the effete east, who have not seen some western life, will wonder what manner of man it was who was known to us more travelled ones as "Ho! Ned!" But the explanation is simple, the custom in that country being, when it is desired to attract the attention of a person not just at hand to add the prefix "Ho!" and then intone the combination as loudly as deemed necessary. Ned, the ubiquitous and indispensable mate of our "troopship," the Northcote, was ever in demand, and the cry "Ho! Ned!" rang so constantly in our ears that we soon associated him with none other than this hybrid name.

Ned had just graduated with honour and a war medal from the corps of Canadian Voyageurs to whom had been entrusted, in the Soudan campaign for the relief of Gordon, the transportation of the boats and stores for the required distance up the river Nile and over its perilous and almost impassable cataracts. He made his first bow to us from the deck of the Northcote at Saskatchewan landing, about forty miles north of Swift Current on the C.P.R. So large a steamer having never before, as we are told, navigated the Lower Saskatchewan to such a distance, Ned was much elated over the successful result of this pioneer attempt.

The steamer and floats (barges) alongside having been loaded and headed down stream, Ned was at once and constantly, while we were shipmates, very much in evidence, our beau ideal from the start. For the recruit there is always a halo about the soldier who has really and truly had his baptism of fire, especially with the troops of Her Majesty's army. Here was our own adopted Ned who had seen service with the colours in Egypt; who had been where Arabs, crocodiles, enteric fever and shot and shell were more regular and abundant than army rations, whose tunic had faded beneath the African sun and been torn by jagged rocks! All gave him a pre-empted title to our hero worship. And then again his handsome, manly face, sturdy and well set up figure, soldierly bearing and modesty withal, strengthened his claim to distinction. But when, on further acquaintance, we took our paragon out from the imaginary glass case in which we had at first enshrined him, all the foregoing virtues were found to be excelled in degree by his expert and familiar acquaintance with such things of the earth, earthy, as proclaim the true "Tommy Atkins."

Ned could move for a distance of about an inch a hoop of the keg of hospital whiskey, bore a gimlet hole where the hoop had been, extract a sample and defy the surgeon's vigilance, noiselessly and with the utmost neatness and despatch. To plug up the hole and restore the hoop was "dead easy." Malaria, rheumatism and bilge water had thus no terror for us. To add any desired quantities to our regulation rations of tea and sugar was child's play to him. In draw-poker he found a never failing and congenial method of adding to his income. And as to the knowledge of navigating the Norabcote, whose ways as will be seen, were peculiar, the Midland detachment, Gatling Howard and his gun, and several hundred tons of supplies might, without him, not have reached Batoche in time to be of service, except by special arrangement with the enemy.

No complaint can be made of the lower Saskatchewan as regards its length and breadth; but as to depth, a heavy dew or vigorous moistening with a lawn sprinkler would afford about as practicable a channel for a steamboat as did the natural watershed in the spring of 1885. As the Northcote and her consorts called for at least eighteen inches of water, navigation would necessarily have been difficult, but add to this inconvenience that of sandbars at every few hundred yards and it will be admitted that Ned was kept busy defending us from the perils of those that go down to the sea in ships. Seated on deck at the bow, leg suspended in mid-air, he held a pole, at the further end of which certain numbers of feet were marked off by means of pieces of red flannel. This pole he would regularly plunge into the water and as regularly announce the result in rhythmic baritone for the information of the wheelhouse. "Three feet," "four feet full, five feet scant," or "no bottom" were the ever varying quotations, anything over five feet implied "the dark, unfathomed caves of ocean." But despite all Ned's experience and vigilance, sandbars would assert themselves so frequently, sometimes, indeed, so very promptly after the audacious announcement that there was no bottom that our progress, when not slow, was nil. The Northcote was supposedly amphibious. In order that she might extricate herself when necessary from the gentle embrace of mother earth, she was equipped forward with two giant upright poles overhanging the water. From the top of each, a rope led through a pulley on deck to the engine. Starting the engine the ropes would tauten and, in theory, lift the steamer bodily over and beyond all troubles of terra firma. It was only a theory, however, the utility of which might possibly have been demonstrated had the poor, wheezy old engine been equipped with proper fuel; but the scout supplies of dozy cottonwood, cut and carried with some little profanity by the soldiers when it, the wood was to be found, could but seldom develop the necessary energy. It, therefore, often fell to the lot of the poor red coats to pile overboard and reinforce the engine and the theory with good brawn and muscle. When that did not suffice, the cargo must be unloaded and carried ashore, the bar passed and the goods reloaded. Amid all such miseries, and many more, and the disappointment at the delay in getting to the front, Ned's endless work and happy ways made him a typical Mark Tapley and an inspiring example.

Two weeks of this luxurious summer outing on the river brought us to Fish Creek, where we joined the column under General Middleton, which had, a few days before, met the enemy at that place with doubtful result. The Northcote, C School of infantry and, of course, Ned proceeded to Batoche, whither we followed afoot. Here the scenery was beautiful, the air fresh, every condition for a pleasant summer resort was at hand and our reception by the natives fully as warm as could have been desired. But they are practical jokers, those fellows, and we don't play in their back yards any more. But thereby hangs the tale with which, after so lengthy a peramble, we will dismiss "Ho Ned."

The orders, I heard, were that the Northcote should proceed a distance down the river, await a signal from the column ashore and then advance abreast of Batoche, where the men of C School could pepper the enemy. By some mischance, the machinery went amiss or the fuel gave out and the steamer drifted down stream afoul of the Batoche ferry cable. The vessel could only be liberated by lifting the cable and passing under it. This was accomplished, and the drifting allowed to continue to a distance where, with greater safety, repairs could be made to the smokestack and attachments injured by the cable. Arrived there and anchored, who was to go aloft, make repairs and probably be filled as full of holes as a colander? Who would leave his little Mimsey for some other Gogo? Ah! no! Life is said to be sweet. The crew, one by one, politely but firmly declined; all but "Ho! Ned!" who stripped off his tunic and placed it on the end of a pole, and fastened the pole so that the tunic would be visible ashore and concentrate the enemy's fire. The tunic was instantly shot through and through, while Ned rushed aloft, did his work quickly and well, and miraculously returned safe, sound and laughing.

Ned had none of the inducements to gallantry offered to enlisted men. There was in view no Victoria Cross, pension or funeral with military honours. He simply "seen his dooty and did it then and thar."

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UNEXPECTED DEATH OF THOS. TELFORD.

HE PASSED AWAY ON SATURDAY EVENING LAST.

Although He has Been Unwell for the Past Four Years and Quite Ill at Times Since Last January, his Death Comes as a Great Shock to the Community.

The death of Mr. Thos. Telford occurred on Saturday evening last at twenty minutes to eight o'clock, and in his demise Peterborough county lost one of its oldest residents.

Thos. Telford, deceased, was born in Leitholm, Scotland, on January 6th, 1822. He was a member of the Presbyterian church since the early age of 16. He was married at Leitholm on Oct. 20th, 1844, to Jane Ingles, of Crossrig, Scotland, who is seven months his senior and still survives him. To their union nine children were born—six girls and three boys. Of these 6 are still living—four girls and two boys: Mrs. R. Foster, of Peterborough; Mrs. Jos. H. Lowe, of Emily; Robert, of Peterborough; Mrs. W. H. Foord, of Peterborough; Mrs. Richard Record, of Ashburnham, and Thos. G., of Rochester, N.Y.

In 1848 the deceased and his wife came to America, first settling in New York City for a short time. They then came to Peterborough county, where Mr. Telford followed his trade as mason for nine years, then moving to a farm in the township of Eanismore, where 33 years were spent. Six years ago they retired to Peterborough, where they lived at the time of his death.

The deceased, who was an elder brother of the late Wm. Telford, of Smith, the poet, was widely known by reason of the fact that for the past eighteen years he has been connected with the Meteorological Service of the Province of Ontario, being appointed in 1878 to an office requiring him to keep track of the rainfalls as they occurred. In 1890 he was supplied with the necessary instruments, and since that time has kept a most accurate record of the temperature, and to him the town owes a debt of gratitude for the faithful manner in which he discharged his duties, as proven by the reports which were furnished in the evening papers, with a regularity which

WAS MOST GRATIFYING.

The record was actually kept until Sunday evening, when the last entry was made in the register.

The deceased was one of the organizers of the local branch of St. Andrew's Society thirty-four years ago and since that time has been an honoured member in good standing and has occupied the presiding chair for several years. He was also the secretary-treasurer of the Eanismore branch of the Patrons of Husbandry for six or seven years.

Whilst residing in Eanismore Mr. Telford was elected to the office of councillor for two years and afterwards held the position of township clerk for five years. He was appointed a justice of the peace in 1876, and for seven years was the secretary treasurer of Myrtle cheese factory.

Whilst living on his farm in Eanismore, the deceased at the same time pursued his avocation as a mason and under his direction the Hilliard mill was erected, as well as a large number of the most substantial residences in Smithtown. The English church in Lakefield was also erected by him.

Mr. Telford was a member of the Presbyterian church since the early age of 16 years, and at the time of his death was connected with St. Andrew's church, town.

The funeral will take place from the family residence, No. 38 Paterson street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock to the Little Lake cemetery. The pallbearers will be the two sons of the deceased and his four sons-in-law, all of whom, together with his daughters, are in Peterboro ugh.

OBITUARY.

The Late Mrs. Jeremiah Corkery.

On Sunday Margaret Kelleher, relict of the late Jeremiah Corkery, entered into rest at the age of 73 years. The deceased lady was a native of County Cork, Ireland. She came with her husband to Canada forty years ago and settled in the south ward, first occupying a house on George street, which has since been burned. In the fall of 1878 death deprived her of her husband. She has been an invalid for many years, suffering from rheumatism, but her last illness was of only one week's duration. She leaves six direct descendants to mourn her loss, Messrs. John, Thomas, Peter and Miss Corkery, town, and Messrs. James and Michael Corkery, residing in the Parry Sound district. The late Mrs. Corkery, by virtue of her long residence in town, had a wide circle of acquaintances, who, with the community in general, held her in very high esteem. The funeral takes place tomorrow (Tuesday) from the family residence, 169 Perry street, at 3 o'clock p.m.

Death of the Widow of the Late Dr. Coulter.

The following obituary is taken from the Blue Rapids (Kansas) Times of Nov. 12th: The people of Blue Rapids and vicinity were shocked to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Wm. Coulter, which occurred at the family residence, Genesee street, Tuesday, 3rd inst, at 10 p.m. She was surrounded by her husband and all her children living in Blue Rapids, and died quietly in the arms of her daughter, Mrs. Laughlin, who has been devoted to her attendance during a period of nearly two years. The bereaved husband and family have the sympathy of the entire community in their affliction. Mr. Coulter has been a resident of Blue Rapids for 22 years, coming from Peterborough, Ontario, Canada. She was born in Dublin, Ireland, in 1826, the only daughter of an officer in the British army, and removed to Canada in 1841, when her father had retired from active service. She was married in 1843 to Dr. Wm. Coulter, of Peterborough, Canada, a practicing physician and druggist of that place, and reared a family of ten children, all but one of whom are living to-day. Her sons, Doctors C. L. Coulter, of New York city, and Harold L. Coulter, of St. Joseph, Mo., who was absent in Utah at the time of her death, were unable to arrive in time for the funeral. Mrs. Coulter had suffered from dropsy due to endocarditis, during a period of two years. Her first attack responded readily to treatment, and she had been enjoying fair health until about ten months ago, when she was again attacked. Everything that medical skill could do was done by her physician, Dr. Plehn, whose diagnosis and treatment of her case has been confirmed by the best physicians of St. Joseph and her son, Dr. Coulter, of New York. Mrs. Coulter had just returned on Saturday evening, the 31st ult., from a visit to her son, H. B. Coulter of St. Joseph, and while feeling fatigued from the effects of her journey, no serious results were anticipated. She was conscious until seven o'clock Tuesday evening, when her breathing became difficult and she quietly passed away. The funeral service took place on Friday at 2 p.m., at the family residence, and was conducted by Rev. W. N. McHarg, assisted by Rev. F. Dametz. The members of the Methodist choir sang appropriate hymns. The casket was covered by beautiful floral offerings from loving friends. The remains were interred in Prospect Hill Cemetery.

AGRICULTURAL CONVENTIONS.

Meetings to be Held During December and January—Many Prominent Speakers Will be Present.

During next month and the beginning of January, 1897, a large number of conventions will be held in different parts of Ontario to advance the interests of agriculture and kindred industries. Those so far arranged are as follows:—

Ontario Poultry Association, at Guelph, December 11th to 16th. During the convention addresses will be delivered by Prof. Mills, of the Agricultural College, and either Hon. John Dryden or his deputy, Mr. C. C. James.

Dominion Cattle Breeders' Association, at Guelph, December 7. Sheep Breeders' Association, at Guelph, December 9, and Swine Breeders' Association December 10. Hon. John Dryden will preside at these meetings.

Ontario Fruit Growers' Association, at Kingston, December 2nd.

Ontario Beekeepers' Association, in Toronto, December 8, 9 and 10.

Eastern Ontario Poultry and Pet Stock Association at Ottawa, December 29, 30, 31 and January 1.

Eastern Ontario Dairyman's Association, at Brockville, January 6, 7, 8. The speakers at this convention will be Hon. John Dryden, Hon. Sidney Fisher, ex-Governor Hoard, of Wisconsin, and Profs. Robertson, Fletcher, Dean and Ruddick.

Dairymen's Association, Western Ontario, at Brantford, January 19, 20, 21. Speakers, Hon. Sidney Fisher, Hon. John Dryden, Hon. Thos. Ballantyne, Stratford, Hon. A. S. Hardy, ex Governor Hoard, Andrew Pattullo, M. P. P., Woodstock, Profs. Robertson and Dean and Mr. J. H. Mowat, of Illinois.

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Georgina Island Indians and Fishing Privileges.

DISPUTE OVER MINING MACHINERY

British Columbia Firm Wanted to Get in a Chicago-Made Tramway Free of Duty But it Didn't Work—Jamaica Man Searching for Agricultural Knowledge.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 20.—The Indians of Georgina Island, Lake Simcoe, have asked permission of the department to use gill nets during the close season for the purpose of catching fish for domestic use. As Lake Simcoe is one of the famous pleasure and angling resorts of Ontario, the Fisheries Department has prohibited the use in it of nets of every kind. Two years ago the Indians, on the representations of the Indian Department, were allowed to use gill nets during the close season for catching fish for domestic purposes. It was found, however, that the concession was grossly abused, large quantities of fish being shipped to market. The department does not propose to allow a repetition of such action, and has simply granted permission to the Indians to use trolls during the close season, this method of fishing furnishing them with ample supplies of food.

Rev. W. Sims, principal of University College, Jamaica, who has been commissioned by the Governor of that colony to enquire into the system of experimental farms and agricultural colleges in Canada, arrived here to-day and saw the leading officers of the Department of Agriculture. Mr. Sims will visit the experimental farm to-morrow, and then go on to Toronto and Guelph. The Jamaica Government purposes establishing an agricultural college and dairy schools, and Mr. Sims secured some valuable information from Prof. Robertson and Statistician Johnson.

An interesting dispute over the importation of what is alleged to be mining machinery has arisen between the Lillooet, Fraser River and Cariboo Gold Fields Company and the Customs Department. Under the tariff mining and smelting machinery of a class or kind not manufactured in Canada is admitted duty free. Under this item, which is usually liberally interpreted by the department, large quantities of mining machinery have been so imported into the Dominion. The Lillooet Company is anxious to bring in what is known as an Otto tramway to be utilized for conveying quarts from the company's mines to the concentrator. It is classed by the shippers, a Chicago firm, as "machinery," but the department can hardly see it in that light. The shippers have made the customary declaration that the tramway is "machinery of a class or kind not made in Canada." The department, however, holds that it is made in Canada and quotes the names of three different firms turning such "machinery" out.

Mr. R. F. Holterman of Brantford, secretary of the Ontario Beekeepers' Association, had an interview to-day with officials of the Inland Revenue Department on the subject of inspection of honey. The association desires that the departmental inspection should be conducted on practical lines, and to that end Mr. Holterman invited the chief analyist, Mr. MacFarlane, to attend the meeting of the Provincial Beekeepers, to be held shortly in Toronto. The Controller has given his consent, and Mr. MacFarlane will attend the gathering.

The steamer Ida sank in the Rideau Canal locks this morning. She had to cut through some frozen sawdust at the foot of the locks, which tore holes in her sides. When the vessel sank the water was at once let out and carpenters repaired her so that the boat was able to reach her wharf to unload: 65 barrels of sugar were destroyed by the water getting to them.

The assistant engineer of the Soulanges Canal, Mr. Allison, has been dismissed. It is said he was responsible for the late trouble between the department and the contractor, Mr. Stewart.

The Postmaster-General is contemplating a re-arrangement of the work done by the staff employed in the Montreal postoffice. Mr. Sweetnam, Postoffice Inspector, has been investigating the facts. Mr. Mulock has had his attention directed to other cases of stamp vending, similar to Toronto, and these have been summarily dealt with, the contract being usually handed over to the party who does the actual work. One stamp vending case was discovered at Halifax.

The Bristol iron mine, in which a number of Ottawa capitalists are interested, has filled a contract with a Pennsylvania firm for a thousand car loads of ore. They expect to make another big shipment next spring.

Messrs. E. A. C. Pew and F. P. Brazill of Toronto were here to-day and closed an important deal with two Ottawa men, Messrs. Desjardins and Pigeon, by which they acquire a splendid mica property. It is situated three miles from Gracefield on the Gatineau Valley Railway, and consists of some 200 acres. The price paid is not mentioned. A dozen men are engaged in the mine and 16 openings have been made. Mr. Horace Thorne will be the head of the new syndicate, which will place the property on the market.

The Ottawa retail merchants are anxious to have the hucksters fired out of Byward Market-square.

The capital had its first touch of winter last night, when the thermometer registered 20 degrees of frost.

The order in council appointing Major Kitson commandant of the Royal Military College has been passed.

Mr. Blair will accompany Mr. Davies to the Pacific Coast next week.

Capt. Douglas, R.N.R., leaves for the Maritime Provinces to-morrow to investigate certain charges of offensive partisanship preferred against two score of officers of the Marine and Fisheries Department.

Mr. Tarte leaves for the East on Sunday. He will visit Toronto on his way down.

To-morrow's Canada Gazette will contain the announcement of the appointment of Sir Casimir Gzowski to be Administrator of the Government of Ontario during the absence of Lieut.-Governor Kirkpatrick.

Rescued From the Deep.

London, Nov. 20.—The Norwegian brig S. N. Hansen, Captain Rasmussen, from Apalachicola, which arrived at Garston to-day, brought to port three of the crew of the American brig Mary T. Kimball, Captain Powers, from Mobile, August 29, for Guatanamo. The men were picked up on Oct. 3 in lat. 29n., long. 74w. The Kimball foundered Sept. 22, and her captain and four of the crew were lost.

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BURNETT GOES BACK.

Attorney-General Hardy Consents to His Being Handed Over to the Officer From Louisville, Ky.

Napanee, Nov. 20.—(Special.)—Officer W. R. Brown arrived on the train this morning from Louisville, Ky., to take back with him James Burnett, alias Robert Stone, wanted in Louisville on a charge of murder. Jailer Van Luven refused to surrender Burnett without an order from the County Judge. Officer Brown, Consular Agent Templeton and County Attorney Warner applied for the order, but Judge Wilkinson refused to grant it, whereupon leave was asked from the Attorney-General to surrender Burnett. The Attorney-General wired back to hand the prisoner over to the United States officer if he was willing to go. Burnett left for Louisville this afternoon in charge of Officer Brown.

John Ross Will Get After It.

Toronto, Nov. 21.

The oldest Masonic inscription in America was found at Annapolis, N.S., recently by Mr. R. G. Haliburton, formerly of Ottawa, a gentleman celebrated for scientific research. The inscription, which is upon stone, and bears the date, 1606, has been lent by its owner to Mr. Sandford Fleming, who has deposited it at the Canadian Institute in this city. For years the curio was supposed to have been lost. Mr. Haliburton, who is staying at the Rossin House, proposes handing it over to some responsible Masonic institute which will undertake to properly treasure it.

Gold From the Antipodes.

San Francisco, Nov. 20.—The steamer Alameda, which arrived from Auckland yesterday, brought $2,160,000 gold.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is quiet, and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.10 to $4.25, but no sales reported.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices steady; dealers asking $7.50 west. Shorts, $9 to $9.50 west.

Wheat—The market is dull, and the feeling unsettled. Red and white are quoted outside at 84c to 85c. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 81c afloat, Fort William; it is quoted at 88c on track, Midland, and at 92c lake and rail, Toronto.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with sales at 29c to 30c west.

Barley—Trade dull, with No. 1 quoted at 35c to 37c, No. 2 at 30c and No. 3 extra 26c outside.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 21c to 21½c, and mixed at 20c to 20½c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady; sales at 40c to 42½c, north and west.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 35c east.

Corn—Market dull, with prices easy at 27c to 28c at outside points.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The offerings to-day were 40 car loads, of which 30 came in to-day. The demand for export cattle was fair and prices are unchanged at 3½c to 3¾c per lb. Really choice animals are worth 4c. Bulls, for export, 3c to 3½c. There were few choice butchers' cattle, and they would bring 3c to 3¼c per lb.; medium butchers' at 2½c to 2¾c, and inferior at 2c to 2½c. Offerings are chiefly confined to inferior grades. Milch cows unchanged at $25 to $40 each, and calves firm at $3 to $5.50 per head.

Sheep and lambs in good supply and prices somewhat easier. Export sheep sold at 2¾c to 3c per lb., and bucks at 2¼c to 2½c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3c to 3½c per lb.

Hogs in fair offer and prices unchanged. The best sold at 3¾c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3½c to 3¾c, light weights at 3¾c, sows at 2¾c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Nov. 20.—Spring wheat, 6s 11d to 7s 2d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 0d to 7s 7d; corn, 3s 0½d; peas, 4s 9d; pork, 30s; lard, 20s 3d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 29s 6d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow, 19s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Wheat on passage weak and 6d lower. English country markets dull. Maize on passage weak.

Liverpool—Spot wheat dull; futures weak at 6s 8½d for Dec. and Jan., and 6s 8¼d for Feb. and March. Maize quiet at 3s 0¼d for Nov. and Dec., and 2s 11½d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 6d.

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PROF. HUGO'S THANKS

BY DAVID A. CURTIS.

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It was a cry for help.

Professor Hugo laid down his geological hammer and put the specimen he had just chipped off carefully away in his knapsack, and then straightened up, listening. He never did anything in a hurry.

Again the cry sounded. It was a girlish voice, and it sounded from down the mountain. He was half way up the side. "Help! Help! Quick!"

"I better go, maybe," muttered the professor in his queer German speech, and then he raised his voice and shouted: "Fear not! I come!"

One could not say he hurried even then, but there was no hesitation, and there was not a misstep.

Presently he stopped and listened. Hearing nothing, he called out: "Where you are now? Call out to me again!"

"Right here. Oh, come quick!" answered the voice only a few yards to the right. Stepping around a bowlder that was lodged on the mountain side, he saw a young girl lying flat on the grass. Before she could speak he understood her peril.

She was almost at the edge of a cliff not less than 40 feet in height, and below her was a mass of jagged rocks. The slope on which she lay was steep, and the short grass that covered it was so dried and burned by the sun that it was as slippery, almost, as ice. Moreover, the soil in which it grew was hardly more than a sheet of forest mold over a smooth rock, and there was no chance for her to get even a slight hold by digging her fingers into it.

"You are hurt? No?" he asked quickly.

"No, sir," answered the girl as coolly as if she had been lying on a sofa. "But every time I try to move I slip a little nearer the edge, and there is nothing to keep me from falling over if I slip any farther."

"That is right," said the professor, "and it is good for you that I hear. Lie still now, and I will soon up get you."

It was not so easy, however, as it looked and as he at first thought it was. On either side of her he could get within some 20 feet of where she was without venturing on the treacherous grass himself and so losing his own foothold. But, though he could have held out a stick or improvised a rope that she could reach across that distance, it would not do to pull her along the edge without some stay from the upper part of the slope, and that was fully 30 feet above her.

"I could go for a rope," he said presently, after he had studied the situation a moment, "but how far away is some house? I do not know."

"It would take you an hour to go and get back," said the girl. "Can you not do something else? If I had only a little thing to hold on to, I could crawl back, but I dare not"—

"No, no, Franklin!" interrupted the professor. "You must lie still. I will something do."

Opening his knapsack, he fumbled inside of it for a moment and drew out a stout gray flannel shirt. This he tore into strips, and, knotting the strips together, he had in a little while a string long enough to reach across the dangerous slope. As he worked he chatted with the girl, who was cool enough now that some one was near to aid her.

She had been picking berries, she told him, and, although she knew the ground well and understood how treacherous the grassy slopes were, after the late summer sun scorched them, she had slipped from pure carelessness, and, falling, she had slid out of reach of the bushes. Struggling to rise, she had slipped farther and farther toward the edge until she realized that her only chance of safety was to lie still and call for help.

"And I was so thankful when I heard you answer," she said, "for I did not know but I would have to lie here till they missed me at home and came out to search for me."

"Yes, it was good that I study the rocks today," said the professor. "But now lie still some more till my rope shall touch your fingers. Then do not too hard pull it, for it is not so strong. But it will help you a little, and you can up the hill creep carefully." And he tied a small stone to one end of the string and slid it down toward her till she grasped it, he holding the other end.

It was very easy then for her, having something to steady her, to make her way upward to where he stood, at the edge of the slope, holding the string firmly. All went well till she came within reach of his outstretched hand, when, as he stooped to lift her to her feet, his own footing gave way, and he fell headlong beside her on the slippery grass.

He strove in vain to stop himself, grasping frantically at the grass, which broke as he clutched it. Carried swiftly by the momentum of his fall, he slipped smoothly down to the very edge and over it, falling, with a loud cry, sheer over the cliff.

The girl called out twice, but there was no answer, and with a terrible fear lest she should find only a lifeless body she hastened around by the nearest practicable way to the foot of the cliff.

He was not dead, as he found immediately. But when he tried to rise he could not.

"My leg is broken," he said, "and I am bad hurted on my inside. You must now to me bring help, for I am as you were."

"Yes, yes," answered the girl. "I will go. But how can you stay alone? It will be more than an hour before I can get anybody here who can carry you to the house."

"Ach! That is bad," said the professor. "But I will do as I can best. If you will look my knapsack in and give me the little flask there, I can wait, but be not longer as you can help."

"I will be as quick as I can," said the girl after she had brought the knapsack to him and given him a drink.

It was a long hour for the poor professor, and before it was over he had fainted, despite his flask, so that when John Bascom

HE UNDERSTOOD HER PERIL.

came back with his daughter he shook his head gravely, fearing that his help was too late. He could do nothing, however, but wait till his son should come up with the neighbors, for whom he had sent. And when they had carried him to the Bascom farmhouse and the village doctor had come and examined him and set his bones they found that they would have him to care for for several weeks.

"It seems kind o' hard it should be so, Maria, bein as you've got about all to do 't you can stand," said Mr. Bascom to his wife, "but I don't see as 'twould be decent not to care for him."

"Why, we've just got to, John," said Mrs. Bascom. "And dear sux knows we can't grudge him nothin. If it hadn't 'a' been for him Ella might 'a' been killed."

But if the Bascom household was poor in worldly goods, as it certainly was, and if it was a serious tax on the family purse to provide the medicines the sufferer needed and a drain on the strength of the mother and daughter to nurse him as assiduously as they did, no hint of these facts appeared. The professor was not allowed to want for anything that could be had, nor did he see any but a cheerful countenance in the house. He was not blind, however, nor was he backward about asking questions when he recovered sufficiently to talk.

He went straight to the point with a directness that would have seemed grossly impertinent in a neighbor, but which appeared childlike simplicity in this queer foreigner who spoke such twisted English.

"What for do you stay where the land so poor is?" he asked one day. "You are a farmer. Why do you not sell and to the

THE PROFESSOR'S EYES GLEAMED.

west go? There you will do better as here, where your fields are all tipped on one side up and rock full."

"Well, I've had a sort o' hankerin to go west for a long spell," said Mr. Bascom, "but 'tain't so easy to sell when there ain't anybody seekin to buy. I stay here because the farm's mine, an there ain't nothin else that is. I never could get forehanded enough to make a start, and it's all I can do to make a livin here."

"But the boy," said the professor, "will he all his life stay here also and be poor?"

"No!" exclaimed the father almost angrily. "Not if I'm spared long enough to care for his mother till he gets a start. He's bent on schoolin, and his mother and I are goin to see't he gets it. He'll have to work his own way, though," added the old man, with a little sigh. "We can't help him much."

"Yes, that is good," said the professor. "It is better as a boy his own education get."

And after that he talked with young John. The boy was shy at first, but under the professor's blunt questioning he soon warmed up enough to talk of his ambition. He wanted to be a civil engineer, he said, and the professor found that he had laid a good foundation for an education in the village academy and had bought and mastered a few good books.

Moreover, he was observant. One day when the professor was almost well he was looking over the specimens in his knapsack when John came and looked on. "There's a good deal of that kind of rock on the east side of the farm," he said, pointing to one of the chips.

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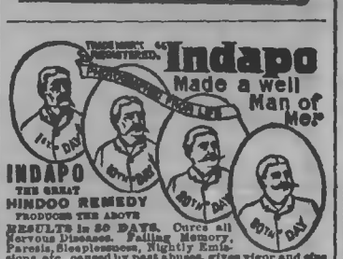
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Ladies' Gauntlets, extra choice Baltic Seal $5.00.
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DEATH OF MRS. GILBERT SCOTT, OF KINMOUNT.

The death of Mrs. Gilbert Scott of Kinmount, robs that village of one of its most respected and beloved citizens. Mrs. Scott had been suffering more or less from illness for the past couple of years, but the death of her eldest son, the late Searle W. Scott, last spring, gave her such a shock that her hold upon life seemed to gradually weaken ever since. Her sufferings were severe, but they were borne with Christian patience. She passed away peacefully on Sunday evening, November 15th, at the age of 68 years and 10 months surrounded by a large and devoted family, whose loving hearts and tender hands waited unceasingly upon her. They truly appreciated her worth and sincerely mourn her death.

The funeral took place on the following Tuesday, and was very largely attended, the people of Kimount and surrounding country turning out almost en masse, and there were many present from more distant localities.

At two o'clock the solemn procession was formed and the body, carried by six of Kinmount's most prominent citizens, was carefully borne to the Episcopal church, followed by mourning relatives numbering nearly forty persons; arriving at the church it was met by Rev. E. Soward, who read the beautiful burial services of the church and delivered an excellent address for the occasion, speaking most feelingly of her personal worth and example. On the arrival of the funeral cortege the church was found to be already half filled with female sympathizers belonging to the village and neighbourhood, and it was soon filled to overflowing, the great bulk of those in attendance remaining outside during the service. A large and efficient choir was in attendance, who rendered the hymns in solemn sweetness; Miss Graham at the close sang a solo, "Tired," very effectively and sympathetically. The covering of the glass top of the casket having been removed gave those present the opportunity of taking a last fond look at the still face. During this period the choir sang several beautiful hymns, at the conclusion of which the pall bearers transferred the body to the hearse, which stood awaiting its reception in front of the church. The procession re-formed, marching to the Kinmount cemetery, where all that was mortal of the beloved wife, mother and friend were solemnly and affectionately deposited in the bosom of mother earth.

"I escaped being a confirmed dyspeptic by taking Ayer's Pills in time." This is the experience of many. Ayer's Pills, whether as an after-dinner pill or as a remedy for liver complaint, indigestion, flatulency, water brash, and nausea, are invaluable.

GALWAY.

From our own Correspondent.

The municipal council of the Township of Galway met at the usual place on Nov. 12th, pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. On motion, arrears of taxes on lot 23, concession 10, was reduced to $5.59, and M. O'Brien allowed to work out the same on road leading to the said lot. On motion the Clerk was instructed to notify the County Treasurer that the Collector paid by order of council $36 92, arrears collected on lot 4, concession 4, and owed by this Council to M. Mansfield. On motion, the following are to be the polling divisions: From lot 20 east and north of Swamp lake, Cavendish included, poll to be at Austin J. Ford's; and from lot 21, west to the boundary, and south of Swamp lake included, poll to be at Mrs. Hartnett's, with nominations as usual. On motion, Daniel Sheehan was appointed Collector and Assessor for the year 1896-97, salary to be $29.75. Bylaw No. 177 received its several readings and was signed and sealed. On motion the Council proposes to sell at its next meeting lot 23 concession 12, lot 30 concession 18, and several other lots held by the Municipal Council. Parties interested should govern themselves accordingly. On motion, Council adjourned to meet on Dec, 15th next.

Parents Must have Rest.

A president of one of our Colleges says: "We spent many sleepless nights in consequence of our children suffering from colds, but this never occurs now. We use Scott's Emulsion and it quickly relieves pulmonary troubles."

THE TRADE RETURNS

Substantial Increase Shown for Four Months.

EXPORTS INCREASED LAST MONTH

But Imports Fell Off a Million—A Reduction Also in the Amount of Duty Collected—Who Will be Surgeon-General of the Militia?—Other Ottawa Items.

Ottawa, Nov. 22.—Trade returns for four months of the current fiscal year show an increase in exports amounting to $4,727,000 and imports of $2,163,000. For the past month the exports increased $1,469,000. The imports, however, fell off $1,095,000. There was a reduction in the amount of duty last month of $186,000, making the total revenue from customs for the four months $123,000 less than for the corresponding period last year.

The Free Press has some references to the vacant position of Surgeon-General of the Canadian militia. It says that Dr. Ryerson of Toronto is the only officer properly qualified to perform the duties, but his age and length of service are such as to hardly entitle him to the post. Dr. Borden's name is also mentioned for the office.

Mr. Justice Rose held a weekly sitting of the High Court yesterday, when the appeal of the County of Carleton from the award of the arbitrators fixing the amount to be paid by the city of Ottawa for jail and jury expenses for the next five years was argued. At the conclusion Judge Rose dismissed the appeal, basing his decision on the case of the County of York v. Toronto. The result of the arbitration is a net sum to the city of $2000 a year for the next five years.

The Customs Department has given its decision in the application for free admission of a wire tramway for use at the mine of the Lillooet, Fraser River and Cariboo Gold Fields Company. It is held that the tramway does not come under the category of mining machinery, but of transportation, and is therefore dutiable.

Messrs. Reford & Company, steamship agents in Montreal, telegraphed to the Marine Department yesterday asking that the buoys on the St. Lawrence might remain out a little longer in order to enable their vessels to get away to Europe with safety.

Rev. Mr. Horner, leader of a sect known in this section as the "Hornerites," and who applied to Parliament last session for an act of incorporation of the Wesleyan Methodist New Connection body, which request was refused by Parliament, now gives notice of application for incorporation of a religious body to be known as "The Holiness Movement" (or church).

Application is also being made to Parliament for charters to two roads in Southern British Columbia.

The deposits in postoffice savings banks last month exceeded withdrawals by $20,000.

The Government have had the lecture which Capt. Lee delivered in the different military camps this year printed and sent to officers of the force, in order that they may learn all about "mobilization," or how a military force should take the field.

Some 60,000 acres of swamp lands in Manitoba have been surveyed this year and set aside for purposes of the province.

Letters patent for incorporatioin have been granted to the S. S. Ryckman Medicine Company.

The Bridgburg and Black Rock Ferry Company have also been incorporated by letters patent.

Hon. Messrs. Fielding and Paterson returned to the city yesterday.

Sir Oliver Mowat returned to the city last evening.

From present appearances Gen. Gascoigne will not be able to take part in the Thanksgiving review at Toronto. He is under a promise to inspect the crack 43rd Battalion on that day.

The Grey Nuns have made an offer to the corporation to take over the Porter's Island Hospital and undertake to handle all cases of contagious diseases in the city.

ONE TRUST STRANGLED.

Collapse of the Great Wire Nail Monopoly Which Has Levied Tribute for a Year and a Half.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—A morning paper says: The great wire nail trust, which has levied tribute on the people of the United States and Canada since June 1, 1895, has collapsed, and will endeavor to wind up its affairs Dec. 1. Sales agents, representing mills within the pool, were yesterday scrambling to sell nails at $1.70 per keg in Chicago, which is precisely $1 below the trust's regular price, and jobbers were selling in lots of from one to 1000 kegs from store at $2 per keg. Before the end of the present week the price will undoubtedly be down to $1.25 per keg, or within 30 cents of the lowest price they ever sold here. The trust is thrown up both hands, and in a circular to the jobbers gives them liberty to sell at any price they please. Troubles have multiplied on the trust's head very rapidly during the last eight months. In that time the money which poured into its coffers during the early months of its career has had to be used to buy up at round prices the opposition mills which sprang up on all sides, as well as to meet a multitude of other expenses. Not the least of these was the maintenance of a regular force of inspectors almost as large as the Government secret service, to keep the members of the pool in line.

A $500,000 WINDFALL.

Mr. Covington, an Old Man Living in Stouffville, Has Just Been Notified of His Big Legacy.

Toronto, Nov. 22.

Word reached the city yesterday that an old man by the name of Covington, who was for years section boss on the Midland at Stouffville, Ont., has just been notified that his sister in England died the other day, leaving him a legacy of $500,000. The old man has been for some time in reduced circumstances, and the bequest means a sudden and tremendous bettering of his fortunes.

Four children share the benefit of the big legacy—two sons, William and Walter, proprietors of The Stouffville Free Press, and the unmarried daughters, Addie and Martha.

FOULLY DONE TO DEATH.

A Young Man Found Dying in the North End of Montreal.

Montreal, Nov. 21.—A mysterious case, in which it is believed a man was foully done to death, has been reported to the police. Thomas Cummings, a young man living on Canning-street, left his home yesterday morning and a few hours afterward was found in an unconscious condition in the north end of the city. He was brought to the hospital, where he lingered until the evening and expired. The man had evidently been the victim of foul play, having been brutally kicked. An inquest will be held.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c 50c. and $1.00.

WHOLE FAMILY INSANE.

Death of One of Their Number Sends Them Into Religious Delirium and All are Arrested.

New York, Nov. 22.—On the complaint of Father Dietrick, pastor of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Justice Bray of Vineland, N.J., yesterday issued warrants for the arrest of an entire family of religious fanatics, who broke up the services in the church last Sunday. The whole family are believed to be insane over the death of a member several months ago.

Since then they have been holding continual meetings of song and prayer on the grave and on the church steps. They even neglected to harvest their crops on their farm. Last Sunday they entered the church during consecration and turned the meeting into an uproar by their cries and peculiar actions. The family believe the eldest son, Louis Jorio, inspired by the Virgin Mary.

Officers arrested the father and two sons on the church steps this morning. When Justice Bray sent them to jail Louis, "the inspired one," produced a Bible and sang weirdly in the court room while the father and the other son danced about him.

Officers with difficulty removed the fanatics to their cells.

When Louis was searched a dagger was found concealed in his clothing.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucassus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined?

Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtasked, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then come the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

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320 Fancy Yorkshire Tweed Suits	6 00
300 Scotch Tweed Suits	7 90
200 Cheviot Suits	8 50
225 Fine Black Worsted, plain and fancy	10 00
Tweed Pants 75c, 85c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00.	
Fine Worsted Pants $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00.	
500 pair Men's Heavy Wool Full-cloth Pants	1 19
Men's Beaver Nap Overcoats	3 90
Fine Beaver Overcoats	5 50
Fine Worsted Overcoats	4 50
Fine Corkscrew Overcoats	6 00
Fine Melton Overcoats	7 00
Heavy Frieze Ulsters, from $3.50 to	7 00

Boy's Clothing.

$3.50 Boys' Reefers in genuine Frieze, heavy plaid lined, in grey and brown	$ 2 55
$2.75 Boys' Reefers, braided, sailor collar and good anchor buttons, sizes 22 to 27, for	1 95
$6.00 Youths' Frieze Ulsters in grey, brown and fawn, sizes 33 to 35 deep storm collar, lined with a heavy twilled lining	3 95
2.75 Boys' 2-piece double-breasted Suits, in brown and grey mixed Tweed, sizes 22 to 28, for	1 95
$1.50 Boys' Heavy 2-piece Suits, in blue and grey	99
$5.00 Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes to fit ages 10 to 13 years, trimmed with mohair binding and got up in every way first-class, for	2 95

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Men's Stiff Fur Felt Hats, in the latest English and American fall styles, in black and colours	$ 1 00
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Fedora Hats, New York styles, 50c, 70c. $1.	
Wide Leaf Soft Felt Hats, 40c, 50c and 75c.	
Men's Hard Felt Hats, from 25c up.	

It's the young men's trade we cater to, any if any old man want to look young they should buy their Hats at Gough's.

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500 pairs Women's fashionable toes $1.50 Button Shoes, at	$ 1 50
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200 pairs Ladies' Fine Dongola Kid button Boots, regular $2.25 at	1 70
Men's $4 patent Leather Calf Lace Boots	2 49
Men's Dongola $2.50 Laced Boots, made on the new pointed toe last	1 69
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For $2.50 — Swiss Lace Curtains, worth $3 50.
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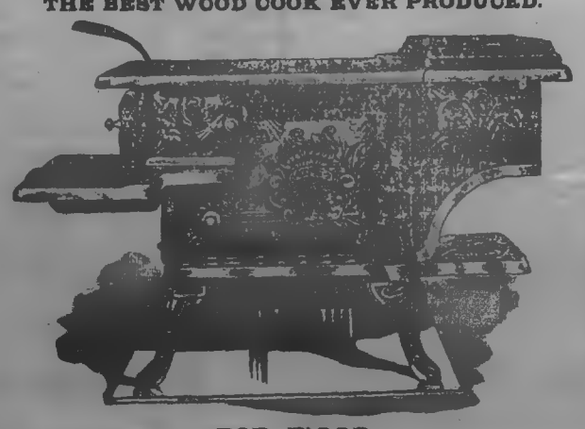

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OUR OTTAWA BUDGET

The Metric System of Weights and Measures.

NO TWO-CENT POSTAGE RATE YET.

The Postmaster-General Takes a Pointer From the Uncle Sam's Experience—Gen. Gascoigne Doesn't See What All the Fuss is About Over These Promotions.

Ottawa, Nov. 23.—(Special.)—A circular of the British Board of Trade announces that a bill will be re-introduced at the next session of the Imperial Parliament to make the metric system of weights and measures permissive in England, leaving for future effort the compulsory introduction of the system as was recommended by the Select Committee. Petitions asking for compulsory introduction of the metric system in Canada some time ago were plentifully showered upon the Department of Inland Revenue, but when interpellated in the House last session upon the subject, Sir Henri Joly, the Controller, announced that it was not the policy of Government to accede to the proposition for the use of the metric system being now permissive in this country.

From present appearances there is little prospect of the Postmaster-General acceding to the request of the Montreal and other Boards of Trade for a reduction of the internal postage rate to two cents. Officers of the department have been looking into the matter and have come to the conclusion that if penny postage were instituted it would swell the deficits of the department by about three-quarters of a million, or a million and a half all told, for the year. When the United States Government adopted the two cent rate there was an annual surplus as a result of the workings of the Postal Department. As soon as the rate was reduced this surplus was converted into a deficit amounting last year to over $9,000,000. The United States Government officials thought a reduction in the cost of postage would be met by a corresponding increase in correspondence, but it seems that they were mistaken in this calculation. Evidently the country had about reached the maximum amount of letter writing. Because people could send three letters at the former cost of two, it has not followed that three letters have been written. There has been no corresponding increase in the amount of letter writing, thus accounting for the annual deficit. The Canadian Government, profiting by the experience of the United States, does not propose to make any change in rates of postage, which, as things now stand, would simply mean putting money into one pocket and taking it out of another.

General Gascoigne had a talk with the Minister of Militia to-day regarding brevet promotions of officers of the permanent corps.

In the course of a conversation with your correspondent the General said he could not understand the reason for the outcry against the recent promotions. Personally he held the view that it was only fair and just to give the permanent corps a position equal to that of the active force. The chief duty of officers of the permanent force was as instructors, and for this reason it was only right to place those officers in a position nearly equal to those they would be called upon to instruct. It must be borne in mind, moreover, that the chances of promotion in the permanent corps were much smaller than was the case with the active force. When the matter was better understood he thought the active force would see the justice of the recent action of the department. As far as he was aware, the promotions had been made simply on the ground that he had stated, viz., to raise the status of these officers as instructors. It must be borne in mind that all the officers promoted possessed first-class grade A certificates, and personally he (the General) would not be sorry if the Minister gave the brevet rank to all officers of the active militia who possessed such qualifications.

No official confirmation of the report that the Government has decided to purchase the Baie des Chaleurs Railway can be obtained, but it looks very much like as if the step were in contemplation. Mr. Ridout, one of the engineers of the Railways Department, and Mr. Beauchemin, a Quebec engineer, are at present examining the road. If the Government decides to buy it will be operated as a branch of the Intercolonial.

Notice will appear in The Canada Gazette next Saturday of application to Parliament for a charter to build the Fort Frances and Pacific Railway, a line projected from Wabigoon, on the C. P. R., through the Manitou country to Rainy River, and touching at nearly all the chief mining camps. Electricity will be the motive power used, and it is expected to generate it by means of the splendid water powers along the route.

A deputation representing the Ottawa Typographical Union waited on Hon. R. W. Scott, Secretary of State, on Saturday, and made some suggestions regarding the employment of printers in the Governent printing bureau. What the delegates principally desired was that about one hundred of the hands in the bureau should be made permanent, so that they would not at any time be liable to be laid off when a slackness of work came on. They held that the balance of the staff would be extra hands, and that when any men were suspended for a time for want of work they should be drawn from the extra hands. Mr. Scott promised to consider the matter.

An order-in-council has been passed awarding a handsome binocular glass to the master of the Italian vessel Jeresina, for humane services rendered to the crew of the Yarmouth schooner Zebina Goudey, which was discovered by the Italian vessel to be in a sinking condition on the Atlantic last August. The crew were taken off the Coudey and treated with great kindness and landed at Bangor, Maine.

With reference to the proposed action of the Toronto committee charged with the arrangements of the International Epworth League to invite President McKinley to Canada next summer, it is pointed out that it is contrary to the constitution of the United States for the President to leave the country during his term of office, hence it is altogether unlikely that the invitation will be accepted.

Mr. C. P. Beroard of the Postoffice Department, who has been suffering lately from the effects of a bullet which he received in his leg during the Franco-German war, left to-day for Montreal to undergo an operation in the Royal Victoria Hospital. He hopes the bullet will be located by means of the X rays.

Mr. Speaker Edgar has arrived in the city and will be here for a few days transacting business pertaining to the House of Commons staff.

Hon. Dr. Borden returned to the city to-day from Quebec. He goes to Toronto Wednesday night to attend the Thanksgiving Day review.

General Gascoigne will remain here on Thursday in fulfilment of his promise to inspect the 43rd Battalion on that day.

According to advices which have reached the Agriculture Department, the epidemic of hog cholera is abating in Essex County.

Capt. Douglas of the Marine Department will investigate charges of political partisanship made against officers of the Railways and Customs Departments, as well as the Marine and Fisheries.

The Fisheries Department is advised that the cruiser Petrel has made another important seizure in Lake Erie. Some 35 nets, the property of Lay Bros. of Sandusky, have been confiscated.

Hon. George E. Foster declines to say anything for publication on the Manitoba school question.

The Graduates' Association of Queen's University resident in Ottawa have elected Dr. Thorburn as president.

EXIT SPANISH HOPES.

General Colazo Says, With the Valuable Aid of the United States, the Cuban Cause Will Triumph.

Tampa, Fla., Nov. 23.—Gen. Colazo writes to his family in this city from Santo Tomas, Eastern Cuba, saying: "The excellent and intelligent way with which our friends in the United States have worked and the rapid arrival of expedition after expedition means the exit of all Spanish hopes.

"I cannot give exact figures, but can say we have at least 23,000 fully equipped men and 3000 more properly drilled ready to take their places in the army as soon as we have means to arm them. In the last revolution of ten years we never had more than 8000 men armed, and we were always short of ammunition. Now we have three times as many men, a plentiful supply of ammunition and a perfect faith in our ultimate triumph.

"It seems the Spanish have lost all hope of ruling here, but they believe in accumulating forces in the Vuleta Abajo (Pinar del Rio) district. They are going to pacify the island in sections. They will soon find out their mistake. Each locality has its own forces, thoroughly acquainted with the country they defend, always on the watch and fighting independently wherever they are most needed."

NIAGARA FALLS NOTES.

New Industry Family Nearly Asphyxiated by Coal Gas.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—The Niagara Falls metal works are putting in a mayyenble iron foundry, the contract for which is let to Newman Bros. of St. Catharines. These works for the manufacture of harness hardware, are the largest of their kind in Canada, and it is a new industry at this place, having only been in operation a few months. Additions and extensions are rapidly being added to the plant, and the works are promising a big industry.

William Webb, a carpenter, while at work on a new residence being erected on Queen street, fell from a scaffolding this morning and sustained serious internal injuries.

Alfred Smith, wife and three children of Niagara Falls South, were almost asphyxiated by coal gas while asleep last night. The whole family would probably have died had not the eldest son regained enough consciousness to realize the situation and admit fresh air to the house. They ... since been very ill.

MOTHER-IN-LAW CASE

The Trial of Lady Tina Scott in London.

GREAT CROWD IN THE COURT ROOM

Sir Frank Lockwood Outlines the Prosecution's Side and Vigorously Denounces the Alleged Effort to Extort Blackmail Prince of Wales at Blenheim.

London, Nov. 23.—The trial of Lady Tina Scott, mother of Countess Russell, and the other defendants, Cockerton, Kast and Aylott, upon a charge of criminally libelling Earl Russell, Lady Scott's son-in-law, began in the Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey, this morning. The court room was crowded, most of the spectators being persons well known in fashionable life. Sir Frank Lockwood, Q. C., for the prosecution, stated that Kast and Aylott were cabin boys on board Earl Russell's yacht in 1883 and that Cockerton was the engineer of the vessel. Since that time the Earl had never seen any of them.

Counsel then referred to the Earl's unhappy marriage and the disgusting charges which had been brought against him by Countess Russell at the instigation of her mother, Lady Scott, upon the reputed statements of the other defendants, Kast, Aylott and Cockerton.

Sir Frank Lockwood, continuing, called attention to the action at law which Countess Russell had brought against her husband, Earl Russell, more than a year ago for the purpose, as alleged, of obtaining a restitution of her conjugal rights. This litigation, he said, had been incited by Lady Scott, and, though its ostensible object was the restoration of Countess Russell's marital rights, the real purpose was to extort money from the Earl.

At this point in the argument of the counsel for the prosecution Lady Scott became greatly agitated and smote the front of the dock violently with her hands.

Continuing his remarks, counsel declared that no woman could be so base as to desire her daughter to resume cohabitation with her husband if she believed that the charges of immorality and cruelty which Countess Russell had brought against the Earl, and which had not been supported by the evidence in the Countess' original suit for judicial separation, were true.

Sir Frank Lockwood then read statements made by the prisoner Kast, alleging the commission of an indecent act by Lord Russell on board his yacht on the night of June 19, 1883. Earl Russell, he said, could prove that on the night in question he had slept in Winchester and did not go on board his yacht until June 20. Proof of Lady Scott's animus and tendency toward blackmail, he said, was shown in the fact that circulars containing the terrible charges against Earl Russell were sent to the masters of the schools in which Lord Russell was educated. Counsel gave another instance of the falsity of the charges by showing that when Earl Russell took measures to bring Kast and Cockerton to justice they were examined privately as to the time and place of the acts alleged and they were obliged to withdraw their accusations. Sir Frank Lockwood concluded by saying that the whole affair was a horrible conspiracy instigated by wicked women's wit.

At this point in the proceedings Lady Scott was permitted to leave the dock upon the understanding that she should not be permitted to communicate with any one of the witnesses in the case.

Sir Frank Locwood, resuming his argument, said that Lady Scott first came into communication with Cockerton, Kast and Aylott in November, 1895, when blackmailing designs were arranged with Countess Russell. Then, he said, Kast's brother wrote to the Earl, saying that an agent of Lady Scott was searching for his brother, who was in the army in India, with a view of getting his assistance in making charges against His Lordship Earl Russell immediately consulted his solicitors, who wired Kast warning him that he was being made a catspaw in the concoction of filthy charges.

It was eventually ascertained that Lady Scott's agents bought Kast out of the army in India and supplied him with money. While in Bombay Kast wrote to a private in his old regiment saying that he was staying at the best hotel in Bombay, with seven rupees a day and everything found except strong drinks. In fact he was "doing the heavy" at no expense to himself. It would be proved, Sir Frank Lockwood said, that Lady Scott's detective, Smith, had supplied Kast with money.

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THE RICE FAMILY.

Father and Son Are Apparently On the Road to Recovery—Others at Work Again.

Bowmanville, Nov. 23.—(Special.)—The unfortunate family of Elijah Rice, Long Bault, who were suffering last week from religious mania, are now greatly improved, with every prospect of a complete recovery. Dr. J. C. Mitchell, Enniskillen, the family physician, has received a communication from C. K. Clarke, M.D., medical superintendent of Rockwood Hospital, Kingston, in which he states: "I am pleased to be able to report a very decided improvement in the conditions of Mr. Elijah Rice and his son Lewis. I have every expectation that they will both soon be well again. Lewis' head wounds have healed nicely. There was a small abscess in connection with the cut at the vortex, but it is healing. They have both slept every night, and all night, since the first without any hypnotic. They have conversed with each other a few times."

Dr. Mitchell states that Mrs. Rice is improving, and the other members of the family at home are now apparently as well as ever, and are carrying on the farm work as though nothing unusual had occurred. The public will be glad to learn of their probable complete recovery.

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Scrofula

Infests the blood of humanity. It appears in varied forms, but is forced to yield to Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies and vitalizes the blood and cures all such diseases. Read this:

"In September, 1894, I made a misstep and injured my ankle. Very soon afterwards,

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two inches across formed and in walking to favor it I sprained my ankle. The sore became worse; I could not put my boot on and I thought I should have to give up at every step. I could not get any relief and had to stop work. I read of a cure of a similar case by Hood's Sarsaparilla and concluded to try it. Before I had taken all of two bottles the sore had healed and the swelling had gone down. My

Foot

is now well and I have been greatly benefited otherwise. I have increased in weight and am in better health. I cannot say enough in praise of Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. H. BLAKE, So. Berwick, Me.

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1896.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES PREVENTION.

When the Provincial Board of Health, as well as the local Boards, were formed and began actively to interest themselves in the taking of precautions to prevent the spread of contagious diseases by placarding houses where the infection existed and by insisting on isolation as complete as possible, there were found those who claimed to regard such a course of action as an interference with the liberty of the subject; but now we find quite an opposite state of; sentiment existing in the public mind. If local boards of health, or in their absence, township councils, neglect the duty of looking after proper isolation and kindred precautions, public outcry is at once raised. In Fitzroy township, Carleton county, farmers and others are expressing the liveliest indignation over a neglected case of diphtheria. A member of a poor family contracted the disease away from home, and the board of health did not take steps for isolation by sending the patient to a hospital instead of allowing him to be taken home. The consequence was that other members of a family of seven took the disease and four died. Even in the prosperous community where the infected house stood could there be found any neighbour or nurse to assist in caring for the afflicted family, the only attention being that given by the local doctor on his twice-a-day visits. The consequence of this non-action on the part of local authorities was that, instead of the disease being confined to the single patient in the isolation ward of a hospital, the whole family was attacked and four have since died and there is danger of the dreadful disease spreading to other homes in the vicinity. In a deadly disease like diphtheria complete separation from healthy households is the first consideration and primarily on physicians, but equally so on boards of health and township councils, rests the responsibility of taking the steps indicated. As a rule, and it is so in this vicinity, physicians do their share promptly, reporting such cases to the authorities. But it seems that this is not always the case. At the last meeting of the township council of Otonabee the clerk was instructed to notify all physicians having a practice in that township, whether resident or not, that they will be prosecuted if they fail to report the existence of contagious diseases, occurring in their practice, to the local board of health. We expect physicians, who are, from their special knowledge, supposed to be most deeply impressed with the necessity of isolation and kindred precautions, to take the lead in protecting the public, but in country practice, with the difficulties of prompt communication, it seems inevitable that there should be, if not neglect, some delay, but even this delay should be reduced to a minimum. It cannot be impressed to strongly that in the case, especially of the dread diphtheria, prevention is better than cure, and no householder, who is visited with a contagious disease, should object to having his place properly placarded, so that exposure to the infection may be avoided, and the danger of numerous deaths averted.

THE Chicago Herald declares in the event of war with Spain, that the American navy is enormously superior to that of Spain in a "stand-up fight"—and a lie-down fight, too. If a Spanish ship should run against the formidable warship Texas, at the bottom of a harbour, she might get dangerously hurt.

THE St. Thomas Journal has the following to say in reference to the new County Council Act:—"The new Act reducing the membership of the county councils will effect a large saving and result in business being more satisfactorily and expeditiously transacted. It will, we believe, result in raising the standard of county councils by the election of stronger men. The fact that a councillor is elected for two years, and does not require to serve in any of the minor municipal bodies, will result, we believe, in securing men of higher attainments and better equipped to serve the public. There are many such who would serve in the county council, but who were not obtainable under the old system because they objected to first serving in the village or township councils. As the standard of ability of members of the Provincial and Dominion Legislature is higher than that of municipal councils, so will, we believe, under the new Act the standard of county councils be raised above that of minor municipal bodies."

A GOOD POSTAL IDEA.

An interesting suggestion is made by a correspondent of the New York Herald, who says that in England, when one has a large number of letters or circulars to mail at one time, he need not be at the trouble of affixing a stamp on each one of them, but may carry them to the post office, pay the postage due on the whole, and pass them in. No postage stamps are affixed, but the office simply stamps them "Paid," and they are forwarded.

This is an idea very well worth the consideration of our own post master general.

The post office clerks have to mark each envelope already, in cancelling the stamps, so there would be no extra trouble for them, while it would save business offices the time and trouble of pasting stamps on each separate letter or circular.—Ottawa Journal.

YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The weather is delightful here at present and the roads are drying up nicely.

The Government yacht, "The Empire," went through here on Tuesday. She towed a scow load of timber (furnished by Mr. C. Young) to Burleigh, where the Dominion Government is going to build some piers this fall.

There was a large black bear seen about a mile south of the Point this week. A member of the Pointers went out armed to the teeth to capture Mr. Bruin, but the last accounts are that no bear could be found.

Large numbers of hunters are going through here every day on their return from the back country with their deer and camping utensils. The settlers north of here say there were more deer captured last season than this fall. They don't approve of the new game laws, as there are a good many wounded deer left in the woods.

The steamer Mary Ellen is still running between Lakefield and Stony Lake, but Capt. Scollard will soon have to vacate the post for a warmer one.

There is some talk of a literary society being organized here. It would be a benefit to the people here, and would help to shorten the long winter nights.

A large deer was seen "a mile" from here this week. I don't see why hunters go so far away over a rough country when deer are so near. "See the Point!"

THE MAID OF TYRONE.

She Had Two Who Wanted Her Hand—The Second Man Got Her After a Struggle.

Tyrone, Ont., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—No sooner had the sad episode of the Rice family passed than another less shocking, but more amusing, has convulsed this community. About 15 years ago there left her native County of Tyrone, Ireland, a strapping, fine-featured young girl, named Margaret Jane Limestone. After a year spent in service in Toronto, she came to this neighborhood, where are living with Darlington farmers several others who emigrated to Canada from her native county. For the past 12 years Margaret Jane has lived with Mrs. Wesley Clemens, one of the best farm houses in West Durham, where she has received a thorough training in modern Canadian housekeeping. Her mistress was very fond of her and would gladly have kept her for many years to come. Maggie is possessed of an endless fund of wit and a peculiarity of her jokes is that she has never been known to repeat a joke or witticism, but always has a fresh one to suit every occasion. A short time ago a young Englishman from Cartwright, some 10 or 12 years Margaret Jane's junior, began to make love to the Maid of Tyrone. He was considered as green as a May meadow, but pressed his suit with uncertain success until finally Margaret Jane began to show signs of capitulation. The season's farming operations being about over, William Hurlberry came into the neighborhood to visit and succeeded in getting Margaret Jane to consent to wed him. She gave her mistress quitting notice and last week, when all arrangements were completed for the wedding at her brother James' on Friday night, Hurlberry borrowed a horse and carriage from Mr. W. H. Pollard, Salem, to take Margaret Jane to Bowmanville to secure a license. One condition was, when getting the horse from Mr. Pollard, that he was to get a shoe re-set in town. This William had done, and somewhat surprised Margaret Jane by asking her to pay 15 cents demanded by the smith. They next proceeded to the issuer of marriage licenses and made the necessary declarations and the license was filled out and presented to William, accompanied by the words, "Two dollars, please." Here Margaret Jane got another surprise, when William said, "she" will pay the money. Margaret Jane paid the money, but when they left the office, William got the most eloquent dressing down he ever received. On the way home they discussed the matter warmly, and parted that night with a decided coolness in the realms of cupid's dominions. At 6 o'clock Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Clemens and a houseful of other friends met at Mr. Limestone's to witness the nuptial event. The hour arrived, but the bride came not forth and he did not come either. William had deceived her. He said he had money. He four cents left from his season's wages. The minister christened two children, the company ate the wedding dejeuner and, after a social chat, departed. There was a young man lying dead near the Limestons that night, or William would have had the warmest reception ever accorded a newly married man in this village.

The sequel to this interesting episode is, that next day William came round again, and, after earnest persuasion and a promise to retrieve the past and act a manly part, Margaret Jane consented to take him for better or for worse, and as the village minister had gone to Oshawa, off they trudged on foot to Hampton, five miles away, where Rev. E. E. Howard made the twain man and wife and Mrs. Hurlberry's 12 years' earnings will suffice to keep the wolf from the door until William gets a situation.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

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BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

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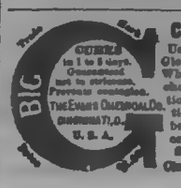

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MOTHER-IN-LAW CASE.

(Continued From First Page.)

Calling attention to the assertion of the defendants that after Kast had left Earl Russell's yacht, His Lordship had sent him a postal card, addressing him as "Dear Fred," inviting him to join the Earl's yacht as cabin boy, Sir Frank said: "I shall call as the first witness Earl Russell himself, who will show that the dates involved in the accusations are impossible and the facts alleged improbable. Meanwhile I ask Your Worship to hold the defendants hand and foot until this case is fully heard."

The male defendants were not allowed out on bail, but Lady Scott was permitted to go out on bail with the understanding that she was to have no communication with anyone connected with the case except her counsel.

The greatest interest is being taken in the case, and crowds of people sought admission to the court room today in vain, the court being packed to the extreme limit of its capacity.

ROYALTY GOES TO BLENHEIM.

Marlborough House Will Be a Blaze of Glory in Honor of the Heir-Apparent.

London, Nov. 23.—The Prince and Princess of Wales left Paddington station at 5 o'clock this afternoon for Woodstock to pay a visit to the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough at Blenheim Palace. Their Royal Highnesses were accompanied by their daughters, Princess Victoria of Wales and Princess Maud of Denmark, and Prince Charles of Denmark, husband of Princess Maud. The town of Woodstock was beautifully decorated with flags, banners, triumphal arches, etc., in their honor, and the grand avenue in Blenheim Park was lighted by electricity. The program for the entertainment of the royal guests is a brilliant one. The Prince and Princess of Wales and the other guests will remain a week, during which time there will be a succession of fetes, torchlight processions, etc. In addition to this, the Prince will make shooting excursions into the Blenheim game preserves daily. Owing to the recent death in New York of Mrs. W. H. Vanderbilt, grandmother of the Duchess of Marlborough, the annual county ball will be abandoned, but public celebrations will continue throughout the week, including a grand reception given by the Duchess of Marlborough on Friday, at which most of the leading aristocrats will assemble.

The Prince of Wales' special train, with the Royal visitors, arrived at Woodstock at 6.40 p.m., and was met by the Duke of Marlborough, who was awaiting the visitors at the station. A crowd of people assembled outside. The Royal party were received with cheers as they made their way to the carriages, in which they were driven to Blenheim Palace. The carriages were escorted by the Mayor and the Town Council on foot, and the Woodstock fire brigade acted as a guard of honor, marching behind the carriages to the gates of Blenheim Park.

The Prince and Princess of Wales were enthusiastically cheered by the people who lined the roadway. Among the guests other than those of the Royal party were Lady Randolph Churchill and Mr. and Mrs. George N. Curzon.

THE WHEAT OUTLOOK.

Australia Buying From California—Farmers Spoiling the Market.

London, Nov. 23.—The Mark Lane Express to-day, commenting on the wheat outlook, says: "We expect that the decrease of the French wheat acreage in 1897, owing to the lateness of the seeding season, will be much larger than any increase in this country. The sowings of azima wheat in Russia are now admitted to be smaller than usual, but the rise in prices has stimulated Russian markets, and if the line of spring Ghirka sowings is likely to offset the azima deficiency, injury has been in any event already done and there cannot be wheat available for export prior to April, 1898. Australia is importing California wheat and has no surplus available for shipments to Europe."

Commenting upon the past week's markets, The Express says: "The farmers are spoiling the market by oversupply. We suggest that a central chamber organize a society of wheat growers, pledged to sell only in such quantities as the situation demands. The advance of 2s 8d in the price of wheat in Paris since the end of October is a matter of some importance, as France has hitherto been boasting that she has a well supplied market. If the purchase of foreign wheat by France increases, the situation will become much stronger. The wheat on passage to the United Kingdom on Saturday totalled 2,100,000 quarters, whereof Russian wheat was 320,000, North American 260,000, South American 100,000, California 290,000, Indian and Australian nil, elsewhere 70,000. The maize market has been against holders at Mark Lane, Hull, Liverpool, Bristol, Glasgow and Leeds, but the decline does not exceed 6d per quarter. There are now 1,040,000 quarters on passage to the United Kingdom, against 551,000 in November, 1895."

THE SUGAR INDUSTRY.

A Conference Talked of, as the Matter is Becoming Very Acute.

London, Nov. 23.—A representative of the United Associated Presses obtained an interview to-day with Mr. Neville Lubberek, who is at the head of the Colonial Company, the leading West Indian sugar firm, upon the subject of the necessity of sending a commission to the British West Indies to inquire into the critical condition of the sugar industry, the advisability of which the Colonial Office is now considering. Mr. Lubberek said that the present indications were that a conference of some kind to discuss the situation would be held shortly, as the question was becoming very acute. Germany and Austria, he said, were quite prepared to enter into an international agreement to regulate the product of sugar, but in the meantime the British Government maintained its old attitude. The proposed commission, Mr. Lubberek thought, would have no effect.

JAMESON IS VERY SICK

And the Probability Is That He and Col. Willoughby Will Be Released.

London, Nov. 23.—The official report upon the physical condition of Dr. Jameson, who, with his associates in the Transvaal raid, Major Sir John Willoughby, Col. Reginald Grey, Col. H. E. White, Major R. White, and Captain Henry F. Coventry, are serving various terms of imprisonment for their part in the invasion, shows that he is much worse, and point to his early release, and the same is true of Major Willoughby. Both are suffering greatly from the effects of their confinement.

KITCHENER'S INSTRUCTIONS.

The Dongola Expedition Will Move Forward to Berber and Khartoum.

London, Nov. 23.—Gen. Sir R. H. Kitchener, commander in chief of the Egyptian army, started on his return to Cairo to-day. Gen. Kitchener has had daily conferences with the War Office for the last fortnight, and returns to Egypt with instructions to have everything in readiness for the Anglo-Egyptian Nile expedition to advance from Dongola to Berber and Khartoum in March next. The expedition will be strengthened by the addition of an armed steamer.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT ILL.

Taken Suddenly Sick When About to March out the Troops.

London, Nov. 23.—The Duke of Connaught, chief in command at the Aldershot camp, and completed arrangements for the periodical march out of the troops from Aldershot, when he was taken suddenly ill to-day, and Major-General Bengough has been summoned to take command in his stead.

Wary About Protection.

London, Nov 23.—The Times, referring to the Colonial Cable Conference now sitting in London, expresses the belief that both the Pacific cable and steamship service projects are well on the way towards realization. In noting the tendency of South Africa and Canada in the direction of free trade rather than protection, The Times says: "These are signs of the times deserving a careful consideration, and give occasion to pause before too hastily associating Imperial sympathies with the acceptance of the principle of fiscal protection."

Thief Scared by His Booty.

Columbus, O., Nov. 23.—The valise containing $3000 worth of jewelry, which was stolen from Mr. Klipper, a New York traveling man, at the Union Depot last night, was found to-day by the police on the stairway of a business block. Its contents were intact. The police theory is that the grip was stolen by a petty thief who bagged larger game than he could manage with safety and decided to leave it on the stairway to get rid of it.

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400 DESERTED WIVES

The Divorce Mill in Kansas is Turning Out a Sad Crop at Topeka Full of Distressed Women.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—A special from Topeka, Kas., says: The officers of a Topeka charitable institution have made the remarkable statement that there are over 400 deserted wives in this city, and that every day adds to the list of the deserted or divorced women who appeal for work or collect funds with which to buy bread for themselves and help their children. In a city of 35,000 inhabitants. The divorce mill in Topeka is running on steadily. Every week divorces are being granted to men and women, incompatibility of temper being the general charge.

WEYLER HAS FAILED.

That is Currently Admitted in Havana—Spanish Officers Hit.

Key West, Fla., Nov. 22.—Passengers who arrived from Havana last night report that it is currently admitted that Weyler has failed in his campaign against Maceo. Weyler's marches have been on foot and his soldiers have suffered great hardships. In consequence 3500 soldiers have been sent to Candoria. Most of Weyler's staff are ill and are returning to Havana. He is also falling back and will soon be near Artesima, which he claims is a better base for his operations.

Gen. Pando, who is coming with new reinforcements, is indicated as Weyler's probable successor in Havana, and considers the outlook gloomy.

It is said the town of Victoria, in Santiago province, is being attacked by the rebels. The train starting from Cardenasis was obliged to return on account of the large masses of rebels crossing the line, supposed to be the vanguard of Gomes marching west.

BIS HEAD CLEFT ASUNDER.

Remarkable Accident to a Sportsman in the Pennsylvania Mountains.

Cedar Run, Pa., Nov. 22.—While hunting pheasants on the mountain side near here yesterday Joseph Champaign had his head cut off by a rolling stone in a most remarkable manner. His 10-year-old boy and two playmates were up the steep mountain side about 50 yards tum' ' rocks down its precipitous sides in order to see them splash into the creek. A big stone started by young Champaign on its downward course struck the elder Champaign and knocked the back of his head off as clean as though it had been cut with an ax.

Ferris Wheel Inventor Dead.

Pittsburg, Nov. 22.—George W. G. Ferris, inventor and builder of the Ferris wheel, died here to-day of typhoid fever. His illness is said to have been brought on by worry over business matters.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is very dull, with buyers holding off. Straight rollers nominal at $4.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices steady; dealers asking $7.50 west. Shorts, $9 to $9.50 west.

Wheat—The market is unsettled owing to the further drop of 2d in Liverpool futures. Red and white are nominal at 83c to 84c at outside points. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 91c to 92c Toronto freight. No. 2 hard is quoted at 89c Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with sales at 28c west.

Barley—Trade dull, with No. 1 quoted at 34c to 35c, No. 2 at 28c and No. 3 extra 25c outside.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices easy. White sold outside at 20½c to 21c, and mixed at 19c to 19½c.

FIGHTING CHRISTIANS.

A Battle of Factions at Bay City—Clubs Played a Prominent Part in the Free-for-All Melee.

Bay City, Mich., Nov. 22.—St. Stanislaus parish, which has at intervals for two years been the scene of trouble over the despotism of its favorite priest, was the battleground for seven hours to-day of two factions into which the parishioners had divided. When the trouble ceased this evening one policeman and about twelve of the church members had been injured, but none very seriously.

The trouble started at high mass, when Father Bogacki announced that the anti-Matkowski faction could not examine the church accounts as they had announced they would do. Eighty men left the church. When mass was over a great mob had gathered about the vestry door, and refused to permit the pastor to return to his residence. Father Bogacki's adherents came to his rescue, and there was a free-for-all fight. The forces of the pastor were subdued owing to lack of organization, and clubs. When the police came they clubbed a way for Father Bogacki, had him landed upon the rectory steps, when the anti-Matkowski faction made another charge. Priest and officers were driven back into the vestry. Here Father Bogacki remained a prisoner until about 7 o'clock this evening, when Frank McPhillips, editor of The Tribune, learning that threats of dynamiting the church had been made, drove to the scene and persuaded Father Bogacki to quietly leave the building with him. After the priest departed the mob dispersed.

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Ladies' Underskirts	were $1.25, now	1 00
Ladies' Underskirts	were $1.75, now	1 25
Ladies' Underskirts	were $2.00, now	1 40
Ladies' Underskirts	were $3.50, now	2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves	were $0.75, now	$ 60
Lacing Gloves	were $1.00, now	75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and coloured	were $1.00, now	0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured	were $1.25, now	1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves	were $1.25, now	1 00
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.20, now	12½c
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.30, now	0 20
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.35, now	0 25

Handkerchiefs at cost.
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Black Cashmere Hose	were 20c, now	20c
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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

See Crafton & Co's Men's Fine Double-Breasted Beaver Overcoats at $4.95, $6.50, $8.50 and $10.

A. O. U. W.

A regular meeting of Lodge 135, A.O.U.W. will be held in the rooms, Simcoe street, this evening, at 8 o'clock. Special business suggests a large attendance.

Lecture on "Bells," by Mr. D. Spence, Friday Night.

Come and hear the chiming of the Tubular Bells, in St. Andrew's school room, Friday night, 27th instant. Good programme. Silver collection at the door. 1d

A Septugenarian Sampson.

Mr. John King, aged 70 years, in the employ of Messrs. Meldrum & McAllister, carried 230 pounds of peas in a bag up two flights of stairs on a wager. He claims to be the strongest man of his age in Peterborough, and is open for a contest.

Where Lockington Was Arrested.

Some confusion seems to exist in the minds of some persons as to the identity of the Mr. Hall at whose house Mark Lockington was arrested. It was at the house of Mr. Hall on Hunter street, near the creek, that the arrest was made by the Chief of Police on Tuesday evening, November 18th.

A Charity Social.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Peter's Cathedral will hold a Charity Social in the Catholic Association rooms on Wednesday evening, Nov. 25th, (Thanksgiving Eve.) First-class music will be provided, besides refreshments. Tickets, 50 cents each. 3d121

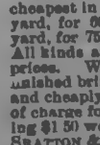
A Transaction in Gloves.

Our local glove manufacturer, Mr. James McComb, has made a lucky purchase of a manufacturer's stock of sample gloves, from Storey's well known factory, which are to be sold at less than manufacturer's prices. The lot contains over 100 different styles, affording a wide range of choice for ladies' and gentlemen's gloves that are not usually kept in stock here. See advertisement.

Artist's Material.

Windsor Newton's best artist colours, cheapest in town; Canvass, worth 75c per yard, for 60c; Canvass, worth $1.00 per yard, for 75c; academy brand, all sizes. All kinds and sizes of brushes at special prices. When you get your picture finished bring it and have it framed neatly and cheaply. We loan artist's studies free of charge for two weeks to students buying $1 50 worth of artist materials.—A. H. Stratton & Co.

Thanksgiving Dinner.



The Ladies' Aid of Charlotte street Methodist church have completed all arrangements for their annual Thanksgiving dinner and entertainment on Thursday evening. Dinner will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock, after which a choice programme of vocal and instrumental music, and short addresses by the resident ministers, will be presented. Tickets 25c for both dinner and entertainment. The chair will be taken by J. R. Stratton, Esq., M. P. P. 2d123

Miss Bertha Belasco.

Miss Bertha Belasco, who with Miss Mabel Chambers, will give a concert here Dec. 3rd, has been pursuing her musical studies for the last three years in Berlin at the Klindworth-Scharwenka Conservatory. Writing to the New York Musical Courier, Mr. Otto Floersheim, the Berlin correspondent of that paper says: "Miss Belasco's numbers were given in a musicianly manner. She has a most sympathetic touch and plays with much expression." Plan of hall now open at Stratton's Bookstore. 2d

BUTLER FOUND GUILTY.

But the Case is a Peculiar One and Stands for Judgment.

Yesterday afternoon John Butler was brought before the magistrate, charged with stealing a bag of clover seed from the Huffman House barns, but when he appeared the charge of the larceny of some oats from Wolstenholm's livery was preferred against him, also.

The latter charge was taken up for investigation first. Butler acknowledged taking a couple of feeds of oats from Wolstenholm, but stated that he had no intention of stealing them, but simply took them for his horse, intending to replace them as soon as he purchased a supply. He keeps his horse in Wolstenholm's barn and stated that he had a quantity of oats, but becoming mixed with some bran they were unfit for use. He had offered to settle for the oats but Wolstenholm wanted to charge him $15 for the two gallons.

Wolstenholm's story was that he had been missing hay and oats from his stable for a long time and in order to catch the thief, he stayed up all night in the barn. In the morning he saw Butler take a feed of oats for his horse. He said nothing at the time, but the next night got his man to sit up with him. The same thing happened again, and the two men came forward and accused Butler of stealing the oats. He acknowledged taking the two feeds, but no more. Wolstenholm thought if he had taken two gallons he was responsible for all that had been missed from the barn and accordingly asked him to give $15 to square the account.

Butler was found guilty of stealing the oats, but judgment has been deferred until the other charge against him has been investigated.

A PECULIAR COINCIDENCE

Which May Have a Rather Disagreeable Sequel for a Beggar.

The police are hot on the trail of a supposed crook, who through an odd coincidence, was enabled to "do up" Mr. W. McCallum, the George street restaurateur, for the sum of $11.22.

The occurrence happened in this way: A stranger who has been begging in town for the last day or two, entered the office of the Light and Power Company this morning and asked for assistance, stating that he wished to buy something to eat. Mr. Beale gave him an order on Mr. McCallum for a meal, and the man took the note to the restaurant.

It happened that Mr. McCallum was expecting the Light and Power Company's collector around and had placed the amount due the company ($11.22) in an envelope.

The order for the meal was given to Mrs. McCollum, she being told by the stranger that it was from the Light and Power Company.

She went in the rear apartment to her husband and told him that a man from the company was in the store. Mr. McCallum thought it was the collector and told his wife to give him the money in the envelope and get him to sign a receipt. The money was accordingly handed the man and the note which he brought was not read until some minutes after his departure. One of the assistants, who was in the store at the time the money was given the man, was immediately despatched to the C.P.R. station to see if he left on the noon train, and she saw him board the express.

By this time the police department had been placed in possession of the facts of the case and a message was sent to Norwood to arrest and detain the stranger at that point. He is described as wearing a slouch hat, brown overcoat and light stripped trousers. His eyes are said to be rather inflamed and he has a very pointed chin.

A telephone message was received at the police station at about two o'clock to the effect that a man answering the description had been placed under arrest and would be held until sent for. Chief Roesel went down on a freight train during the afternoon and is expected back this evening with his prisoner.

The co-incidence of there being money awaiting the call of the collector and the fact of the man coming in with the order from the same office is indeed peculiar.

THE CORRIGAN CASE DISMISSED.

There was a Session of the County Court This Morning.

In the case of Queen vs. Corrigan, in the County Court this morning, the defendant was acquitted and discharged.

It was a case in which Bernard Corrigan, of Otonabee, was committed for trial on a charge of disposing of his goods with intent to defraud his creditors. Mr. R. E. Wood appeared for the Crown, and Mr. R. M. Dennistoun for the defence.

Parents Must have Rest.

A president of one of our Colleges says: "We spent many sleepless nights in consequence of our children suffering from colds, but this never occurs now. We use Scott's Emulsion and it quickly relieves pulmonary troubles."

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The Myra Collins Company.

The cutest little creature in the way of an actress in Canada is Miss Myra Collins, the star of the Myra Collins Comedy Company that last night opened a week's season at the opera house, which was jammed to the doors—fuller than an omnibus, for there wasn't "room for one more." The play was "Little Miss Thompson," written especially, as are all the plays with one or two exceptions, to be presented this week, for Miss Collins by Mr. J. H. Slater, a member of the company. It is a sparkling composition, and the chief sparkle was the bright, pretty, piquant, vivacious and naive Myra Collins, who took the role of "Little Miss Thompson" with great success. She is petite, pretty as a picture, and has the rare art of knowing how to act without over-doing it. She was ably supported by a well-balanced company. Mr. J. H. Slater, the stern father, as well as the father of the play, was just in his place. Will T. Hodge presented the character of "Lamb" in first class style "for a lawyer." Frank Halstead was an excellent villain. J. Moy Bennett as "Frank Mayfield," presented his character creditably, and Misses Alma E. Lewis and Edna Wallraven in their respective characters were well up to the mark. Dan Simons got a cyclonic reception. He was up to the top notch in "Bridget Malone," and was a slick "Solomon Slick." But in his singing and terpsichorean gymnastics he brought down the house and nearly brought down the stage. Dan took like hot cakes last night, and had to come back again and again, and would have been coming back yet, if he had not turned himself into a mule, thus earning a right to be obstinate and refusing to come on again. The other specialties, including the songs of J. M. Bennett, Will Hodge, and the double song by the latter and Miss Collins were immense and had to be repeated every time. Mr. Kellam's songs, especially his patriotic songs, were splendidly sung, and he was repeatedly recalled. In fact the immense audience was so delighted that they would have encored the play itself if such a thing had been possible. The Myra Collins Company present a bill of clean, crisp, sparkling entertainment, and they will fill the opera house every night this week. To-night the play will be a pure comedy, bristling with fun from curtain to finish.

APPOINTMENT OF A SCHOOL INSPECTOR.

MR. DUNCAN WALKER, B. A., OF BROCKVILLE, GIVEN THE POSITION.

A Special Committee Reports Most Favourably Concerning Him—He Was the Mathematical Master of the Brockville Collegiate Institute.

A special meeting of the Board of Education was held last evening for the purpose of appointing a successor to the late W. H. Wherry, School Inspector.

Dr. Burnham presided, and the other members of the Board present were Messrs. W. G. Ferguson, W. H. Hill, J. J. McBain, J. J. Hartley, Henry Denne, Peter Hamilton, Jas. Edgecombe, Dr. Caldwell, Robert Fair, John McKee and W. B. Bamford.

THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS,

through it chairman, Mr. W. H. Hill, reported as follows:

Your Committee on Appointments beg leave to recommend that Mr. Duncan Walker, B.A., be appointed Inspector of the Public Schools of the town of Peterborough at a salary of $1,100 per annum, service to begin January 1st inst.

Your committee took the precaution to make the fullest enquiry respecting the fitness of Mr. Walker for the position, and as a result of such enquiry, your committee believe that he is in every respect qualified to perform the duties required of him as a Public school Inspector.

Adopted.

Mr. Edgecumbe thought if each principal reported for his own school, the respective statements could be compared and an idea gained of the merits of the teachers in the different grades. If this was done there would be no need of an Inspector.

Mr. Hamilton pointed out that this would mean appointing five inspectors, instead of one, as if the principals had to make up these reports it would take up their time to an extent as to cause them to neglect their classes. To carry out the school system successfully, as it was now arranged, it was necessary to have one head.

Mr. Hill thought that when the new Inspector took office he should be instructed exactly as to what was expected of him. If a teacher was not satisfactory, he was supposed to report to the Board, and at the end of the terms in April, June and December, that teacher would know what to expect, having been informed of the report.

THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE,

which was appointed to look into the private character of Mr. Walker, reported as follows:

Gentlemen.—In accordance with your instructions, your committee beg leave to report that as instructed, we visited the city of Brockville and personally made full enquiries regarding Mr. Walker of that city, who has been an applicant to become our public school inspector and we personally received the desired information from many and various reliable sources, which we are pleased to be able to report have all been most favourable and strongly in Mr. Walker's favour. He bears a high reputation as being a man of not only good ability, but of good character, good principles and good moral habits, all of which your committee consider as being very important elements to have, more especially for a man holding the position for which he has applied. From all the information we received from those who know him best, he is not only considered, but admitted, to be a gentleman in every respect so far as we have been able to learn. We were unable to discover or hear anything unfavourable of him, and after due care and consideration on our part, your committee feel justified in recommending Mr. Walker as being a suitable man for the Board to appoint for Public School Inspector.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. J. McBain,
Chairman.

Adopted.

[Mr. Walker, who is a native of the west, has had an extended experience in educational work in both Public and High schools. He graduated from the Chatham Collegiate Institute in 1887, and after teaching four years in the Public schools of that county, took an honour course in the departments of Mathematics and Physics. After a course in the Toronto School of Pedagogy, in which Mr. Walker took a deep interest in all questions relating to the theory and practice of education, he taught in Deseronto High School, and at a later time in the Brockville Collegiate Institute, as mathematical master, from which place he now comes. From the selection of Mr. Walker the best can be confidently expected from the record he bears as a teacher and a cultured gentleman.] He will enter upon his duties next January.

SOME RESOLUTIONS.

It was moved by Trustees Hamilton and Denne that the principals of the different schools be requested to furnish the Board with a full report of the standing of the different pupils in the schools after the different terms that each pupil has been in such room.—Carried.

On motion of Messrs. Ferguson and Bamford, it was resolved that the treasurer be authorized to issue a cheque to Henry Denne, collector, for $131.75, being taxes on the Menzies property, and a cheque for $12.16 to H. Sheppard, being balance of rent in full to December 1st and the Board's proportion of taxes for 1896 and that hereafter the treasurer be instructed to pay the rent quarterly as called for in the lease.—Carried.

The Board then adjourned.

THANKSGIVING CONCERT
In Foresters' Hall, Simcoe St., Thursday Evening, Nov. 26th.
Tickets 25 cents.

PATENT REPORT.

The following patents have recently been granted to Canadian inventors:

CANADIAN PATENTS.

54,059—O. L. Gadoury, St. Placide, stove.
54,060—A. Baribault, St. Casimir, milk heater.
54,062—J. B. Deslandes & P. Lajeunesse, St. Dominique, method for thrashing clover.

AMERICAN PATENTS.

571,358—Evangeline Gilmore, Hamilton, grate.
571,361—P. E. Guerard & Nap. Mathieu, Montreal, hose coupling.
571,413—James Thompson, Hamilton, and G. Thompson, Dundas, Ont., iron pipe pattern.
571,475—Johnson M. Grover, Toronto, washing machine.

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PERSONAL

Mr. A. F. Gooding, of Winnipeg, is in town.

Mr. W. F. Stott left for his home in Port Hope last night.

Mrs. Roger Conger, of Peterborough, is visiting relatives in Belleville.

Mr. George Kempt is in town visiting at the residence of his father, Dr. Kempt.

Mr. Geo. McWilliams, a former employee of the Examiner, but now of Reynolds, North Dakota, is visiting friends in town.

Rev. Dr. Milligan, who will lecture on "How to Brighten Life" to-night in St. Paul's, has arrived in town, and is the guest of Rev. J. G. Potter at the Manse, St. Andrew's.

The Rev. Dr. Sutherland, Secretary of Methodist Missions, is slowly recovering from the accident which happened him some two weeks ago. He is able to sit up for a short time each day, but it is not expected that he will be strong enough to resume his work for at least two weeks yet.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Mr. M. Larone is home again after an absence of some years.

—If you want to economize burn the People's Coal Co's coal. All kinds of coal in stock, including best hard coal for stoves and furnaces, soft coal for grates, and smithing coal. Office—230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

—Miss Thirza Garroid, of Oshawa, who was in training as a nurse at the Belleville Hospital, contracted typhoid fever whilst nursing an outside patient, and died on Saturday last.

Thanksgiving Turkey.

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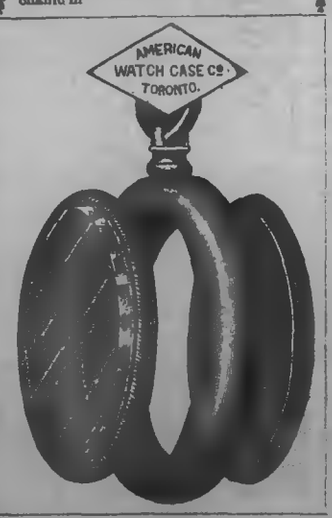

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Solid Leather Yapped Bible, 60c, for	45	Sunday at Home, 1895, bound	1 00
Solid Leather Yapped Bible, good type, $1	78	Annie Swan series of Books, 50c for	33
Oxford or International Teacher's Bible $1 50	$1 12	Henty's Series of books, for boy's, 20 different titles, $1, for	69
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather 50c, for	40	Congo Oak Walking Sticks, silver mounted, 75c, for	55
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather, yapped 60c for	45	Malacca Walking Stick, horn handle $1.50, for	$1 00
Catholic Piety 25c, for	19	Crepe Tissue Paper, all colours, 10c, for	8
Garden of the Soul 25c, for	19	Windsor Newton's best Artist Colours, 10c, for	6
Ladies' Purses, silver mounted, worth 35c, for	22	Thanksgiving Prices in Wall Paper.	
Ladies' German Purse, 3 pockets, 50c, for	35	Thanksgiving Prices in Window Shades.	
Ladies' Purses, solid leather mounted	45	Thanksgiving Prices in Picture Framing.	
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Daily Examiner.

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A NEW C. O. F. LODGE

Instituted in the Northern Village—Loyal Lakefield is the name.

A new lodge of the C. O. F. was instituted in Lakefield last night. Loyal Peterborough sent a good contingent of brethern to take part in the proceedings. Bros. M. A. Jamieson, N. G., W. Creamer, V. G., and Boyd, Keenan, Thorndyke and Lathangue. There was a good turn out of the candidates to be initiated and after the impressive ceremony of initiation of the candidates, the election of officers took place, other business of a routine nature had been disposed of and all the officers were installed, the proceedings terminated in a happy manner. The brethren dispersed to the diningroom of Mine Host, Bro. Munroe, where a sumptuous spread was awaiting them and it was an elaborate spread, too, and was heartily partaken of. Toasts were the next order. Bro. Claire, M.D., proposed the toast of the new lodge, heartily honoured and responded to by Bro. Braden, the newly-appointed N.G. of Loyal Lakefield. Bro. Chittick, the new V.G. of Loyal Lakefield, proposed the toast of the sister societies, responded to by Bro. Jamieson, N.G. of Loyal Peterborough, in his usual happy manner, congratulating Loyal Lakefield on its inauguration, and urging the brethren to work with energy, and success would be theirs.

Bro. Webster proposed the toast to the visiting brethren, and was responded to by Bro. Creamer, V.G., of Peterborough, who complimented Loyal Lakefield, and also urged the members to work with a will and to stand shoulder to shoulder.

Short speeches were made by Bro. Thorndyke, Keenan, Boyd and Lathangue. Bro. John Craig, of Loyal Peterborough, also made an excellent speech and felt proud to be present at the opening of this new lodge, as being a citizen of the village he would take an active interest in its success and would do everything in his power to further the order in the village.

This concluded the entertainment at mine host Bro. Munroe's, and all repaired to Bro. Craig's, where all were hospitably received. Bro. Craig does nothing by halves but is whole souled in his generosity to his guests. He made every one feel at home and after partaking of refreshments which had been provided, the brethren separated "Glad to meet, sorry to part, but hoping in the near future to meet again and spend another pleasant night.—Com.

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Cuthbert, a knight of ancient lineage,
Was sore bereft—thus mourned he grievously:
"Dead art thou, oh my Thirza, whose dear smile
Lured me with passing sweetness on to win
My golden spurs. Dead art thou, my beloved,
In whom I find the fulness of myself.
Like a shorn tree beaten by scathing storms
I bend above thee, stript of my summer verdure
Sweet thou now bare am I, Thirza, oh Thirza!
Go, Reverend Father—go—get thee hence—all—
I would be left in peace. I will not that ye lay
My loved one in yon coffer hewn, a sorry bed
For these her tender limbs. I will not
That ye case her in those cruel walls
With yonder stony coverlid, prisoner from me
All alone and still—my fair, dead Thirza."
Then they about him turned and left him
In the cavernous crypt, kneeling, sorrow-stricken
By the shrouded bier.

Day waned,
The sun-tinged gloaming deep and into night,
All timorous things sought cover. They that loved
Darkness weirdly roamed and dews distilling
Chilly lay on fallen leaves. Then in the heavens
The large round moon arose and soundless rode
From east to west, making black shadows flee
To ghostly nooks, and traversing the gr.ted arch.
Anon her pearl-white beams crept through the pillared gloom,
And far athwart the bier and the bowed head of Cuthbert.
Headless was he, his plum-ed barret cast away,
Baldrick awry, and wealth of ruddy hair
Loosed from its golden fillet fallen o'er his face
Pallid with woe.
Lo through the dismal sounds
Of echoing sighs a subtle voice melodious speaks,—
"List ye, oh son of Cuth, the brave, list ye."
Strange is the vision which his wan eye sees
As half reluctant doth his haggard brow upraise;
On the damp spot of earth now by the moonbeams
Changed to silver radiance, stands a lady bright,
Fairer than the lustrous beauty of a spring-time dawn
Is she, robed in a ebony mantle, soft
As sun-kissed clouds, and in her hands a slender sceptre
Tipped with a jewelled sphere.—Again she speaks—
"I am thy sponsor, and thy piteous grief
Toucheth my love full sore, therefore I am come
To aid I may comfort thee; hear then
For thy dead Thirza's sake. There are charmed leaves,
Which if thou seek'st they shall restore thy spellbound breath.
I may not tell thee what they are nor where they grow.
Save that perpetually green they be although
All else be sere. Three moons may rise but if the third
Shall wane ere thy return then doth their virtue cease.
Three mayst thou bring, no more, and strew them
O'er thy dead." Then raising high the sceptre in her hands,—
"Lo here I make three signs to aid thee; thus,
That thy vision may be keen, I touch thine eyes:
Thus, that they may swift and tireless be, thy feet;
Thus, on the air this secret sign, that when
Thou pullest forth thy hand thou mayest hear
Each softly speak—'I am thy quest; pluck me.'"
Then bending o'er the sweet, pale face of her upon the bier,
She lightly dropt a gentle kiss upon the pure, white brow,
"Thus, too," she said, "I stay the grewsome work of death
Till thy return. Go, then, and know that I thy blessing am."
The gentle cadence of her voice was stilled and she
To Cuthbert's wondering eyes appeared no more.

Then Cuthbert to his feet up-sprang, with heart of hope,—
He also kissed the still, dead face, and o'er her drew
The spotless winding sheet with sacred love.
"Farewell, oh Thirza! for a little space farewell,—
I go to seek new life for thee and me.
And as a belted knight I am, I vow,
That do these woud'rous leaves grow upon mountain heights
Where the fears to climb, fear will not I;
Grow they at crater's mouth, the sulpha'rous fires I'll brave;
Deep in recesses of the earth are they,
The darkest depths I'll reach; be they midst
Wild beast's lair, so will I read his heart
That they I may obtain; pierce heaven, fight for
And vanquish ill I will return to thee."

Twice did the moon, red eyed, ride veiled in Autumn mists,
Nor lit the gloomy world; but the third night
Through pure translucent air her full orb shone,
Revealing the lone path that Cuthbert trod
With hasty mien, that he might come again to Thirza.
Kind death had laid no blighting hand on his dear spouse,
And e'en the mournful Asphodel that wreathed her hair
Had withered not. Forth from his breast, all love a-hungered,
The fateful charms he drew and laid them tenderly
On hands and heart and silent up-turned face.
Then watching, stood absorbed with bated breath.
He sees a tremour—hat and a scant sigh he hears,
And roseate as the dainty flush of infancy,
The crimson tide again begins to flood
The empty veins. Slowly, as waking, lift the waxen lids
Above those dark blue eyes, which filled with
Shadowy light, in strange amaze meet his.
His strong right arm, all trembling now, lifts her dear head
From her low pillow to his breast. The silken shroud
Falls back, the yellow hearted wreath unheeded drops,
While the rich masses of her sunny hair unbound,
About her spread their shining clustering tendrils.
Ah, greater cannot be the happy love, that
Welling from his throbbing heart, with mists of weakness
Dims his eye and pales his bronzed cheek, that sets
His iron sinews vibrant and his breath all fluttering
In his throat. With tender voice and deep, he saith,
"Art truly living, dear one, speak, that thy fond voice
May make me sure. Speak, Thirza, speak, I wait to hear."
Sweet, as the sound of some far distant Angelus,
She makes reply, "Beloved, see I thee again;
My Cuthbert unto whom I bade farewell
When that dread chill crept o'er my heart and froze my breath.
Take me from hence, dear lord, leave me not here
Among the dead—I am thy living Thirza."
One rounded arm she cast about his neck,
And to his bearded lips she pressed her own.
Then in his arms, lest her bare feet should wounded be,
Or soiled by noisome thing, he bore her
Through the pearl white moonlight home,
Home to her bower within his castle walls.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucassus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined?

Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtasked, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then come the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

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BETHANY MISSION.

Address on Mission Work on the Dark Continent.

Bethany Mission was filled to overflowing Sunday night to hear Mr. Gabriel McGuire, a missionary who has been for five years in the interior of Africa, speak on missionary work in the Dark Continent. Mr. McGuire spoke at considerable length of the success attending the labours of uplifting the dusky natives from fetish and witch worship to a better way of worship. The place where he was stationed was almost equidistant from the two oceans, and here a brick church capable of holding 1,000 people was built, besides a house for the accommodation of the teachers, etc. Mr. and Mrs. Walbrook, who were also engaged in the same work in Africa, were present and, with Mr. McGuire, sang a hymn in the language of the natives.

A. O. F. "AT HOME."

An "At Home" will be held to-night under the auspices of Court Stanley A. O. F., in Unity Hall, George Street. A fine programme of vocal and instrumental music will be provided. Refreshments will be served. Admission—Adults 15 cents, (2 for 25 cents); Children 10 cents.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH NOTES.

The notices in St. Luke's church Sunday had reference chiefly to the Advent season, which commences on Sunday next. On the Sunday mornings there will be a series of short sermons on the Prophet of Israel. The Sunday evening course will be on "The Preparation of the World for the 1st Coming of Christ."

1. The Preparation of the Heathen World, Greece.
2. The Preparation of the Heathen World, Rome.
3. The Preparation of the Written Word, the Jews.
4. The Preparation of the Spoken Word, John the Baptist.

Sunday next, being the first in Advent, is the annual occasion of the united Communion of the church workers of St. Luke's. There will be two celebrations—the first at 8.00 a.m. and the second at the close of Morning Prayer.

The country branch of St. Luke's Women's Auxiliary will be organized at Mrs. Chas. Curtis residence to-morrow afternoon.

The annual tea and sale of work will be held in St. Luke's school house on Thursday, Dec. 3rd.

On Friday evening next, at 8.00 p.m., the monthly preparatory service of the Communicants' class will be held in the school house.

Rev. W. L. Baynes Reed has organized a branch of the National Home Reading Union in Keene.

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Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

THE WHEEL.

Michael eclipsed all his previous performances in America on Saturday by riding 29 miles 1,293 yards in one hour, at Memphis on a six-lap in-door track, poorly lighted. He averaged 2.01½ a mile, and was calling for more pace all the way. He broke every American record from the eleven miles up.

CURLIANA.

The Lindsay curling club is known in every curling town in Canada, and in fact in the whole of curling America. It becomes of age this year, and it has decided to celebrate the twenty-first year of its existence by holding a large bonspiel in the town. An energetic committee has the matter in charge. It is too early yet to give particulars, but the committee have decided that there shall be two competitions at least—a double rink competition, open to all clubs, each club to be allowed to enter only two rinks in this competition; also a single rink competion, in which no restriction is placed upon the number of rinks that may enter from one club. The date selected is the week beginning Monday, Jan. 18th next. The secretary of the committee has been instructed to order sixteen pairs of best Red Hone stones. Eight pairs of these stones will be given as a prize in the double rink contest. Suitable other prizes will be given. The large skating rink has been secured, and if more accommodation is required, it will be procured. There will be no entry fee connected with the contests. Visiting curlers will be met at the station, and their stones moved from and to the station, and from one rink to another, as the drawing requires, free of expense. Brooms also will be provided. In short, everything will be done to make the curlers perfectly satisfied with all the arrangements. The committee are in communication with the railway authorities, and a special rate is expected. The club is anxious to make this bonspiel one of the largest and best that shall be held in the province for many a day. It has been rumoured that a rink or two from Winnipeg may take a trip east this winter. The Winnipeg clubs have been communicated with and have been invited to arrange their trip east so as to be present at the bonspiel. It is possibly too much to expect any clubs from the States to be present, but if Brother Bucknell, of Detroit, can induce a rink from Detroit to come, with any other rink from the other side of the border, they will be welcome. The committee has extended an invitation to all curling clubs to send rinks. Sufficient accommodation will be secured to run all the games off quickly, and some very keen sport and good ice are guaranteed if the weather is at all suitable. It is the intention of the club to send circulars to the secretaries of all the clubs in Canada very shortly, giving full particulars.

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TALE OF AN OPEN DOOR

There really was no telling how long she had been living there all alone except for the two servants. Even the servants themselves could not have told. Susan, the cook, if you had asked her about it, would have said:

"Law, chile, don' ask me no sech questions. I'se been shet up in dissher house so long I'se got plum moldy."

And if the years had not left mold on the mind and the heart of the lonely old woman in the upper rooms it was not because the time had been too short. People wondered what kind of woman she could have been when she was young, but that did not really matter. They all knew very well what kind of woman she was now. Not that she was so very old, either. She had simply made herself old by sitting alone and shutting out the sunlight and thinking hard, bitter thoughts and getting wrinkles in her face and gray in her hair. Any one can do that who tries very hard, but whether it is the best thing to do, that is the question.

Imaginative people said that she had been imbittered by a great disappointment long ago and that it had turned her into a sour, gloomy old recluse, hating the world and everybody in it, but, after all, when you came to ask about those stories, they were all hearsay.

Of the two servants in the kitchen, one was Susan, who knew just when to do everything and just how to do it, because she had done the same things at the same time every day during all those years when she was growing "moldy." The other was Jane, the housemaid. Jane had been there only six years, and Susan told her every day that if she didn't quit "disremember-in" everything that she was told she would certainly "git her walkin papers."

Perhaps the threat had been repeated too often and had lost its effect. At any rate, Jane went on "disrememberin" with the calmness of perfect confidence in her safety and left doors open and forgot to lock gates and was altogether a trial to the methodical Susan.

Year after year this old woman had been alone. She had a great, fine house, but she lived in a little corner of it. She had great quantities of money, but she used very little of it. She had no friends, or, if she had, she never saw them. In all Susan's recollection of her she had never done anybody a kindness. The servants had orders never to feed a tramp, and as for giving money to beggars, why, dear me, such a thing was never dreamed of.

But it was Jane that ended it. Jane had gone out to the coalhouse and had come in with a scuttle of coal, and perhaps it is needless to state, knowing what we do of her, that she left every door open on her way up stairs. As she set the scuttle down in the corner she heard the well known command:

"Shut the doors as you go back, Jane."

And she gave the stereotyped reply:

"Yes, Mis' Arnam, I ton to it."

So she went back, shutting all the doors, but it was too late then. The mischief was done. Something had whisked into the room before you could think, and before the echo of Jane's footsteps had died out of the room there was the roundest, funniest gray kitten running up Mrs. Arnam's dress and scrambling into her lap. Once there, it looked her in the eyes, stretched out its soft little paws and mewed in the most wheedling, caressing manner known to kittenhood.

The old woman did not throw the kitten down, or push it down, or shut it outside the door. She started to do all three, but instead she only sat there, looking at the little ball of gray while it closed and unclosed its paws on her folded hands.

"Well, what do you want?" she said presently.

The sound of her own voice startled her. It had been so long since she had heard it except in giving orders to the servants.

There never was such a kitten. The moment she spoke to it, up it went, hand over hand, over the bosom of the black dress, and before the old woman could move a finger it was actually rubbing its pink nose on her very chin. Not only that, but it mounted upon her shoulder and purred in her ear and smoothed its silky side against her cheek and actually clawed at her hair and tumbled down into her lap and ran back to her shoulder again as though it were the greatest fun in the world.

Something stirred in the stern, silent, grim old woman. The touch of a living creature against that withered face went deeper than the face. She raised a hand and stroked the kitten and spoke to it gently.

Such a frolic as that kitten had! How it caught her hand and pretended to bite her fingers with its ridiculous little teeth and to scratch them with all its claws at once! How it scampered about, playing hide and seek with its own tail! How it swarmed up the curtains and the table covers and looked at itself in the glass and rolled itself up in the Persian rug and enjoyed every minute of the time! In short, if ever there were a kitten that just simply took possession of a room and made itself thoroughly at home there, this was that kitten.

When Jane went up stairs to announce the next meal, as was her custom, she returned to the kitchen almost tottering and with distended eyes.

"I bleebe Mis' Arnam done gone crazy!" she cried. "She sottin up dere wif a kitten in her lap, an she say for you to fotch her dinner up to 'er an a sasser o' milk for de kitten!"

"G'way from here, niggah!" cried Susan, and she hurried to her mistress' room to disprove Jane's story. She returned with slower footsteps and a frightened face. Mrs. Arnam had said to her:

"Yes, I want my dinner here, Susan, until the kitten gets used to the house. I have never had a kitten before. I don't know why I have never thought of it."

"Dey's somefin wrong wif Mis' Lizbeth," said Susan when she had gained the sacred precincts of the kitchen and Jane had assured her that she "sho'ly did look pale. Long as I been stayin here, she ain't never et in her room yit, an now she gwine ter eat dere on account ob a measly little cat."

On the second day a queer thing happened. The kitten had performed what it considered a great feat, and Mrs. Arnam laughed. The sound of the laugh frightened her, and it sent the kitten skurrying under the bed. It came out presently and growled at her as a gentle intimation not to try that any more, and that made her laugh again. Jane, sweeping in the next room, heard it, and left her work unfinished to tell Susan, but Susan scornfully warned her not to come "tellin her no sech trash." There were bounds beyond which Susan's credulity could not go.

Of course Jane left the doors open again before a week was out. She declared that she "shet ebery one ob 'em." But she must have left them open, for how else did the kitten get out? At any rate, before any one knew it, the kitten was gone and was not to be found anywhere about the house.

When mistress and servants had searched everywhere in vain, Mrs. Arnam shut herself up in her room again and sat down before the fire. The little creature that had distracted her thoughts for a few days and had made her forget herself was gone, and once more she was a lonely old woman—more lonely and miserable than she had been before. She sat there looking at gloomy scenes in the glowing coals until she could endure it no longer, and then she arose and walked about the room and finally threw up a window to get rid of the choking pain in her throat. And when she leaned out into the cold air, what do you think she saw? Just below her, seated on the doorstep, was a ragged little boy, with her kitten in his arms.

In a moment she was down stairs and had the door open and had frightened the child so that he could do nothing but stand and stare at her.

"What are you doing with my kitten, little boy?" she demanded grimly.

"'Tain't your kitten! It's mine!" he replied, clasping it closer.

"How did it happen to be yours, I should like to know?" asked the angry old woman.

"It was borned mine," was the simple explanation, and then the woman's heart sunk. She had never once thought that the kitten might be somebody's property before it came to her, and now, behold, she had had no right to it from the first.

She was about to go in and close the door, but she paused to ask coldly:

"What were you doing on my doorstep?"

"We was a-warmin ourselves," said the child, and this reminded him of his own discomfort, so that he began to shiver and to shrink together.

Truly, it was a bitter day. Even in that sunny nook the cold was intense. The child was blue with it. She had not noticed that before.

"Come in and warm at my fire—you and the kitten," she said.

Now what had come over her? What magic spell had been working on that hard old heart? She sat in her armchair, watching the child thaw and grow rosy red in the grateful warmth, as he sat on the hassock before the fire. There was no sound in the room but the soft crackling of the burning coal and the gentle purring of the kitten, and after awhile the child began to nod. Overcome with drowsiness, he slipped down to the rug at last and stretched himself out there, and when the kitten crept into his arms he murmured:

"It always sleeps wid me—to keep me warm."

After awhile the old woman arose softly and covered both the sleepers with blankets and slipped a pillow under the child's head. Poor little tossed curls. How pretty they would be if they were brushed! The withered hand touched them softly. When had that hand ever been laid on a child's head before? And then, as though ashamed of such weakness, she sat down again and resolutely looked into the fire. What was this child more than any other? There were hundreds of such children in the streets—born thieves, every one of them, ready to repay kindness by stealing anything they could lay their hands on.

But it was no use. She couldn't keep from looking at the child, and somehow it did seem pleasant to hear his soft breathing in that room, that had been silent so long. And after she had watched and listened awhile she went out into another room and opened a drawer that had been shut I don't know how many years and took out—a child's cloak—a long, warm cloak, that would surely cover that little figure in the other room from head to foot.

She looked at the cloak a long time, and once she rolled it up and put it back again, but then she took it out in a hurry and went and sat down, with it on a chair beside her. Ah, surely, that was a genial fire. That icy old heart of hers was thawing before it, as the snow thaws on the southern slopes in spring.

And in a little while she made another journey to the long shut drawers and brought out piles and piles of clothes—good ones, too, that might have been for the child by the fire—and shoes, too, wrapped in oiled silk, as though they were made of gold, and the jauntiest little hat you ever saw. And then, awhile later, she touched her bell and summoned Jane, and, disregarding Jane's amazed stare, said:

"Give this child a warm bath, Jane, and put these clothes on him, and then bring him here."

The little fellow was pretty in his new clothes despite the thin face that had been blue with cold that morning. And what pretty curls those were, just as she had thought they would be! The kitten took him for a perfect stranger and went under a chair and growled at him. How he laughed at that—a thin little laugh that brought the tears to her eyes. Oh, it was wonderful how those eyes of hers were improving! And yet she did not say a word to him except to ask him where he lived. And then she told Jane to take care of the boy and the kitten until she came back, and she wrapped herself up and went out.

She was gone a long time. When she came back, her eyes were bright and moist and looked almost like a pair of new eyes. She sat down and took the child and the kitten both in her lap.

"Little man," she said, "I've been to see your uncle and aunt. They've had sickness and haven't been able to take care of their own children. And so I'm going to send them all, the whole family, out to a great big farm of mine, where they'll get well and make a living, and you are going to stay with me and be my little boy."

The child contemplated her with serious eyes. After awhile he asked doubtfully:

"An the kitten too?"

"Oh, yes, indeed," cried the old woman, "the kitten too."

They had supper there together afterward, all three of them, and such a hungry boy as that was, and what a pleasure it was to see him eat! Why, this rich old woman, shut up in her own gloomy thoughts, had never dreamed there could be a child as hungry as that in all the world!

And, afterward, when the little fellow insisted on wearing his new shoes to bed, Jane and Susan had to be called up to see that, and they made a regular holiday of it. I don't know how many years it had been since those old walls had echoed to such laughter. When Susan saw that grim, austere old woman actually persuading the child to let the shoes lie in a chair where he could touch them, and when she saw her put the kitten into his arms, she remarked to Jane in an awestruck whisper:

"Hit do 'pear to me like de merlennium mus' be jes' roun de corner."

And that wasn't the end of it! No, indeed! Why, the very next day a certain minister, whose work lay among the poor and destitute, received a summons to call on an old woman who had refused to see him when he had called at her door once before. And when he went, there she was with a small boy and a kitten, and there was a radiance in her face that did not come from the fire light as she said:

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Oh, it was a great time in that old woman's life; but that was not all, for she sent for an architect that very evening and began to talk over plans for a home for homeless children, and while she talked the child was leaning against her knee and she fondled his thin little hand. After the architect was gone she still sat there musing. Late as it was, she said to herself, she might still atone for her idle, selfish, lonely life.

And that was not all yet, for when Jane came to the door and said, with a broad grin spreading all over her face, "Somebody to see you, Mis' Arnam," she did not hear until the somebody came in and stood beside her and asked:

"Mother, can you forgive me yet?"

She must have been dreaming of him, for she looked at him as though he were part of the dream—this handsome man, with a mouth as firm as her own—but in a moment she had awakened and was in his arms, crying out to him while the tears rained down her cheeks:

"Oh, Dick, my little boy, my own little lad, don't ask forgiveness of me! I need it so much more!"

And there was Susan's face in the doorway, illuminated with a radiant grin; for had she not known where Mas' Dick was this long time? And had she not gone to him that very morning and told him?

"Mas' Dick, now's yo' time to make frien's wif yo' ma, for she sho'ly is like anodder 'oman!"

And there was the little boy in Dick's arms before you could think, and friends with him from the very first minute, and there was the kitten running up the table cover and tumbling down again and making a perfect whirligig of itself in that mad pursuit after its own tail, and altogether there never was such a happy time.

Susan began that very evening making preparations for the most delightful Thanksgiving dinner that ever was eaten, and while she worked she chuckled with delight and took all the credit to herself because she had brought Mas' Dick home in the very nick of time.

But then, there was the little boy who had melted the hard old heart ready for Dick's coming and there was the kitten which had brought the little boy and there was Jane who had left the doors open for the kitten, and so—

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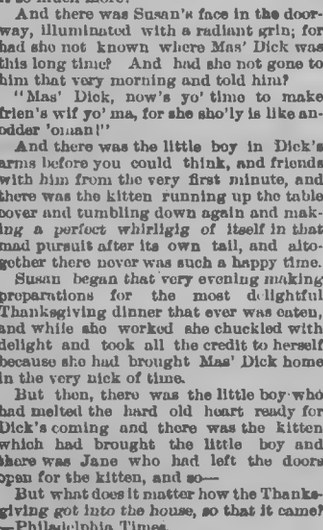

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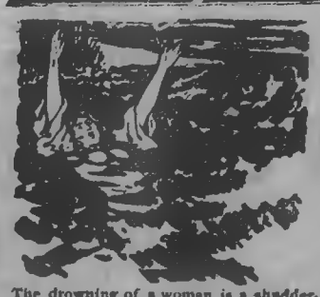

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BY DAVID A. CURTIS.

[CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.]

The professor started a little, but he spoke as deliberately as usual. "You shall show to me that east side," he said, "when I can climb those hills some day."

"I guess you can get there now," said the lad. "It isn't much of a climb, and there's a smooth path."

So they went out together, and the professor's eyes gleamed when he saw the ledge John pointed out. He said very little, though, and after he had taken some measurements and collected a few specimens they went back to the house.

Next day he said he was going away, and he asked Mr. and Mrs. Bascom how much he owed them for his board and his medicines.

"Land sakes, professor," said Mrs. Bascom, "you don't s'pose we could take your money, do you? What little we've been able to do for you is little enough for what you did for us." And the farmer himself spoke as earnestly, so the professor said no more about money. In fact, he seemed so well pleased that Mr. Bascom remarked it when he was alone with his wife.

"'Pears to me that there Professor Hugo's almighty skimpy about money," he said. "He was tickled to death 'cause most when he found he didn't have to pay nothin."

"John Bascom," exclaimed the good woman, "you don't mean to stand there and tell me you would take money from the man that saved your own daughter's life?"

"Don't be a fool, Maria. 'Tain't likely I would, but I'd 'a' thought more of him if he'd 'a' tried a little harder to pay."

But there was another one in the family who had no such thoughts. When Ella Bascom bade the professor goodby, she said, "I never have really thanked you as I want to, and I don't s'pose I ever can, but I want you to know that I never can forget what you did and what you have suffered for me."

"Pish, pish!" said the professor carelessly, though he was well pleased. "It was nothing only my own stupid foot that all the trouble made. And I did for you very little. Only I am glad, fraulein, that I study the rocks that day." And he kissed her goodby.

It was several weeks, however, before Thanksgiving day came, and in the interval, as the hard New England winter came on, things went badly with the Bascoms. Ella developed a slight cough, that made her mother turn pale when she heard it. She had learned to know how easily consumption attacks young people in the rigorous climate of upper New England, yet she dared not speak to Mr. Bascom about sending the girl south for the winter. The means were lacking. The crops were poor. One of the two pigs they had fattened died before killing time. Mr. Bascom himself, growing old before his time, seemed no longer able to look on the bright side of anything, and the anxious wife and mother could only pray a little more earnestly and a little more frequently than before. To work harder was impossible. And John could only study later and rise earlier to make up for his father's failing strength. Nothing was heard from the professor, and, as the family realized more and more every day how heavy the odds were against them, they ceased to talk and almost ceased to think much about him. He had saved them from a great sorrow, he had been a great care and a burden for a time, and then he had passed away to be only a memory.

It was therefore entirely a surprise when, a few days before Thanksgiving, John brought home a letter from the village postoffice addressed in a queer foreign handwriting to Miss Ella Bascom.

"It must be from the professor," she said, and after they had all agreed to this and had examined the envelope and the postmark and had wondered sufficiently about what he could have to say, as people do who do not often receive letters, she opened it.

MY DEAR LITTLE FRAULEIN—I have not forgotten that you asked me to go to see you again on Thanksgiving day, and I will go. I will to see what is the great holiday of the American people in the American people's home.

Your brother John, he is a good boy, and he will be a good man. He will give thanks, maybe, that I did get him a place in New York where he can study and be an engineer and will earn money—not very much, but enough.

Tell your papa I have, maybe, some good news for him, and tell your mamma since I come to dinner I have the great liberty taken to send my dinner. And I kiss your hand. HUGO.

Such news was too wonderful, and yet it was tantalizing. There was no end to the speculating, and it was later that night than it ever had been before when the Bascoms went to bed.

The next day, however, brought a still greater surprise. Word came from the railway station, two miles away, that there were several large cases there for Mr. Bascom, expressage paid. The old gray horse was astonished enough at the speed at which he was rattled along, but his feelings were nothing to those of the family when the cases were brought home and opened.

If there was anything known to the grocery or delicatessen trade that wasn't represented in those cases, it was because the professor couldn't find it. And there was the biggest turkey Bascom ever saw, with a box of fresh vegetables, and everything else needed to cook with it. And of everything else there was enough to last all winter.

Mrs. Bascom was stunned. She could say nothing, but the children made up for her silence, and Mr. Bascom, after he had recovered a little from his bewilderment, said, "Well, Maria, if that's the professor's dinner, he must have a leetle the best appetite of anybody I ever knowed of."

Next day the professor came himself, fatter than ever and jollier than they had ever seen him. "It is nothing," he said

THE PROFESSOR'S DINNER.

when Mr. and Mrs. Bascom undertook to remonstrate with him for sending them such a wealth of stores. "It is nothing. I have never your Thanksgiving kept before, and I thank you so much for your to me kindness when I was suffering."

"But you said you were a poor man?" said Mr. Bascom.

"Ach, yes! They call me in the city poor, but always I have a few thousand dollars."

And again they sat up half the night discussing John's future, which now depended on himself. And only the mother remembered to cry silently even while she reproached herself for ingratitude, because there was in all the good fortune no way yet open for sending Ella away from the winter storms. But the next morning, when the mother and daughter were in the kitchen and John was busy outside, the professor said:

"I wrote in my letter, Mr. Bascom, I have some good news for you maybe. It was this: Your son John he showed me good stone on your farm. It is for building most excellent. It is the stone for which I was looking when the little fraulein for help called. I have in one great quarry company a small interest, for I am what you call stockholder, and for them I was looking. They want that kind of stone. So when I returned to the city I said, 'The stone is found.' Then they would to send somebody to buy your farm cheap, and I said no. When they were angry, I said: 'Very well, gentlemen, then I tell you nothing. You go and yourself find the stone.' So they were angry some more, but I make them offer you $10,000 for your farm or a contract for $1,500 a year. It is better you take the contract, I think, so I have the paper, and if you sign they $1,000 bonus pay you." And he produced the paper.

And that was how the Bascoms spent the happiest day they ever had and the professor saw his first Yankee Thanksgiving.

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When it is stuffed, roll the fowl tight in a piece of cheesecloth and tie firmly with twine to keep secure and in shape. Place in a stock previously prepared by putting the bones in cold water with some herbs, an onion peeled and stuck with a dozen cloves, a carrot and a turnip sliced. Boil the turkey gently *four hours* at least, then take it out and remove the cloth and place on a dish. Strain the stock, remove the fat and set over the fire. Add 2 ounces of gelatin dissolved in cold water. Strain the liquid jelly through a fine sieve over the turkey. When cold, garnish with parsley or cresses and sliced lemon.

To make oyster sauce, put a pint of small oysters, with their liquor, into a saucepan and heat them to boiling point. Skim out the oysters and add to the liquor 1¼ cups of milk, and when it is boiling add one-third of a cup of butter creamed with three tablespoonfuls of flour. Season with salt and cayenne pepper, and let the sauce boil up once. Then add the oysters, and it is ready to serve.—Exchange.

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Judge Cimon Says Cure Theberge's Apology to Mr. Chaput Was Insufficient—The Fine Goes to an Hospital.

Montreal, Nov. 22.—(Special.)—Hon. Judge Cimon has condemned Rev. Cure Theberge of Varennes to pay $50 damages and costs for having told one of his parishioners, Mr. Chaput, that he had stolen his confession, meaning that he had misrepresented a certain case to his confessor. The court said that no greater insult or wrong could be preferred against a Catholic, and, although the parish priest retracted in the pulpit, this was not enough. The apology was as follows: "I retract and I withdraw my words for the simple reason that God alone knows the conscience of each man." His Honor said that the parish priest should have added: "I have no reason to believe that Chaput stole his confession." In the retraction made by the cure in the pulpit he left a doubt as to Chaput's pretended fault. "God alone knows," he said. The plaintiff, Mr. Chaput, declares that he did not want the priest's money, but would contribute the amount to the hospital at Varennes.

Catarrh in the Head

Is a dangerous disease. It may lead directly to consumption. Catarrh is caused by impure blood, and the true way to cure it is by purifying the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures catarrh because it removes the cause of it by purifying the blood. Thousands testify that they have been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Kidney Pills first proved to the people that Kidney disease is curable. Being the original Kidney remedy in pill form, the cures they have made, and the fame they have attained have opened the way for a host of imitations and substitutes, but those who have been cured of

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Complaints through the use of this wonderful medicine, those whose lame back is now free from pain, those who now have no headaches, those who have escaped from the death grip of Diabetes and Bright's disease by the use of Doan's Kidney

PILLS

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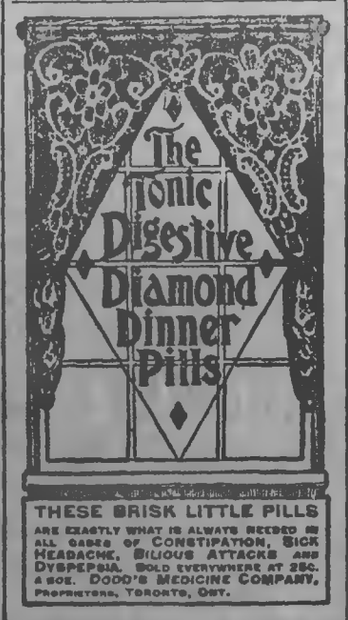

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All Grades in Stock.
A few Buggies and Wagons left at Reduced Prices.
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The First of these Monthly Competitions will commence January 1st, 1897, and will be continued each month during 1897.

$1,625 IN BICYCLES AND WATCHES GIVEN FREE EACH MONTH FOR Sunlight SOAP WRAPPERS

As Follows:

10 First Prizes, $100 Stearns' Bicycle, . .	$ 1,000
25 Second " $25 Gold Watch	625
Bicycles and Watches given each month . .	1,625
	12
Total given during year 1897,	$19,500

HOW TO OBTAIN THEM.

Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper—that portion containing the wording "SUNLIGHT SOAP." These (called "Coupons") are to be sent enclosed with a sheet of paper on which the competitor has written his or her full name and address, and the number of Coupons sent in, postage paid, to Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto, marked on the Postal Wrapper (top left-hand corner), with the NUMBER of the DISTRICT Competitor lives in.

NO. OF DISTRICT	NAME OF DISTRICT
1	Western Ontario, consisting of Counties York, Simcoe and all Counties W. and S. of these
2	East'n Ontario, consisting of Counties Ontario, Muskoka & all Counties E. & N. of these
3	Province of Quebec
4	Province of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the 5 districts, prizes will be awarded as follows:

The 5 competitors who send in the largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Stearns' Bicycle, value $100.

The 5 competitors who send in the next largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Gold Watch, value $25.

2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

5. Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., will endeavor to award the prizes fairly to the best of their ability and judgment, but it is understood that all who compete agree to accept the award of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., as final.

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THE SUN LIFE OF CANADA	5.26
" Great West Life	5.25
" Ontario Mutual	5.21
" North American	4.95
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THE ACCIDENT ROLL OF THE MANUFACTURERS
For the Month of July, August and September.

	CLAIMS PAID. ORDINARY ACCIDENT.	EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY.	EMPLOYEES' COLLECTIVE.	TICKETS
July	$5,950.36	$3,240.73	$179.65	
August	502.64	1,032.01	181.90	$4.55
September	1,020.67	2,465.67	184.90	

GEO. GOODERHAM, President. J. F. JUNKIN, General Manager

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Discharge the Doctor and Stick to the Creamy
DIAMOND ♦ ALE

For a Spring Tonic This is both Medicine and Advice. In Pints and Quarts. Brewed from the Finest Hops and Choicest Malt by the Toronto Brewing and Malting Co. L'td.

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EQUALLY WHOLESOME and FATTENING
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Cannot do justice to the display of Furs at FAIRWEATHER'S.

There's no questioning the more important fact that good taste — skilled and trained good taste — governed the manufacture.

Fur Capes, 24 inch long, 90 inch sweep, $10.00.
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Fur Lined Wraps (full ripple) $15.00 to $50.00.
Fur Muffs (good quality) $1.50.
Fur Muffs as low as 50c.
Sable Muffs (Special) $7.50.
Ladies' Gauntlets, extra choice Baltic Seal $5.00.
Ladies' Gauntlets, Astrachan, $4.00.
Ladies' Gauntlets, Sealette, $1.00 up.
Mink Muffs, $2.50 up.
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CHIEF OF POLICE MEAFORD, ONTARIO

Reports the Wonderful Cure of His Wife.

FOR YEARS A SUFFERER

From Stage to Stage of Bright's Disease of the Kidneys—Another Victory for Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Meaford, Nov. (Special)—Mr. R. Dealy, Chief of Police, at this place, whose character as well as position would stamp his statement as credible, was seen by your correspondent, and in speaking of his wife's sufferings and cure said:

"My wife had been for years a victim from stage to stage of Bright's disease of the kidneys."

"This went on in spite of the best medical treatment as well as other prescribed medicines until we lost all hope.

"At last I was told of the wonderful cures made by Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I concluded to procure a box and give them a trial."

"From the first box we could see improvement, and only three more boxes were required to complete her cure.

"I am not surprised to hear and know of so many cures made by Dodd's Kidney Pills since so serious a case as this has been so promptly cured. Every ache and pain seems to disappear when they are used."

A DOUBLY FORTUNATE ACCIDENT.

Mr. Zenas Black is a farmer living on the 4th concession of King. Last spring he broke his knee-cap. It set stiff. The family physician told him the knee would have to be broken again if he desired to walk, but he is walking well now, and it came about in a rather peculiar way. Last week a cow nearly choked to death in eating a turnip. All hope of saving the beast was despaired of, and Mr. Black's son decided to kill it, so that its flesh would be fit for food. He took an axe and felled the beast. Mr. Black was standing beside it, and could not get out of the way when it fell, so that it fell on him and broke his knee again. The stroke of the axe did not kill the cow, but it sent the obstruction down its throat. Now the cow lives and Zenas Black is a well man.—Toronto World.

Easy to Dye.

Old Suits and Gowns Readily Made to Look Like New.

A user of the wonderful Diamond Dyes writes as follows:—

"I have had great success in my first attempt with Diamond Dyes. My husband had a suit of summer clothes the colour of which did not please him. We used a package of Navy Blue Diamond Dye, following the directions, and the suit was soon transformed to a sedate, genteel colour, making it as good as new."

For years Diamond Dyes have been the standard dyes for thousands of homes in Canada, where their ease of use and reliability have made many an old suit or gown look like new.

Ask for the "Diamond," use only the "Diamond," and success will surely attend your work.

As Well as Ever.

Dear Sirs,—After suffering for two years from acute indigestion I tried B.B.B. I took only three bottles, which made me as well as ever I was. I highly recommend B.B.B. to all dyspeptics.

Mrs. John White, Austin, Man

A WORTHLESS CHEQUE

Which Young Fleming Tried to Pass in Toronto.

HE USED MR. GOODERHAM'S NAME.

It Was a Clumsy Attempt, and the Bank People Spotted the Bogus Paper—While Walking With a Detective the Young Man Owned Up.

Toronto, Nov. 24.

A daring and unsuccessful attempt at forgery was made in the Bank of Toronto yesterday afternoon.

About 2.30 a well-dressed, respectable-looking young man entered the bank and presented a cheque, to which was attached the signature of George Gooderham. The amount of the cheque was $2700, and was made payable to H. P. Linscott. The word "order" on the cheque was scratched out, and "bearer" substituted. The clerk saw at once that it was not Mr. Gooderham's signature. He entered into conversation with the young fellow, and in the meantime the police were quietly communicated with. Detective Davis arrived in a few minutes and questioned the young man. He said that he had been given the cheque to cash by Mr. Linscott, to whom it was made payable. Mr. Linscott, he said, was manager of the Toronto branch of Bradley, Garretson & Co. of Brantford, the book publishers, who had offices in the Medical Building, Bay and Richmond-streets. His own name he gave as Charles S. Braten, 34 Wood-street, Kingston, and that he was the agent in that city for the Brantford firm.

The detective and the bank officials were inclined to believe the story told, and instead of at once taking the young man to Headquarters, Davis asked him to walk over to Linscott's office. Braten agreed to this, and when about half way there he stopped and told the detective that there was no use going any further; that he had forged the cheque himself, because he wanted money badly, and thought that was a good way to get it. He was then taken to Headquarters and Mr. Linscott was sent for. He denied all knowledge of Braten, who was locked up on a charge of forgery and attempted fraud.

When the prisoner was searched a letter was found on him written on Palmer House letter paper. It was dated Nov. 23, and addressed "Dear Joe—Arrived just now; will be here till 5 p.m. Will call on you at Foresters' Hall on Wednesday noon. (Signed) B. C. Davis."

There were also some receipts: Lindsay Collegiate Institute—W. Fleming, Reg. No. 55, has paid two dollars class fees for May, 1896. (Signed) J. T. Harrington.

He had also a number of Dominion Bank blank cheques.

The Police Department think Braten may be the same young man who is wanted on the charge of committing some minor forgeries in the vicinity of Toronto.

After being in the cells for some time the prisoner sent for Barrister W. G. Murdoch, who has taken charge of the case. The young man is W. Hector Fleming, a son of David Fleming, contractor, of Bewdley, Northumberland Co. He has been for some time studying dentistry with Dr. Herman Hart of Lindsay. He left there yesterday for the purpose of visiting friends in Port Hope, and was going to spend Thanksgiving day at home. His brother, who is attending a college in this city, was at the Police Station last night. He said he could not understand his brother's actions. The father was wired for last night, and will arrive this morning.

When Mr. Murdoch visited his client he saw that he was ill, and immediately summoned Dr. Bingham, who prescribed for him. Young Fleming is at present showing symptoms of typhoid fever. He has completely broken down, and talks in a rambling manner, offering no good excuse for committing the offence which landed him in the Police Station. As far as the brother knows the prisoner never had any dealings with the firm of Bradley, Garretson & Co.

IRISHMEN WORSTED.

A Mob of Huns Get Mixed Up in a Row With Them at Cleveland and Nearly Killed a Number.

Cleveland, Nov. 23.—A riot occurred here last night between a score of Hungarians and as many Irishmen, in which many men were stabbed. Dirks, knives and clubs were freely used and nearly all of the combatants were more or less injured. Two men were taken to the hospital in a dying condition, two others cannot survive their wounds and seven others are dangerously wounded. It is probable that the entire population would have been wiped out had it not been for the police. A patrol wagon packed with police officers dashed into the crowd of battling men. There was a rush to escape and nearly all who were not too severely wounded to run got away. The police found lying on the battlefield James Carter, who was stabbed in the head, and had his skull fractured; his father, Sylvester Carter, 20 stabs; Billy Malley, 12 deep stab wounds and head supposed to be fractured; Adam Sherman, stabbed three times; John O'Neil, stabbed in face and back; Henry Schaefer, clubbed into insensibility; William Zocher, cut in the head and injured internally. The police arrested Joseph and John Sprnada, Michael Zebrek, John Koushier, Anton Ballash, Michael Zirks and John Spouster. They were locked up and charged with rioting.

TWO ALLEGED ROBBERS.

"The Prussian" and "Hamburg Lewis" Caught With Evidences of Having Robbed a Montreal Firm.

New York, Nov 23.—William Whitall, alias "The Prussian," and Lewis Meyer, alias "Hamburg Lewis," two alleged members of the gang of burglars captured in this city last week, were arrested yesterday. A search of their room on Eldridge-street revealed a quantity of stolen property, including some jewelry manufactured by a Montreal jeweler doing business on St. James-street, that city. The detectives believe the property is the proceeds of a robbery committed in Montreal or some other part of Canada. The prisoners are new to the police of this city. The detectives say they belong to a gang that travels over the country committing depredations. Sixteen pawn tickets, representing clothing and silverware, were also found in the prisoners' room. The prisoners were taken to court this morning and remanded.

Slavery in the New Hebrides.

Sydney, N. S. W., Nov. 23.—Advices that have reached here from the New Hebrides show that natives of the islands are being sold to the masters of trading vessels at from £6 to £16 apiece. Some of the natives so sold are subjected to great cruelties.

A Quebec Minstrel Dead.

Woonsocket, R. I., Nov. 23.—News has been received of the death in Downingtown, Pa., of James M. Janson, a well-known vocalist. He was connected with the Primrose & West Minstrel Company, was a native of Ste. Rosalie, Que., aged 40, and leaves a widow and one child.

An Abandoned Vessel.

London, Nov. 23.—The British brig Strathmuir, from New York, which arrived at Londonderry to-day, reports that she passed in lat. 43, N. long. 41 W., the Norwegian barque Nordlyset, from Halifax for Londonderry, abandoned and waterlogged.

Madill's Cream of Witch Hazel

Has no superior as a remedy for chapped hands or face, or any roughness of the skin.

FROZEN IN A KANSAS BLIZZARD.

John M. Moran, Once Proprietor of The Stratford Herald, Meets Death in a Storm.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 23.—Word was received in Windsor to-day that John M. Moran had been frozen to death in a Kansas blizzard. He was formerly proprietor of The Stratford Herald and teacher of the Collegiate Institute, and was later inspector of schools for South Perth.

Twenty-seven Poles arrived from Detroit this morning on their way to Smith's lumbering camp at Ruscomb station, where they are going to work for the winter. They brought with them all their tools, clothing and even some provisions, but the customs officers refused to allow them to pass without paying duty on everything. As the duties on the different articles ranged from 25 to 35 per cent., it meant quite a sum, and the Poles refused to pay. Their belongings were taken off the wagon and piled in an alley until Smith, who had been telegraphed to, paid the duty and sent in a team to cart out their goods. A Pole threatened to throw his tools into the river. He was told that he would have to pay duty just the same or be arrested. This is the first time a duty on laborers' tools has been charged. It is thought it is done in retaliation for the Corliss bill.

Madill's Compound Healing Salve for burns, scalds, frost bites, or sores of and kind.

The Wabash Railway Trains

running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled rom end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best paterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

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The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

Chains and Pendants.

ONLY BEST GOODS

There is no jewelry that will be more in favour this winter than NECKLETS and PENDANTS.

The NECKLETS are the very smallest imaginable and of very simple pattern.

The PENDANTS are exceedingly dainty—PEARLS and DIAMONDS chiefly being used.

Our assortment of these is very large and includes many choice pieces at very moderate prices.

Clarke & Gibson

Jewelers and Silversmiths, Hunter St., Peterborough.

Retiring From Business

Clearing Sale of Millinery.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

CHILDREN'S BONNETS, FANCY HOODS, CAPS AND MUFFS.

which will be sold much below cost. A number of PATTERN HATS and BONNETS to be sold at half price. This is a rare chance for Ladies' to get the newest and most stylish goods at half the regular price. Come early and secure bargains as the goods must be sold.

MRS. CASSIDY

423 George Street.

Two Doors north of Examiner Office.

WHY go to the trouble to make up Mince Meat when we can supply you with a finer article?

English Mince Meat

We put up 1 and 2 lb round cans, 5, 10, 20 and 25 lb. fancy pails and tubs and barrels. Ask your dealer for "Laing's English Mince Meat" and insist on getting it. If he has not got in stock ask him to order it for you.

We guarantee the quality.

The LAING Packing & Provision Co. Ltd.

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P. N. CORSETS

Are made with special reference to the needs of Canada's daughters. Fits you like a glove and you like to wear it. Sold by E. FAIR 138 George St. eodw

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Coming in from the Country to.....

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375-379 George St., Peterborough,

.....to participate in The Wonderful Cheap Men's Wonderful Sale of....

OVERCOATS and ULSTERS

BOOM! BOOM! The Magic Wand that brings Bargains from all parts of the country to Gough Bros. has brought us 500 OVERCOATS and ULSTERS that must find a quick outlet. Get into the procession. Quick! Canada holds no such Bargains as these:—

Frieze Overcoats and Ulsters Selling at... $5.00 Instead of $7.00

Frieze Overcoats and Ulsters Selling at... $3.90 Instead of $5.00

There'll be a rush after these worthies.

GET A HUSTLE ON! THE COLD SNAP'S COMING! You may get a "corner" in wheat, but never in CLOTHING so long as Gough Bros. attend the bidding! These Overcoats and Ulsters must be closed out at the above prices—NOT BECAUSE WE WANT TO, BUT BECAUSE WE HAVE TO. We are doing business for an existence, not for high living.

Men's Clothing.

Men's Clothing at Boys prices. A few minutes reading will show.	A few
600 All Wool Canadian Suits	$ 2 90
600 Fine English Tweed Suits	4 60
320 Fancy Yorkshire Tweed Suits	6 00
300 Scotch Tweed Suits	7 90
200 Cheviot Suits	8 50
225 Fine Black Worsted, plain and fancy	10 00
Tweed Pants 75c, 85c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00.	
Fine Worsted Pants $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00.	
500 pair Men's Heavy Wool Full-cloth Pants	1 19
Men's Beaver Nap Overcoats	3 90
Fine Beaver Overcoats	5 50
Fine Worsted Overcoats	4 50
Fine Corkscrew Overcoats	6 00
Fine Melton Overcoats	7 00
Heavy Frieze Ulsters, from $3.50 to	7 00

Boy's Clothing.

$3.50 Boys' Reefers in genuine Frieze, heavy plaid lined, in grey and brown	$ 2 55
$2.75 Boys' Reefers, braided, sailor collar and good anchor buttons, sizes 22 to 27, for	1 95
$6.00 Youths' Frieze Ulsters in grey, brown and fawn, sizes 33 to 35 deep storm collar, lined with a heavy twilled lining	3 95
2.75 Boys' 2-piece double-breasted Suits, in brown and grey mixed Tweed, sizes 22 to 28, for	1 95
$1.50 Boys' Heavy 2-piece Suits, in blue and grey	99
$5 00 Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes to fit ages 10 to 13 years, trimmed with mohair binding and got up in every way first-class, for	2 95

Hats.

Styles and qualities equal to anything shown by exclusive dealers. Such smart, stylish Hats are getable no where else at the price.

Men's Stiff Fur Felt Hats, in the latest English and American fall styles, in black and colours	$ 1 00
Men's Stiff Hats, newest fall shapes, fine white satin lining	1 50

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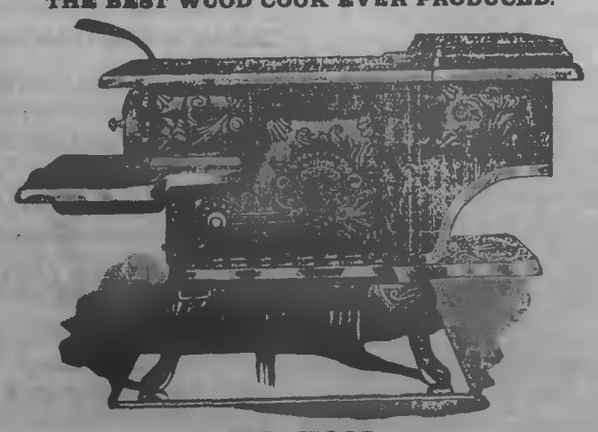

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ON DECEMBER FOURTH

The Case of Mrs. Sternaman Will Be Decided.

THE LAWYERS ARGUED YESTERDAY

And Commissioner Fairchild Will State on the Fourth of Next Month Whether the Accused Woman Shall Be Brought to Canada to Be Tried for Murder or Not.

Buffalo, Nov. 24.—The usual number of spectators and interested persons were present in the Federal Court this morning to hear the summing up of the Sternaman case by Lawyer Thayer for the defence and Lawyer C. J. Thomas for the Canadian Government. Immediately after the arrival of Mrs. Sternaman, Lawyer Thayer said he did not propose to descend to the trial before a jury. He agreed that not a single fact had been shown by the prosecution that Mrs. Sternaman was in the slightest way guilty of poisoning either of her husbands. He quoted from the Federal reporter in regard to the evidence which is necessary before a person can be extradited. He also quoted from Chief Justice Marshall's rulings in reference to the celebrated case of Aaron Burr. Lawyer Thayer said that the evidence pointed all in one way, and that was to the innocence of Mrs. Sternaman. He then referred to the case in general, and showed the fidelity of Mrs. Sternaman to her first husband, Mr. Chipman, and spoke of the loving qualities of both husband and wife. He then referred to the entrance into the family of George H. Sternaman, as a boarder, by the request of Mr. Chipman. At the mention of her first husband's name Mrs. Sternaman broke into sobs.

Lawyer Thayer asked the prosecution if $215 insurance would instigate a woman to murder her husband, who had lived with his wife without a quarrel for ten years, and paid her $2.75 every day. He argued that if there had been any intimacy between Mrs. Chipman and Sternaman, her second husband, before the death of Chipman, it would have been noticed by Chipman's mother, who lived with them. On the witness stand Chipman's mother denied that any such proceedings took place before the death of Mrs. Sternaman's first husband. The only testimony brought out in the examination that Sternaman disliked Chipman was that after Mrs. Sternaman had uncovered Chipman's picture Sternaman covered it up again.

After reviewing more of the evidence Mr. Thayer attempted to show that Mrs. Sternaman neglected to pay the premium on her husband's life insurance, thereby exploding the theory that she had killed Sternaman for the insurance money. He referred to Sternaman's mother as an old woman with a trumpet.

The protracted hearing has at last come to an end. United States Commissioner Fairchild listened to-day to the summing up of the evidence for and against extradition and will reserve his decision until December 4th at 10 a.m.

The small court room was not overcrowded yesterday. In addition to the usual number of friends and relatives of the defendant, her two little boys were present. They are bright-looking children. They seemed to but half comprehend the serious nature of their mother's position. Both were dressed alike, having on neat grey suits, shirts with large black collars and big bow neckties. Mrs. Sternaman, although she kept her feelings under perfect control, looked paler than usual, and her eyes seemed to have a heavy appearance, as if caused by much weeping.

The morning session was greatly delayed on account of a misunderstanding on the part of the United States Marshal as to when the defendant was to be brought into court. The time for the session to begin was 10 o'clock, but it was nearly 11 o'clock before Mrs. Sternaman appeared and Attorney Thayer began to sum up for the defence. He made a long argument. "It is necessary, under our law, that those wishing extradition in all cases, under the treaty of extradition, should not only be competent, but full and satisfactory, sufficient to warrant a conviction in the judgment of the magistrate."

At 12.15 o'clock a recess was taken until 2.30 p.m., when Mr. Thayer continued his summing up.

After thoroughly going over the entire situation, dealing with the loving relations between the defendant and her two husbands, he read a letter written by Mrs. Elizabeth Sternaman, mother of the deceased George H. Sternaman, showing, as he declared, the miserly nature of the 'old woman' in demanding from the helpless defendant money for the board of her own son during his illness, and also money for his brothers, who, the mother claimed, had put themselves out by running errands for the deceased. Is it any wonder that Mrs. Sternaman did not tell this mother-in-law how much insurance she was to get, knowing the penurious nature of this accuser of innocence?" asked Mr. Thayer.

He closed by saying: "They have not only failed to prove the defendant's connection with Sternaman's death, but have failed to prove that it was caused by arsenic poisoning, owing to the shattered testimony of Undertaker Snyder, who don't know whether he embalmed the body or not."

Mr. Thomas took the floor at just 3.10 o'clock and summed up for the Crown. He started by quoting from the American and English encyclopedia law on matters of extradition, but the Commissioner informed him that he was familiar with the subject and the text quoted. The interesting part of his short address before the court was the way in which he contradicted the statement of Mr. Thayer that the failure to find arsenic at the post-mortem by the use of the Marsh test was conclusive that the arsenic found in parts of the body of Sternaman six weeks later was put there by the undertaker in the process of embalming.

Mr. Thomas re-read the testimony of Dr. Phelps, who said that he still believed Sternaman died from arsenic poisoning, even if the Marsh test failed to find any arsenic at the post-mortem held by Drs. Park and Harrison, because most doctors are incompetent to perform properly such an operation, as it required the work of an expert chemist.

He finished by saying: "Why is it that this woman wants to remain here under the weight of condemnation and continual accusation, injuring herself and her children, when she could go to Canada and be tried by a fair tribunal and if, as she claims, she is innocent, be for all time hereafter freed from such a burden?"

At the close of Mr. Thomas' argument the court declared the hearing adjourned until Dec. 4, in order to have time in which to thoroughly review the testimony of the case.

UNHAPPY CUBA.

Spanish Bank Will Pay Its Notes in Silver—A Priest Maps Out a Plan of Campaign—Much Distress.

New York, Nov. 24.—The Sun's Havana correspondent under date of Nov. 18 writes: The Spanish Bank of the Island of Cuba has resolved to pay its bank notes in silver instead of gold, and for this purpose will make an issue of silver bills.

As a proof of the unpopularity of Gen. Weyler and the lack of confidence in his campaign, a sensational book has been published in Havana by a priest, in which a general plan is proposed for crushing the revolution. Father Casas, formerly secretary of the Bishop of Havana, is the author. He proposes to put in line of battle 100,000 soldiers, extending from the northeast to the south, and then, advancing three miles a day, oblige the insurgents to flee from the island. The clergy greatly favor the plan of Father Casas, and criticise the actual campaign of Weyler, who, in their opinion, has left defenceless the larger part of Cuba, while giving attention only to Maceo.

The sanitary condition of Havana is terrible. It is estimated that 13,000 sick Spanish soldiers are now in Havana. Smallpox is also making ravages among the population. In a single house on Aguila street 20 persons have died of smallpox.

The official reports of the war give news every day of forty or fifty skirmishes all over the island. No important battles are to be expected until the end of December, when the favorable season for the Cubans will fairly open.

Will Weyler Give Up?

Havana, Nov. 24.—The press comments on the return of Captain-General Weyler are very guarded, as is natural under the strict censorship exercised here. It is rumored that he will soon return to the field. One report has it that the chief reason for his return to Havana was pressing Government business, which demanded his personal attention. Some dissatisfaction is quietly expressed, even by loyalists, that General Weyler, after his long preparations to inflict a crushing blow on Maceo, should now come back to the capital without even catching sight of the main body of the rebels.

The rebel sympathizers are jubilant, believing that General Weyler's return signalizes the abandonment of his personal leadership of the campaign.

A Feeling Against Spain.

Tokio, Nov. 7.—(Via San Francisco, Nov. 24.)—Sympathy in the far East is strongly in favor of the Philippine Island insurgents. From several sources come stories of terrible tortures inflicted upon prisoners by the Spanish authorities for the purpose of extorting confessions. Speeches by Spaniards in high positions indicate that a war of extermination is being planned.

A Canadian Prize Winner.

New York, Nov. 24.—Large attendance marked the second day of the live stock exhibition at Madison-square Garden and a very interesting program was laid out by the management. This evening Jersey cattle were judged, followed by short horn cattle. The show closed with a parade of the prize winners. W. H. Beattie of Wilton Grove, Ont., won first prize for fat sheep, Oxfords and Hampshires, wethers one year old. Second prize went to W. H. Newton, Pontiac, Mich.

Wiman's Scheme.

Detroit, Nov. 24.—Erastus Wiman is here pushing his scheme to utilize the Erie Canal as a through waterway to take flour and grain from the Northwest to the seaboard. He is organizing a joint stock company, and says freight can be taken from Buffalo to the seaboard for one mill per ton per mile, one-fifth of the railway rate.

LATEST CABLE NEWS

Lord Farrer Gives Billy Bryan a Rough Slap.

HE WAS WORSE THAN McKINLEY,

Judged From the Cobdenite Standpoint—Lord Playfair Believes a Great Commercial Panic Would Have Followed the Election of the Free Silverite—Lady Scott's Trial.

London, Nov. 24.—A meeting of the Cobden Club was held at the rooms of the National Liberal Club to-day. Among the speakers was Lord Farrer of Abinger, formerly Sir Thomas Henry Farrer, the author of "Free Trade versus Fair Trade," and other economic works. Lord Farrer expressed his satisfaction that Mr. Chamberlain's proposals for an Imperial zollverein had fallen flat, both at home and in the colonies, as he was opposed to free trade that meant only free trade with the colonies and protection against foreign countries. He was gratified at the election of McKinley to the American Presidency, though he was merely the lesser evil. If Bryan had not appeared as a candidate he would have thought McKinley the worst possible man for President.

Lord Playfair said: "The issues at stake in the recent American presidential election involved questions of constitutional government, and also the question of our faith in the democracy. If Bryan had been elected that faith would have been shattered, and the commercial panic which would have ensued would have been enormous. But far more serious than a commercial panic would have been our loss of faith in the democracy of the world."

Speaking of his personal observations in the United States during the presidential campaign, Lord Playfair said he felt required to say that the silverites were not dishonest, but mistaken. Free trade was not an issue in the contest with the exception that it was mentioned in some of McKinley's speeches. In view of the fact that the pivot of the election was sound money, the world ought to feel glad of the result. It would be a long time, he predicted, before the ardent protectionists of the United States would seek to change the existing tariff. The sound politicians of the United States had many questions of their own to solve, and he had no doubt that they would take advantage of the opportunity to deal with the question of the currency; but they were not likely to attempt to bring about a revival of high protection.

LADY SCOTT'S TRIAL.

Earl Russell Narrates the Story of the Manning of His Yacht

London, Nov. 24.—The trial of Lady Scott and the other defendants, Cockerton, Kast and Aylott, charged with having criminally libelled Earl Russell, was resumed in the Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey, this morning.

Earl Russell was called to the witness stand and narrated the circumstances of his purchasing and manning his yacht. He had on board a mate named W. R. Parker, and a cabin boy named W. H. Parker, who left his employ to go into the Royal Navy. He was aware that W. H. Parker had been subpoenaed as a witness in his case. It was not true that he had ever kissed W. H. Parker. He had engaged Kast as cabin boy in June, 1887. Among the guests on board the yacht at that time were Lan Thynne, Cecil Fane and Lane Fox. Earl Russell then proceeded to describe the arrangements on board the yacht for the accommodation of his guests and himself.

Earl Russell denied Kast's allegations of immorality on board the yacht while the vessel was at Norfolk Roads. Then he produced his diary and by it proved that it would have been impossible for the acts charged to have occurred on the dates alleged. Earl Russell declared that Kast had never slept in his cabin. He had discharged Kast because of his filthiness in the use of towels.

Earl Russell said Kast had called upon him once after leaving the yacht and asked for work. Witness declined to re-employ Kast, but gave him a few shillings to help him along. Aylott succeeded as cabin boy on board the yacht, upon the recommendation of Cockerton. A lad named Lenton, who he had heard might appear in the witness box, was then engaged as deck hand. He was discharged because he got drunk.

The Earl narrated the quarrels with his wife over money matters, which had led to the indecent allegations she had brought against him.

Earl Russell emphatically denied that he had been guilty of misconduct with Aylott. He had discharged Cockerton for drunkenness, and for overstaying his leave from the yacht. Aylott, he said, had acted as his valet until 1889. Coming to the period of his marriage to Lady Scott's daughter, the Earl said that Lady Scott had appeared to be on friendly terms with Mr. Roberts (one of Lord Russell's Oxford friends) while visiting his house, though afterwards she had made charges against both Roberts and himself. The trial was adjourned for the day. Lady Scott was permitted to renew her bail for her appearance, and allowed to go free until to-morrow.

NOW IT'S COMING OUT.

A Breach of Promise Suit Against Mr. White, M.P. for Forfarshire.

Edinburgh, Nov. 24.—The list of cases to be tried in the Edinburgh Court of Sessions contains that of Miss Ellen Grant of Dundee, against James Martin White, M.P., of Baldruddery, near Dundee. Miss Grant is the oldest daughter of the Rev. Mr. Grant, pastor of the parish of St. John's, Dundee, and is suing Mr. White for breach of promise of marriage. Mr. White, who is retiring from the House of Commons, to which he was returned for Forfarshire, is the head of the firm of F. J. White & Co., of New York.

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OUR FARMER MINISTER.

Though the Mail and Empire flouts the Laurier Ministry with tedious iteration of the motto, "business is business," yet it is proven that this principle has been adopted in the selection of ministers who know their business. One conspicuous instance of this is Hon. Sidney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, who was appointed because he was at once a live politician and a practical farmer. Concerning him the Montreal Herald says: "The farming Minister of Agriculture has ceased to be an experiment—he is a success. The recent outbreak of hog cholera in Essex, overtaxed the local staff of veterinary officials, who were, perhaps, too much accustomed to the leisurely methods of former ministers. Hon. Mr. Fisher, on learning that the epidemic was gaining strength, sent down the head of that department, and authorized the engagement of qualified veterinaries for each infected township. By the slaughter of diseased hogs, the isolation of suspected cases, the strict quarantine of infected districts, and general disinfection, the outbreak has been fully controlled with a smaller loss than might have been expected. Mr. Fisher has now under consideration the sanitary means necessary to prevent its recurrence."

SPAIN demands an apology from the United States for the burning of a Spanish flag in Delaware, a city in Maryland. If Spain can't bring a few bare-legged insurgent Cubans to time, how can she expect to make the United States, with mighty warships lying at ambush on the bottom of her harbours, apologize for an insult to her flag?

HON. N. CLARKE WALLACE, in a speech in Toronto on Monday night, painted a glowing picture of the sweetly and solidly-united condition of the Conservative party. At the same moment we see the chief organ of the party, the World, jumping with both feet on the Mail and Empire, the other chief organ, and denouncing the policy of the wing of the party led by the latter. The World thus refers to the Mail and Empire: "Let the Conservative party beware of trifling with this school question, especially at the beck of The Mail. It is run, owned and written by the same men who betrayed Sir John, who originated the Pulptower plot, vilified the French, ridiculed the Catholic faith and its priests, offered to sell out to Dana, and become an annexation emissary, and scoffed at British connection! It has abandoned every movement that it supported, and supported every abandoned movement. It is trying to lead the Conservative party to destruction." After such a sweet picture of brethren dwelling together in unity, who will not say that Mr. Wallace is justified in gloating over the glorious unity and harmony of the Conservative party?

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FORGED AND EMBEZZLED.

A Prominent Physician of Farnham, Quebec, is in a Heap of Trouble and Admits His Guilt.

Montreal, Nov. 24.—(Special.)—There was a sad sight in the Montreal Police Court to-day, when Dr. George Slack of Farnham, and one of the best known practitioners in the province, appeared before Judge Desnoyers and pleaded guilty to the charge of forgery and embezzlement to the extent of $12,000. Dr. Slack was with his sister, Mrs. Montgomery, executor in his late brother-in-law's estate, and having forged that lady's power of attorney, he secured a large amount of Bank of Montreal stock, sold the same and appropriated it to his own use, hence his arrest by Detective Carpenter and a plea of guilty before the judge. Mr. George S. Foster made a most eloquent appeal for clemency, and presented a petition bearing over two thousand names. It is also learned that restitution to a very large amoun t has been made. Judge Desnoyers will sentence the unfortunate man on Friday morning. Dr. Slack was the Conservative candidate in Missisquoi at the general election for the House of Commons.

The outward movement of grain and provisions from Montreal this season in almost every important staple shows a gratifying increase, with the exception of flour, pork and smoked meats. These three show a decrease as compared with the season of 1895, flour being 330,061 barrels less; pork, 1742 barrels, and smoked meats, 2005 boxes. All the raw cereals show increases, wheat being 3,200,000 odd in excess of 1895; corn, 3,000,000; peas, 2,200,000; oats, 2,300,000; rye, 300,000 bushels, and apples, 500,000 barrels.

PACIFIC CABLE QUESTION.

The Hawaiian Government Exercises Good Judgment in Dealing With American Monopolists - A Sop Refused.

Honolulu, Nov. 18 (via San Francisco, Nov. 24).—President Dole held a conference with the leading officials and business men of the island on the 14th inst., regarding the advisability of extending the terms of the cable franchise granted to Col. Z. S. Spalding and by him transferred to the Pacific Cable Company of New Jersey. The new contract calls for the exclusive privilege to land cables in Hawaii, connecting with Japan and Australia, and also an extension of two years in which to obtain a subsidy of $160,000 a year each from Japan and Australia. As an inducement for granting these terms Spalding offered to take up $375,000 Hawaiian 4 per cent. bonds of the proposed new issue for refunding the Government debt. John W. Foster, as representative of the Cable Company, urged the acceptance of the proposition, but yesterday was notified that the Government was unable to grant the request.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

TEN SCHOOLS STARTED.

Archbishop Langevin Will Take Catholic Education in Manitoba Under His Own Supervision.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 24.—(Special.)—Archbishop Langevin officially announces that, now that the so-called settlement terms shut out all hopes of restoration of the Catholic schools, he will take Catholic education in this province directly under his personal supervision. This morning, under the Archbishop's personal direction, ten parochial schools were opened in French Catholic parishes. They will be supported by voluntary contributions of Catholics.

The French Catholics of St Boniface held a public meeting to-night, and passed strongly-worded resolutions, protesting against the school settlement. Senator Bernier and Mr. LaRiviere, M.P., were the chief speakers.

Two or three rinks of Winnipeg curlers will take in the Toronto bonspiel this winter.

Hon. Mr. Prendergast is to-day mourning the death of his only daughter, Marguerite.

KILLED BY THE CARS.

Philip Keathing Falls Off a Train Near the Humber at 1 a.m. To-Day and is Horribly Mangled.

Toronto, Nov. 25.

Philip Keathing, a man about 30 years of age, was killed on the G.T.R. track about a quarter of a mile west of the Humber, at 1 o'clock this morning. With two companions named James Spencer and John Birmingham, he had been stealing a ride, and, according to the story told to Constable Gipson of the Humber by Spencer and Birmingham, Keathing fell off the train. He was dragged about eight train lengths, and the body was horribly mangled. The train was stopped, and Conductor A. Smith notified Constable Gipson, who in turn notified Coroner Lynd. The remains were taken to Nurse's Hotel, pending enquiries.

Constable Gipson says that both Spencer and Birmingham were under the influence of liquor. They told him deceased's name, and said that he was a shoemaker, and that he had relatives in the city, one, Graham, being a shoemaker at Queen and Sumach-streets. They also told the constable that Keathing's brother-in-law was an employe of the City Jail. Spencer and Birmingham left for Toronto on the train before Constable Gipson had time to make much of their incoherent story.

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TO MAKE QUICK TIME.

The Shortest Route to Europe is Via St John's, Nfld., Says Mr. McCowen, Now in Montreal.

Montreal, Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Mr. J. R. McCowen, Inspector-General of the Newfoundland Constabulary Force, is here. He speaks of the early completion of the Island Railway, which will be finished to Port au Basque, its western terminus, early next season. This point is but 90 miles from Sydney, C.B., which, with a good steamer, can be reached in four or five hours. Mr. McCowen said that Mr. Robert Reid, the builder of the 500 miles of railway through the interior of the colony, had fulfilled his obligations to the Government and the people of Newfoundland in the most honorable manner, and both he and his sons are highly respected by all classes. He is now in England, for the purpose of securing a first-class steamer to run between Port au Basque and Sydney at the completion of the road to the first-named point, and he hopes that with a fast liner that will make the time from Great Britain to St. John's, Nfld., in 3 1-2 days, a railway trip across the Island and a 20-knot steamer to Sydney, the fast Atlantic mail service will be a fait accompli. It is also quite probable that with the completion of the Baie des Chaleurs line to Paspebiac a steamer will be put on from that port to the west coast of Newfoundland, bringing Montreal within 35 hours of St. John's. Mr. McCowen declares that this would be by all odds the safest route from Great Britain to this continent. He has just been over Mr. Reid's new road, and describes the scenery both along the route and on the coast as exceedingly fine, especially in Notre Dame Bay, in the north of the Island. Newfoundland, he says, is just entering on the development of her rich mineral deposits of gold and copper and asbestos, while an English company has just been formed to work the oil wells. The copper mines at Filt Cove on the north side of the Island are a marvel of richness, twelve steamers having already been despatched to New York and Great Britain with the ore.

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NEWS FROM OTTAWA

The People's Whiskey Bill Shows a Decline

AS COMPARED WITH FORMER YEARS

Prof. Robertson to Confer With Toronto People Regarding Cold Storage—Dr. McPhail Looking Into the Lobster Packing Industry—A Budget of Personal and General News.

Ottawa, Nov. 24.—The Inland Revenue Department is the first of the public departments to issue its annual report. It shows that the Canadian whisky bill for the fiscal year ending June 30 last was the lowest in the history of the country. The consumption of spirits per head was .823 gallons, while for 1895 it was .868. In 1869 the consumption per head was 1.324 (over one and a tenth gallons). The quantity consumed kept steadily increasing until 1874, when it reached its highest point, 1.994, or nearly two gallons Since that time the consumption has gradually decreased. While the quantity of spirits consumed drunk per head has increased. In 1869 drank per head was increased In 1869 the quantity consumed per head was 2.290 gallons. It kept about the same quantity, sometimes a little higher, sometimes a little lower, until 1881, when the quantity consumed per head was 2.293. Each year then it kept going up until 1891, when it reached its highest point, 2.790. For the last fiscal year, the quantity consumed was 3.528, and for 1895 it was 3.471. In 1894 it was 3.722.

The Agricultural and Dairy Commissioner was notified by Mayor Fleming to-day that he had arranged for a meeting to be held in the City Council Chamber, Toronto, on Friday morning, at which members of the council and of the Board of Trade interested in cold storage for perishable products would be present to meet Prof. Robertson. Accordingly the Commissioner will leave for Toronto on Thursday evening. After the meeting there, on his way west, Prof. Robertson will visit St. Mary's and other points where cold storage warehouses have already been constructed, with a view to acquiring information as to the methods of construction.

Dr. McPhail of McGill University visited here to-night to discuss with the officers of the Fisheries Department the steps to be taken towards putting into force the methods discovered by Dr McPhail for preventing the blackening of lobsters after canning. Packers on the Atlantic coast are very anxious to learn Dr McPhail's method, as it means considerable money to them if it can be successfully carried out

Information has reached the Agricultural Commissioner from Washington, that the Internal Revenue Department there is going to take vigorous action against the parties who shipped a consignment of filled cheese to Glasgow recently from Chicago; also information comes that the officers are already at work and will make it hot for parties who contravened the United States law.

The quantity of wine consumed per had reached its lowest point last year, when it was .07 gallons. The year previous it was .09. In 1869 the quantity was .115. It kept ascending until 1874, when it reached its highest point, .333. In 1875 it dropped to .149 and kept gradually dropping until last year it was the lowest on record.

In 1869 the tobacco used per head was 1.750 lbs. It reached its highest mark in 1885, when the quantity consumed was 2.623 lbs. It dropped gradually to 2.143 in 1890, and since then there has been very little change. The quantity consumed last year was 2.120 lbs. per head, compared with 2.163 in 1895.

The report shows that the revenue accrued during the year was $8,041,097, as compared with $7,912,097 for the previous year. Of the revenue, $4,911,283 came from the excise duties on spirits, $2,351,899 from tobacco and $460,937 from cigars. Malt gave $781,554 duty. The quantity of spirits produced during the year was 4,382,219 proof gallons, as compared with 2,606,787 proof gallons produced in the previous fiscal year.

The total quantity of tobacco, snuff and cigarettes used for the year was 9,632,872 lbs., which was below the average. The year previous the quantity consumed was 10,002,521 lbs. The Canadian tobacco used was 500,283 lbs.

The average number of cigars smoked for the four years ending 1894, '95, was 110,192,321, while the number for last year was 108,290,260, about 100 cigars apiece for every full grown man in the Dominion.

The methylated spirits manufactured during the year was 119,341 proof gallons, and 120,715 gallons were sold.

Data are being collected by the railway authorities in conjunction with the city police, Government detectives and the Provincial County Constables' Association with respect to the hundreds of burglaries and more serious offences which have been committed by tramps during the past few months. This information will be embodied in a petition to be presented to the Minister of Justice, asking certain amendments be made to the criminal code, applying especially to these peripatetic wayfarers. One of the changes suggested will be the insertion of a clause providing that every tramp arrested upon whom a revolver or other weapon is found shall be liable to six months' imprisonment and 15 applications of a cat-o-nine tails.

There is a prospect of trouble between the directors of the Protestant Hospital and the medical staff. The latter have asked the directors to replace Dr. J. A. Grant, jr., on the medical staff of the institution. At a meeting of the doctors on Saturday evening, it was decided if the directors should be called upon to carry out the spirit of the agreement made with the medical staff, whereby it was agreed not to strike off any of the doctors on the staff without sufficient cause. The doctors claim that this agreement, has been broken by the recent new appointments. They will give the directors an opportunity to return to the terms of the agreement, and if that is not done it is not improbable that the resignation of the entire staff will be handed in.

Major Sutherland, chief Government whip, arrived here to-day to make arrangements for the campaign in Cornwall and Stormont. It is likely that the Major will go down to Cornwall in a day or two and camp on the ground until the contest is over.

The suit brought by Mr. A. S. Woodburn for compensation for bindery work given out by the Government during the time that he held the contract, from Dec. 1, 1879, to Nov. 9, 1886, is likely to be a lengthy one. Collectors of Customs have been instructed to forward to that department certified copies of all accounts and vouchers for binding performed at their ports between the dates named.

The Minister of Marine has declined to intervene with a marine investigation into the cause of the collision between the steamship Tiber and the schooner Maggie in St. John's harbor, Newfoundland, owing to the fact that the captain of the Tiber is now under trial for manslaughter.

Ottawa is to have a sitting of the Tariff Commission if a sufficient number of manufacturers and importers of the district signify their desire to give the Ministers the benefit of their suggestions. To that end circulars have been sent out by the Board of Trade.

Mr. S. H. Janes of Toronto is again in the city.

Mr. Davies yesterday instructed the department to look into the report made by the Spanish Consul at Halifax, that the steamer Bermuda was arranging for a filibustering expedition to Cuba.

Several specimens of anthraxolite from the Sudbury district have been sent to the Geological Survey museum, and are now on exhibition there.

There are yet seventeen miles of the O.,A. & P. S. Railway to pass Government inspection. The inspection of this part of the line will likely take place next week.

Mr. Robert Chalmers of the Geological Survey has returned from his season's field work among the alluvial deposits of the Chaudiere district of Quebec and the Eastern Townships.

Chief Engineer Schreiber was inspecting the Cornwall Canal to-day.

Col. Tucker, M. P., was here to-day on departmental business.

Messrs. Blair and Davies will leave for the Northwest to-morrow. Mr. Tarte will meet them at Winnipeg to discuss certain matters before he comes home, and his colleagues go west. The Minister of Public Works was at Calgary to-day and will be at Edmonton to-morrow.

Postmaster-General Mulock returned to the city to-day.

The outports of Wellington Square and Hagersville, under Hamilton, are to be abolished after the 1st of January next.

Mr. F. T. C. O'Hara, private secretary to Sir Richard Cartwright, has in the press a work entitled "Snap Shots From Boy Life." It will be illustrated by one of the best artists in the United States.

The Free Press (Liberal organ) publishes a letter condemning for his pap hunting proclivities Mr. E. A. Meredith of Toronto, recently appointed a commissioner to investigate the affairs of Kingston penitentiary.

W. Crisper of Gloucester Township, a young man employed as a brakesman on the Ottawa and Parry Sound Road, was crushed to death by the cars at Simms' pit, 150 miles up the line.

The Fisheries Department was advised to-day that the Behring Sea Claim Commission has got down to business at Victoria. Sixteen claims were filed by Canadians, aggregating $424,500 for the vessels and $35,000 for personal detention of masters and mates. More claims will be filed to-morrow.

A MESSAGE TO MEN.

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I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathise with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble, Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. Geo. G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich

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St. John's, Nfld., Nov. 24.—The steamer Carthaginian arrived here to-night from Liverpool, conveying drafts of 800 officers and men to relieve the British garrisons at Halifax, Bermuda and Esquimalt. This route was adopted in order to test the possibility of despatching troops to Canada rapidly in time of war, and also to see how quickly a garrison could be landed in St. John's should Great Britain's necessities compel special efforts to retain the island. The officers aboard will report upon the above matters upon reaching their destination. The scheme excites considerable interest here.

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Fine Worsted Pants $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00.	
500 pair Men's Heavy Wool Full-cloth Pants	1 19
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Fine Worsted Overcoats	4 50
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Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 60
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Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour-d..... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1.25, now 1 00
6 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves ..... were $1 25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
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Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Watch and Wait

For Otonabee Lodge anniversary entertainment on Dec. 7th; the best programme of the season.

Acknowledgement.

The Children's Aid Society gratefully acknowledge the receipt of $4.25 from the Epworth League of the George street Methodist church.

Chief Douglas in Town.

Chief Douglas, of Port Hope, came up this morning for Wm. Milne of that town, who was arrested here last night by the police, from a description sent up by Chief Douglas. Milne is wanted on a charge of larceny.

New Millinery Novelties.

The Misses Cahill have placed on exhibition this week a lot of the more recent fall and winter novelties in millinery goods, which the ladies should call and inspect. These goods will meet the demand for something new for Thanksgiving week.

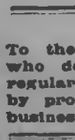
The Lacrosse Club's Photographs.

The members and officers of the Lacrosse Club will please be at the Oriental Hotel to-morrow morning at a quarter to nine. The players will bring their suits only and are requested to be sharp on time. Mr. Whiten will take the group at nine o'clock at his studio.

The Ladies of Peterborough

are specially invited to call and inspect Mr. G. E. Whiten's new art studio, where Miss Whiten will be in attendance to show you through the newly arranged premises and also show you some new work just finished. Don't wait till you want photos taken before you call, as we will be pleased to have you call any time. Studio entrance on Hunter street, opposite Oak Hall. 1d

Thanksgiving Dinner.



The Ladies' Aid of Charlotte street Methodist church have completed all arrangements for their annual Thanksgiving dinner and entertainment on Thursday evening. Dinner will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock, after which a choice programme of vocal and instrumental music, and short addresses by the resident ministers, will be presented. Tickets 25c for both dinner and entertainment. The chair will be taken by J. R. Stratton, Esq., M. P. P. 2d128

A Musical Entertainment.

The Montreal Witness of Nov. 17th says: "Concert-goers experienced a treat on Tuesday in the choice musical entertainment given by Miss Mabel Chambers and Miss Bertha Belasco in Association Hall. The sweet toned voice of the first mentioned artist was heard to good advantage in "With Verdure Clad" "Love has Eyes," as well as in other numbers and encores. Miss Belasco's playing left almost nothing to be desired. The hall was crowded and the concert a decided success." The plan for concert to be given here by these young ladies, Dec. 3rd, is now open at Stratton's Bookstore. Reserved seats 50 cents, admission 35 and 25 cents. 2d

At the Opera House.

The opera house was again crowded last night, when the Myra Collins Company presented the sparkling comedy, "That Naughty Kid." The production gave excellent satisfaction. Myra Collins, as Polly took her part to perfection, and was simply two cute for anything, whilst J. Moy Bennett, as Carl Schmidt, Polly's lover was right in line in this character. The other members of the company also acquitted themselves admirably in their respective parts. But all eyes appeared to have been rivetted on Danny Simons, as Mr. Smudge, the hustling advertising agent. His songs and dances during the evening were greeted with deafening applause. The management have under them a clever company of artists, and their work is away above the average.

A CATHEDRAL WEDDING.

Nuptials of Miss Ellen Doris and Mr. Thos. Sheehan.

A quiet but very pretty wedding took place at St. Peter's Cathedral at 7 o'clock to-day, when Ven. Archdeacon Casey united in marriage Miss Ellen Doris, eldest daughter of Mr. J. R. Doris, Harvey street, and Mr. Thomas Sheehan, of Ashburnham.

The bride looked charming in a fawn-coloured wedding costume, and wore a brown chenille hat. She was assisted by her sister, Miss Cecilia, in a dress of navy blue tweed, trimmed with brown fur, and wearing a brown hat. The groom was assisted by Mr. Daniel Hayes of Skibbereen, Otonabee, cousin of the bride.

Only the relatives of the contracting parties were present during the ceremony and at its conclusion the happy couple repaired to the residence of the bride's father, where a wedding breakfast was partaken of.

The bride was the recipient of a large number of beautiful presents from her many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheehan left on the 12.05 G. T. R. train on a wedding trip to Niagara and other points in the Dominion.

THE TOWN TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

Annual Convention Friday, Nov. 27th—What the Programme Will be.

The Peterborough City Teachers' Association will hold its annual convention in the Central School, town, on Friday next, Nov. 27th, beginning at 9 a. m.

In the morning, among other things, Mr. *Jeffries*, of the Collegiate Institute, will teach a lesson in literature, and Miss Becket will teach an object lesson. In the afternoon Dr. Klug will deliver an address on "School Hygiene." Rev. Mr. Symonds will also address the convention at 2.15.

Teachers are requested to come prepared to point out anything in their respective limits which they think capable of improvement. This is a favourable time to thoroughly discuss this matter.

All those interested in educational matters are cordially invited to attend either or both sessions of the convention. Principal Fessendan will preside.

INTERPROVINCIAL B. Y. P. U. CONVENTION.

Rev. C. E. McLeod the Peterborough Delegate—Programme of the Convention

Rev. C. E. McLeod, of the Gilmour Memorial Baptist Church, left to-day to attend the grand rally of the Baptist Young People's Union of Ontario and and Quebec, which is being held in Ingersoll to-morrow. The programme is as follows:

MORNING SESSION.

10.00 to 10.45—Enrollment of delegates.
10.45 to 11.00—Praise service. Leader, Rev. J. Grant, Ingersoll.
11.00 to 12.00—Thanksgiving sermon. Rev. J. W. A. Stewart, D. D., Rochester, N. Y. Free-will offering and voluntary.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

1.30 to 1.50—Praise and prayer service. Leader, Mr. F. L. Ratcliffe, Toronto.
1.50 to 2.10—Greetings and reply.
2.10 to 2.50—Four papers—
(1) "Should our Young People's Societies provide for the social wants of their members and to what extent?" Mr. H. F. McDiarmid, Ingersoll.
(2) "Bible Knowledge Necessary for Christian Life and Service." Mr. Lloyd, Hamilton.
(3) "Soul Winning." Mr. S. L. Squire, Waterford.
(4) "Missionary Enthusiasm:—How it can be Awakened and Sustained." Mr. R. D. Echlin, Dundas.
Hymn No. 619.
2.50 to 3.45—Open Conference on Christian Culture Courses. Introduced by Rev. O. G. Lansford, B.A., Georgetown.
3.45 to 4.15—Question Drawer. Conducted by Mr. Thomas Urquhart, Toronto.
Hymn No. 454.
4.15 to 4.45—Address. "The Holy Spirit's Aid in Service, and the Service He Aids," by Rev. A. P. McDiarmid, M. A., Toronto.
Hymn No. 122.

EVENING SESSION.

7.30 to 8.00 — Praise and Prayer Service. Leader, Mr. M. L. Stark, Toronto.
8.00 to 8.30—Address—"Junior Work." Rev. J. E. Trotter, St. Catharines.
Hymn No. 685.
8.30 to 9.00—Address. "Importance and Advantages of a Study of the History of our Distinctive Principles." Rev. D. Spencer, F.R.G.S. Brantford.
Free Will Offering and Voluntary.
9.00 to 9.30—Address. "Decision," Rev. J. W. A. Stewart, D. D., Rochester.
Hymn No. 404.
9.30 to 10.00 — Consecration Service. Conducted by the President, Rev. C. E. MacLeod, Peterborough.

NOTES.

Purpose of rally—Enlightenment in the Truth—Increased Efficiency in Christian Service.

The Ingersoll friends have freely opened their homes to our young people.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Sabatino Paumbo was discharged this morning by the magistrate. He was the Italian who was arrested for flourishing a revolver last week.

—Mr. J. Hampden Burnham will give an address on "The Early History of Canada" in the Catholic Association rooms next Tuesday evening.

—Several of the Toronto papers are starting an agitation against the exemption of churches in that city from taxation. About four and three quarter of a million of church property is exempted.

—If you want to economize burn the People's Coal Co's coal. All kinds of coal in stock, including best hard coal for stoves and furnaces, soft coal for grates, and smithing coal. Office—360 Charlotte street. Telephone 360.

—The time is approaching when the owners of display store fronts will have the usual cold weather trouble from the frosting of their windows. It is said that painting the glass with a solution of glycerine in 63 per cent. spirits of wine will overcome this difficulty. It is worthy trying.

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Protect Your Horses, etc.

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Buy from Grafton & Co., the One Price Clothing Manufacturers, and save the middle man's profit.

THE MORGAN HOUSE ROBBERY

David Welsh Receives a Hearing—The Evidence Largely That Given in the Lockington Case—The Case Not Concluded.

David Welsh, charged with the burglary of the Morgan House on Nov. 17th, had a hearing at the police court this morning before Police Magistrate Dumble.

Mr. R. E. Wood represented the Crown, and Mr. Daniel O'Connell appeared for the accused.

Fred Lund was first examined and gave substantially the same evidence as he did in the hearing of Lockington.

Mr. O'Connel's cross-examination was directed to show the improbability of Mr. Cox hearing from the room he slept in, the fall of the drawer of the cash register in the bar. Witness did not identify prisoner as the man who came to the bar with Lockington the night of the robbery.

James Gordon testified to seeing a man the night of and about the time of the robbery at the corner of Simcoe and Water streets, on the east side of Water street. The man carried an umbrella and was dressed in dark clothes. He was about the height of the prisoner. He then in a few minutes passed up to the Bank of Commerce corner. It was about 3 minutes from the time he was at the Ontario Bank corner. It was 8 minutes past one when he was at the Bank of Commerce and 3 minutes after he was at Morgan's. He substantially repeated his evidence in the Lockington case. To Mr. O'Connell—It was 10 minutes after one when he reached Morgan's Hotel. It was three minutes after he entered the bar before any person came into the bar. The door of the bar was unlocked till Mr. Cox and the bartender came. There is no light at the corner of Water and Simcoe streets. He could not identify the prisoner as the person he saw at this point on the night of the robbery.

E. W. Cox testified in the main the same as in the hearing of Lockington. Mr. O'Connell's cross-examination took the direction of showing a hiatus in the time at which witness heard the breaking of the glass and the time Watchman Gordon saw a man (assumed to be prisoner) at the corner of Simcoe street.

Henry Morgan, son of Mr. A. P. Morgan, testified that he saw prisoner in the Morgan House bar about a quarter to eleven on the night of 17th. He was sitting on a seat near the side door. Saw him examining the lock. Prisoner was in company with Mark Lockington, and had an umbrella. They left about 11 o'clock. To Mr. O'Connell—Witness did not regard Walsh's examination of the lock as anything suspicious.

Joseph Armstrong knew the prisoner by sight. Saw him with Mark Lockington on the night in question—a little before eleven. He had an umbrella. They left his place about 11:30. Lockington was pretty drunk.

R. M. Glover was returning to Ashburnham on the 17th at about 25 minutes after 12. Met two men; one had only one arm, and the other had an umbrella. Did not see the faces of the men.

Joseph Stewart, policeman, testified to what he found on the prisoner when he was searched at the police station at the time of his arrest. His left hand was cut—a fresh wound. He noticed prisoner in the cells rubbing blood off his hand. To Mr. O'Connell—He had heard of the robbery and expected to find marks.

Geo. Graham testified that he saw Lockington passing the Oriental Hotel going towards George street in company with a man he thought was the prisoner. This was about 12.15. He saw Lockington at Oriental again about 1.30.

The case was in progress as we go to press.

REMEMBER

the Foresters' Thanksgiving Concert in the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe Street, to-morrow evening. Tickets 25c. An entertaining programme is promised.

PERSONAL.

Miss Rogers, of Toronto, is in town on a visit, the guest of Mrs. John McKee, 174 London street.

The numerous friends of Mrs. H. C. Rogers, who has been ill at her rooms at the Huffman House, will be pleased to learn that her condition shows improvement.

Col. Hamilton, of Toronto, provincial inspector of vital statistics, was in town yesterday, and found everything satisfactory with the records of Mr. Registrar Armstrong.

The Globe says: Mrs. Van der Linde, 33 Harvard avenue, entertained a few friends last Friday evening in honor of her guests, Miss Wolverton, of Hamilton, and Miss Manson, of Peterborough.

A METHODIST PASTOR.

He Tells About One of His Congregation who had Bright's Disease.

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Routley's Closing Out Sale.

Crowds are being attracted by the great closing-out sale of C. H. Routley's stock of fancy goods, stationery, crockery, china, lamp goods, trunks, valises, wall paper, etc. This sale is a bona fide one, as the business must be closed up before the 31st December. Mr. Routley also offers for sale his commodious brick residence, No. 416 Stewart street, modern design and equipment in every respect. Furnace, hot and cold water, electric light, bath, etc.; brick driving shed and stable. Also dwelling, No. 274 Hunter street, well situated. Also, buggy, phaeton, cutter, harness, etc.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

To-morrow is the day set apart by the Government to be observed as a day of national thanksgiving for the blessings of peace, plenty and national prosperity enjoyed by the people of this grand country. We have abundant reason to be grateful, to give thanks, and it is very meet and right so to do. As the day will be observed as a general holiday, in order that our employees may participate in the festival, there will be no issue of THE EXAMINER to-morrow.

See Grafton & Co's Men's Fine Double-Breasted Beaver Overcoats at $4.95, $6.50, $8.50 and $10.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

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Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather 50c, for	40	500 rolls of Wall Paper at	4
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Catholic Piety 25c, for	19	300 rolls of Wall Paper at	8
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Ladies' Purses, silver mounted, worth 35c, for	22	25c Dado Blinds for	19
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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

It Netted $50.

The Children's Aid Society gratefully acknowledge the receipt of $50, being the net proceeds of Rev. Dr. Milligan's lecture.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, on Saturday, November 28th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases.

The Wrong Man.

The man who was caught at Norwood and brought to town on a charge of taking $11.23 from Mr. Will McCallum, as mentioned in yesterday's issue, turns out to be the wrong man after all.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 25 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Union Thanksgiving Service.

The annual Union Thanksgiving service will be held in St. Paul's church to-morrow (Thursday) at 11 a.m. The Rev. J. G. Potter, of St. Andrew's will preach, and the resident ministers will participate in the service. Everybody welcome. The thank offering will be entirely devoted to charitable work in town.

Special Opening of Fruits.

Commencing on Saturday, 28th inst., Mason & Co. open for inspection one of the finest and largest variety of Xmas fruits ever shown in Peterborough. Every lady should see these goods before making a purchase, as it will give them a better knowledge of different qualities and prices. No trouble to show goods. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. 21124

The Lake Temiscaming District.

Mr. Thos. McCamus, of Bobcaygeon, returned last week from Lake Temiscaming, on the boundary between Ontario and Quebec, about 100 miles northwest of Mattawa, where he spent the summer. Mr. McCamus' description of the country is a favourable one; the soil is first class, and the lumber shanties furnish a remunerative market, hay selling at $20 per ton and oats at 60 cents a bushel. Last year Mr. McCamus took up a farm lot of 320 acres, paying 50c. per acre, and this summer he erected a saw and shingle mill. On the Ontario side the lumber is spruce, whitewood and cedar, but pine is plentiful on the Quebec side, and last winter 7,000 men were employed in the shanties cutting lumber.

Good News for Machine Workmen.

The Royal Electric Company, of Montreal, have recently closed several extensive contracts for large Electrical Machinery, which will keep their factory occupied night and day for more than a year, and necessitates a large increase in the number of their employees. They are advertising for a number of mechanics at good wages. They have added to their Machinery Equipment recently some of the largest tools of their kind in Canada, such as Planers, Boring Mills and Drills, and need men experienced on such tools. This is a hopeful evidence of improvement in Canadian Manufacture and Industry, the greatest part of their work being required for water power developments and railroad purposes.

THANKSGIVING DAY

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REV. DR. MILLIGAN'S ELOQUENT LECTURE

IN AID OF THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

A Very Large Attendance—Chairman's Sketch of the Society's Work—Rev. Dr. Milligan Pleasantly Shows How to Brighten Life—Remarks Upon the Society.

There was an exceedingly large attendance at St. Paul's church, last night, to hear Rev. Dr. Milligan, of Old St. Andrew's, Toronto, lecture on behalf of the Children's Aid Society. Before he began his address Sheriff Hall read the following report of the progress of the local branch of the organization:—

Before the enactment of recent Dominion and Provincial legislation respecting the rescue of young children, there existed no concerted means for the rescue of our own Canadian waifs and strays. This the Ontario Government felt to be not only a reproach but also a menace to our national welfare, and it is for this reason that this Children's Aid movement has been started and that a Government superintendent of neglected and dependent children, with a full staff of inspectors has been appointed. The rest remains with the people. In England, where this movement originated, it is regarded as one of the highest developments of modern civilization. The good it has done is incalculable. With us in Canada it has just begun, and the Provincial Government is very anxious for the success of so salutary a movement, as the frequent letters of their officers concerning its progress bear witness. We are on the eve in Canada of a revolution in the treatment of our children. The efficiency of home-training has become relaxed and the number of children allowed to drift to the brink of ruin is always on the increase. Therefore every exertion should be put forth to stop this tide of degeneration and that is another reason for the existence of this desire to rescue the drifting offspring of indifferent parents. Another reason again for the existence of this movement is the desire to give charitable assistance only where it really should be given and not in such a way as to develop idleness and crime. Still another reason is the desire to punish all those who maltreat or injure innocent children and to furnish defenceless girls with a protector to whom they may appeal. It may seem an exaggeration to say that the rescue of neglected and dependent children is one of the most urgent and pressing of public needs, but it is not an exaggeration by any means. Neglected and destitute children form a large portion of our population. And again, reformatories are not for innocent children. They are for criminals. Why then should we not all join in providing the homeless child or the child of irreclaimable parents with a comfortable and happy home and a chance to be a good and respectable citizen? It differs from the Dr. Barnardo movement in that children are adopted and not hired out. This is the apology for the existence of this movement and I am sure it meets with your approval.

In the town and county of Peterborough the local society has provided during the ten months of our present year twelve little children with comfortable homes where they have the benefit of schooling and of all the other advantages of civilized and humane surroundings. In addition to this, upon complaint full inquiries have been made and measures of improvement taken respecting fifty other children whose condition has thereby been turned to good account. Also during the ten months of our year, so far elapsed, eight cases have been brought into the police court by the Society. Last year there were eleven. We cannot close this announcement without acknowledging the invaluable assistance of the magistrates and police and the unselfish energy of the Society's agent, together with the wholesome and commanding influence of the press, without whose active sympathy it would be impossible to carry on this movement in its early stages successfully. We may seem to be always crying out for financial help, but the reason for it is that the harvest is great and the means of reaping it are all too limited.

DR. MILLIGAN STATED

that there was much of interest in the report. A good many thought that the state was shouldering a great responsibility when it undertook the work belonging to others—belonging to parents. The curfew bell was an instance of where a parental right was interfered with by the state. Some were opposed to it, but it was better to have the children sent home this way than allowing them to roam at will through the streets at night. Even the animals did not allow their young to roam at large at night. He, himself, was opposed to the establishment of the curfew, but it was a case of where there is two evils, to chose the least.

Many parents were becoming very slack with their children. In many cases the fifth commandment was daily inverted. It was no longer "Children honour your parents," but "Parents honour your children."

Discipline was greatly needed amongst the young, and it was admirable to have worthy Christian gentlemen in ever community who were capable of teaching them order. Parents should do this, but failing it was better to have some one else do it than not have it done at all. Therefore, the speaker wrs in favour of the establishment of boy's brigades in large centres of population. This work was a necessity. It is a case of Cæsar trying to be a parent to the children.

PLATO THOUGHT

that all children should be educated by the state and the indications are that the state may soon legitimately take upon itself the moral training of the children, whose parent have neglected them.

Having made these few remarks about the Children's Aid Society, the speaker proceeded to deliver his address on the subject of "How to Brighten Life." Some, he stated, tried to brighten it through society and there was no class he pitied more. A lady once told him that she had 300 on her visiting list. He pitied her, poor little butterfly. He would give up the ghost in a week if he had 300 on his list. It was sorry way to lighten life.

Many young men tried to lighten life by making fools of themselves. These were the young fellows who might be heard singing, "We won't go home until morning." They are not very bright next morning. It was the case of a bon.fire. Bright enough for a time, but only lasting for a certain brief period. Its vigour was soon burned out.

ALL THESE THINGS

were indications of the fact that there was something in man which needed brightening. If a man was merry, it did not necessarily follow that he was a thing of the devil. He did not have to be singing Psalms all day to show that he was a good living man. Of all the creatures on earth the brightest should be man, and what a bungling set we are not to be bright. There were three times as many men in the world as any other thing which was created, and yet a bungle was being made with all these numbers. May be the new woman would set things straight, though the speaker still thought that the sphere of woman was to brighten home.

How shall we make life bright?

A man has

AN EAR FOR MUSIC

and there are two ways to give effect to it.

Firstly, not to believe in culture but to play by ear.

Secondly, to cultivate yourself to train, and try to have a higher and higher ideal, and in twenty years what a difference there will be!

The musical instinct requires to be cultivated.

So it is with gladness. It is not right to let things slide and to go on playing by ear. It is by studying that a condition of joy can only be reached. It is not pleasant to study now, but all must begin to bear the yoke in their youth, whether it be the yoke of literature, music or joy. "No cross, no crown," is universally true.

A man should first cultivate the body. There is no physical joy like the joy of healthfulness. It was the highest of all material joys. The joy is not the joy of the wine bibber, but of physical

HEALTH AND VIGOR.

He himself had travelled to England to consult the famous Sir Andrew Clarke about his health. It was a simple remedy which he received. Regular hours for meals, no pickles or pastry, or cheese; brown bread rather than the worked out white article. Careful in regard to the selection of the meat, and a bath in tepid water every morning. These were all simple things but they will keep you vigorous. Find out the conditions of the body and how to treat it well and you will have joy.

There are other intemperances besides drunkenness. Temperance is simply self control.

The speaker advised against the use of any stimulant, even tea, until the age of maturity was allowed. He also referred to the corsets affected by women to perfect their shape, but pointed out that they only warped their form out of all proportion.

The Y.M.C.A. received a word of encouragement. That is the Y.M.C.A. that looks after the physical development of its members.

HE HAD NO USE

for the association with a crank at its head who thought the physical development of its members was not the work of the Y.M.C.A.

The next element of brightness consisted in the cultivation of the intellect. If you want to be bright you must have a bright intellect, and you cannot have a bright intellect unless you cultivate it. If he was told he could only have one means of culture he would choose the classics. They furnished richer material for intellectual discipline than anything else.

Another very important thing to make life bright lay in the cultivation of the emotions. Can a man despondent be made sanguine? Yes! Read the the promises. Cultivate your emotions. Some should learn how to

HOLD THEIR TONGUES

and others have to use them. Then there is the tone and temper of your lives. How valuable it is to cultivate the right one; how bright we could make our lives if we only watched ourselves and our tones. Cultivate inclusiveness rather than exclusiveness. There were too many churches at the present day—too many creeds. A small village boasted of several churches which were all struggling for existence. The people were one all through the week and yet separated on Sunday to go to different churches. No wonder the heathens laughed. Christians were grubbing over metaphysics instead of living along the lines of the broad principles of religion.

At this juncture the speaker looked at his watch and ascertaining that he had been speaking almost two hours, abruptly brought the highly interesting lecture to a close.

Sheriff Hall spoke a few words regarding the rare treat which the audience had enjoyed and on behalf of the Society, warmly thanked Dr. Milligan for giving his services free of charge.

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Critics paper	Mr J Roberts
Recitation	Mr F Lowther
Instrumental music	Misses McKee and Sucree
Dialogue	Misses Pearson and Bell
Address	Mr J Redihan
Duet	Misses Branche
Reading	Miss McIlmoyl
Song	Mr W Hattoe
Paper	Editor
Chorus	Glee club

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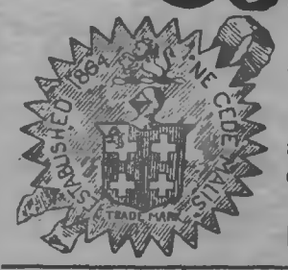

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HOME IN THE TROPICS

THANKSGIVING DAY IN THE WEST INDIES.

How a Scotchman Entertained a Yankee. Turkey With the Temperature at Ninety—Parrot Potpie—The Experience of a Naturalist Far Away Over the Sea.

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"What's that you say? A stranger here and sick with fever? Let me have a look at him." It was a strong, hearty voice that I heard on the other side of the partition separating my small bedroom from the living apartment of the Widow Higham's boarding house. It was brisk and breezy, and yet so long had I lain there on the hard, hot bed, in that little stifled room, racked with pains and at times unconscious, that I thought it must be but a part of my daily delirium, in which I dreamed of soft breezes and fields of sweet scented cane. But it was no delusion this time, for the owner of the voice burst open the rickety door and entered my room. He was a big and stalwart Scotchman, florid of complexion and brusque of manner, whom 20 years in the West Indies had mellowed into a perfect type of his class. He was the manager of a large sugar plantation down the coast, having hundreds of black laborers under him and exercising autocratic sway over his humble dependents; hence his rough and ready manner; hence his tender heart, which prompted him to seek an interview with a perfect stranger, of whom he had never heard the name even till that very day.

"Pardon me, sir," he said as soon as he caught sight of my prostrate form, "but I hear you have been a month ill, and the doctor tells me you need a change of air. Now, I have come to take you down to my estate. The steamer starts at 2. It is now 11. Can you be ready to go with me?"

"I don't know," I answered feebly. "It is very kind of you, but I have not been on my feet for nearly a month."

"Very well, then; it's settled. I'll send my boy in to gather up your traps. Don't you move till he gets his arms around you. Leave it all to me and him. I know just how you feel; it's an exertion to think."

The passage from my sickbed to the little coast steamer was a blank, but the sea breezes revived me, and by the time we had arrived opposite the estate of Rutland Vale, my new friend's plantation, I was able to walk, with an assistant at either arm. A couple of horses were in waiting. I was helped into the saddle of one of them, and then supported to the "great house," which was about half a mile from the landing.

There we were welcomed by a handsome, motherly woman, the cheery consort of my hospitable host, and I was made at home at once. Through the house and around the verandas romped a troop of children, of ages varying from 2 to 12 years, a blithesome, merry lot, who were for the moment rather abashed at the coming of a stranger. But only for the moment, and they soon swarmed over their father, and shyly greeted his companion, while expectantly awaiting the doling out of the goodies he had brought them from the town.

"DONE MEK MO' WUK FER OLE NIGGER WOMAN."

"Ten of them, all sound as roaches, every one," said the happy father, as he picked up an armful and pranced about the veranda. "But come in. Here is your room. Get into bed now, and don't you get out till I tell you to. Since I've usurped the doctor's place, you must obey my orders, you understand. Lie there quietly while I go and get your medicine."

My good friend's house was situated on a gentle knoll in the center of a vast estate in a beautiful valley midway between the coast and mountains of the St. Vincent. What with the incense breathing air, the nourishing food and the various beverages which were offered me under the guise of "medicines" my convalescence was rapid, and within two weeks I was out and about. Three weeks after my arrival, which was on the 1st of November, I rode over the plantation with my host, as he inspected the operations of his laborers, and rambled in the woods of the lower hills with my gun.

A letter received from home about this time reminded me that the "old folks" were about preparing for the annual Thanksgiving, and, this fact having been casually mentioned to my

BEARING BETWEEN THEM A GIGANTIC PLATTER.

friends, they were curious to know the why and wherefore of that New England feast.

As they themselves were of a similar sturdy stock to our pilgrim ancestors, they could readily appreciate the significance of this rendering unto the Giver of all good heartfelt thanks for the bounties of the year. "It is a good old custom," said my host, slapping me heartily between the shoulders, "and if it's good for the Yankees why isn't it good for the Scotchmen too? Gad, we'll have a celebration of our own. What say you, mother? Have we any fat turkeys in the pen? Thanksgiving without turkey, I understand, is like a Boston Sunday without beans. Isn't it so, young man?"

I assured him that he had hit rather near the truth of it, and that the two made a good combination, turkeys being an American product and beans derived indirectly from Scotland itself. "But," I added, "if you haven't any turkeys, guinea fowl will do; a fine plump guinea pullet isn't to be sneezed at, served brown and with its own sauce."

"That is so, but we'll have the turkeys; yes, and the guineas too. And what's the matter with your taking your gun up into the woods and trying for a few brace of wild pigeons? Parrots, too, are mighty good, and the woods above the spring head are alive with them."

That proposition met with my approval, for it was to study the birds of the island that I had come to St. Vincent, and it was while hunting a rare bird on the mountain top, and living in a cave the while, that I had contracted the troublesome fever which came so near to carrying me away from all the haunts of birds as well as of men. The day before the date set for Thanksgiving, just at the breaking of a glorious dawn, I set off, mounted on one of the plantation ponies, for the "high woods" above the sources of the river that flowed through Rutland Vale. An intelligent colored boy went along as guide and kept pace with my beast as he climbed the steep path into the mountain forests. Beneath the great trees, after the forest was reached where the wood giants threw out their broad arms 100 feet and more above our heads, we tied the pony and ascended the ridge, where it was too steep for him to travel. Here the palms and gum trees seemed to be alive with pigeons and parrots, the former the great blue pigeons called there "ramiers," and inhabiting the higher tree tops. It required most careful bushwhacking to get within shot of them, and sharp eyes to detect them on their elevated perches, on the topmost twigs of the trees against the sky. But before the sun proclaimed the hour of noon 14 pigeons lay on the ground at my feet, and 4 parrots. These latter, being large and wary, valuable alike for their flesh and their feathers, were a species entirely distinct from any others in the world, and consequently very desirable as museum specimens. In fact, before I yielded them up to the sable cook at the great house I stripped their rainbow hued jackets off and preserved them in arsenic by the taxidermist's art, regarding their meat as a consideration entirely secondary.

Returning to the house, exhausted but elated, we were greeted with uproarious glee by the children, who had also been out foraging. They had been wading in the river and had brought out from the river bed twoscore large and wriggling crawfishes. Moreover, they had met with a small army of land crabs and had brought in as many as they could carry of these fierce looking but savory meated monsters. And they had found a guinea hen's nest under the bamboo thicket by the bend of the river, with more than a dozen eggs, which they had appropriated, and a wild cashew tree full of fruit, the nuts of which Auntie Jude was going to roast for them, and a grafted mango tree with just the most delicious golden mangoes and a hog plum tree purple with fruit, and—and—so on. For more than 15 minutes they all jabbered together, telling me of their wonderful adventures and fortunate finds. Nothing to do but I must go with them to the cookhouse, where Auntie Jude, the old

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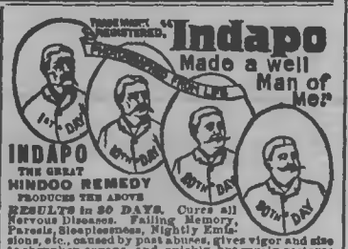

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black cook, was fuming and swearing at the unwonted accumulation of wild provisions all heaped upon her at once and unexpectedly. "Wha' all dis about T'anksgibin?" she grumbled as though to herself as she saw me coming. "Done mek mo' wuk fer ole nigger woman. Ain' no T'anksgibin fer nobuddy only de Buckras. Dey's de ones fo' gib t'anks; not we uns. We do all de wuk, wuk, wuk, Dey gits all de grub."

"Hello, Auntie," I said cheerfully. "You seem to have a lot of game on hand today. Hope it isn't going to make you too much trouble. Tomorrow's Thanksgiving, you know. We want one of those parrot potpies, such as you used to make when you cooked for the governor."

She pursed her fat lips up for a retort uncomplimentary, but I just slipped a dollar into her greasy palm and her features underwent a lightninglike change of expression.

"Oh, no, me massa. Ain' no trouble 'tall. Me likes to do de T'anksgibin. God bless yo', massa. Heah, yo' Ebenezer, yo' Horatio! Come heah quick. Step libely now. One ob yo' pluck dem pigeons. T'udder one shuck dem crab, an dem crawfish. Gut heap ob t'ings toe do befo' termorrer by sun up, sho's you'se bawn niggers."

There were toil and turmoil all night long in the smoke begrimed cookhouse, but in the morning, as fat old aunty emerged with the coffee and crackers, her face was shining and her head neatly done up in a freshly laundered bandanna of more hues than a rainbow ever dared disport since the time of Noah and the flood. She was "as neat as a pin," and her long train of sable hued, half naked attendants of all ages, from 6 to 16, were as clean as a souse in the river could make them. Breakfast was excellent, but it was merely a preliminary spread to the dinner, which was served at sunset, just as old Sol tipped us a last wink before he sank (red and glowing from his all day journey) beneath the waters of the Caribbean sea. The table was set out on the broad veranda near a sweet scented frangipanni and lighted with great candles shielded from the evening breezes by huge glass cylinders.

The youngest of the children had been put to bed, but there were half a dozen left, who gazed expectantly upon the array of glass and silver and behaved like born princes of the blood. Aside from our own family there were three poor neighbors who had seen better days and a trembling old man, a pensioner upon the bounty of my host.

After all were seated, our entertainer rose and proposed the health of the president of the United States, along with that of the queen of England, to whom the colony of St. Vincent held allegiance. This was drunk with [illegible] will, in punch made from the planter's own rum, limes and sugar. Then, at a signal from the hostess, the sable procession (which had, individually, been pecking in at all the doors and windows) was formed between the cookhouse and the table. First there came in a solemn faced tot of 9 or 10 years, bearing on her head an immense tureen containing crab soup a la Rutland Vale. She was closely followed by a dozen other toddlings, each with a dish and a spoon, which they deposited in front of each person and deftly removed when no longer required. They had been well coached by the cook, and performed their duties with admirable exactitude, not making a single mistake. Like a procession of woolly headed, two legged, black ants, they marched in and out, one line bearing food, the other empty plates and platters.

At last there was a most extraordinary bustle among the servants, and the line of waiters divided right and left, while two of the largest darky boys marched between their dusky ranks. Each one bore himself with an air of exaggerated importance, each ebon face was illuminated with a gorgeous grin composed of vermilion and ivory white and each bore aloft, held high above his woolly pate, a dish of vast dimensions with a crust atop of appetizing crispiness. These were the pies, the interior of one being composed of the pigeons I had shot, the other of the parrots. After they had been deposited the grinning waiters hastened back to the cookhouse and soon returned bearing between them a gigantic platter upon which, brown and toothsome and garnished with sprigs of parsley, lay a handsome turkey. Close behind this interesting group waddled old Auntie Jude, herself carrying a smaller platter containing a pair of guinea fowls, their rich brown bosoms bursting with tenderness.

But I have no space for details. It was a feast fit for the gods. And when it was all over my friend and I sat a portion of the night out on the veranda.

It was years ago, but I still recall the delicious fragrance of the night air. I can still, in memory, see the nocturnal vampires sweeping in and out the nispero trees and yet hear the subdued cries of the night birds in the hills behind the valley. And, mingled with the sweet scents of the tropic night, there come to me now—even after the lapse of many years—the savory odors of that Thanksgiving feast in the faraway island over the sea. Fred A. Ober.

Economy.

Jack—Now, Dick, as this is Thanksgiving day, suppose we have some tame duck and—

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RURAL THANKSGIVINGS.

A City Girl Thinks They Are Not All They Are Cracked Up to Be.

At this time of the year we read of the old fashioned family gathering at the country homestead where on Thanksgiving day grandma and grandpa have open house for all the children and grandchildren. How the ancient carryall is conveying the arrivals from the station, and the old farmhouse echoes with childish laughter! How the old folks talk about the weather until even the subject is weather beaten! They compare the records of the thermometer for years back while they warm their hands at the open fireplace and descant upon the wonderful growth of the grandchildren present.

The grown up children are in the kitchen or pantry helping grandma with her Thanksgiving dinner, which is the same as it was last year, and the year before, and the year before that. It will be the same next year and so on till the end.

The poor old lady is in a great flutter of excitement. Her face is scarlet from contact with the fire. She is out of breath from running up and down the cellar steps. The turkey, cranberry sauce, pumpkin pie, apples, nuts, etc., are all there. The pump is there also—in the back yard.

It is becoming rather out of date, this exaggerated praise of the dear old homestead down on the farm. Having been on a farm for the past year, I find the romance and glamour have vanished into nothing. I long most sincerely for a modern Thanksgiving in the city where we arise at a reasonable hour in the morning, have plenty of hot water in which to bathe and a nice warm dressing room with all the appliances by which to make one's toilet properly. No dressing in a room 25 degrees above zero and, in lieu of a bath, having to go out in the shed to pump until one's arms ache, then hasten to catch a tiny stream of water in the hands and souse it over the face for a bath!—Buffalo Express.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucasus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined?

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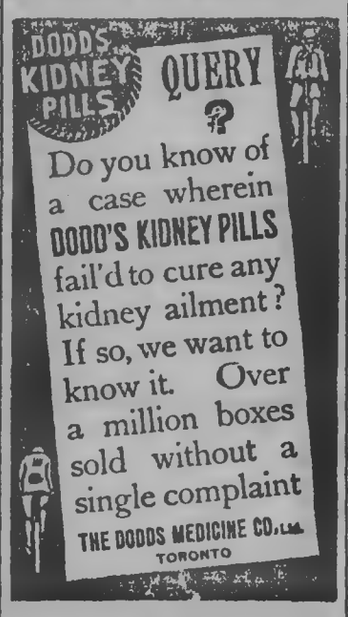
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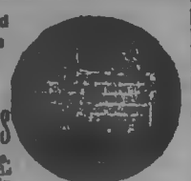

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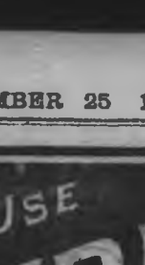

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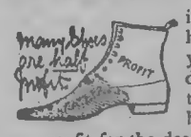

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The fields a dull, dead russet wear.
A frosty chill has stung the air.
Vine and leaf and flower have fled,
And yonder woods, ungarlanded,
Stretch bare arms unto the skies,
Stripped by summer's pageantries.

II.
Where are now October's flame,
May's fair promise, summer's fame?
All have gone, as bright things must,
Into vaporous air or dust;
But the wealth of barn and bin
One more year has gathered in.

III.
For all the autumn's harvest yields—
Spoil of orchards, wealth of fields,
Cellared products, mows of hay,
Stacks on hillside and highway,
Herds that month by month increased—
We spread this day our annual feast.

IV.
May none in gilded hall or cot
Go unrewarded or forgot.
We who have good things to spare
Should give to want a bounteous share;
Put gladness on the face of woe,
Till all some stream of bounty know.

V.
Then the laughter of the spring
Shall not be a mocking thing,
And the pride of hill and plain
Not have proved a pageant vain;
But all the circling year's increase
Turn to thankful joy and peace.

THIRTEEN AT DINNER

A NEW ENGLAND REMINISCENCE.

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Everybody in Misery Cove knew Aunt Mary 'Lisher, relict for 50 years and more of Elisha Dewbery and who lived with her daughter Hitty in the old house on the Gloster road. The Cove was very full of old folks, but not all of them were thus made appellatively distinctive—only the salt of the earth. There, for instance, were Aunt Nancy Ben, Aunt Betsey Isrul, Aunt Mary Sam, Aunt Abigail Richard, and so on, every one a relict of some good man long since departed, for the "Covers" did not believe in a surplusage of words in their daily speech, and so, instead of saying, "Mary, the widow of Elisha," they referred to her as plain Mary 'Lisher, affixing to her own prenomen that of her deceased husband. Those good people who were still blessed with conjugal partners were addressed without the distinguishing prefix of aunt or uncle.

It seemed to me, when I became old enough to reason, that I had been born into a community composed entirely of relations, more or less remote, but when I had at last successfully wrestled with the problem I found that our family was not connected by marriage with any other in the village. I mention this in passing merely that the reader may not be plunged into the genealogical slough in which I wallowed until extricated. Aunt Mary 'Lisher, then, was not my aunt at all, but an adoptive relative, as it were. However, that made no difference in the eyes of childhood, which accepts things as it finds them and asks no impertinent questions of the gods who bring gifts in their hands.

Aunt Mary 'Lisher was a little, worn and wrinkled old woman, with a kindly face, from which peered two bright black eyes, and a form bent nearly double with the infirmities of years. She was somewhere between 70 and 80 years of age when I first knew her, but if I had been asked at that time I should have said she was at least 150.

My first acquaintance with Aunt Mary 'Lisher was, you may say, a sympathetic one, dating from a certain day when I saw her in my father's shop. It was the ordinary country store, in which, besides the common groceries, was carried a small stock of bottled medicines, essences and such like "notions." It seems that Aunt Mary 'Lisher had one or two infirmities in addition to those which people of her age generally carry—she was addicted to the use of opium and tobacco. And, as her blood relations had decided antipathies against the drug and the weed (in a vicarious way), they had forbidden all stores and shops in the township to supply the old lady with her tipple and her smoke. The shifts she was driven to in obtaining them—for get them she did—were sometimes pitiful to witness, and from perhaps an innate sympathy with the "under dog" in a fight I took sides with her as against her relatives and my worthy parent. So it happened that whenever I was on duty in the shop, and Aunt Mary 'Lisher would come (as she always did twice a week) ostensibly to purchase an ounce of tea, or half a pound of sugar, she went home much happier than if my father had been behind the counter.

It may not seem, then, at all unreasonable that she should hold a reciprocal

AUNT MARY 'LISHER'S HOME.

affection for one who ministered to a cherished though depraved appetite and that I was a welcome guest at the old house on the Gloster road. It still stands, with its paneled chimney and "overhang" second story, as guiltless of paint or whitewash as when first erected, over 200 years ago. In the cowyard adjacent its living contemporary, an elm tree with spreading branches and as graceful as in youth, protects the ancient well sweep which supplies the house with water.

The "living room" was, as it should have been, the brightest and the sunniest. It seems to me that I have never seen such a cheerful, sunny room since in all my wanderings about the earth. The sun illumined every corner and lighted every nook. In the southwest corner was the "bowfat," where the dishes, mainly of china and brought from "over sea" by the sturdy Elisha on his various voyages, were arranged with scrupulous care. They were dusted every day and polished twice a week, and each piece had its history, which to repeat in this connection would absorb a deal of time and space. In the southeast corner of the room always sat the daughter, Hitty, whom I invariably ad-

THE BUFFET.

dressed as Miss Mehitable, she was so prim and severe even, and upon whom her 55 years or so sat none too lightly. I had also a guilty sense of sin at my heart's depths for conniving to furnish her mother with forbidden luxuries. Not that Hitty ever spoke of it, but she looked it, screwing her cold, gimlet eyes into me, as much as to say, "I can see right through you, deceitful boy!" She was ever engaged in binding shoes, at which work her mother assisted, for the house and old fashioned garden were all the dead Elisha had left them when he went away on that last voyage, from which he never returned, and their utmost endeavor sufficed only to keep the wolf from the door.

But their table, even if it were sparsely dotted with eatables, when they took their frugal meals, always had a snow white cloth and "chany" cups and saucers, plates and silver, polished until they mirrored everything in the room. It was a delight to sit at that little table, and I felt highly honored whenever I was invited to do so.

"'Twan't always like this, Benny," chirped Aunt Mary 'Lisher, as I drew up my chair to the cheerful tea table one evening. "'Twan't always sich a little table as this. When poor 'Lisher was alive, we used to eat in the big room, t'other side the chimbly. Ye ain't never seen that big room, have ye? No, an p'raps ye never will, for it's only open for weddin's an funerals. There won't be no more weddin's, I'm afeard, in my family, for Hitty don't seem to be of the marryin kind, an I feel, somehow, as though I'm goin to live forever."

"Lor, mother, what talk!" said Hitty, with severe countenance. "I sh'd think ye'd be afraid to make light of serious things. The Lord gave, an the Lord taketh away."

"An blessed be the name of the Lord," rejoined Aunt Mary 'Lisher reverently. "I ain't makin light of serious things, Hitty. Of course I'll go, in his good time, but it ain't nothin to worry over. Better laugh an make merry while we live, Benny; that's my motto. When I was yer age, now—but how old are ye, boy?"

"I'm 13 next month."

"Thirteen. Well, that ain't so very old; just in yer teens, an the whole world before ye. Dear me! Thirteen; that's the number that set down to the big m'hog'ny table in the room t'other side the chimbly, the very last time your poor father was with us, Hitty. It's an unlucky number, they say, an I know 'tis."

"Yes, indeedy," she muttered, drawing out and filling her pipe, which lay concealed behind the lamb. Then there was silence for a few minutes, while she stuck her head up the chimney and refreshed herself with a few whiffs of the weed. That was the one thing that Hitty insisted on—that her mother should not send the smoke out into the room. "It's bad enough to smoke," she complained, "'thout smellin up a whole house. If ye must do it, mother, then smoke up the chimbly." And so the poor old soul thrust her head up the flue, where the draft was sometimes strong enough to set her few remaining hairs all aflutter, and extracted consolation from her beloved pipe. During this interval of quiet she was collecting her thoughts, which took the trend of reminiscence suggested by the number 13. "That ain't the only time neither," she insisted, shaking the ashes out of the pipe. "What makes me *think* so is that air Thanksgivin dinner that I was invited to up to Cousin Izry's. I ain't never be'n up there sence, but I'm 'minded of it an what follered. Set up here by the fireplace, Benny, an I'll tell ye all about it. Then ye can do as ye're a mind to about believin in unlucky signs an numbers. Ye see, my cousin, Izry Hodges, he lived up at Hambleton, where he had one of the best farms in the county. He married young, an he set to work like all possessed to make a livin at farmin. An he made it, too, an he raised as likely a fambly as any in that town."

"Laws sake, mother, do go on with yer story. What was it 'bout that Thanksgivin dinner, anyway?"

"Now, Hitty, don't ye interrupt me. If ye don't want to listen, why jest go out an set on the back step. Well, as I was sayin, Cousin Izry he sent down the old carryall for us, an we went up to Hambleton to spend the day. 'Twas cool an crisp, but there wan't no snow on the ground that Thanksgivin, so't we had good wheelin all the way. When we got there, Cousin Sally, she run right out an seemed like she'd jest devour us, *she was so glad to see us.* 'Come right in an set down,' said she; 'make yerselves right to hum, Cousin Mary; we ain't goin to make no strangers of ye.' I wanted to take hold an help, for I was straight an strong them days, but she wouldn't hear nothin of it. So I sot down by the old open Franklin stove (which was the first improvement on the fireplace we ever had, an didn't consume so much wood) an give myself up to a good solid rest. Sally, she bustled about to git dinner, an I knew it would be a good one, for she was the best housekeeper in the town of Hambleton. Well, along about noon, 'Liz'beth Ann, their only darter, come in an invited us out to the big dinin room, where the table was set. Now, 'Liz'beth Ann was what ye might call an old maid, bein then about 50 or thereabouts, an was fidgettier'n a settin hen—allers havin some sort of a headache, or crick in her back, or somethin of that kind—but she was as good as the av'rage old maid anywhere, an real sympathisin, allers goin round askin ye what ailed ye, an if ye wouldn't have a little catnip tea, or peppermint, takin it for granted that ye must have somethin the matter with ye.

"But there was the big table, all a-shinin with silver an dec'rated with green stuff with red berries (some of 'Liz'beth Ann's work, who allers had a sort of hankerin arter nater, as she called it) an with a big gobbler turkey at both ends. In the center was such a strappin big roast (for Cousin Izry did a little butcherin on his own account, an knew what good meat was) an side dishes till ye'd 's' thought there wan't nothin in the way of veg'tables an sich left on airth. Cousin Izry, he sot at the head of the table, an Cousin Sally at the foot; betwixt 'em, on one side, the major's fambly, consistin of himself an Aunt Mary Ann, their darter Samarinthy Jane and her husband, an on the other, four of us, includin 'Lisher an me an two neighbors.

"Well, what with the visitors an all, there was 13 of us to the table. An Cousin Izry's oldest son Dan'l, he up an said: 'Ma, we won't have no sort of luck this year. They's jest 13 of us here. I'll git up an eat in the kitchen.' I see 'Liz'beth Ann fidgetin with her napkin, an Cousin Sally turn kinder pale like, but the major, he up an roared out with a voice you could 'a' heard a mile: 'Pshaw, Dan'l, don't be a fool. There ain't no bad luck in odd numbers. Set down, ye numskull, or I'll trounce ye.' So there wan't nothin to do but keep right on a-eatin, an I must confess that I didn't let no fear of bad luck interfere with my appertite, for them turkeys was done to a turn, an the chickens was so tender they a'most fell to pieces when you p'inted at 'em. An as for the Injun puddin—my! It does beat all what an eddicated cook can turn out of a brick oven! Ye can't cook an Injun puddin no other way to save yer neck 'n to let it set in a brick oven heated overnight with good hemlock wood. Then there was the punkin pies, yaller as gold an two inches thick, an the custards, an the pandowdy, an the dewdups (peaches an pears of Cousin Sally's own preservin)—why, it was well nigh 4 o'clock when we got through an went into the settin room to crack walnuts an butternuts on the andirons."

"Well, mother, after ye've said an done all, I don't see's ye've proved anything. Whatever happened, anyway?"

"Happened, Hitty? Why, everything happened. There was Samwell, he was run away with an broke his neck; Dan'l he up an had fever an died; 'Liz'beth went to the 'sylum; Cousin Izry an Cousin Sally are dead; the major's gone, too, an Mary Ann, 's well's Samarinthy Jane; an there ain't more'n three of us left out of the hull 13 that sot down to that dinner at Cousin Izry's. If that ain't onlucky, then what is, I'd like to know?"

"But weren't there any young folks at the dinner?" I asked, availing myself of the silence that ensued to say a word.

"No, Benny; not what ye might call reel young. Samwell, I s'pose, was the youngest, an he was clus on to 'Liz'beth Ann's age, p'raps about 45."

"And how long ago was it, auntie?"

"How long? Lemme see. It was three year before Hitty was born, an that would make it"—

"Mother! Ye do beat the Dutch! As if this boy'd care how long 'twas! Here, Benny, take a cooky and run along; it's gettin late, an your folks will want ye. I declare, mother, I'm ashamed of ye, fillin his head with such notions. As I said when ye begun that long rigmarole, there ain't no number onluckier 'n another. So there!"

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THANKS AT OTTAWA

Protestants and Catholics Went to Church

AND HEARD PATRIOTIC SERMONS.

Reference to the School Settlement by Rev. Mr. Herridge—A Strong Letter on Subject of Operatic Performances for Church Purposes—Other Notes.

Ottawa, Nov. 26.—(Special.)—Thanksgiving Day was generally observed in the city, religious services being held in nearly all the churches, Catholic as well as Protestant. The sermons preached were of the usual national or patriotic character. Rev. Mr. Herridge preached to a large congregation in St. Andrew's Church. In the course of his observations he alluded to the Manitoba school question: "We were pretty well assured," he said, "this time that the Manitoba school question was settled, and whether it was or not it was right for Protestants to have a proper regard for the claims of Roman Catholics, and for Catholics to regard it as their duty to build up a citizenship. In this way we could join together Catholics and Protestants, French and English, in the line of Canadian unity and prosperity."

Two years ago the congregation of Grace Church arranged for a presentation of the comic opera, "The Mascot," in order to swell church funds. Much talk was occasioned at the time owing to Lord Aberdeen refusing his patronage, on the ground that the performance was not of a sufficiently moral character to warrant its presentation for church purposes. The result of the Governor's action was a big "ad", for the promoters and a large augmentation of church funds. Last week "Ben Hur" was presented here under the auspices of the Grace Church Guild, but the moral opposition which made "TheMascot" a success had been reserved until after the chariot race was concluded. In a letter to The Citizen, a correspondent states: "Here we are at the end of the most advanced period of moral and physical culture, flocking in great numbers to see our Christian children and maidens disport themselves a la Herodias, and all is well, because what money will be left after paying the various dancing masters, costumes, cabs, etc., shall go towards the church supply. 'Ben Hur' is used as a background for our danseuses' vapory gowns and pretty ankles. What next? And these danseuses are, most of them, misses in their early teens, many of them not yet in their teens, and they must not be worried by school drudgery; their nervous systems must not be set on edge by hard study, and they must not be made anxious about tasks of any kind. Oh, no; but they may, can and must fret and worry about their pretty costumes, so scant as to give one the shivers just to look at this climate. They may dance and sup as late as 11 p.m., and get to their cots and beds much later, and keep this up for two and three nights, to say nothing of a matinee, because it is for a church. Of course they won't be expected in the school room while this religious endeavor is on. Rev. Richard Starrs of Brooklyn, in a recent discourse, making a review of his fifty years of pastorate, says among many other interesting things: 'There are signs of a drift in the general Christian thought and feeling which has presages of evil.' We may see consequences which it is not wholly pleasing to contemplate. Meanwhile, from a sanitary point of view, as well as from an ethical, is it not worth our while to devise some other means than risky amateur performances to run our churches?"

Acting on the invitation extended by the Home Government to nominate a Canadian judge on the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, it is understood that Sir Oliver Mowat will recommend to his colleagues the name of Sir Henry Strong, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, for appointment to the position. Some months ago, when the Conservatives were in power, Hon. Edward Blake's name was mentioned for the position by the Liberal papers, but as soon as the Laurier Ministry took office it was discovered that Mr. Blake is ineligible. It is reported to-night that the appointment of Sir Henry will not involve his resignation of the Chief Justiceship. He will visit England between the terms of the Supreme Court and receive his expenses therefor.

William Brown, who was recently released from a Cuban prison, is a Nova Scotian by birth. His case has been brought to the attention of the Government and Sir Donald Smith has been asked to interview the Foreign Office with a view to securing from the Spanish Government reparation for the indignities inflicted on Brown without justification.

Hon. Peter Mitchell arrived here to-day to lay pipe for the Lieut.-Governorship of New Brunswick. It is conceded, however, that he has no show. It is now stated that Senator McClellan will be the lucky man (and that Mr. King, ex-M. P., will succeed him in the Upper House. Mr. McClellan has been a Senator since Confederation.

Representatives of fish and game clubs whose preserves are chiefly in the Counties of Pontiac and Ottawa held a meeting here to-day with a view to taking steps to secure the removal of the hunting license imposed by the Province of Quebec on persons not domiciled in the province. A delegation will be sent to Quebec to interview the local Government and members of the Legislature.

An Armenian refugee named Gregory Baghdasarian and his son arrived here to-day on their way to Toronto, where the young man is a student at McMaster University. Mr. Baghdasarian comes from Karpoot, Armenia. He landed in New York with his family a few weeks ago. It was for him that Lord Aberdeen's good offices were invoked some time ago to secure his release from prison.

Rev. Alexander Grant of Winnipeg has received a unanimous call to the pastorate of the First Baptist Church in this city. Mr. Grant was notified by telegraph to-day.

Hon. Joe Martin arrived here to-day. He says his business has to do solely with mining.

D. A. Ansell, Mexican Consul-General at Montreal, was here to-day and had an interview with Mr. Fielding on tariff matters.

Hon. C. A. Geoffrion and Judge Curran arrived here to-day.

SHIPPERS PROSPERED.

Exports From Montreal Show a Large Increase Over Last Year—Other News From the Commercial Metropolis.

Montreal, Nov. 26.—(Special.)—This has been a prosperous year for shippers and the port of Montreal. Not only have the rates for freight been higher, but there has also been a considerable increase in the number of vessels and their tonnage. During the season of 1895 the vessels which entered this port numbered 640, and their tonnage was 1,069,286. From April 25 of this year to the 23rd inst., when the last vessel cleared, 709 craft arrived in port, being an increase of 69 vessels over 1895, whilst the total tonnage was 1,212,303, or an increase of 142,917. During the season the Allan line brought 88 vessels to the port, Dominion line 30, Elder, Dempster & Co. 54, Thompson line 36, Donaldson line 29, Head line 13, Johnston line 16 and the Hamburg-American Packet Co. 9. The shipments of grain up to the 16th inst. amounted to: Wheat, 6,905,762 bushels, an increase of 3,254,991 bushels over 1895; corn, 6,481,420, an increase of 3,875,572; peas, 1,693,147, an increase of 951,282; oats, 2,305,142, an increase of 2,294,392; barley, 209,324, an increase of 208,516; rye, 335,057, an increase of 318,844. Apples also show a large increase, the number of barrels shipped being 661,453, or an increase of 506,483.

Mayor Robertson and Drs. Daniels and Christie were here to-day from St. John, N.B., interviewing Vice-President Shaughnessy regarding terminal facilities, and they told your correspondent that steamers would get as quick despatch from St. John this winter as any port on the Atlantic coast.

AFTER WILD-CAT SCHEMES

Kansas Populists Will Endeavor to Weed Out the Flimsy Financial Concerns That Wreck Credit.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—A despatch from Topeka, Kas., says: The Populist Conference participated in by over 100 leaders of that party, which closed here last night, discussed laws which will be enacted this winter, touching foreign corporations, and especially life insurance companies and loan and investment concerns. Life insurance companies, it is contended, will have to invest at least ten per cent of their Kansas premiums in Kansas securities, the same to be deposited with the State Treasurer. Loan and investment companies will be put under the control of the State Bank Commissioner, who will have the same supervision over them that he has over the state banks. These concerns will have to submit to a thorough examination of their business by the proper official, and if they cannot comply with a rigid investigation and show that they are solvent corporations, they will be prohibited from doing business in the state. The Populist leaders declare that the thousands of wild-cat money-lending schemes that have been permitted to live under the state, have done more to destroy its credit than all other causes. The new law to be put on the statute books, they believe, will weed out these credit wreckers.

Salisbury Acted Cleverly.

Berlin, Nov. 24.—The Fremdenblatt, discussing the question of the Venezuelan question, says: Lord Salisbury acted cleverly in so directing his policy that Great Britain is again friendly with the United States. His consent to always submit disputes to arbitration emphasizes this sentiment of kinship. Therein lies the sagacity of the British action. Great Britain does not wish to have an enemy in the United States, and the price she pays is not great.

ATTACK ON TORONTO

The Provincial Capital in the Hands of Troops.

TRUE IT WAS ONLY PLAYING AT WAR

But the Soldiers Had a Hard Time—Forty Thousand Citizens Lined the Hills Overlooking the Don Valley and Saws the Troops Manœuvre in the Mud.

Toronto, Nov. 27. THANKSGIVING Day in Toronto belongs to the soldiers by custom. Yesterday was no exception, and it was a great day. An invading force came down upon the city from the north and endeavored to gain entrance by way of the Don Flats. A defending force was on hand, however, to foil their plans of attack, and Col. Otter, who was to say whether they did so, says they did, and the city has been saved once more. Of course it was only a sham battle. Had it been in earnest there would not have been so many people of all ages and sizes in the way of the gallant warriors. But blank cartridges convey bat little terror, excepting to horses, who don't know the noise isn't loaded, and to children, who never heard a cannon fired before.

After all the discouraging things the weather man said on Wednesday, the ideal day which broke forth before the soldiers were out of bed yesterday morning was indeed a glad surprise. Some of them must have thought they had overslept themselves for at least one day, for instead of predicted clouds, rains, high winds and sham fighting inconveniences there was old Sol shining forth like a new recruit or a veteran who was bound to do his best to make the day's manoeuvres a success. Of course there was mud. But what is mud to a couple o. thousand young Canadians out in their soldier clothes? The older Canadians may have thought it tiresome, but all of the latter class actively engaged in the battle were on horseback, and their good clothes won't be much the worse when the splashes are brushed off.

The citizens took good care to get the worth of the $400 granted by the Council toward the day's attraction. It cost the city less than one cent each for all the folks who witnessed with delight the martial display, for more than 40,000 people, at the lowest calculation, wended their way to the scene of the fight and the review. They started for the battle ground long before the soldiers did, and many took long walks up the banks of the river, if only in appreciation of the glorious summer day.

An old resident who stood on the C.P.R. bridge at Winchester-street and gazed at the seething mass of people in the flats just north of the Jail and on the surrounding hills of the Don and Riverdale Park enthusiastically remarked that it was the finest sight he had ever witnessed, and he rendered thanks to Providence for the blessings which must have been bestowed on our country and city to enable us to turn out such a happy, contented and well-dressed concourse of people as he saw before and around him. The big crowd included all of Toronto's fashionable people, as well as those who are not fashionable, but can enjoy a brilliant sight and encourage our soldiers just the same.

The scene on the parade ground when the sught-to-but-didn't-seem-to-be tired volunteers came back from the wars would be hard to describe. The crowd mingled with them and watched the appreciative manner in which they stowed away turkey legs and other choice viands. Sweet girls who were able to find the soldier they liked best talked to him while he drank coffee, and in some cases wouldn't let her smell it when she wanted to. All classes of citizens mingled together. Officers surrounded smart carriages and told the ladies all about it. Mounted policemen rode here and there trying to run over everybody in general and no one in particular. Youngsters who can eat at any time were reaping a good harvest from the haversacks of the good-natured soldiers and stealing the tin coffee cups.

Several bands were playing at once and horses would occasionally run away, but all such trifles only added to the excitement of the occasion. The soda-water man yelled "five a glass"; the peanut man had his wares, left over since the last holiday, at the same price. The Kodak fiend was everywhere, and Old Sol gazed upon the whole scene with a smile on his broad countenance, as much as to say, "If it hadn't been for me coming out to see the soldiers most of this would not have happened this day of grace."

But the fight. At eight o'clock in the morning the Armories were very busy. The artillerymen had been there for over an hour getting into shape, and the infantry were commencing to arrive in large numbers. At 8.15 the Queen's Own, Royal Grenadiers and 48th Highlanders were on parade, and after roll call were soon ready to march out. There was some difficulty, however, regarding the adjusting of harness to the battery horses, and this caused a considerable delay. It was nearly half-past nine when the attacking force left the drill shed. Lieut.-Col. Mason was in command of this force, which was composed of the Queen's Own Rifles, Royal Grenadiers, No. 2 Co. R.E.C.I., half a section and two guns of the Toronto Field Battery and a squadron of the Royal Canadian Dragoons. The route of the march was via University to College to Yonge to Eglinton avenue, which latter point the men reached at about 11 o'clock. This was evidently much sooner than Lieut.-Col. Otter had expected they would arrive, and the men were allowed to "stand easy," and they amused themselves for half an hour or so as only soldiers can.

Then orders were given to march toward the Don, and the brigade was split up, each to perform its different mode of attack.

In the meantime Lieut.-Col. Davidson's defenders—composed of the Kilties, half a section and two guns of the Toronto Field Battery and a troop of the Governor-General's Body Guards—left the Armories and marched via Queen, Jarvis, Carlton, Parliament and Winchester to the Don, proceeding up the flats as far as Moore Park Station. At Don Valley Station on the old Belt line the troops were joined by the 13th Battalion, which had arrived soon after 10 o'clock by special Grand Trunk train, and had disembarked in the old Don Valley. The troops marched to Moore Park and were then distributed for the defence. The 13th Battalion took the right of the line, the 48th being on the left, with the battery of artillery in the centre in rear.

The Body Guards were sent out on scouting expeditions, and at 12.23 word was brought that the enemy were quickly advancing.

As soon as the enemy was sighted the firing commenced, the defenders being forced to retire to the crossing of the Don, north of Taylor's Mills. They retired over the bridge at this point and blew it up (supposedly) at 1.25. The defenders were forced to retire still further over a high hill and held a spot where a second bridge crossed a slight ravine. There was lots of thunder, powder and smoke, for a little while the defenders' artillery on the east bank were doing deadly work. Suddenly

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1896.

THE MANITOBA SCHOOL QUESTION SETTLEMENT.

Since the announcement of the terms of settlement of the Manitoba school question a few days ago, the Toronto Mail and Empire has been foremost in its endeavours to discredit the settlement, and to continue the agitation that has distracted the country between six and seven years. But it has had a change of heart. It has seen that prominent Conservative journals and politicians have heartily endorsed the settlement, and that there are other indications of a general acceptance of the solution supplied by Mr. Laurier and it has apparently seen the folly of pulling against the stream. On Thursday it celebrated Thanksgiving Day by coming out strongly on the position that the settlement must be accepted, and that there can be no further appeal to Parliament, which, as the final tribunal of appeal, has pronounced against revising the question. The Mail and Empire says:

By a valued contemporary the hope is expressed that the question of Dominion legislation on the subject of education in Manitoba may not arise again. This is the utterance of a patriotic desire that the prolonged discord be abandoned, and that we all devote ourselves rather to the better work of developing the country. We were united as a Dominion to promote our material welfare, and to found a strong and prosperous people on this northern half of the continent. The charter under which we live really contemplated the absolute exclusion of racial and religious quarrels from the Federal arena, that we might apply ourselves the more successfully to the national task, in the accomplishment of which harmony and good feeling are essentials. There can be little doubt that the object which the founders of the constitution had in view has, so far as this point is concerned, miscarried. Two reasons may be assigned for this. The first is the fact that parliament, instead of the court of justice, was made the tribunal to which appeal was to be taken for the settlement of a disputed question. The second is the circumstance that, in certain cases, the Federal power—and such was actually the condition in respect of Manitoba—is compelled to negotiate, not alone with the local authority, which passed the law, but with its Parliamentary opponents, who are interested in preventing a settlement, and in creating embarrassments.

Here are the factors which have produced the dissensions and the turmoil from which the country has suffered. Now the hope is expressed that we have no more of this, that passion be set aside, and that business take its place. In that hope every good citizen joins, and the Mail and Empire certainly is heart and soul with it.

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Now, what is the position with reference to this question? A complaint was lodged, a proposition for a remedy was made. The question, however, is withdrawn from the purview of Parliament by the fact that a compromise which the Federal power accepts has been reached. In a word, the Federal authority which protects the minorities has settled the case out of court, and the court, seeing that the only recognised complainant in a Parliamentary action is satisfied, has no right to touch the question. The settlement may be good or the settlement may be bad—it is a settlement all the same, and the court, that is, Parliament, cannot deal with it further. There can be no doubt that those who dissent from the compromise will utter and reiterate their reasons for dissent, with the greater strength, perhaps, seeing that the matter, except in that Manitoba has not yet amended its law, is closed. That is their right. But more than this is out of the question. As a matter of fact, the Liberal party placed the issue in politics, and has now withdrawn it. While everybody cannot be suited as to the terms, everybody must freely recognize that the issue as a legislative matter is out of the way. Let us hope that a like case may not occur again, and let us turn to our Federal work—the building up of Canada.

AND now the Hon. John Haggart is off to the British Columbia gold mines.' His Tay Canal, Carran Bridge, Sheik's Island dam, Little Rapids locks and other experiences of the kind ought, the Ottawa Free thinks, to be of service to him in his investigation. If he can make any of the mines pay a quarter as well as he made the country shell out in connection with these noted undertakings the shareholders will look on him as a mascot.

LAKEFIELD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Appleyard, of Bobcaygeon, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Alfred Simpson and bride have returned home from their honeymoon tour.

Mr. Peter Baptie went to Rosedale on Monday to bring home his brother, Wm. Baptie, who is very ill.

Mrs. T. Hendren and Mrs. Wm. Cox went to Cardiff last week to visit Mrs. R. Peel.

Wm. Thompson and Wm. Bailey, of Peterborough, were in the village on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Northey spent Sunday in Bobcaygeon.

Rev. A. R. McDonald preaches his farewell sermons in the Baptist church on Sunday next.

Miss Dunlop, of Peterborough, is the guest of Mrs. Traill.

Mr. T. Z. Webster is making extensive preparations for the Christmas holidays, going into confectionery more extensively than ever. He has ordered some of the newest American and Canadian novelties in fancy confectionery, satin finished goods, and a lot of toothsome dainties for old and young. With such a stock as his there is no occasion for leaving our own village to purchase your Christmas confectionery. Wait and fill the stockings from Webster's, Lakefield's headquarters for Santa Claus goods.

The band serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Simpson on Tuesday evening.

The council have decided to have Queen and Bridge streets macadamized. The teams from the canal are drawing stone up opposite Mr. Casement's store and will work down to the bridge.

At R. Graham & Son's departmental store you will find an overflowing stock in all lines at prices away down to suit the smallest pocket. They are noted for being the cheapest store in Lakefield.

On Monday evening a new society was formed by A. F. Law, organizer for the Canadian Order of Oddfellows. The meeting was held in the Orange Hall. The society will be known as Loyal Lakefield C. O. O. F. The following officers were elected:

Bro R H Brades.....N G
" John Chattick.....V G
" R J Munro.....Rec-Sec
" T Z Webster.....Treasurer
" Dr H Clare.....Physician

Lakefield has received an addition to her business men. Mr. Garnet Green, formerly of Millbrook, has opened a photograph studio over Mr. J. C. Carveth's store. He comes highly recommended as an artist of considerable experience, doing his work in the best style of the art as his sample cases at the studio entrance show. He makes a specialty of the new style of finish "Artisto platino. Those favouring him with their patronage may be assured of the best work at reasonable prices

A new I.O.O.F. Lodge, it is said, will be organised here soon.

The Strickland canoe factory resumed operations with a full force Monday.

Thanksgiving services were held Thursday in the Presbyterian church at 10.30 a.m. by Rev. A. C. Reeves, pastor.

Thanksgiving Day services in the Baptist church was held at 10.45 a.m., by the pastor, Rev. A. R. McDonald, in connection with the Woman's Home and Foreign Mission Circle.

In St. John's Episcopal church the service on Thanksgiving Day at 11 a.m. was conducted by Rev. Geo. Warren, Incumbent. Special collection was in aid of Diocesan Mission.

HONOUR ROLL.

Form A of the Lakefield Public School was subjected last Friday to a test in Canadian History; marks possible, 80:

Senior 5th class—Ethelbert Moore, 62; Jean Dickson, 61; Lily Montgomery, 64; Aggie Buckley, 61; Francis Nolan, 49; B. Edmison, 57; Percy Fitzgerald, 58; Edna Stubbs, 66; Norman Hendren, 64; Delbert Robinson, 53; Kate Simpson, 68; Lizzie McCormack, 61; Walter Brown, 46.

Junior 5th class—Myrtle Fitzgerald, 52; Bert Patterson, 46; Alice Doidge, 49; Olive Thompson, 61; Lila Simpson, 55; Winnie Forsythe, 61; Maggie Quigley, 61; Bernard Dench, 65; James Quinn, 63; Ethel Higgins, 69; Blanche Graham, 64.

Senior 4th class—Georgie McIlmoyl, 49; Ira Moore, 38; Maggie O'Connell, 26; Ella Down, 46; Ethel McIlmoyl, 52; Gordon Hendren, 30; Lizzie Noyes, 32; Wade Garbutt, 35; May Quinn, 30; Marion Edmison, 26; Lily Jewel, 50; Rollie Morrison, 26; Mabel Morrison, 30.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Nov. 26—Cattle—Private cables from London to day quote choice Canadian cattle 4½d, middlings 4d. Americans, 5d, sheep 5d. There were about 750 cattle, 1,250 sheep and lambs and a few calves offered for sale at the east end abattoir to-day. The butchers were present in large numbers, and trade was brisk, with prices somewhat lower than they were last week, but not so low as they were two or three weeks ago. There were three or four of the cattle affected with actinomicosis or lump jaw, but this did not prevent their being bought by the lower class of butchers. The best cattle sold to-day at from 3¼ to 3½c per lb, with pretty good animals at from 3¼ to 3½c; common cattle sold at from 1¾ to 2 1-2c, and the leaner beasts at about 1 1-2 per lb. Shippers are paying about 3½c per lb for sheep; good lambs sell at from 3¼ to 4c per lb. One butcher bought 200 good lambs to-day paying from $3.80 to $3.90 per 100 lbs for them. Fat hogs are in pretty large supply, and sell at from $3.75 to $3.90 per 100 lbs.

CHEESE MARKETS.

Utica, Nov. 23.—Cheese sales to-day—1,320 boxes large and small 9½c, 1,480 boxes large and small at 6½c, 70 boxes large white at 9½c, 1,600 consigned; 12 packages creamery butter at 19c.

At Little Falls—320 boxes at 8½c, 3,894 boxes at 9c, 675 boxes at 9 1-4c, 606 boxes at 9½c, 46 boxes on commission; 21 packages dairy butter at 18 to 19c.

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WARSAW.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. Foster is very ill this week.

Thursday being Thanksgiving Day services were held in the Presbyterian church.

Services will be held in Zion church on Friday next.

Mr. Geo. Reynolds of Deloraine is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. S. R. Payne is very sick at present.

Mrs. Hughes is laid up with a lame back.

The lumber for the rink has been purchased from Mr. Ray.

A. F. Choate has just received a new stock of skates.

Mr. Dawson Tighe of Dummer, was united in matrimony to Miss Maggie Allen of South Dummer on Wednesday last.

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ATTACK ON TORONTO.

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the bugle sounded cease firing, and the battle was all over. The troops then marched to the parade ground. During the melee, numerous prisoners were taken on both sides. The Dragoon scouts got after their body guard opponents in the same business pretty lively, while on the other hand the Guards in some cases outwitted the regulars.

After a good rest on the parade ground, the review commenced. Some difficulty was experienced in getting a clear space for the big army, and after an arena had been made it was hardly big enough, but to make it larger would have meant crowding innumerable valuable citizens into the dirty Don. It was commencing to get dark when all of the different corps were ready to march past. Then, to invigorating music of the Band of the Royal Grenadiers, the soldiers who had comprised the force that was a couple of hours before invading our city marched past, the infantry having bayonets fixed and were cheered to the echo by the citizens to whom, had they been successful, they might have subjected to all the horrors of bloody warfare. Following the invaders came the defenders, also with bayonets fixed, and they were applauded just as much as their predecessors.

Then there was a re-formation and the whole brigade marched past the saluting point in quarter column. First came the well-groomed and well-dressed Dragoons, resplendent in their showy uniforms and soldierly bearing. Their horses marched solemnly, keeping step to the music of the Queen's Own Band. Following came the Governor-General's Body Guard, their blue and white uniforms presenting a much different appearance to when they had been donned in the morning. They had been working hard and were literally covered with mud. The four guns of the Field Battery came next. The artillerymen had been the favorites all day, probably because it is so seldom the people see them at work. Next were the regulars from Stanley Barracks, followed by the sombre-clothed Queen's Own, who, when they don't wear helmets, look like soldiers, and they certainly looked like soldiers yesterday. The sturdy Grenadiers, followed by the businesslike 13th and the white-coated 48th, completed the procession. As each regiment passed, its own band played the regimental march, that of the 13th catching on well.

After the parade of all the forces, the Dragoons and Body Guards rode past on the trot, to the music of the Queen's Own Band. This was one of the prettiest parts of the day's manoeuvres, but it was dark and the people, many of whom had had nothing substantial to eat since morning, were getting tired and hungry, so started for home. The regiments formed up and marched back to the Armouries via Winchester, Parliament, Carlton, Jarvis and Queen. At the Armouries the men were dismissed with the utmost dispatch, the men to go their way and the officers to attend the annual spread and hear the umpire's decision on the day's proceedings.

The 13th Battalion paraded at the Union Station at 9.30, and left for home on a special train at about 10 o'clock.

There were 1650 men engaged.

The staff officers and umpires were: Lt.-Col. Otter, D.O.C., Lt.-Col. Buchan, Major Lessard, Lt.-Col. Dunn, Lt.-Col. Wayling, Major Mead, Lt.-Col. Tyrwhitt, Lt.-Col. Patterson, Major Hendrie, Capt. Wallace, Capt. S. Denison, Major King, Surgeon-General Strange and Deputy Surgeon-General Ryerson.

THE GARRISON DINNER.

A Festive Occasion—Speeches by Col. Otter and the Minister of Militia.

The dinner by Lt.-Col. Otter and officers of the Toronto Garrison in the officers' mess at the Armouries, was a big affair, and all the officers of the various regiments attended and put in a royal time. Lt.-Col. Otter presided and also at the head of the table were: Hon. Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia, Lt.-Col. Gibson, William Lount, M. P., Ald. Lamb, Ald. McMurrich, Mayor Fleming, Lt.-Col. Denison, Lt.-Col. Tyrwhitt, M.P., Lt.-Col. Strathy (Montreal), Lt.-Col. Mason, Lt.-Col. Wayling and Dr. Grasett.

After disposing of a substantial meal, the gathering was called to order and Lt.-Col. Otter, after toasting the Queen and after a few introductory remarks, expressed his intense gratification at the manner in which the day's tactics had been carried out, and admiring the enthusiasm and earnestness which had characterised all the proceedings. It was such a display as has never been seen in any part of Canada, but Toronto. Yesterday the fates were against the manoeuvres in every way, yet, notwithstanding that the brigade had turned out in strong numbers and had earned great credit. "I don't think from what you know of me that you will think I am given to flattery," remarked the Colonel, and everyone laughed.

Col. Otter concluded by stating that he would be glad to discuss the manoeuvres with any of the officers. He then proposed the health of Hon. Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia, who was among the Toronto officers for the first time. He welcomed Hon. Dr. Borden to the district, and assured him of loyal support.

Hon. Dr. Borden was received with continued cheers. He made a light speech, brimful of amusing comparisons. It had been his pleasure to meet gatherings of officers five or six times since he had been in the Cabinet, and he looked upon them all as the most enjoyable occasions of his life, the last always appearing a little better than the others.

He referred the gathering to the Montreal papers for particulars of the good time he had with Montreal officers.

The speaker was pleased with the explanation of the manoeuvres he saw part of on the Don Flats. He was bound to confess that he had not thoroughly understood them until they were explained by Col. Otter. He did not wish to reflect on Col. Otter's report, but he thought some additional light might be thrown upon it by some member of the 48th Battalion. He thought it had been a very valuable lesson to volunteers and officers alike. It looked more like business than anything he had ever seen in the militia. He lived in a province where they have the only Imperial troops in Canada, and had had the pleasure of seeing them march past in review, and could say that in view of what the Toronto volunteers had gone through previous to the march-past and how fatigued they must have been, it was by far the most creditable performance he had ever witnessed.

Hon. Dr. Borden continued: "I would like to speak through the officers to the men, who are none the less important (cheers) of the view which an old volunteer takes of what he saw to-day. As each battalion came up I thought it just as perfect as could be, but the next always seemed better. I doubt if an expert sizing up the performance could have given one single mark higher to one corps than to another."

Lieut.-Col. Otter, Dr. Borden said, had referred to him as the man who supplied the clothes, and one gentleman had chimed in "and little enough." There was lots of it such as it was. (Laughter.) He went on to remark that the pay of the militia was nothing in comparison with the services rendered, but he begged not to be asked to raise it. He said: "My heart is with you, but I am a member of the Government of Canada and sworn to guard the revenues of the country. He asked for assistance of the officers to see that all money voted the militia was spent honestly.

"I am going to take you into my confidence," he continued. "I long ago became convinced that it was absolutely necessary if we are to have an efficient force in the country we must have annual drill. (Cheers.) I said so once and I say it freely now, and if I don't succeed in having my own way with regard to this there is going to be trouble." Dr. Borden remarked that economy was necessary to that end, and he thought it could be exercised without retarding the efficiency of the militia. He touched upon the immense benefit of the schools of instruction to the militia throughout the country and its marked effect. He did not think politics should be a factor in the militia, and although he had heard such was the case he did not believe it, and would not countenance it.

Closing, Dr. Borden again urged efficiency. He said: "We don't want to fight, we don't want war, though we prepare for it. God grant peace. But every self-respecting man and country should be able to defend himself and the better able to defend the less likely to be called upon."

Other toasts were "The 13th Battalion of Hamilton," "The Mayor and Board of Control," replied to by His Worship, Ald. Lamb and Ald. McMurrich. "The Umpires," responded to by Col. Tyrwhitt, Col. Wayling and Col. Paterson.

Who won? Why, both sides, of course.

It is not thought that the siege affected the stock market.

Fortunately, there are no casualties to record as a result of the fight.

An amusing feature of the fray was the capture of the big drum of the Highlanders' band by Capt. Myers' company of the Grenadiers.

A cup of muddy coffee is not wholesome, neither is a bottle of muddy medicine. One way to know a reliable and skillfully-prepared blood-purifier is by its freedom of sediment. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is always bright and sparkling, because it is an extract and not a decoction.

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE.

A Rally of the Young People's Union Yesterday at Ingersoll.

Ingersoll, Nov. 20.—*The Baptist* Young People's Union held a rally here to-day. A large number of church workers from west of Toronto were present, among whom were: Rev. A. P. McDiarmid, Toronto; Rev. O. G. Langford, Georgetown; Rev. C. E. McLeod, Peterboro; Rev. J. W. A. Stewart, D.D., Rochester, N.Y.; Rev. D. Spencer, Brantford, and others. The Baptist Tabernacle, where the rally was held, was nicely decorated for the occasion.

Rev. E. H. Hutt of the Presbyterian Church here, welcomed the Baptist Young People to the town. Addresses were delivered by Mr. H. F. McDermid, of Ingersoll, Mr. D. L. Squire of Waterford, Mr. R. D. Echlin of Dundas and Rev. A. P. McDiarmid of Toronto, when the afternoon meeting was brought to a close by Rev. O. G. Langford.

GIRL'S BATTLE WITH AN EAGLE.

Went to the Defence of a Seven-Year-Old and Was Attacked.

Catawissa, Pa., Nov. 26.—Seven-year-old Nettie Hinkle was yesterday attacked by a large bald eagle in the Quakake Valley. Her screams brought Miss Jennie McDowell, aged 16 years, to her assistance. Miss McDowell struck the bird with a stick, when it swooped down on her head and shoulders, tearing the flesh and clothing.

The eagle repeated the attack half a dozen times, when the young woman thrust a large steel hat-pin into the big bird's neck and breast and succeeded in killing it. Miss McDowell's face, hands and arms were torn by the eagle's talons.

Shipbuilding Boom at Chicago.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Since the election contracts have been let for the construction of $3,000,000 worth of new lake vessels in the Calumet River shipyards, and employment will be given during the winter and spring to 3500 men, who were idle a month ago.

A MESSAGE TO MEN.

Proving that True Honesty and True Philantrophy Still Exist.

If any man, who is weak, nervous and debilitated, or who is suffering from any of the various troubles resulting from youthful folly, excesses or overwork, will take heart and write to me, I will send him confidentially and free of charge, the plan pursued by which I was completely restored to perfect health and manhood, after years of suffering from Nervous Debility, Loss of Vigor and Organic Weakness.

I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble. Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. Geo. C. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich.

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DIED IN ITALY.

Lieut.-Governor Fraser of New Brunswick Passes Away—Went to Europe a Few Weeks Ago for Health.

Halifax, N.S., Nov. 24.—A private cablegram received here to-night from London announces the death in Italy of Lieutenant-Governor Fraser of New Brunswick. No particulars are given. Governor Fraser left New Brunswick only a few weeks ago to travel in Europe for his health, and was accompanied by his wife, who is a daughter of Judge Fisher of Fredericton, N.B.

No Surprise at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Nov. 24.—(Special.)—The announcement of the death of Lieutenant-Governor Fraser of New Brunswick occasioned no surprise at the Capital, it being known here that his illness was of a serious nature. It is already suggested that the vacant Lieutenant-Governorship is likely to go to A. H. Gillmor, ex-M.P. for Charlotte, whose party claims are paramount. Mr. Fraser was appointed Dec. 22, 1886.

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RELISHES.

—New Canadian Club House Cheese,
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A victim of the trouble for several years.

South American Nervine effected a complete cure.

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Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $1.25, now	1 00
Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $1.75, now	1 25
Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $2.00, now	1 40
Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $3.50, now	2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves.....	were $0.74, now	$ 60
Lacing Gloves.....	were $1.00, now	75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality in black and coloured.....	were $1.00, now	0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured.....	were $1.25, now	1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves	were $1 25, now	1 00
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.20, now	15c
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.30, now	0 20
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.35, now	0 25

Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose.....	were 20c, now	20c
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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Big lot of Men's Working Pants, regular $1.20 to $1.25, Grafton & Co's Special Price..... 68c

Town Teachers.

The town Teachers' Association was in session all day and will meet again on Monday afternoon next at 3 o'clock. A full report of the proceedings will appear in to-morrow's issue.

A Treat in Store for the Children.

To-morrow afternoon at 2.30 a grand matinee will be given in the Opera House by the Myra Collins Company. The prices have been reduced to 10 and 5c. All children will be admitted to any part of the house for 5c.

Fish and Game Protection Society.

A meeting of all hunters and sportsmen to consider the present game laws, particularly in reference to deer hunting, is called for Thursday, 10th December, 1896, at 2 p.m., at council chamber, Peterborough. A large attendance is requested.

By order.
D. W. DUMBLE,
Secretary.

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The Charity Social.

In spite of the unfavourable weather a good number attended the charity social in the Catholic Association rooms under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of St. Peter's Cathedral. Excellent music was furnished during the evening and the ladies provided first-class refreshments in the dining hall. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all.

Lecture on "The British Empire."

Frank Yeigh is to give his magnificently illustrated lecture, "The British Empire," in the George street Methodist church, on evening of 11th December. Good! We all want to see and hear, and we will, for the tickets are two for a quarter, children 10 cts. 1d

A Busy Minister.

If work be regarded as worship, Rev. J. G. Potter, of St. Andrew's, was very devout yesterday. He preached at the union thanksgiving service in St. Paul's church in the morning, went down to address a meeting of Royal Templars, performed a christening and a marriage ceremony, and gave an address at the Charlotte street church Thanksgiving dinner.

The Mascot of the Mine.

The Myra Collins Company played the "Mascot of the Mine" to a large house last night, and in the presentation of the comedy upheld their reputation for sterling work. Myra Collins was just as cute and taking as ever and Danny Simons made his usual big hit. The company is deserving of the bumper houses which are greeting it every night.

Suit For Damages Dismissed.

On Wednesday an order was issued, dismissing without trial the action, Lambert vs. Fairweather & Co., to recover $5,000 damages for alleged false arrest. It will be recollected that a few months ago Walter Lambert was arrested in connection with the larceny of a hat from Fairweather & Co. The charge was dismissed and the accused sought satisfaction in a suit for damages with the result stated. Messrs. Kerr, Gladman & Kerr were for the plaintiff's and Messrs. Stratton & Hall for defendants.

Miss Bertha Belasco.

Miss Bertha Belasco, who with Miss Mabel Chambers, will give a concert here Dec. 3rd, has been pursuing her musical studies for the last three years in Berlin at the Klindworth-Scharwenka Conservatory. Writing to the New York Musical Courier, Mr. Otto Fleorsheim, the Berlin correspondent of that paper says: "Miss Belasco's numbers were given in a musicianly manner. She has a most sympathetic touch and plays with much expression." Plan of hall now open at Stratton's Bookstore. 2d

A SUCCESSFUL THANKSGIVING DINNER.

The Dinner and Entertainment Under the Auspices of the Charlotte Street Methodist Church Ladies' Aid Society.

The Thanksgiving dinner and entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Charlotte street Methodist church on Thursday night, was in every way a great success, one of the most successful ever held in the church.

From 6 p.m. till 8, the school room was converted into a beautiful dining hall. The tables were handsomely laid out and profusely decorated with blooming flowers.

The dinner was a most elaborate one and reflected the highest credit upon the culinary skill of the ladies of the congregation. The splendid menu and the excellent service was very highly appreciated by the four hundred that enjoyed the hospitality of the ladies.

At eight o'clock adjournment was made to the auditorium of the church, where Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P., took the chair. There was a large audience. He opened the programme by referring in general terms to the cause the congregations had for thankfulness. He referred briefly to the excellent singing and excellent sermons to which the congregation have had the privilege of listening durthe year, and to the apparent good results that have followed the ministrations of a faithful and efficient pastor. Reference was also made to the bountiful harvest throughout the Dominion and the abundant cause that existed for thankfulness in the contented and prosperous condition of the people of the entire Dominion.

Happily-worded and appropriate addresses were given by Rev. W. R. Young, of the George street church, Rev. Dr. Torrance, of St. Paul's Presbyterian, Rev. J. G. Potter, St. Andrew's, Presbyterian, and Messrs. James Kendry, M. P., Mayor Yelland and the pastor of the church.

The choir sang in excellent style two inspiring anthems. Mrs. A. L. Davis and Miss Stephens, organist, contributed a pianoforte duet; a quartette was given by the Misses Hall and Stevens, and Messrs. Squires and Skitch; Miss Hendren, of Lakefield, and Miss Dundas, of Toronto, each sang solos, and were very heartily appreciated; Miss Campbell gave a pianoforte solo. The delightful programme was concluded by the singing of the Doxology by the choir and congregation.

This dinner and entertainment was the conclusion of the annual thanksgiving festival of the church, which was unusually successful throughout. The thankoffering on Sunday last amounted to the handsome sum of $175.00.

A PLEASANT EVENING.

Courts Peterborough and Langton, C. O. F., Hold a Concert.

The annual Thanksgiving day concert given by Courts Peterborough and Langton, Canadian Order of Foresters, has become an event which is always looked forward to with the keenest pleasure, as great care is always exercised in the preparation of the programme. The list of attractions last evening was a large one.

Mr. F. J. Jamison occupied the chair and during the evening introduced the various numbers. Mr. H. D. Williamson in his cornet solos and novelty selections was most entertaining, and Mr. A. R. Benson, of Manvers, made a decided hit as a humourist.

Miss Lillie Hurley's pianoforte solos were greatly appreciated, being characterised by the brilliancy of rendition, which always distinguishes her selections. Misses Annie and Clara Belleghem sang several duets, which were well received and justly merited the applause which was won by them. Little Aggie Patterson was as cute as ever and quite brought down the house in the several recitations which she gave.

Mr. James Brown's tenor solos were given in a manner which earned for him no small amount of praise. Mr. K. Mark was present with a chime of bells and the various selections which he played upon them were listened to with a great deal of interest.

THE ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE.

A District Convention Was Held Yesterday Afternoon—The Public Meeting in the Evening Was Not Held.

A district convention of the Royal Templars of Temperance was held yesterday afternoon with the following delegates present from the three councils of the district in Peterborough, Campbellford and Millbrook:

Peterborough—Dr. Fife and Mr. J. S. Martin.

Campbellford—Messrs. Sketch and Pallisey and Misses Isaac and Howson.

Millbrook—Mr. and Mrs. Gillot and Mr. Gardiner.

Mr. Sketch, of Campbellford, was re-elected District Councillor and presided during the afternoon. Mr. Gillot, of Millbrook, was also re-elected secretary-treasurer.

A committee was appointed for the purpose of drawing up a circular, to be distributed through the district setting forth the desirability of temperance people uniting to press their claims for recognition on the Government.

A public meeting was to have been held in the evening, but, owing to the number of counter attractions it was deemed advisable to postpone it until some future date.

MORE NEW BOOKS FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following new books have been received and placed on the shelves:

Leo XIII	*McCarthy*
At Agincourt	*Henty*
In Buncombe County	*Poole*
Devil's Ford	*Bret Harte*
Short Stories	*T Baynes Reid*
Amaryas Egerton, Cavalier	*Hervey*
Jerry, the Dreamer	*Payne*
A Social Highwayman	*Train*
The Wizard	*Haggard*
Woman's Book (3 vols)	
The Gingham Bag	*Sidney*

DO YOU SMOKE? DO YOU WANT A PIPE?

Our stock is still large and of first quality. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. by buying from us now. Save it. The whole stock in trade for sale "en bloc." CLEGG'S RETIRING SALE, (Next to Stratton's Bookstore).

Game Law Amendments.

As a result of the experience the officers had during the shooting season just closed, the Legislature will be asked for several amendments to the game law, and the changes include a proposal to license duck shooters, to allow the shooting of moose under a $10 license, to permit settlers to shoot two deer each without a license, to authorize officers to visit game districts at various times during the year to stop the slaughter, which goes on during the close season. The amount of money collected for licenses was said to be $10,000.

Marks Brothers Coming

"The Lost Heiress" was presented to a crowded house last night and suited the audience to a T. Marks Bros. are putting before the public the best shows ever given in Grant's Hall. Tom Marks as Mike Moore was the centre of attraction of the evening. He is undoubtedly a first-class comedian and takes well with the Ottawa public. Alex. Marks was very good in his personations of the sheriff, Italian and villain. Miss Alice Kemp, as the pet of Poker Flat, kept up her reputation as a good actress, and was well received.—Ottawa Citizen, Nov. 21st. At Opera House 7th to 19th Dec. 10c and 15c.

MR. ANDREW MACFARLANE CAMED.

A Pleasant Surprise for the Secretary of Peterborough Lodge I.O.O.F.

The regular meeting of Peterborough Lodge, Independent Order of Oddfellows was, last evening, made the occasion of a pleasant surprise to Mr. Andrew Macfarlane, who, for nearly twenty-five years, has been connected with the organization.

Mr. Robert Scott, Noble Grand, was presiding, and when "Good and welfare of the Order" was reached on the Order book, he summoned Mr. Macfarlane before him and stated that several charges had been made against him during his recent absence. He asked Mr. Wm. Battisby, P. G., to read the charges as they were presented, and the following address was read:

Andrew McFarlane, Esq.:

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER.—After nearly a quarter of a century of earnest, honest toil in connection with the advancement of Odd-Fellowship in Peterborough and ten years as worthy sec etary of this lodge, we think this a very fitting occasion that, on this the evening of Thanksgiving Day, we show by our actions that we appreciate your services as such.

We therefore ask you to accept at our hands this Cane as a token of brotherly feeling towards you and to show to you the high appreciation you are held in by members of Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, I.O.O.F.

We trust you will receive it not for its intrinsic value but in the spirit in which it is given.

In declining years when its usage may be more required we hope that it may call to your remembrance the pleasant evenings spent among us.

Signed in behalf of the committee.
W. BATTISBY,
Chairman.

Peterborough, Nov. 26th, 1896.

Mr. R. F. Morrow, N.G., then stepped forward and presented Mr. Macfarlane with a most handsomely engraved gold-headed walking stick.

The surprise was a genuine one, but was none the less appreciated. After Mr. McFarlane had suitably acknowledged the gift, short addresses were made by Messrs. A. J. Johnston, P.G.; D. H. Moore, Past Grand Patriarch; Wm. Hill, P.G., and J. D. Tully, P.G.

MARRIED IN ROCHESTER.

Wedding of Miss Jennie Cleary, Formerly of Peterborough.

Rochester Herald.

Monday, Nov. 23.—A quiet wedding took place at an early hour this morning at St. Mary's church, when Michael F. Casey, a popular young druggist of Syracuse, N. Y., and Miss Jennie Cleary, of this city, formerly of Peterborough, Canada, were united in holy wedlock by Rev. Father Stewart.

Miss Agnes Deane, of this city, a cousin of the groom, was bridesmaid; while Mr. T. Casey, of Syracuse, assisted his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey left immediately for New York and other points on an extended tour, amid the congratulations of numerous friends.

Special Sale of Men's Overcoats at Grafton & Co's in Tweeds, Beavers and Worsteds, sold in regular way $4.50 to $6.50, Grafton & Co's Special Price..... $2.98

OUTBREAK OF DIPTHERIA.

A Number of Cases Reported in Lakefield—None in Peterborough.

Dr. Clarke, local Medical Health Officer, has received word from Dr. Bell, of Lakefield, reporting an outbreak of diphtheria in that village, which the latter states is traceable to Peterborough, a family named Dunn having brought it there.

After the most diligent inquiry Dr. Clarke reports that this must be impossible as there has not been a single case in town attended to by the local physicians. There is one case at the Nicholls Hospital, but it was sent in from Lakefield, and a number of other cases are understood to exist in the village, but the patients evince a disinclination to enter the hospital.

Dr. Clarke states that he would not be at all surprised if an outbreak of this kind should occur in Peterborough, as he has noticed this is frequently the case when an epidemic of mild typhoid has visited a locality during the summer.

Lecture This Evening on "Bells" by Mr. D. Spence. Come and hear the chiming of the Tubular Bells in St. Andrew's School Room this evening. Good programme. Silver Collection at the door.

COURT STANLEY'S AT HOME.

A Most Enjoyable Evening With the Members.

The annual "At Home" and concert of Court Stanley, Ancient Order of Foresters, was held on Tuesday evening last, when the following programme was presented:

Solo.....Mr Squires
Solo.....Miss Petitt
Five minutes Report on Ancient Foresty...Mr [Wm. Johnston
Instrumental Duet....Messrs Talbot and Roper
Duet.....Misses Nelly and Katie Hooper
Cornet Solo.....Miss Wadbrook
Comic Song.....Mr. Tranter
Dialogue, entitled "Country and City Life".....
Solo.....Miss Nelly Hooper
Five minutes Report on Juvenile Foresters' Work.....Mr Geo Record
Comic Song.....Mr Jas Tranter
Autoharp and Mouth Organ Solo..Mr Read-[house
Five Minute Report on "Companions of the Forest".....Mr W G Howden
"God Save the Queen.

The Court is to be congratulated on its prosperity, which was evidenced by the large attendance. During the evening refreshments were served, and altogether the entertainment was one of the most enjoyable and successful yet held by the Court.

GOUGH BROS' SATURDAY BARGAINS.

Is there anything you want for Sunday? A new Necktie, a pair of Gloves, a White Shirt, a new Hat; a few Collars; a pair of Boots, or a pair of Rubbers. The weather is exceptionally mild, certainly, but Gough Bros. can make it interesting for you if you have a few dollars to spare for an Overcoat. To-morrow, down go the prices all over our two mammoth stores. The $7 Overcoats will be $5, and the $5 Overcoats will be $3.90. Rattling Bargains also in Underwear such as these: 50c and 75c Shirts and Drawers will be ticketed 25c and 35c and so on to the end of the chapter. Shoes and Rubbers to keep out the wet and vile slop of a [George Street, will be handed out to you at about the prices they were invoiced us. We have solid leather Boots at $1.25 per pair and our leader in Men's Laced Boots, made of genuine calf leather is only $2.50 per pair.

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Men's Clothiers, Shoeists, Hatters, Outfitters.

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How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to Improve their Education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book-keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the student.

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All those wanting Marriage Licenses can be accommodated in his private office, or engagements can be made to meet the wishes of those desiring the same.

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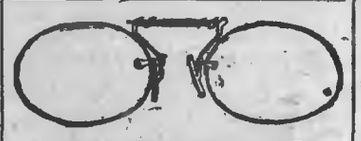

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AND

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But for a week yet we must keep on contriving to make more room for Santa Claus' stocks. What a time we have had, selling at any price to clear off the counters and shelves for the new things to come. For another week we must keep it up—this selling at any price—and the money saving chances we have to offer ought to bring the farmers in from the cross-roads and back concessions of the whole country. Give these few sample prices your attention:—

Gregg's Family Prayers	$1, for.. 75	Leisure Hour, 1895, bound.....	$1 00
Solid Leather Yapped Bible, 60c,	45	Sunday at Home, 1895, bound....	1 00
Solid Leather Yapped Bible.....	78	Annie Swan series of Books, 50c for.....	33
Oxford or International Teacher's Bible $1.50	$1 12	Henty's Series of books, for boy's, 20 different titles, $1, for.. ...	69
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather 50c, for..	40	500 rolls of Wall Paper at..	4
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather, yapped 60c for	45	300 rolls of Wall Paper at	6
Catholic Piety 20c, for.....	19	300 rolls of Wall Paper at..... ..	8
Garden of the Soul 25c, for.....	19	55c Window Blinds for.....	37½
Ladies' Purses, silver mounted, worth 35c, for.....	22	25c Dado Blinds for.....	19
Ladies' German Purse, 3 pockets, 50c, for.....	35	90c Fringed Blinds for.....	58
Ladies' Purses, solid leather mounted	45	25c Cornice Pole for.....	18
Your choice of any game in our north window for.....	25	45c Oak and Cherry Pole for.....	35
		300 quires of 5c Note Paper for ..	3
		200 quires of 10c Note Paper for ...	5
		150 quires of 15c Note Paper for..	10
		Good Writing Tablets, 100 sheets	4
		Fine Writing Tablets, 100 sheets	8

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We have a two-fold reason for price-cutting this early in the season, when we ought to be making a profit. 1st.—Our buyer will take his passage for Europe and sails in five weeks, and we must raise the money to pay spot cash for our goods. 2nd.—Owing to the mild weather we find ourselves with a much larger stock than we should have and when we say they must be sold you can understand what that means. The bargains we offer cannot be surpassed by any house in Canada. Come and reap the benefit of this great sale. Our space will admit of only mentioning a few in each department. The Goods must be sold without reserve.

DRESS GOODS BARGAINS.

1000 yds Tweed Dress Goods 25c, reduced to 19c.
800 yds fine Plaid Dress Goods, were 20c, reduced to 15c.
1000 All wool Dress Goods, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
200 All wool Dress Goods, were 75c, reduced to 50c.
200 yds Silk Velvets, were 65c, reduced to 50c.
25 per cent. straight discount off all our Dress Costumes.
Bargains in Linings, Steels, Braids, Canvas, etc.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR AND CORSETS.

20 pair Corsets, regular price 35c, sale price 25c.
50 Ladies' Vests and Drawers, regular price 25c, sale price 25c.
50 Ladies' All wool Vests, regular price 25c, sale price 25c.
100 pair $1 Corsets, reduced to 75c.
25 Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns 60c.

HOSIERY, GLOVES AND RIBBONS.

200 yds Silk Ribbons, were 5c, reduced to 3c.
200 yds 2 inch Satin Ribbon, were 15c, reduced to 10c.
200 pair Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Hose only 25c.
100 pair Heavy Wool Hose, only 15c.
125 pair Perrin's Kid Gloves, guaranteed, were $1.25, only 75c.

JACKETS, CAPES AND ULSTERS.

100 Feather Boas, new styles, reduced to 25c.
$4 Jackets, reduced to $2.
$3 Jackets, reduced to $2.
$3.50 Jackets, reduced to $2.
Capes, Fur-lined Circulars and Ulsters at cost prices.
The stock must be cleared.

MILLINERY.

100 Hats, were 50c and 75c, reduced to 25c.
New Hats, reduced to $1.
$2 Hats, reduced to $1.50.
Bargains in Feathers, Flowers, Wings, etc.

MEN'S ORDERED CLOTHING

At special prices during the sale.
100 Men's Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers only 50c.
100 Men's $1 Shirts and Drawers, only 75c.
200 Men's 50 Silk Ties, reduced to 40c.
300 40c Silk Ties, reduced to 25c.

CARPETS AND HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

This department has great bargains to offer.
$1 Brussels Carpets, reduced to 75c.
$1.25 Brussels Carpets, reduced to 95c.
Axminster Rugs, were $6.50, reduced to $4.
20 per cent. discount off all our Jet Trimmings.
20 per cent. discount off all our Pattern Hats and Bonnets.
20 per cent. discount off all our Dress Costumes over $10.

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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1896.

THE COUNCIL AND ELECTRIC POWER TRANSMISSION.

A Plea for a Liberal Policy in the Matter—A Manufacturer's Opinion on the Subject.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—As a citizen and a ratepayer I think it is high time for some action to be taken to protest against the action of our council regarding the transmission of electric light and power—more especially the latter.

Of the bungling in connection with the letting of the street lighting last summer I have nothing to say. Those councillors who brought it about can settle that with their supporters next January.

There was a time when our council were alive to the advantage of having manufactories established in our midst and thanks to the foresight and business intelligence of the then council, the employment given by these industries to mechanics and others has helped in no small degree to keep our town from going back during the last three years. The Peterborough Board of Trade, as no doubt your readers will remember, took a very active part and materially assisted the council at that time. What are they doing now? It gave me a great deal of pleasure, as it no doubt did to a large numbers of your readers, to read the inaugural address of the President of the Board of Trade at the last annual meeting. He was, with the support of the members, going to create a new era of advancement and aggressiveness, eclipsing the efforts of all preceding incumbents of the office—(will the Recording Angel say, what of the hour?) During the past year interests of vital importance to the prosperity and advancement of the town have come up for consideration. Has the Board gone to sleep—or a-fishing?

Belleville has not been asleep to the importance of getting cheap power in the way of electrical transmission from Treaton. In Montreal large schemes are being evolved in the same way. Hamilton manufacturers have closed contracts with the Niagara Power Company for the transmission of power from Niagara Falls, and all the towns and cities are alive to the great importance of this new factor for the advancement of their several cities and towns in furnishing cheaper power for their manufacturers, and their councils and citizens are doing all that lies in their power to promote these schemes.

Now, Mr. Editor and citizens of Peterborough, what is our council doing? We have a river, second only to Niagara and Ottawa Rivers, running right through our town, of incalculable value to our people when delivered in the shape of light and power. To do this large expenditures of money have to be made and for years little or no return on the money invested, as I am told such has been the case here owing to various causes.

Now, power can be supplied to our manufacturers at half the price of steam, at their different factories, and I was told by a member of one of our largest manufacturing establishments that they had closed a contract conditionally for 300 horse power at this figure, and, as a result, they were the better able to compete and had secured large contracts since, that would keep their shops running full for months to come.

Now, what are our councillors doing to promote this long-looked for industry? Rumour has it that the restrictions and charges in the matter of placing poles and stringing wires for the transmission of power are such as to kill it before it before it becomes operative. Is this wise legislation? This is a matter in which every citizen is interested, and every one should make his influence felt, whether he is a mechanic, labourer, merchant or professional man. What does the cheapening of power mean to manufacturers, fellow-citizens? Have you ever given it a thought?

It means the enlargement of their business, because they are better able to compete in the markets of the country.

It means a larger staff of employees. It means a much larger expenditure of money in our midst. It means, in fact, the progress and prosperity of our town as a whole. If these are facts, and I claim they are, as in answer to a question why our town had not felt the hard times to the same extent as Belleville, one of our leading merchants said because we have larger and better manufacturing industries in our town. Citizens will you stand idly by and allow half a dozen men in our council to kill what is of such importance to this manufacturing centre as the transmission and cheapening of power. These same men have practically forced a monopoly on this town for years to come in the supply of light. Take their actions in the secrecy of the committee meetings in trying to force a seven year contract through the council for the lighting of your streets. A few months ago these same gentlemen would only give a two years' contract. Why? They said electric lighting is only in its initial stage of development and the interests of the town should be guarded so that if inventive genius demonstrated that electric energy could be produced for half the present cost the people should have the benefit. Why a seven-year contract now if they were were sincere before? (Consistency thou art a jewel.)

But as a large employer of labour I say that no restrictions should be placed on the transmission of power. Our streets for this purpose will only be used to a very small extent compared to lighting and the very great advantage of being able to offer cheap power delivered at your factory, situated where your like inside the corporation, is the best inducement to new industries looking for a location in opening up. In this question I hope, the press, which is all powerful, will not allow the town's interest to be jeopardized in this respect. Thanking you Mr. Editor for the space in your column for this letter, I am

Respectfully yours,

MANUFACTURER.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Bert Giroux was in Lindsay for the holiday.

Mr. F. D. Kerr spent his Thanksgiving in Cobourg.

Miss L. Staples spent Thanksgiving in Millbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bradburn were up in Toronto yesterday.

Miss M. Simonds was in Toronto yesterday for the holiday.

Mr. David Hall is spending a few days in Lindsay with friends.

Mr. Percy Owens was down in Campbellford for the holiday.

Mr. Walter Wesley was home from Orillia for his Thanksgiving.

Mr. Will Wligar spent his Thanksgiving in Toronto with his parents.

Mr. James Wright, of Montreal, is home paying a visit to his father.

Miss K. Hurley spent Thanksgiving with her sister in Hastings.

Mr. W. H. Meredith has been spending the last few days visiting friends in Kingston.

Mr. James Harper returned this morning after spending the holiday in Campbellford.

Mr. L. V. O'Connor, of town, spent Thanksgiving Day with his parents in Lindsay.

Mr. Thos. Dunn was in Campbellford yesterday, and sang at a concert there in the evening.

Mrs. M. Hanrahan left a few days ago for Badaxe, Mich., where her sister is seriously ill.

Mr. A. A. Hollingshead, of the local branch of the Ontario Bank, was up in Toronto for the holiday.

Mr. Archie Wood, of Ashburnham, who has been attending Toronto University, is home on account of sickness.

Mrs. W. H. Wrighton, Mrs. John Armstrong and Miss Ethel Wrighton are spending a few days in Lindsay.

Mr. Arthur McClelland, of the People's Coal Co., is spending a few days with friends in Gananoque.

Mr. Austin, of the local branch of the Bank of Toronto, is back after spending the holiday in Gananoque.

Miss May Roberts of Peterborough, has returned home after a three months visit with her relatives in Port Huron, Mich., and Detroit.

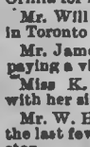
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, on Saturday, November 28th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases.

A Good Judge of Meat

Is a blessing to any household. She knows that for prime roasts, juicy steaks and chops, fresh poultry and delicious sausage, J. J. HOWDEN'S, 461 George street, is the favourite meat shop for her. Hams, bacon and lard always on hand. Telephone 39.

Routley's Closing Out Sale.



Crowds are being attracted by the great closing-out sale of C. B. Routley's stock of fancy goods, stationery, crockery, china, lamp goods, trunks, valises, wall paper, etc. This sale is a bona fide one, as the business must be closed up before the 31st December. Mr. Routley also offers for sale his commodious brick residence, No. 416 Stewart street, modern design and equipment in every respect. Furnace, hot and cold water, electric light, bath, etc.; brick driving shed and stable. Also dwelling, No. 274 Hunter street, well situated. Also, buggy, phaeton, cutter, harness, etc.

This . . . Announcement

is not intended for parents who have bought our Boy's Fine Clothing—they know full well the honest worth and absolute saving common to our bright looking Suits and Overcoats for little boys and big. It is intended to attract the attention of mothers who have boys whom they wish to see clothed with finer materials, newer styles and tailored like custom work.

A look at our goods and prices will gain your confidence. The fit is always perfect.

Mercer's

OBITUARY.

The Late Hugh Davidson of Smith.

On Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 26th, Hugh Davidson, who has been an honoured and respected resident of Smith township for three score years, died at the family residence "The Maples," in his 83rd year. The deceased was born at "The Grange," Newtowards, near Belfast, Ireland, in 1814. In 1836 he came to Canada, settling on the homestead, "The Maples," where he resided till his death. The deceased gentleman was twice married. His first wife was Miss McConnell, who died in 1850, leaving behind her Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, town, and Mrs. J. Cochrane. His second wife was Miss Moreland, who died in 1879. To this marriage were born two sons, one of whom died in infancy. The other, Mr. Hugh Davidson, resides on the homestead. The only surviving brother is Mr. Robert Davidson, Smith. He has three sisters living, Mrs. McKibbon, Lakefield, and Mrs. W. W. Hall, Fenelon Falls, and a sister in Ireland. Mr. Davidson never sought public office, but he was an active Liberal in politics. He enjoyed the high esteem of the entire community. In religion he was a Presbyterian and an elder of the Lakefield church.

Funeral from the late residence, "The Maples," Smith, to the Lakefield cemetery, on Saturday at 2 30 p. m.

WELSH DISCHARGED.

Enough Evidence for His Conviction Not Securable.

David Welsh was discharged by the magistrate on Wednesday afternoon, on the charge of being implicated with Mark Lockington in the burglary of the Morgan House on the 17th inst. Enough evidence was not forthcoming to connect Welsh with the case.

Mr. Daniel O'Connell handled the case for the defence, and Mr. R. E. Wood for the Crown.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—George street is indeed a sea of mud. The crossings are being kept clean, however.

—Members of the Golf Club were asked to play both in Cobourg and Toronto yesterday but were prevented from going to either place by the bad weather.

—If you want to economize burn the People's Coal Coy's coal. All kinds of coal in stock, including best hard coal for stoves and furnaces, soft coal for grates, and smithing coal. Office—230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

—Yesterday afternoon while Mr. N. Trombly was engaged putting on double windows on his residence, Simcoe street, he accidentally slipped and fell to the ground, but fortunately escaped with receiving any serious injuries.

If You are Subject to Cramps

You know how important it is to have a prompt remedy on hand. Nerviline—nerve pain cure—has a wonderful and immediate influence upon this malady. It relieves in one minute and cures in five. Pleasant to the taste, and the best remedy in the world for pain.

Special Opening of Fruits.

Commencing on Saturday, 28th inst., Mason & Co. open for inspection one of the finest and largest variety of Xmas fruits ever shown in Peterborough. Every lady should see these goods before making a purchase, as it will give them a better knowledge of different qualities and prices. No trouble to show goods. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. 2d124

Ontario's Health.

The monthly report on Infectious diseases has been issued by the Provincial Board of Health. It shows that throughout the Province there has recently been a great increase in diphtheria cases. In August the deaths from diphtheria were 32, or .29 per thousand of the population per annum. In September there were 51 deaths, equal to .40 per thousand, and in October 76 deaths, equal to to .50 per thousand. On the other hand there was only one death reported from scarlet fever, none from smallpox and none from measles.

The Globe Annual and Encyclopedia for 1897.

The people of Canada, though averse to anything in the form of fraud, are quick not only to recognize but utilize a really good thing.

In the above work we believe they have something which cannot be excelled in point of accuracy and the general usefulness of the information which it contains. It is a book of over 400 pages, tastefully bound, and containing data on some thousands of different subjects, written in a clear comprehensive style. We believe that the demand for the book will be something enormous, as the orders are already coming in very rapidly.

The price is only 25 cents, postage prepaid from the Globe office, or it may be secured from any newsdealer.

If our readers want a reliable ready reference work they had better order The Globe Annual at once.

Christmas Cards and Booklets.

The numerous shoppers at the Peterborough Bookstore, who have been anxiously waiting the receipt of our new Christmas Cards and Booklets for 1896, will be pleased to learn that they have now at hand and laid out for selection. A more charming display was never on exhibition. They are masterpieces of artistic printing and decorative design. We have placed them thus early on our tables to allow those who wish to remember friends at a distance an opportunity to make their selections. The prices will be a surprise to all this year. Having bought earlier and larger we were able to secure a much larger discount than in former years. We give a special invitation to all to come and see the wonderful beauty and variety of style of our cards and booklets. Sunday school teachers and teachers of all schools buying in quantities, will be allowed more liberal reduction than ever.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Mrs. Appleby's New Fancy Goods Store, No. 426 Water St., is now open with an entirely new selection of the latest novelties in Fancy Goods. Look out for her grand Christmas Opening about 1st Dec.

DIED.

DAVIDSON.—At "The Maples," Smith, on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 26th, 1896, Hugh Davidson, Esq., in the 83rd year of his age. Funeral from the family residence, "The Maples," on Saturday, at 2.30 p. m., to the Lakefield Cemetery.

SARGENT.—On Thursday, Nov. 26th, 1896, Mrs. Eliza Sargent, widow of the late John Sargent. Funeral from her late residence, Robinson street, Ashburnham, to the Little Lake Cemetery, on Saturday, 28th November, at 3 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

Fairweather's Fine Furs

Type Talk

Cannot do justice to the display of Furs at FAIRWEATHER'S.

There's no questioning the more important fact that good taste — skilled and trained good taste — governed the manufacture.

Fur Capes, 24 inch long, 90 inch sweep, $10.00.

Greenland Seal Capes, 30 inches long, 100 inch sweep, $22.00.

Fur Lined Wraps (full ripple) $15.00 to $50.00.

Fur Muffs (good quality) $1.50.

Fur Muffs as low as 50c.

Sable Muffs (Special) $7.50.

Ladies' Gauntlets, extra choice Baltic Seal $5.00.

Ladies' Gauntlets, Astrachan, $4.00.

Ladies' Gauntlets, Sealette, $1.00 up.

Mink Ruffs, $2.50 up.

German Mink Ruffs, $1 50 and $2.00.

All other Furs proportionate. These Goods must be seen to be appreciated.

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W. HAYDEN, Station Agent.

Retiring From Business

Clearing Sale of Millinery.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

CHILDREN'S BONNETS, FANCY HOODS, CAPS AND MUFFS.

which will be sold much below cost. A number of PATTERN HATS and BONNETS to be sold at half price. This is a rare chance for Ladies' to get the newest and most stylish goods at half the regular price. Come early and secure bargains as the goods must be sold.

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Arguimbeans Finest Selected Raisins at the same price that others will ask you for a poorer quality.

Choice Atlas and Perfectos Currants.

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New Season's Dates. Prices right, quality A1 and all sold upon their merits.

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the perturbation of spirit a woman suffers in cooking with a bad stove. Our constant aim has been to furnish the best article possible for the use intended. The

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for coal or wood, fulfils every requirement. The design and ornamentation of this range are in advance of anything previously attempted. The ovens are large and provided with draw-out rack, oven doors lined with tin, fire box provided with genuine duplex grate and it is a perfect and sure baker. Fully equipped with oven shelf, tea pot shelf, foot oven door trip, door hearth and extra large broiling or toasting door with mica frame, made with four or six cooking holes. Send for descriptive catalogue.

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SOAP SALE!

6 Bars "Surprise" Soap, for	25c
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6 Bars "Eclipse" Soap, for	25c
6 Bars "Best" Soap, for	25c
6 Bars "Wide Awake" Soap, for	25c
6 Bars "Good Will" Soap, for	25c
10 Bars "Gypsy" Soap, for	25c
Sunlight Soap, per box, for	15c

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1 Water Boiler, 2 Salt and Pepper Castors,
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1 16 oz. Bottle JOHNSTON'S FLUID BEEF. (Brand Staminal.)

The whole neatly cased for $3.50.

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Pretty Walking Hats, trimmed and untrimmed.

Bright Finish Felt Hats.

High Crown Trimmed Sailors.

Stylish Veiling.

New Kid Gloves, Collarettes, Etc.

Tam O'Shanters for Misses and Children.

Feather and Ribbons—Latest.

Ladies' Jackets and Capes — new values.

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Especially fine for Invalids.

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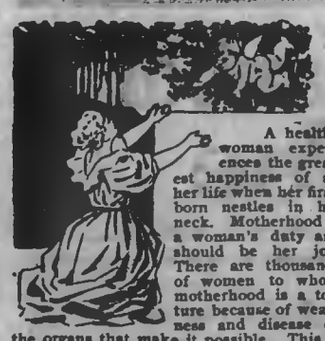

A healthy woman experiences the greatest happiness of all her life when her first-born nestles in her neck. Motherhood is a woman's duty and should be her joy. There are thousands of women to whom motherhood is a torture because of weakness and disease of the organs that make it possible. This is wrong and need not be. If a woman will but study the physiology of the organs distinctly feminine, and learn to take the proper care of her health—to take the proper remedy for weakness and disease peculiar to her sex, motherhood will become an unalloyed pleasure, where now it is dreaded and avoided for its pains and dangers.

The best medicine for a woman to take during the period preceding motherhood is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is the only medicine for this purpose invented by a regularly graduated, skilled and expert specialist in the treatment of the peculiar diseases of women. It cures all weakness and disease of the organs that perpetuate the race. It makes them strong and vigorous. It rids the expectant period of its usual discomforts. It insures baby's health and makes its coming easy and almost painless. It is the discovery of Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. Women who wish to know more of the "Favorite Prescription" should write him.

Frederick Frederick, of No. 1114 S. Second St., Camden, N. J., writes: "My wife is a customer of yours. She has used 'Favorite Prescription' to prevent miscarriage. She had a sickness last July, and suffered untold misery from a severe pain. I repeatedly told her to use your medicines, but she persisted in going to a so-called specialist, whose treatment only made her more sick and miserable. Then she used the 'Favorite Prescription' and was cured."

Pleasure. It is a matter of health alone. Nothing else. A healthy man can't be unhappy if he wants to. Much sickness is caused by constipation. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.

THE QUEEN SAIS THEY'RE GOOD.

Canadian Apples On Her Majesty's Table at Last Sunday's Dinner.

London, Nov. 24.—(Telegram Cable.)—Canadian fruit is rapidly taking a front place in England. As long as shippers are careful in sending only the best stock, it will continue to do so, and good prices will be realized.

The present of fruit from Hamilton, Ont., was highly appreciated by Her Majesty. It was served with dessert at the Sunday dinner at Windsor, and it will, no doubt, gratify the growers and shippers in Canada to know that the Queen pronounced it excellent.

Covent Garden prices for Canadian apples to-day, reported by W. N. White, are as follows: King's, 11s to 12s; Baldwins, 9s to 11s; Greenings, 9s to 11s; Golden Russets, 11s to 14s; Fallawaters, 11s to 13s; Golden Maudia, 11s to 13s; Seeks and Spys, 11s to 13s; Nova Scotia Kings, 8s 6d to 11s; Ribstones, 9s to 12s; Blenheims, 9s to 13s.

Liverpool prices are about the same as at London.

Continental reports received here to-day predict a serious shortage in the wheat crop next harvest. This news is considered indicative of a further advance on present wheat quotations.

BARCELONA BOMB THROWERS.

The Attorney-General Wants 26 of Them Sentenced to Death.

Barcelona, Nov. 24.—The Attorney-General, who is personally conducting the prosecution of the prisoners who are under arrest for connection with the throwing of a bomb in a crowded street while a religious procession was passing on June 7 last, has announced that he will ask the court that 28 of the prisoners be sentenced to death and 56 condemned to penal servitude for life. Great precautions will be taken against disorder when the sentences are published. The court will sit in the vault of the fortress of Mont Juich, and only military officers will be admitted to its proceedings. The crime for which the prisoners are to answer to a military court was one of the most fiendish of the many similar outrages committed by anarchists within the last few years. The usual religious observances of the feast of Corpus Christi were being observed, and thousands of people lined the streets to witness the procession on its way to the Ancient Church of Santa Maria Del Mar. Just as the procession was entering the church, a bomb was exploded in the crowd, killing a dozen outright and wounding about 50 others, some of whom died from their injuries.

Matabele Rebellion Ended.

London, Nov. 24.—A despatch to The Daily Telegraph from Fort Salisbury, Matabeleland, contains an interview with Cecil Rhodes, in which he said that he considered that the Matabele rebellion was ended, that troops were no longer needed, and that he was going to England at the beginning of the year.

Free Fight at Hamburg.

Hamburg, Nov. 24.—A despatch from Lubeck announces that early this morning, while the employes of Thiel's enamel factory were going to work, a body of strikers belonging to the same concern attacked the workmen, and a free fight followed. A number of shots were fired, several persons were seriously wounded and many arrests were made.

Honor to Mr. and Mrs. Bayard.

London, Nov. 24.—Ambassador and Mrs. Bayard were "commanded" to-day to visit Windsor Castle on Thursday next, and dine with the Queen. They will sleep at the castle that night, and Mr. Bayard in consequence has been obliged to cancel his engagement to preside at the Thanksgiving dinner of the American colony here.

TWEED TOPICS.

Mrs. James Davenport Makes a Statement for the Benefit of Others.

Mrs. Davenport is well-known in Tweed, and this is how she spoke to our representative concerning Doan's Kidney Pills. Said Mrs. Davenport:—

"I have suffered for some years from dizziness, puffing under the eyes, pains in the side and back, sleeplessness, poor appetite, and, in fact, was in a bad state generally.

"I took two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills which I got at P. K. Newton's drugstore, and experienced immediate relief from their use.

"I am now very much better indeed; appetite improved, pain almost disappeared and I feel stronger and healthier in every particular.

"I can heartily recommend them to all sufferers from kidney trouble."

For sale by James Lynch, druggist, 169 Hunter street, Peterborough.

Karl's Clover Root.

the great Blood purifier, gives fresh[illegible] and clearness to the Complexion and cures Constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 399 George street.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentry, Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. Never travel without it. Price 35c.

THANKS IN LONDON.

The American Colony Had a Time at th Hotel Cecil.

London, Nov. 26.—The Thanksgiving dinner of the American Society in London was given to-night in the great hall of the Hotel Cecil. The decorations were American and British flags and the coats-of-arms of the different States of the Union. Behind the seat of the chairman was a statue of Liberty. About 300 guests were present, including Sir Frank Lockwood, Solicitor-General; Henry M. Stanley, M.P., Sir Richard Webster and Consul-General Collins. Ambassador Bayard, who had been invited, was not present, he having gone to Windsor to visit the Queen. A letter of regret was read from him. The reading of the letter was greeted with cheers. A telegram of patriotic felicitation was sent to Mr. Bayard. It also contained best wishes for his health, and Godspeed for "The land we all love." Ltr a reply was received from Windsor acknowledging the receipt of the telegram, and adding: "All who love the United States and Great Britain will join in mutual congratulations over the peaceful relations which crown the anniversary, and of gratitude for the numberless blessings that surround the English-speaking peoples."

Sir Frank Lockwood, in proposing the health of President Cleveland, referred to his hospitable reception in the United States on the occasion of his recent visit. He said he was requested by Lord Russell, Lord Chief Justice of England, with whom he went to the United States, to express regret for his absence, which was caused by the death of a relative. Continuing, the speaker said his personal contact with President Cleveland had convinced him that he was a straightforward, honest, independent and nobly courageous man. He asked his hearers to join with him in drinking to one who honestly and honorably discharged the duties of his responsible position.

Sir Richard Webster responded to the toast "The community of the English-speaking peoples." He said he had long ceased to think that there was any fear of there ever being such a horrible disaster as war between the United States and Great Britain. Sir Richard's remarks were frequently interrupted by cheers.

WILL BENEFIT CANADA.

Andrew Carnegie Proposes to Construct a Coal and Ore Loading Plant at Conneaut, Ohio.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—A special from Cleveland says: A contract was closed yesterday by Andrew Carnegie for the construction of a big ore and coal loading plant at Conneaut, Ohio, and extensive docks will be built there. Conneaut is the northern terminus of Carnegie's railroad, the Pittsburg, Shenango & Lake Erie. Carnegie has a contract with John D. Rockefeller covering several years for the delivery of ore from the latter's Lake Superior mines at the docks in Conneaut.

KILLED IN A SCRIMMAGE.

A Fourteen-Year-Old Boy Knocked Down in a Football Game.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 26.—William Rue, 14 years old, was knocked down in the midst of a scrimmage in a football game between the Eurekas and Mutuals on the Parade ground in Prospect Park this afternoon, and when his companions carried him off the field it was found that he was unconscious. He was quickly moved to Seney Hospital, where the doctors did everything in their power for him, but he died in a few minutes from hemorrhage of the lungs.

Great Storm at Trieste.

Trieste, Nov. 26.—A terrific storm is prevailing here, preventing vessels from entering or leaving the harbor. Many houses have been unroofed or otherwise damaged.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The feeling is a little better to-day, owing to a firmer market for wheat. Straight rollers quoted at $4.10 to $4.20.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices steady; dealers asking $7.50 west. Shorts $8.50 to $9 west.

Wheat—The demand has improved and prices are higher. Holders are asking 85c for white, with buyers at 84c. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold early at 92c Toronto freight, but sellers refused this price later on. At Fort William the quotations are 81c to 82c.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with sales at 28½c to 29c west.

Barley—Trade dull, with no demand. No. 1 is quoted at 30c to 32c, and No. 2 at 28c at outside points.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices steady. White sold outside at 20c on the Northern. Mixed oats 18½c to 19c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady; sales at 42c north and west.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 34c on the Northern.

Corn—Market dull, with prices steady at 28c to 20c at outside points.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The market generally was quiet to-day, with receipts moderate. The offerings were 50 carloads. The export trade in cattle is over and prices to-day were purely nominal. The best bulls are quoted at 3c to 3½c per lb. There were few choice butchers' cattle, and they would bring 3c to 3½c per lb.; medium butchers' at 2½c to 2¾c, and inferior at 2c to 2½c. Offerings are chiefly confined to inferior grades. Milch cows unchanged at $35 to $40 each, and calves firm at $3 to $5.50 per head.

Sheep and lambs in limited supply and prices somewhat firmer. Export sheep sold at 2¾c to 3c per lb., and bucks at 2½c to 2¾c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3c to 3½c per lb.

Hogs in fair offer and prices unchanged. The best sold at 3¾c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c to 3¾c, light weights at 3¾c, sows at 2¾c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Nov. 24.—Spring wheat, 6s 9d to 6s 11d; red, 6s 11d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 5d to 7s 6d; corn, 2s 11¾d; peas, 4s 8d; pork, 50s; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 29s 6d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow, 19s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast nothing doing, on passage firm and 3d higher. English country markets quiet.

Liverpool—Spot wheat dull; futures easy at 6s 6½d for Dec., 6s 6¾d for Jan. and Feb. and 6s 7d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 11¾d for Nov. and Dec. and 2s 11d for Feb. and March. Flour 25s 6d.

Paris—Wheat 21f 45c for Dec.; flour 46f 85c for Dec.

London—Close—Wheat on passage dull. Maize on passage rather firmer.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 21f 40c for Dec.; flour firm at 46f 85c for Dec.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures firm at 6s 6½d for Dec., 6s 6¾d for Jan. and Feb. and 6s 7d for March. Maize steady at 2s 11¾d for Nov. and Dec. and 2s 11d for Jan. Feb. and March. Flour 25s 3d.

Miller's Compound Iron Pills cure St. Vitus' Dance. 50 doses 25 cents. Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill druggist.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Bronchitis, and all Lung Troubles are quickly cured by Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam.

CATARRH!

Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure

SPEEDY, INEXPENSIVE AND ABSOLUTELY PAINLESS.

See, Bessie, this is the way mother does.

You insert the tube and give one good blow and away she goes. And do you know I have never had bad breath or a touch of headache since using it. Now just let me try it on you and I am sure it will help that cold in the head and fix up that red nose.

Is the breath foul?
Is the voice husky?
Do you ache all over?
Is the nose stopped up?
Do you snore at night?
Does your nose discharge?
Does the nose bleed easily?
Is there tickling in the throat?
Is the nose sore and tender?
Do you sneeze a great deal?
Is this worse towards night?
Does the nose itch and burn?
Is there pain in the back of the head?
Is there pain across the eyes?
Is there pain in the back of the eyes?
Is your sense of smell leaving?
Is there a dropping in the throat?
Is the throat dry in the mornings?
Are you losing your sense of taste?
Do you sleep with the mouth open?
Does the nose stop up at night?

If so it is sure and certain indication of Catarrh.

DR. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE

Gives instant relief—in less than a minute after the first application the air passages are freed, and the breathing becomes natural and easy—the most acute attacks of cold in the head are cured in a few hours—cures incipient catarrh in a few days—and will permanently cure most chronic cases in from one to three months—it allays pain—counteracts all foulness of the breath—heals the ulcers—and in an incredibly short while absorbs and dries up all discharge. It contains no injurious ingredients, such as cocaine, the use of which, like morphine, in many cases has been the means of contracting the dreaded narcotic habit. Beware of catarrh cures containing such ingredients. Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure is sure, pure, harmless and easily applied. Dr. Chase's Improved Inhaler accompanies every box free of charge. Follow directions closely. Here are a few from a thousand or more testimonials who have been helped and cured.

A BAD CASE BUT A PERMANENT CURE.

For years I suffered from that dread disease—catarrh—I spent a small fortune in medicines without receiving any relief—I had the disease in a very bad form, and nothing seemed to reach the seat of the trouble until I procured and used Chase's Catarrh Cure. I got almost instant relief and I declare that, though I can hardly credit it myself, I have been permanently cured, and gladly give my testimony to the merits of this great cure.

ARTHUR P. THORNE.
Charlottetown, P.E.I.

CHRONIC CATARRH FOR 15 YEARS.

I had been a sufferer from catarrh for fifteen years—it became chronic. I have spent a lot of money and tried many doctors. I also treated with a catarrh specialist in London—in fact, had tried most everything I saw advertised without getting any benefit. I was directed by the advertisements and testimonials I read to try Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. I used three boxes and a complete cure was effected. I heartily recommend it to all sufferers from catarrh.

Clachan, Ont. JAMES SPENCE.

DR. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE WITH BLOWER FREE—AT ALL DRUGGISTS, 25c.

The Fighting Christians.

Bay City, Mich., Nov. 24.—Everything is quiet in the Polish settlement. There was no conflict between the police and warring Poles ot daylight as expected. Father Bogacki is still being guarded in the church residence by the police. It is believed that the trouble is over for the present.

Spanish Troops Whipped

London, Nov. 24.—The Times will to-morrow publish a despatch from Singapore stating that the Spanish troops in the Philippine islands have been defeated with a loss of 500 killed and wounded. Neither the place of the engagement nor the date on which it occurred is given.

Don't daily with rheumatism. Purify your blood and cure it at once by taking a course of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego Cal. says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 399 George Street.

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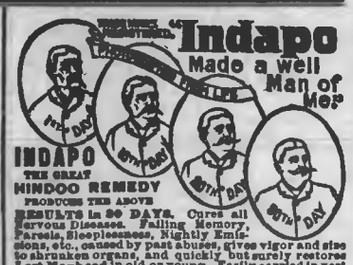
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The average consumption of Tobacco in this country is 1 lb. 10½ oz. per head of population, and an economist has estimated that the use of the Mackenzie Pipe by every smoker would result in a saving of $500,000.00 a year.

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ALIVE C. LeGROS.

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Bargain Organs.

For the last two weeks we have been advertising good second-hand Pianos at remarkable prices, in order to clear our warerooms. Now, it is the turn of the Organs. Read through this list:—

KARN—6 Octaves; black and gold; tall case; 12 stops.....	$65 00
KARN—5 Octaves; walnut; 10 stops; chapel case; quite new...	$50 00
KARN—5 Octaves; high back; 9 stops; slightly used.....	$50 00
BELL—6 Octaves, 11 stops, high, a magnificent instrument...	$75 00
DOHERTY—5 Octaves, 12 stops, medium height, slightly used..	$50 00
BELL—6 Octaves, 12 stops, high back, a beauty.....	$60 00
DETROIT—5 Octaves, 10 stops, high back, used a little.....	$50 00

Every instrument mentioned is worth twice the price asked for it, but we have too many of them. Call early.

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"I would like to add my testimony to that of others who have used Ayer's Pills, and to say that I have taken them for many years, and always derived the best results from their use. For stomach and liver troubles, and for the cure of headache caused by these derangements, Ayer's Pills cannot be equaled.

When my friends ask me what is the best remedy for disorders of the stomach, liver, or bowels, my invariable answer is, Ayer's Pills. Taken in season, they will break up a cold, prevent la grippe, check fever, and regulate the digestive organs. They are easy to take, and are, indeed, the best all-round family medicine I have ever known."—Mrs. May Johnson, 368 Elder Avenue, New York City.

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Ayer's Sarsaparilla Cures all Blood Disorders.

WOMEN—

AS THEY PASS

WOMAN'S CROWNING GLORY.

In Many Instances It May Be False—Where It Comes From.

The women of the United States, says a writer in the Detroit Free Press, "consume" one hundred tons of false hair every year. Possibly least important in the reckoning of what this may mean is the item of cost—$350,000 to $400,000.

And the dealers say that the women never indicate having a thought as to where this store hair comes from. They

Question not when or why,
Theirs but to choose and buy,
—Fashion's 400.

Happily no hint of skeletons lurks in these human goods sold in America. No "dreadful" revelations lie back of the traffic; no chapters with hints of morgues or graveyards have part in the little tale of this "glory" of our women that is not their glory at all. To the contrary, the story has much old world romance about it—the best ambitions of simple and happy little maids.

If ever you lived in the country you remember the old peddler and how he used to trade the folk tinware and all sorts of notions for whatever the family had to exchange. In the same way, going constantly through the husbandry districts of Europe, there are peddlers with stocks of various kinds of finery that they trade to the peasant girls for "clips" from their hair. It is a distinct business and these peddlers are skilled judges. The peasant girls have much and fine hair—"dense heads of it," as one witty dealer put it. The field and mountain lassies over there go bareheaded most of the time—one of the secrets of their abundant "topknots." Another secret of it is that continually while resting the fingers of these peasants are busy "cultivating" their hair, and, oddly as it may sound to the American girl, all to the end of trading it for "prettles."

To constantly keep a rich head of hair to trade from is one of the great-

NEGOTIATING FOR LOCKS OF HAIR.

est cares of young peasantry from earliest girlhood. But to trade for merely pretty articles of the trinket order is only one of the ambitions toward which the hair is cared for by these simple folk. Providing the necessaries for their wedding time by the culture and sale of their hair is the main ambition urged in the earliest teachings of the peasant girl.

At no one time do they ever part with their entire growth of hair. They permit the expert to take only a certain number of clips at a time. The result is, therefore, not always noticeable, and never really disfiguring.

All of the immense quantities of hair thus gathered—for these clipping tradesmen are constantly at work—is sold in Paris, world center for hair-working. There it is sorted, graded, classed and treated for the markets of the world. Half of the hundred tons sent direct from Paris to America every year is in the "raw" state, or exactly as it comes from the heads of the peasant girls. The other half arrives made up into coiffures, frizzes, etc., and pays a duty of 20 per cent.

What this peasant hair costs the Paris dealers is not known. The average price of both kinds to American dealers runs about $8 a pound, and is retailed for about $16 a pound. Considering that the greater part, if not all of it, must be handled and kept for a considerable time before being sold, there is a long way from 100 per cent. profit in it, as might be thought from the figures given.

Scarcely an ounce of "domestic" or American hair is bought by the dealers. "Combings," the dealers say, do not pay for the buying at any price, as they are principally short and often dead hair. When asked whether it was possible to tell the length of time hair had been cut, a principal importer answered negatively. "It is utterly impossible," said he, "to tell at all, by examining hair, how long it has been cut from the head. The most luxurious growth imaginable will, after being separated from the scalp, if constantly exposed to the atmosphere and light, become ruined in a few months."

For this reason the hair merchant keeps his stock carefully wrapped in oil cloth or oil paper and always away from the air and light. "If carefully and constantly so kept," added the dealer, "detached hair should hold its original, natural brilliancy and softness for ten years or longer."

Sixty Scientific Papers.

The purely scientific papers published in the United States are only 60 in number, with a combined circulation each issue of 118,425 copies.—Printers' Ink.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucasus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined?

Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtasked, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then come the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

The Whole Army Gave Thanks.

After the great victory obtained by the English at the battle of Agincourt, 1415, the renowned Prince Henry V ordered the One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth Psalms to be sung on the battlefield by way of acknowledgment that all success and all blessing come down from the Father of Light, after which the whole army fell upon knees and shouted with one heart (one voice), "Not unto us, O Lord, not unto us, but to thy name give we the glory, for thy mercy and for thy truth's sake."

When Henry returned to England, Nov. 6, he commanded that no ballad or song should be composed or sung except one in thanksgiving for their glorious victory.—Cincinnati Post.

Good Living of the Pioneers.

The living of the colonial pioneers was by no means devoid of luxuries. Turkeys of the wild variety, which, we are told, often weighed as much as 60 pounds, and wild geese as fat as butter, with nearly 900 different sorts of fish, including clams, oysters and other shellfish, gave them an excellent market at their own doors. And of venison they had a surfeit. The Indians taught them their rude science of cookery by inducting them into the mysteries of the clambake and the toothsome succotash, blessings of the larder which they bequeathed to their posterity.

Choosing a Turkey.

In choosing a turkey the age of the bird is the principal thing to be attended to. A young gobbler is best. He may be distinguished from a hen turkey by his comb. The age may be ascertained by the lower part of the breastbone; if soft and pliable, the turkey is young; if stiff, it is old and is not good for roasting. It can only be used for boiling or braising. Turkeys weighing from eight to ten pounds each are thought best.—New York World.

Thanksgiving Day.

Turkey in the oven,
Punkin pies all made;
Let's peek in the pantry—
Hain't a bit erfraid!

Hain't she full uv goodies?
My, how we will eat
When we get a chance ter
Tackle turkey meat!

Say! Thet turkey's stuffed es
Full es he c'n stick!
Guess, though, 'tain't no fuller
'N I'll be pretty quick.

My, I wish they'd hurry!
Dinner time comes slow
When a feller's waited
All forenoon, yer know.

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Hip, hip, hip, hooray!
Say! There's nothin finer
'N Thanksgivin day!
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Officials against whom charges were preferred will be notified and given ample time to provide for defence. Captain Douglas says there are now about 50 cases for investigation and there probably will be 50 more before his work is finished. From Halifax Captain Douglas goes to Baddeck. From Baddeck he will proceed to tour Cape Breton, P.E. Island and Nova Scotia.

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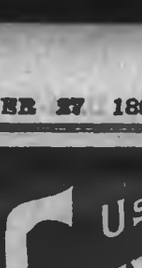

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A union Thanksgiving service was held yesterday morning in Paul's church, and was conducted by Rev. Dr. Torrance. Rev. W. R. Young led in prayer and Rev. J. J. Rae and Rev. W. C. Beer took the readings.

The sermon was given by the Rev. J. G. Potter, his text being taken from St. Matt. xxii, 22: "Render unto Cæsar the things which are Cæsar's and unto God the things which are God's."

In the beginning of the chapter we find under the parable of the king who made a marriage for his son, Christ revealing himself as the central person of the Kingdom. This announcement of His Kingship not only aroused curiosity in the minds of His own disciples but kindled animosity and prejudice in the minds of the Pharisees and Sadducees, and they therefore seek to ensnare Him with respect to His pretensions as King. It is so hard for some to see along higher planes of thought or life. We too often think along very low planes, and in our thoughts our lives are hampered and narrowed and our influence limited, our vision is blurred and our true and higher manhood crippled. But when by God's grace we are filled with the Spirit of God our thoughts are raised to higher planes—we think along broader and more spiritual lines, our eyes are opened, our *souls inspired*, our faith quickened and our love refined. To-day we meet :

1. As a nation.
2. As a Christian nation.
3. As a Christian contingent.

What a scene—this national recognition of God and God's bounty!

The speaker then spoke on the

USES AND ABUSES

of the day, its use being manifested in true gratitude and its abuses in indulging simply in pleasure.

Christ and His Word recognize obedience and submission to the constituted authority. We should be :

1. Ever loyal to our laws.
2. Anxious to have them obeyed.
3. Give hearty support to those in authority in the suppression of evil.
4. Seek ever to build up in the community a respect for law and order.

All this including the determination to place men in authority who are worthy.

We are also taught the necessity of taking an interest in the government of our country.

There are men living to-day who believe that Christians should have nothing to do with the various systems of government—that they should leave that to men of the world. These are parasites, feeding upon the health of the community like leeches sucking the very blood—like mosquitoes drawing your blood and leaving the sting.

On Thanksgiving Day we should show our appreciation of our land. With a territory of three and a half millions of square miles, washed by three oceans, Canada is eminently rich in shipping and harbours, and she abounds in lakes, rivers, prairies and forests.

Amongst the things which we have to be thankful for is the Christian piety and morality of our people, their liberality, the

SANCTITY OF OUR SABBATH,

a pure press, our charitable institutions and our schools, which are our pride.

Another cause for thanksgiving is our true sense of pride in the glory power and commanding position of our Empire.

In 1837 the population of the British Isles was 26,000,000. It is now 40,000,000. In Asia, during the Queen's reign, 40,000 square miles, with a vast population, have been acquired. In Africa a million square miles have been added to the Queen's Dominions. Australia and Canada contain one-ninth of the land surface of the globe. The whole British Empire now includes 10,000,000 square miles, with a population of more than 360 millions. We have more territory than Russia and more population than China.

Again when we contrast our spiritual blessings with the sufferings and needs of other people we are amazed at the wonderful difference yielding continual cause for thanksgiving.

We rejoice to-day to know that the Gospel of life in Christ is triumphing everywhere, and that while much remains to be done—millions still unsaved—yet the Christian church has been blessed.

WE THANK GOD

for a healthy Christianity that has alike to do with development of true Christian citizenship and as faithful and earnest witnesses for Christ.

We thank God for the Sabbath day, for the word of truth and for the Holy Spirit.

Let us, as men, rise into higher realms of Christian usefulness. As we mount peak by peak, and crag after crag the mountain steeps of the world's experiences and discipline, may we glance around us only to view the splendour and magnificence of the rule of God in our hearts and lives. As we develop our mental powers and use

WISELY AND WELL

the privileges, bounties and talents afforded to us, when we see what the mind of man has scanned, and what the intelligence of man has brought to knowledge, may we with gratitude to Almighty God praise Him for the greater heights yet to climb, for the unsearchable riches yet undiscovered. And as we behold the glory, prowess and prosperity of our beloved empire, may we with genuine royal and loyal spirit ever glory in the triumph of the Redeemer's kingdom, and bow gratefully and obediently to the sceptre, which is a sceptre of righteousness, ever hopeful in that time when with inspiring hallelujahs the kingdoms of this world shall become the kingdoms of our Lord and of His Christ.

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GALWAY.

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Mr. Elias Ferrin, who took advantage of the harvest excursion to visit Manitoba, returned last Saturday. He says there has been sleighing there during the past two or three weeks. He reports the climate colder than here, but outside of that he says it is the right country for farming. Mr. Ferrin intends removing there in the spring.

There is not much doing in the lumbering here this winter.

Mr. George Martin, of Fenelon Falls, has been around in search of telegraph poles. We expect quite a number will be taken out.

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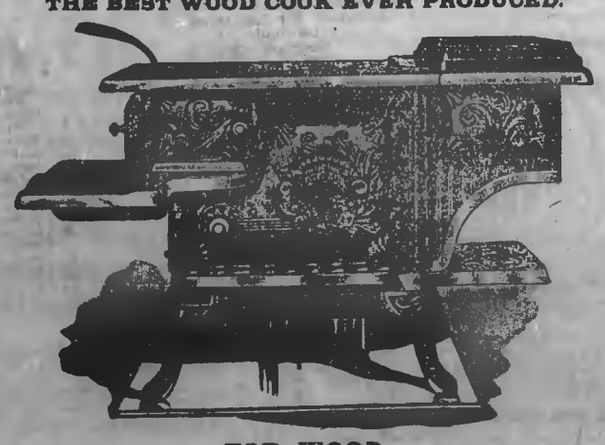

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THE OTTAWA BUDGET

Rumor That Mr. Laurier is to be Knighted.

THE PREMIER KNOWS NOTHING OF IT

Sir Henry Strong Will Not Have to Leave the Supreme Court Bench—That Yankee Outrage at Suspension Bridge to be Looked Into—Queen vs. St. Louis.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—(Special.)—A rumor is in circulation that the Premier will be knighted on New Year's Day. Sir Wilfrid is euphonious, and will look well in print. Mr. Laurier disavows all knowledge of such intention on the part of Her Majesty and expresses the belief that titles are more fittingly bestowed on members of the old families, and who have the necessary means to wear them with distinction. But, after all, what is there in this talk of the old families? Are not we all descended from Adam?

In official circles the statement is confirmed that Sir Henry Strong's appointment on the Judicial Committee will not involve his resignation of the Chief Justiceship. Sir Henry will visit England every July, when colonial cases are heard. This will not involve any interference with his Supreme Court work here. It is understood that the Imperial Government will pay the expenses of the colonial judges to and from and while in England, so that no expense will be incurred by Canada.

During his visit to British Columbia Mr. Davies will hold a conference with the sealers and obtain their views on the subject of suggested modifications of the Behring Sea regulations, for which the United States is pressing.

The attention of the Government has been directed by Mayor Cole of Niagara Falls, Ont., to a scandalous case of ill-treatment of a British subject by the American authorities at Niagara Falls, N. Y., under the alien labor law. George Sharvill, an Englishman, who has resided at Niagara Falls with his family since July, was the other night waited upon by customs and police officers and unceremoniously bundled over to the Canadian side of the bridge without a moment's warning. The Government will call the attention of the American authorities, through Sir Julian Pauncefote, to this unneighborly action. A few more cases of this kind may induce the Government to adopt reprisals.

Commander Spain of the Canadian fisheries protection service returned to-day, after inspecting the two lake cruisers, the Dolphin on Lake Huron and the Petrel on Lake Erie. He found both in excellent condition. The Petrel was especially noteworthy for the perfection which the crew have attained in drill. Capt. Dunn deserves credit for the way he has brought his men along in the season. The Dolphin is at Owen Sound and both vessels will go out of commission on Dec. 3.

From the Soo Chief Engineer Schreiber will proceed to Toronto and Hamilton for the purpose of looking into the vexed local dispute over the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo Railway Company crossing Desjardins Canal.

Provincial Detective Murray is investigating into the Watterson tragedy at Limehank. When the coroner's jury failed to agree upon a verdict as to the cause of Watterson's death Coroner Freeland handed over all the papers connected with the inquest to the Crown authorities. Acting Crown Attorney Lees communicated the facts to the Attorney-General at Toronto and asked advice. As the circumstances connected with Watterson's death are mysterious, and doubly so by the failure to find the weapon by which the deceased could have cut his own throat, the detective has been sent on to investigate.

In the Exchequer Court to-day the case of the Queen v. St. Louis came up. Mr. B. B. Osler, Q. C., Mr. Hogg, Q.C., and Solicitor-General Fitzpatrick appeared for the Crown and Hon. C. A. Geoffrion and Mr. Emard for Mr. St. Louis. The Crown sues for $143,000, which was alleged to be overpaid in connection with the Curran bridge contract. St. Louis has already sued for $63,000, which was due him on the contract, and recovered the amount by a judgment of the Exchequer Court. Mr Geoffrion, for St. Louis, now holds that under the law of Quebec, which the case must be tried under, the Crown cannot sue the same parties twice on the same facts. From the remarks of Justice Burbidge it looked as if the court was likely to decide in that way. Mr. Osler, however, contended that the case did not come under the Quebec law, as it arose at Ottawa, and, such being the case, there was no estoppel against the Crown as between subjects and subjects.

A writ was issued in the High Court of Justice this morning against Alexander Graham for $10,000 damages and an injunction to restrain him from further occupying the brickyard at Ottawa East. The writ is taken at the instance of several members of the Kane family, residing in Hochelaga. The action arises from an alleged violation of agreement on the part of the late John Graham.

Speaker Edgar of the House of Commons has returned to Toronto, after spending some days here. There were complaints laid against one permanent officer, of active partisanship in the last elections, which, on investigation, turned out to be entirely groundless. The complainant was Mr. Devlin, M.P., who charged Treffle Ouimet, Clerk of French Journals, with attending public meetings and working against Mr. Devlin. Mr. Ouimet, who is a cousin of Judge Ouimet, and an able officer of Parliament, produced a dozen affidavits to show that he was not present at the meetings in question. Mr. Devlin was perforce compelled to withdraw the charge and admit he had been misinformed. Another matter the Speaker had before him was the catering for the coming session. Our own Samuel Barnett is in danger of losing charge of the Commons' restaurant, but won't cry over it, as after the passage of Mr. Craig's motion last session, it is generally understood Mr. Barnett lost money on the Commons side. He will still have charge of the Senate restaurant, and with new and noiseless cork matting laid in the tunnel, will continue to monopolize the Commoners' demand for coffee and cakes.

It is announced that Mr. Laurier will leave for Europe about Dec 15. Confirmation is, however, lacking.

The election in Saskatchewan will be held on the same dates as Cornwall and Stormont; nomination Dec. 12, polling a week later.

Mr. Fisher leaves for Toronto to-morrow.

Mr. J. C. Boyce, editor of The House of Commons Debates, has just completed the Index of the revised edition of last session. The volume may, therefore, be expected shortly.

Messrs. A. E. Wheeler, D. Kelly, J. H. Mackenzie, George Anderson and W. A. Lampert, members of the East Toronto Reform Association, were here to-day interviewing Ministers regarding the distribution of patronage in East Toronto.

For the convenience of mining men an outport of customs has been created in the Seine River, Western Algoma.

Mr. Frank Pedley, barrister, of Toronto, was here to-day looking up matters of legal patronage in the departments.

The Postmaster-General has cancelled the contract for carrying the mails between the city postoffice and the Experimental Farm.

NOTES FROM THE FALLS.

Biggar, Who Escaped from Hamilton Asylum, Captured and Taken Back—Burglars Caught—A Pole Killed.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Nov. 27.—(Special.)—Richard Biggar, the man who escaped from the insane asylum at Hamilton a few weeks ago, was captured this morning across the river. The man has evidently been harbored by relatives, who were desirous of his release, and it was only after a diligent search that he was found by the officers. This morning Keeper Slater arrived from Hamilton and took Biggar back to that city. A proper application for his release will immediately be made by his relatives.

The burglars who several weeks ago robbed Thomas Ward & Co.'s drygoods store of about $100 worth of goods have been captured in Buffalo and the stolen goods recovered. An officer left this afternoon for that place and will endeavor to bring the prisoners to this side. Their names are as yet unknown to the local police.

The only engine in commission on the Niagara Central Railway burst some flues this afternoon, consequently the rolling stock of the company is taking a forced holiday.

The men in charge of the M. C. R. transfer sheds at Montrose, although completed and ready to begin business at a moment's notice, are still awaiting authority from Washington allowing the Detroit customs officers to accept cars which have had the U. S. seal placed upon them in Canada.

Work on the new bridge across the gorge is almost suspended on account of the delay in the shipping of the iron framework and the arch base.

Another fatal accident occurred at the wheel pit extension of the power company across the river early this morning. The victim was a Pole named Stephen Scobiski, who, with a large number of other employes, was at work in the bottom of the pit when the order was given to ascend. Immediately everyone made a rush for the one ladder, which broke with the weight of all the men, dropping them 25 feet. Scobiski was killed and two others were seriously injured.

The Hon. R. Harcourt was in town to-day inspecting the new heating apparatus at the Public schools. It was pronounced satisfactory.

Says He's a Bad Man.

Detroit, Nov. 27.—John McGowan of London, Ont., says that Charles Norman, alias Edward White, is a bad man. Norman or White was arrested a few days ago for larceny. Mr. McGowan says the prisoner ran away with Mrs. McGowan, and he is here to see that White is properly prosecuted.

STILL AFTER HARVEY

Guelphites Want the Defaulter Tried Again.

GOT OFF TOO LIGHTLY, THEY SAY

Hon. A. S. Hardy Waited Upon by Delegation—The Premier Agrees With Their Statements But Shows That He Has No Power Over the Judge.

Toronto, Nov. 28.

The citizens, and, by their approval, the City Council, of Guelph are determined that they will not let the Harvey case drop before what they believe to be the ends of justice have been amply met. They are not willing that the administration of justice in their locality shall be disregarded by their own people and become the subject of the ridicule of outsiders. Accordingly, at a recent meeting, the Council unanimously decided to delegate a committee from among their number to wait upon the head of the Ontario Judiciary Department and ask him that a new trial of ex-Treasurer Harvey be had, on such new charges as were not disposed of from the reports of the special auditor, Mr. George Edwards.

The deputation saw Attorney-General Hardy yesterday afternoon. It was composed of Mayor Lamprey and Ald. Sully, Penfold, Downie, Hartnett and Mahoney, with Ald. Calvert as spokesman.

Mayor Lamprey, asked by Mr. Hardy to speak, said that the citizens of Guelph were indignant. They believed that a miscarriage of justice had taken place. Restitution to the extent of but $10,000 had been made, while there was lacking at least $25,000 of city funds which could not be traced.

Mr. Hardy interposed: "Is the Council unanimous?"

The Mayor: "They are unanimous in asking that those new charges be tried." The general opinion was, he went on, that Harvey had been dealt with in a partial manner. There was no doubt that the tax on the ratepayers, which is now 25 mills on the dollar, would not have been more than 20 mills had the frauds not taken place.

Mr. Johnston, one of the Crown prosecutors, was then called in.

In the interval, Ald. Calvert complained that the Judge had tried to throw a part of the blame upon the City Council for not looking after auditing in a proper manner. That they did not wish to lie under such an imputation was one of the reasons for their coming.

Mr. Hardy (jocularly): "What sentence did he impose upon the Council?"

The Premier then went on to say that the charges they were preferring were then of a threefold nature. The first was that the prisoner had been treated differently from other criminals. The second was that the Judge had been remiss in his duty, and the third was that it was an implication against the prosecution when the Judge had said that he thought the sentence would be satisfactory to the Crown.

Mr. Johnston, the Crown officer, pointed out a few unintentional errors in the report of Mr. Calvert. He said that the judge was well within his rights in allowing Harvey to remain in a private room during his trial. Judge McDougall did the same thing right along, so there was nothing exceptional in that. He had felt it his duty, and it was the duty of every Crown prosecutor, not to act in a bloodthirsty manner, and yet to see that the prisoner did not escape. But here was where the counsel who acted for the city had made the mistake. They asked him in open court what the Crown would do if restitution were made. He had replied that it would not interfere with a vigorous prosecution of the case in any way. The Crown knew the object of the proposed restitution and would not lend themselves to it. As to the remark of the judge that the sentence would meet the ends of justice and satisfy the prosecution, he said that the Crown, in the first place, had been ready to go on with the prosecution. At the close of Mr. Osler's statement at the trial, Mr. Guthrie, the City Solicitor, informed the court that restitution had been made. The judge looked to the Crown to say something, but as the evidence was all in he had nothing to say, and the responsibility was left upon the shoulders of the court. The committee who had been appointed to obtain restitution knew that should they obtain it the Crown would be hampered in obtaining a just sentence. In conclusion, he said that if the Crown was to be placed in an unhampered position so that a proper sentence could be forced, restitution would have to be refused, and the parties thereby placed in the same position they were in before the trial. Then the prosecution would be in a position to perhaps have the sentence of three months changed to three years. Any other judge under such circumstances might have been equally lenient. The Crown had done their part, and he cited the case of McGreevy and Connolly to prove his contention that the case was not without precedent.

Ald. Calvert asked: "Did the City Solicitor ask you what you would do if restitution were made?"

Mr. Johnston replied that the City Solicitor had told him that if a full term were given the prisoner no restitution could be obtained.

Ald. Calvert: "We have no fault to find with you, but was there any arrangement made between you and the judge?"

Mr. Johnston: "None whatever." "But why did you interfere with the Crown by stating that restitution had been made."

Ald. Calvert: "It was not intended to have any bearing on the case."

Mr. Hardy asked why the statement had been made. He would look into the matter. The case was an important one. It involved a precedent. Messrs. Johnston and Peterson, who acted for the Crown, had nothing to do with the settlement by restitution. Of course, when the amount is large and the restitution is made, it must have its effect upon the judge. He then read a letter sent by himself to Mr. Peterson, which instructed the latter that no restitution should guarantee a merely nominal sentence. That was his opinion. He desired that everything should be done openly and above board, and his department was no party to the settlement by restitution.

Part of their charge, the Premier resumed, was against the judge. The latter was not an officer of his appointment, but was responsible to the Dominion Minister of Justice. To the latter, then, they must make their complaint in regard to him. He did not mean to criticize the bench, but was obliged to say that he thought the sentence a very light one. "It is my part to see that the facts are placed before the judge," he said. He had done so. He had put the matter in the hands of the best available counsel, and had therefore nothing to reproach himself with. If someone would lay fresh charges before the Police Magistrate he would do everything he could to have justice done, providing he were assured that their side of the case was worth taking up, or in other words justified by the evidence.

Ald. Calvert: "Would you consent to allow the Crown Attorney to consult with the City Solicitor?"

Mr. Hardy: "I most certainly would."

Mr. Johnston: "If you wish the full penalty of the law to be inflicted, as I said before, you should place the parties in the same position they were in before restitution was made."

Mr. Hardy concluded the interview by saying that he considered Mr. Harvey a very fortunate man. He thought the judge was influenced to a certain extent by the latter's social position and the judge's personal acquaintance with him. He thanked the deputation for their courtesy.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1896.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE bonds between Canada and the Mother Country are being drawn closer. Sir Henry Strong, Chief Justice of Canada, will represent the Dominion of Canada on the Imperial Judicial Committee of the Privy Council. Sir Henry will still remain Chief Justice of Canada. No salary is attached to the new office.

THE Toronto World says, "let us quit trying to settle the School question, and let us try and settle the country." Its political friends were in power for twenty-three years and couldn't "settle" either. The Laurier Government, the Ottawa Free Press points out, has been in power less than six months and has settled the School question. It will also settle the country. The organs of Toryism should not use the word "us" in a party sense in connection with either of the subjects mentioned.

SPAIN is over a hundred years behind the procession. She is only now learning the lesson that was taught the good old, but sadly pig-headed, King George, when lost a big slice of his North American colonies by insisting on taxing them without their consent, and for the benefit of the home government. The last of Spain's erstwhile world-wide colonies are in revolt and on the eve of independence. The Phillipine Islands have stuck for liberty, and the latest accounts are that they are pushing the Spaniards into the sea. In Cuba Spain has spent a hundred millions to keep the plucky islanders in subjection, and the latest reports are that the oppressed are coming to the top, and it seems that the time is not far distant when Cuba will throw off the Spanish yoke. Spain has long been wilfully blind, but her two last colonies are giving her a pair of eye-openers. She is a great country still, with immense internal resources, but she is not in touch with modern methods. The club law of a century ago won't work in this dawn of the twentieth century. The concession of liberal government to Cuba a dozen years ago would have been for the benefit of both the colony and the mother country.

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CAVANVILLE.

Thanksgiving Supper and Lecture.

The ladies of Cavanville Methodist church held their annual Thanksgiving supper Friday evening, Nov. 20th. It proved to be a grand financial success, and an intellectual and musical treat of a very high order. Supper was served in Mr. Fletcher's Hall, and after ample justice had been done to the good things provided by the ladies, an adjournment was made to the church where the intellectual part of the feast was dispensed. A short but excellent programme of music, readings and recitations was listened to with marked appreciation. Miss Bertha Sing, of Port Hope, delighted the audience with several selections of music, which proved her to be the possessor of a clear rich soprano voice, remarkable for its sweetness and compass. Miss Sing is no stranger to a Cavanville audience, as we had the pleasure of listening to her in a concert previous to this event, and it is the unanimous verdict that she has established herself as a great favourite in Cavanville, as evidenced by the marked appreciation with which her numbers were received. Miss Elsie Richardson favoured us with a recitation in a very pleasing manner which was well received, and Rev. J. Kilgour contributed a reading in his usual happy manner.

The preliminary programme having been concluded, the Rev. James Henderson, D. D., of Toronto, was introduced. Rev. Mr. Henderson, it will be remembered, was advertised to deliver a lecture on the subject, "Wherein is man better than a sheep," but on account of circumstances over which he had no control he was compelled to change his subject and he selected for the foundation of his remarks the very interesting subject, 'Does Christianity pay?' The lecture was listened to throughout with marked attention, the eloquence of the lecturer evoking frequent bursts of applause, as he clearly demonstrated the fact that Christianity gave large returns for the amount of money invested.

After votes of thanks to the Rev. Dr. Henderson and to the ladies who had assisted, the entertainment was brought to a close, the audience joining heartily in the singing of "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow."

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MOUNT PLEASANT.

Reopening of the Presbyterian Church.

On Sunday, Nov. 22nd, the services in connection with the reopening of the Mount Pleasant Presbyterian church, were conducted by Rev. J. Kilgour, of Cavanville, and Rev. Mr. McKinnin, of Fenelon Falls. The morning service at 10.30 was taken by Rev. Mr. Kilgour, who delivered an excellent sermon, choosing his text from Gal. 3, 9. He gave a picture of the Chaldees, when God told Abraham to leave it, that he did not question as to the profit he would gain by leaving his native land, but complied with God's request; that God is speaking to us now, and we should obey Him. He showed that Abraham was not selfish, that he was no speculator. He only purchased enough ground for to bury his dead, and "by faith he looked for a city which hath foundations whose builder and maker is God."

At 2.30 p. m. Rev. Mr. McKinnon took his text from Matthew 21st, part of 13th verse,—"It is written, my house shall be called the house of prayer."

He described the doings of the speculators that Jesus found in the temple at Jerusalem when he entered it and what He done with them. The condescension of god in allowing man to build a house for Him, that we should reverance God's house and not allow entertainments or anything of that nature to be held in it. That God's work should be kept up by the free will offerings of His people and that His house should be called the Lord's house.

The third service of the day was held at 7 p. m. by the Rev. Mr. McKinnon. His text was taken from Psalm 34, verse 10. He said the young ones of the king of the forest suffered hunger and were often in need of something to satisfy it, but not so with those who seek the Lord. He said that he has seen many tramps in his day but none of them were of the class spoken of in the text. He told of the good things God's people get here and of those in store for them hereafter, of which no description can be given.

The day was very fine and the congregations large at each of the three services.

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DOURO DOINGS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Rev. Father Kielty, who has been ill in Kingston hospital for some time, came home last week. But he found himself too delicate to remain and he returned to Kingston, Nov. 23rd.

Miss J. Cronin and Miss J. Coughlin gave a party to their friends Nov. 23rd. It was very disagreeable weather, and consequently the number present was not so large as it otherwise would have been. But those who attended declare themselves well pleased with the evening's entertainment.

Mr. J. Walsh and Miss A. Walsh spent Sunday in Hastings visiting friends.

On Tuesday morning Nov. 24th, a pretty wedding occurred at St. Joseph's church, when Miss Nellie O'Brien, daughter of Mr. Wm. O'Brien, township clerk, was married to Mr. P. G. Towns, the Rev. Father Phelan performing the ceremony. The home wedding was very quiet, only the near relatives of the contracting parties being present.

Mr. D. Conroy and Mrs. Chamberlain spent Sunday with their friend, Mrs. Jas. Barry.

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A GENERAL'S STORY.

HE RELATES THE NARROW ESCAPE OF HIS DAUGHTER.

Weakened and Run Down by the Oppressive Climate of India She Returned to England—When Her Father Followed He Found her in a Serious Condition.

From the Hampshire Independent.

There is nothing more interesting than the talk of our brave defenders, who have served their Queen and country in far distant lands. To talk with an Indian officer, hearing his reminiscences and adventures, is what those who have enjoyed it always appreciate. Consequently (writes a special reporter of the Hampshire Independent) I was delighted to receive instructions to interview Lieutenant-General Shaw, who has won his spurs in India, and is now living with his family in honourable retirement, at St. Paul's Vicarage, Shanklin, Isle of Wight. I had grasped the bell-pull and given it one tug when the door opened, and the general stood before me. You knew he was a soldier at once. His manly, upright bearing, his smile, his pleasant voice—all told you that you stood in the

Lieutenant-General Shaw.

presence of one of Nature's gentlemen but, alas! he held a time-table, and I felt that the interview must needs be short. However, he ushered me in and at once put me at my ease by his affable conversation.

"I am afraid," he said, "that you have come a long distance; but let me know the precise object of your visit."

I explained to the General that I was most anxious, with his consent, to obtain some personal explanation as to the narrow escape I had heard one of his daughters had recently experienced.

At that he brightened visibly. "You must know," he said, "I'm just a bit of an enthusiast on this point; but the tale is very short. My daughter came home from India, and when I joined her in London I found her ill in bed. She had rheumatic and neuralgic pains; she was perfectly bloodless, listless, and in a generally weak and prostrate condition. A doctor was seen, but she remained absolutely colourless, was in great wretchedness and suffering from anæmia or bloodlessness. She had a kind of fever, nervous headache, and other pains. Well, I heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. My daughter took some, and the first box had a marvellous effect. She regained her colour, lost her pains, and became altogether different. She had quite a glow upon her. She went on taking the pills, and I am glad to tell you that she recovered completely. I have recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to all with whom I came in contact, and all who take them derive great benefit therefrom.

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Making a Record.

"Officer, I want you to lock me up for shooting game."

"Well, where's the game?"

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A YANKEE OUTRAGE.

Officials at Niagara Falls Unceremoniously Dumped an Englishman and His Family Across the Bridge.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Nov. 26.—(Special.)—Mayor Cole of this town has called the attention of the Dominion Government to the scandalous treatment by American authorities of an Englishman named Thomas Sharvill, who has resided across the river since July. Without a moment's notice Sharvill and his family and effects were dumped on the Canadian side of the bridge. He is a man of good standing and had his rent paid up to the end of the month.

A COLD WAVE COMING.

Northern Minnesota and Montana Have Real Winter—Car Lines Tied Up.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 26.—Northern Minnesota has just been visited by the biggest snowstorm of the year. At the same time Central and Southern Minnesota have been getting the biggest rain in years. To-night a big cold wave is reported approaching from the northwest.

Snowed for Thirty Hours.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 26.—For 30 hours, ending yesterday morning, it snowed here without interruption. Over a foot has fallen and the car lines are all tied up. Traffic generally is badly crippled. The storm is general throughout the far northwest. Railroads are delayed in running trains. The snow was accompanied by a cold wave, the temperature being below zero.

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R. Scriver, Carpenter, of Hastings, was a Great Sufferer From Kidney Disease—South American Kidney Cure Effected a Quick Cure—It is a Specific Remedy for a Specific Disease—It Dissolves and Eradicates all Solid Matter From the System—Is Safe and Permanent.

For many years I have been troubled with kidney disease, necessitating the taking of much in the way of remedies. Two years ago they became so bad that I had to seek the aid of a physician. My urine was more like blood than anything else, and was very painful. Just at that time I began using South American Kidney Cure. It gave me immediate relief, and from that time till now I have had no difficulty. I can safely and honestly recommend this great remedy to all persons suffering from kidney trouble. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

SHE DYED AND DIED.

A Buffalo Woman Who Died Because She Dyed Her Hair.

Buffalo, Nov. 27.—May Mack, or Mabel Brooks, as she was known in a house of ill-repute on Oak-street, was found unconscious in her room last evening and removed to Fitch Hospital, where she died early this morning. It was at first thought she had committed suicide, but the coroner believes death was due to other causes. It appears that she dyed her hair a few days ago, and was attacked with severe headaches, which continued until she became unconscious. She was 22 years old, and came here from Rochester.

A Royal Baby.

Berlin, Nov. 27.—A son was born to Prince and Princess Henry of Prussia at Kiel this morning.

IN THE DARK VALLEY.

"Dodd's Kidney Pills have Saved My Life"—This is said by Thousands—Prevention the Safest.

"In the valley and shadow of death"—"Given up to die." There are many thousands of such living in Canada to-day who say, "Dodd's Kidney Pills have saved my life."

No matter to what stage the disease may have come, do not despair. The triumphs of Dodd's Kidney Pills have been won in exactly such fights for life.

People make mistakes and jump to wrong conclusions; doctors themselves don't always know. It is much safer to take Dodd's Kidney Pills than to take chances. Of course these grave cases have simple beginnings, and that is the time that a single box prevents—which is better than curing.

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THE GREAT BLIZZARD

Which is Sweeping Over the Northwest.

A TRAIN LOAD OF CATTLE FROZEN

St. Paul Suffers From Delayed Trains, and in Some Places in Minnesota Business is Entirely Suspended—Coldest Weather for 24 Years at Portland, Oregon.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 27.—The storm which has been raging throughout the northwest for the past 48 hours is the greatest that has ever visited this section since the blizzard of Jan. 12, 1888, in which 107 lives were lost. No lives are reported lost in this storm, but there is a complete blockade of traffic in Northern Minnesota, North Dakota and portions of South Dakota. Trains into St. Paul from the west are from 5 to 10 hours late or abandoned altogether. It is 4 degrees below zero here to-night, with a terrific north wind blowing.

At Moorehead, Minn., the blizzard has been on for 24 hours and there is no prospect of abatement. Traffic in the streets and all business is suspended. Nearly all passenger and freight trains are snowed in, but the Northern Pacific managed to move one passenger train to-night. The northbound passenger train on the Great Northern reached Moorehead an hour late this morning. It became stalled in the big drift right at the depot and had to be dug out. It took four powerful engines to take the four passenger coaches across the River to Fargo. The snow in some places is 5 feet deep.

Grafton, N. D., reports the worst storm that ever visited the section. It began Wednesday evening. The Great Northern southbound train due here at 6.30 last night is now at St. Thomas, 14 miles north of Grafton. One of the engines reached here this afternoon, coming down for coal.

The northbound Northern Pacific train got as far as Pembina last night and the southbound to Mecklnok.

A train load of cattle is reported stuck in a drift near Church's Ferry and frozen to death.

Argyle, Minn., reports drifts in the streets there as high as the buildings alongside. Mail and freight trains are tied up. The storm shows no signs of abating.

The mercury at Fergus Falls, Minn., is at zero and business is suspended.

Coldest for 24 Years.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 27.—The weather throughout Oregon is very cold, the thermometer registering 21 degrees above zero last night, which is colder than it has been in Portland for 24 years. At Kemois, in the Blue Mountains, the thermometer registered 15 degrees below zero. It is feared that much damage to grain will result.

ELIJAH AND HIS JULIA.

A Romantic Story in Which a Toronto Man and a Goderich Girl are the Leading Figures.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 27.—The love affairs of Julia Card of Goderich have had many crossess. Last night Elijah E. Kidd, to whom Julia claims she is married, was arrested at the Scott House, adjoining the police station, on the charge of embezzlement. The complainant is Wilmer Smith of Goderich. He bought 500 potato peelers from Kidd and paid him $50 for the patent right in Huron County. Kidd's enterprise led him to sell the same right to about twenty others in Huron County. He has been traveling through Western Ontario and is supposed to have worked the same game in many places. Julia is 17 years of age, pretty, vivacious, very sentimental, and was pleased with the romance of an elopement with a person leading a life like Kidd's.

She tells the way she first met him. "I was alone in my father's merchant tailoring store. Elijah came in and as soon as his bright black eyes met mine I seemed to feel a strange sensation. He said he wanted to buy a necktie. While I was showing them to him he seemed to be looking at me more than at the ties. At last I said: 'Oh, you don't want ties at all.' 'Yes I do,' he said. He bought two for 25c each. While I was wrapping them up he said: 'Where are the best places to take a drive around here, Miss ——?' 'Miss Card,' I added, 'or just call me Jule.' Then I said: 'Oh, you get a horse and rig and you will find girls willing to show you a good place to take a drive.' Of course I meant other girls around town but he didn't take it that way and asked me if I would go. I went."

The patent right purchasers compared notes and Smith had Kidd arrested for getting money under false pretences. Tom Tilt and M. Polley gave bail for $200 at the request of Julia who was a general favorite in town. Kidd went to Owen Sound, Blyth and Walkerton while out on bail. In each place he was arrested, but was released when it was known he had been bailed.

Julia left her father, Levi Card, who is fairly wealthy, and went to Kidd in London. They made a tour of Ontario west of London. Chief Wills got a description of Kidd and located him. Kidd made a hard fight to keep one letter from the police. It was from N. Lewarne, 15 Stafford-street, Toronto, It referred to a child there, of which Kidd was mentioned as the father and spoke of its mother, who is living in Toronto. It accused Kidd of not having provided for the child and threatened to have a detective after him if he didn't do better. Kidd was asked if he had a wife in Toronto. "I will give you my life if I have a wife in Toronto. I am married to Julia." Neither he nor Julia would say where they were married or when.

Kidd is 5 feet 6 inches high, black hair, small black mustache, keen black eyes, low forehead, dressed in dark ready-made clothes and is not prepossessing. Julia's father will come for her and Kidd will be taken to Goderich. Julia says Kidd was married to a woman in Toronto and had a child, but that the woman was unfaithful to him. The child he left with Mrs. N. Lewarne, Toronto. "A short time ago," continued Julia, "Kidd got a letter from his brother saying his wife had died at the hospital" The letters from Mrs. Lewarne refer to the mother of the child as still living. Kidd and Julia lived at 9 Washington-avenue, Detroit, and Mrs. Kennedy, the landlady, says she didn't get a cent from Kidd. The letters received by Kidd are mostly from persons who claim he owed them money or who charged him with selling the patent rights to others in the same county.

A cup of muddy coffee is not wholesome, neither is a bottle of muddy medicine. One way to know a reliable and skillfully-prepared blood-purifier is by its freedom of sediment. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is always bright and sparkling, because it is an extract and not a decoction.

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They Declare it Bright's Disease and Prescribe California's Climate.

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DEAR SIR:

We are in receipt of yours of the 22nd ult., and desire to say:

From your statement of symptoms we presume the three physicians consulted are correct when they say that you have Bright's Disease.

From the fact that they have advised you to go to California we may also presume that they are unable to help you by any further treatment at home.

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Why should yours prove to be an exceptional case, and why not take courage?

Constipation being the first symptom noticed by you in your case, was doubtless one of the first effects of kidney derangement, and will disappear when otherwise you have become healthy.

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Facts About Blue-Eyed Cats.

It is a curious fact that blue-eyed cats are invariably deaf. Mr. J. Harrison Weir, a great authority on the cat, once bought a big, white, blue-eyed beauty, which seemed to be every inch a good cat, except that its vocal organ was of such robust power that her cries drove the household frantic. After some strange experiences the problem was solved by this voiceful specimen being taken home by a kind old lady, who was herself stone deaf.

A Wholesale Druggist and a leading Architect praise "77" FOR COLDS

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Men's Clothing.

Men's Clothing at Boys prices. A few minutes reading will show.

600 All Wool Canadian Suits	$ 2 90
600 Fine English Tweed Suits	4 60
320 Fancy Yorkshire Tweed Suits	6 00
300 Scotch Tweed Suits	7 90
200 Cheviot Suits	8 50
225 Fine Black Worsted, plain and fancy	10 00
Tweed Pants 75c, 85c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00.	
Fine Worsted Pants $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00.	
500 pair Men's Heavy Wool Full-cloth Pants	1 19
Men's Beaver Nap Overcoats	3 90
Fine Beaver Overcoats	5 50
Fine Worsted Overcoats	4 50
Fine Corksorew Overcoats	6 00
Fine Melton Overcoats	7 00
Heavy Frieze Ulsters, from $3.50 to	7 00

Boy's Clothing.

$3.50 Boys' Reefers in genuine Frieze, heavy plaid lined, in grey and brown	$ 2 55
$2.75 Boys' Reefers, braided, sailor collar and good anchor buttons, sizes 22 to 27, for	1 95
$6.00 Youths' Frieze Ulsters in grey, brown and fawn, sizes 33 to 35 deep storm collar, lined with a heavy twilled lining	3 95
2.75 Boys' 2-piece double-breasted Suits, in brown and grey mixed Tweed, sizes 22 to 28, for	1 95
$1.50 Boys' Heavy 2-piece Suits, in blue and grey	99
$5.00 Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes to fit ages 10 to 13 years, trimmed with mohair binding and got up in every way first class, for	2 95

Hats.

Styles and qualities equal to anything shown by exclusive dealers. Such smart, stylish Hats are getable no where else at the price.

Men's Stiff Fur Felt Hats, in the latest English and American fall styles, in black and colours	$ 1 00
Men's Stiff Hats, newest fall shapes, fine white satin lining	1 50
Fedora Hats, New York styles, 50c, 70c, $1.	
Wide Leaf Soft Felt Hats, 40c, 50c and 5c.	
Men's Hard Felt Hats, from 25c up.	

It's the young men's trade we cater to, any if any old man want to look young they should buy their Hats at Gough's.

Footwear.

Surprising Shoe-selling, another proof of the leadership of this best shoe store. Another proof of the helpfulness of its methods. First-rate Quebec Shoemakers were short of work during the summer, and they were glad to sink profits and move on the order we offered—for it bridged them over a bad gap and enabled them to keep their organization together. The Shoes are here:—

500 pairs Women's fashionable toes $1.50 Button Shoes, at	$ 1 50
300 pair Women's $1.60 Fancy Kd button Boots, with pointed toe caps, at	1 19
200 pairs Ladies' Fine Dongola Kid button Boots, regular $2.25 at	1 70
Men's $4 patent Leather Calf Lace Boots	2 49
Men's Dongola $2.50 Laced Boots, made on the new pointed toe last	1 79
Men's $2 Laced Boots, at	1 45
Men's Sewed Congress, 3 different styles. Regular $2 garters, at	1 39

For Sale —AT THE— RATHBUN CO. AGENCY.

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2,000 Tons Nut, Stove, Egg and Crate.

FINEST GRADES.

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4-foot Hardwood, dry. 2-foot Harwood, dry.

Mixed Dry Wood. Dry Hemlock Slabs.

200,000 ft. Dry Hemlock Lumber.

IN THE ROUGH AND DRESSED.

Shingles at prices from 80c. up.

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Doors, Sash and all kinds of House Finish.

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—Whitefish, —Sicoose,
—Finnan Haddie, —Fresh Herring,

FRUIT.

—Catawaba Grapes —Bananas,
—New Lemons, —Chestnuts,
—New Oranges, —Cranberries,

RELISHES.

—New Canadian Club House Cheese,
—Heintz's German Relishes,
—Curtis' Sres. Catsups,
—Curtis' Preserved Fruits,
—English Worstershire Sauce.
—Boston Baked Beans.

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Farmers' produce taken in exchange for goods and highest prices allowed

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to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.00, now	$ 75
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.25, now	1 00
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.75, now	1 25
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.00, now	1 40
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $3.50, now	2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now	$ 60
Lacing Gloves..... were $1.00, now	75
Perrin Freres, 6 button, bourbon quality, in black and coloured..... were $1.00, now	0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1.25, now	1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves .... were $1 25, now	1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now	13½c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now	0 20
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now	0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.	
Veilings at cost.	
Laces at cost.	

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose..... were 30c, now	20c
Higher Grades at Cost.	
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 20c, now	15c
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 35c, now	20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

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Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Big lot of Men's Working Pants, regular $1.60 to $1 25, Grafton & Co's Special Price..... 69c

Madill's Cream of Witch Hazel

Has no superior as a remedy for chapped hands or face, or any roughness of the skin.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Single Tax.

A meeting of those in favour of the single tax principle met last night and decided to at once organize the county of Peterborough, and arrangements were accordingly made to that end. It is also stated there is a probability that Henry George, or some other specialist will be secured to give an address here during the coming winter.

Fish and Game Protection Society.

A meeting of all hunters and sportsmen to consider the present game laws, particularly in reference to deer hunting, is called for Thursday, 10th December, 1896, at 2 p.m., at council chamber, Peterborough. A large attendance is requested.

By order.
D. W. DUMBLE,
Secretary.
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New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

Married in Toronto.

Yesterday morning Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Turner received a telegram from Toronto apprising them of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Alice Turner, in that city to Mr. W. J. Price. Miss Turner went up to spend Thanksgiving in the city and Mr. Price, who has long been a friend of hers, persuaded her to remain in Toronto as his wife. The bride's charming face will be greatly missed in Peterborough.

Mr. Yeigh's Lecture.

The subject of Britain's girdle of the globe and of Canada's scenery and history was particularly appropriate for the Canadian Thanksgiving entertainment enjoyed by a large audience in Bond street church last evening. Mr. Frank Yeigh added another to his platform successes in his eloquent presentation of his topic, and the richly coloured views thrown on the screen by Mr. W. H. Charlton, of Chas. Potter's establishment, were heartily cheered. Mr. T. Arthur Miller contributed organ music as an accompaniment to the series of pictures, and aroused the audience to enthusiasm by his fine rendition of national airs, especially the "Maple Leaf."—Globe, Nov. 27th, '96. 2nod

About Appealing the Jackson Case.

Last night a committee of the whole council met to consider the advisability of entering an appeal against the judgment in the action of Jackson vs. Peterborough. As stated in a news paragraph after talking the question over they were unable to come to any decision in the matter. It is understood that a strong reason urged against making appeal was that after the accident the council showed itself to blame for neglect by removing the walk. On the other hand it was pointed out that the town would have a better chance by having the case tried before a jury, and it was also felt that if this case was not appealed and fought to a finish, the town would be flooded with suits for damages. It's a wonder it did not occur to the committee that a good way to prevent suits for damages would be that of keeping our streets in such a condition that accidents would not happen!

FOR THE ENGLISH MARKET.

Fifteen Thousand Fowl to be Shipped to the Old Country.

The slaughter amongst the turkeys, geese and chickens of this district has been something terrific during the past week. John Bull, whose table for some time has been supplied with Canadian cheese and butter, has now developed a fondness for Canadian fowl and a big effort is being made to work up a trade of this nature with the old country.

While the profits are not large and the returns hardly encouraging, yet the dealers report that the demand for Canadian fowl is gradually increasing and that the trade may eventually become a profitable one.

Desirious of promoting the trade if it could be done without loss Blackwell & Co., of Toronto, accepted a contract to supply an old country firm with 5,000 turkeys, 5,000 geese and 5,000 ducks, and the largest portion of the contract has been filled in the Midland district, Messrs. Kennedy and Nelson, of town, securing about 7,000 of the fowl for the firm. All day yesterday a big force of men was engaged in sorting, weighing and packing the fowl and a large number of citizens were down at the station during the afternoon to witness the somewhat unusual operations.

The fowl are shipped entire, with feathers, head and feet and are not drawn.

Messrs. Kennedy and Nelson, who handled the contract for this district, are left with quite a large number of fowl on their hands as notwithstanding that the most stringent directions were issued in regard to the killing of the birds, a large number came in which were not handled in the manner called for in the contract.

It seems that in order to travel well and be acceptable to the English public, the fowl must be starved 24 hours before being killed, thus leaving no food whatever in the crop and it is imperative that they be bled only from the roof of the mouth. In killing them the mode usually adopted is to hang the birds over a line by their feet and draw a sharp penknife along the roof of the mouth, allowing them to then bleed to death. All turkeys must come up to the standard weight of ten pounds.

Of the birds which came in to Kennedy & Nelson yesterday several hundred were bled by the cutting of the jugular vein, which is the way fowl are generally killed for the home market, but it seems they do not keep as well on the trip abroad, as when bled from the inside of the mouth.

Rather than have any disagreement Kennedy & Nelson accepted all birds, but the shippers have refused to take any which are not killed according to direction so that, as stated before, several hundred birds are left with the local firm.

SPECIAL SERMONS TO YOUNG MAN.

Local Divines Arrange an Exchange of Pulpits.

It has been arranged by the Ministerial Association that an exchange of pulpits shall take place to-morrow evening, and that each of the pastors shall deliver special sermons to young men.

The exchange of pulpits has been arranged as follows :

Rev. J. G. Potter at the George street Methodist church.

Rev. J. J. Rae at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

Rev. Dr. Torrance at the Charlotte street Methodist church.

Rev. W. R. Young, B.A., at St. Paul's Presbyterian church.

If You are Subject to Cramps

You know how important it is to have a prompt remedy on hand. Nerviline—nerve pain cure—has a wonderful and immediate influence upon this malady. It relieves in one minute and cures in five. Pleasant to the taste, and the best remedy in the world for pain.

New Legal Firm.

Messrs. Daniel O'Connel and L. V. O'Connor, two rising members of the legal profession who have for some time been practising in Peterborough, have entered into partnership, and the firm will be known as O'Connell & O'Connor, with offices at 134½ Hunter street, over Stethem & Son's hardware store. The new legal team will be a strong one, and will doubtless attract a good share of the legal business of the town and district. Kindly consult card in another column.

LADIES ! ATTENTION !

On Monday Evening, Nov. 30th, from 5 until 9 o'clock, Miss Armstrong intends holding a grand Christmas and Fancy Goods opening. As these goods have been selected in view of the holiday trade, we would respectfully solicit the inspection of every lady in the town on the above date. Do not forget it.

A Musical Entertainment.

The Montreal Witness of Nov. 17th says: "Concert-goers experienced a treat on Tuesday in the choice musical entertainment given by Miss Mabel Chambers and Miss Bertha Belasco in Association Hall. The sweet toned voice of the first mentioned artist was heard to good advantage in "With Verdure Clad" "Love has Eyes," as well as in other numbers and encores. Miss Belasco's playing left almost nothing to be desired. The hall was crowded and the concert a decided success." The plan for concert to be given here by these young ladies, Dec. 3rd, is now open at Stratton's Bookstore. Reserved seats 50 cents, admission 35 and 25 cents. 2d

Deer Hunting.

The hunters who were out this season are full of experience, and since they came home, many of them having been giving it freely—standing right up and speaking out. The trouble is that our reporter was not always on hand, and so much of it, though no doubt edifying, was lost, and the law makers of the Ontario Assembly are none the wiser for it. The Toronto papers have contained a good deal on the on the subject, but our hunters laugh at it and exclaim "bosh." It will be seen from an advertisement that the Fish and Game Protection Society have called a meeting of all hunters for Thursday, 10th Dec., at Peterborough to compare notes, tabulate results and decide upon the action to be taken to give the Government their mind on the subject. It is thought that before the meeting the nimrods will have cooled down sufficiently to make the result of their gathering valuable. By all means let the game wardens attend—they evidently need enlightenment.

Grand Christmas Card Opening Dec. 2nd

The numerous shoppers at the Peterborough Bookstore, who have been anxiously waiting the receipt of our new Christmas Cards and Booklets for 1896, will be pleased to learn that they have now arrived, and will be open for selection on Wednesday, Dec. 2nd! A more charming display was never on exhibition. They are masterpieces of artistic printing and decorative design. We have placed them thus early on our tables to allow those who wish to remember friends at a distance an opportunity to make their selections. The prices will be a surprise to all this year. Having bought earlier and larger we were able to secure a much larger discount than in former years. We give a special invitation to all to come and see the wonderful beauty and variety of style of our cards and booklets. Sunday school teachers and teachers of all schools buying in quantities, will be allowed more liberal reduction than ever.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

TO COMMAND THE BISLEY TEAM.

Major Bell, of the 57th, the Man for the Position for 1897.

The visit of the Canadian team to the great annual target tournament at Bisley, England, is an annual event of great importance, and the custom is to select officers of the Canadian militia to act as commandant and adjutant of the team respectively. In making the selections in the past the cities of Toronto and Montreal have been rather unduly honoured. Now the prominent officers of other city battalions should have their claims considered, and the EXAMINER has much pleasure in nominating Lt.-Col. Bell of the 57th as the Commandant of the '97 Bisley Team as being eminently qualified by length of service, and other considerations, for the position. Lt.-Col. Bell has been actively associated with the volunteer service for a generation—thirty years. During twenty-five years of this time he has been an officer. He has for nineteen years been connected with the 57th Battalion—as adjutant, Major and commanding officer, and under his command the regiment has improved greatly in efficiency till it is now one of the best city corps in the volunteer force. Last year in the matter of efficiency, based on inspection, it stood high among the several corps, and this year its standing is well up to the top.

Lt. Col. Bell has always taken an active and intelligent interest in promoting the interests of rifle shooting in the regiment. Since 1877 he has either been secretary or president of the Peterborough Rifle Association. Since becoming commanding officer of the 57th he has twice attended the Dominion meet at Ottawa with a regimental team, which was successful in capturing, under Lt.-Col. Bell's command, prizes in the skirmishing and volley firing matches both years. In the matter of taking a thus active interest in his regiment in the matter of rifle shooting Lt.-Col. Bell is a pioneer. Taking all these things into consideration, Lt.-Col. Bell's length of service, his success with the regiment with which he has been associated as an officer for 19 years—his enthusiasm in the service and, especially, in the matter of rifle shooting, all point to him as a fit and proper person to command the Bisley Canadian contingent at Bisley in 1897. While his qualifications as a military man are matters of record—all who know Lt.-Col. Bell will agree that he is personally qualified to meet the social requirements that are part of the duties of a commandant of a Bisley team. It is to be hoped that the authorities will see fit to share our entire confidence that Lt.-Col. Bell is the right man for the position and will act accordingly. In appointing Lt.-Col. Bell the authorities will have, especially, the endorsation not only of this town, but of No. 3 Military District, which has never but once been honoured by furnishing a commandant for a Wimbledon or Bisley team.

PERSONAL

Mr. J. J. Lundy was in Lindsay yesterday.

Mrs. R. D. Conger is visiting friends in Belleville.

Mr. Dan McGribbon of Lindsay, spent Thanksgiving in town.

Mr. Jack Morrow has been in Lindsay for the last couple of days.

Mr. S. F. Wainright has been spending the last few days in Belleville.

Mr. J. Carlon has returned to Peterborough after spending a year abroad.

His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, was the guest of Monsigner Laurent in Lindsay on Thanksgiving.

Miss Lemons has returned from Lindsay where she was spending a few days with Miss L. Shannon.

Miss McCarthy is spending a few days with her brother-in-law, Mr. M. E. Tangney, Lindsay.

Mr. H. T. Strickland's many friends will be pleased to learn that he is convalescing at the Nicholl's Hospital.

Miss Eva Preston spent her Thanksgiving holiday with her cousin, Miss Ida Thurston, Lindsay.

Mr. Howard MacGachen, of the Bank of Montreal, spent Thanksgiving under the parental roof, Lindsay.

Mrs. John Scott, Galt, and Mrs. James Scott, Waterloo, are visiting friends and relatives in Ashburnham.

Miss Jennie Scott, after an extended visit to friends in Galt and the west, returned home last evening.

Miss Gugie Lawrence, granddaughter of Mr. Robert White, has returned to town after an absence of five or six months.

Mr. Albert Preston, accompanied by his two children, spent Thanksgiving day with his neice, Mrs. C. Thurston, Lindsay.

Miss Irene Brignall, of Belleville, is spending a week or so with her grandmother, Mrs. Cumming, Charlotte street.

Mrs. (Rev.) Roberts and Miss Roberts, of Belleville, are visiting in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Lockhart, Harvey street.

Mr. Fred Shannon, of the Canadian General Electric Works, spent Thanksgiving in Lindsay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shannon.

Miss M. Baker, accompanied by her friend, Miss Maggie Kelly, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Baker, of Lindsay.

The Lindsay Post says: Miss Doherty, of Peterborough, was the guest of her friend, Miss McHugh, Victoria avenue, yesterday, and will remain with her for a few days.

The Lindsay Post says:—Messrs. Adam Ferguson and John Jeffery, accompanied by Miss Kate Ferguson, of Peterborough, spent Thanksgiving with their friend, Miss Mabel Henderson, Cambridge street.

Mr. J. Smyth and family, of Peterborough, says the Lindsay Post, spent the last few days in town, guests of his brother-Mayor Smyth. Mr. Smyth, who is headmaster of the Peterborough schools, has many friends here, and was warmly welcomed.

We would recommend you to buy from Grafton & Co's, the best class of goods for the least money.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Additional local matter on eighth page

—Woodstock bakers have advanced the price of bread.

—The Cannington Gleaner predicts that Mr. A. C. McKenzie, the well known Kirkfield merchant, will be the next Conservative candidate in West Victoria.

—Is the constitution in danger? The speech from the throne in the Quebec legislature contained no reference to the sixty years reign of the Queen, and last night in town an entertainment closed without singing God Save the Queen.

—If you want to economize burn the People's Coal Co'y's coal. All kinds of coal in stock, including best hard coal for stoves and furnaces, soft coal for grates, and smithing coal. Office—230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

—Mrs. Anna Wallace, the old woman who walked to Peterborough from Cornwall and was sent to Lindsay, was told by the police authorities of that town to get out last week, and failing to do so, was summoned before Police Magistrate McIntyre on Monday morning and given six months in the Mercer reformatory.

Ask your grocer for

Windsor Salt

Per Table and Dairy, Purest and Best

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERT.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of St. Andrew's Spend a Pleasant Evening.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of St. Andrew's church arranged a most pleasing programme for a concert last evening, at which there was a large attendance. The numbers were as follows :

Quartette.. To the Chime of the Bells"....Miss Heubeck, Miss Fowler, Mr Jones and Mr. Mulligan

Duet.....Song of the Steeple .. Miss Heubeck and Miss Sherlock

Lecture...." Bells".....Mr David Spence

Chimes .....Mr K. Mark

Duet...." Oh, that we two were Maying".

Miss Vina Belleghem and Mr James Brown

Solo.."The Children's Home"..Mr John Peace

Mr. Spence's lecture was identical with the paper which he recently read before the Fortnightly Club and was listened to with great interest. Mr. John Peace, of town, made his initial bow to the public in "Children's Home." He shows himself, though quite young, to be the possessor of a rich baritone voice which promises to develop if carefully trained. The scope and smoothness of his tone took the audience greatly by surprise.

Madill's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil for bronchitis or long standing cough; pleasant to take; carefully prepared.

Burdock Pills do not gripe or sicken. They cure Constipation and Sick Headache.

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NIGHT SCHOOL

How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to improve their Education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book-keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the student.

Many have fitted themselves for better positions by attending our Night School. You can do the same.

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The quickest way to reduce stock is to sacrifice profits; even more, to cut prices down, down, down. This has been done, and done thoroughly. It will pay you to visit Toronto and visit this store between now and Xmas; you will be surprised to see how much you can get for a little money. If you cannot come, write. Write for samples, information—anything. Space is limited; we cannot quote prices in this space. We are bound to get the stock down. If goods don't go quick at this week's prices, then down they go again. Remember assortments will be gradually getting broken. Don't delay too long.

All questions cheerfully answered. Letters or orders received before 1 o'clock answered same day.

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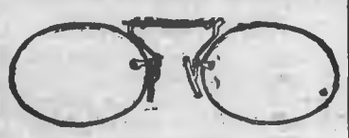

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AND

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In connection with our Clearing Sale of Jewelry we call special attention this week to a line of the Famous

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In 14 kt. Gold Filled Goods.

This is the only Frame that will overcome the loss by breakage that so often happens to all low Karat "Gold Frames." They have a finish and colour not obtainable in any but the finer lines of all Gold Goods, and we can confidently recommend them. Please remember

OUR SALE OF JEWELRY, &c.

at greatly Reduced Prices will only last a few days longer as our new Christmas Stock is being received and placed.

It will be the only chance you will have to get first-class goods at these prices before Christmas shoping begins.

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The Jeweler, Peterborough.

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417 GEORGE STREET, November 21st, 1896.

Making Room

For Christmas Things

Just one month from to-day will be Christmas day—a day strong in the hearts of the people of the country as well as of the town. What splendid shape we soon will be in for Christmas shoppers, when our ten tons of Holiday goods are placed on exhibition !

But for a week yet we must keep on contriving to make more room for Santa Claus' stocks. What a time we have had, selling at any price to clear off the counters and shelves for the new things to come. For another week we must keep it up—this selling at any price—and the money saving chances we have to offer ought to bring the farmers in from the cross-roads and back concessions of the whole country. Give these few sample prices your attention:—

Gregg's Family Prayers $1, for	75	Leisure Hour, 1895, bound	$1 00
Solid Leather Yapped Bible, 60c,	45	Sunday at Home, 1895, bound	1 00
Solid Leather Yapped Bible	78	Annie Swan series of Books, 50c for	38
Oxford or International Teacher's Bible $1.50	$1 12	Henty's Series of books, for boy's, 20 different titles, $1, for	69
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather 50c, for	40	500 rolls of Wall Paper at	4
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather, yapped 60c for	45	800 rolls of Wall Paper at	6
Catholic Piety 25c, for	19	300 rolls of Wall Paper at	8
Garden of the Soul 25c, for	19	55c Window Blinds for	37½
Ladies' Purses, silver mounted, worth 35c, for	22	25c Dado Blinds for	19
Ladies' German Purse, 3 pockets, 50c, for	35	80c Fringed Blinds for	58
Ladies' Purses, solid leather mounted	45	25c Cornice Pole for	18
Your choice of any game in our north window for	23	45c Oak and Cherry Pole for	33
		300 quires of 5c Note Paper for	8
		200 quires of 10c Note Paper for	5
		150 quires of 15c Note Paper for	10
		Good Writing Tablets, 100 sheets	4
		Fine Writing Tablets, 100 sheets	8

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1000 yds Tweed Dress Goods 25c, reduced to 19c.
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30 Ladies' Vests and Drawers, regular price 35c, sale price 25c.
40 Ladies' All wool Vests, regular price 35c, sale price 25c.
100 pair $1 Corsets, reduced to 75c.
25 Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns 80c.

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300 yds Silk Ribbons, were 5c, reduced to 3c.
200 yds 2 inch Satin Ribbon, were 15c, reduced to 10c.
200 pair Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Hose only 25c.
100 pair Heavy Wool Hose, only 15c.
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Capes, Fur-lined Circulars and Ulsters at cost prices.
The stock must be cleared.

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100 Hats, were 50c and 75c, reduced to 25c.
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At special prices during the sale.
100 Men's Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers only 50c.
100 Men's $1 Shirts and Drawers, only 75c.
200 Men's 50c Silk Ties, reduced to 40c.
300 40c Silk Ties, reduced to 25c.

CARPETS AND HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

This department has great bargains to offer.
$1 Brussels Carpets, reduced to 75c.
$1.25 Brussels Carpets, reduced to 95c.
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20 per cent. discount off all our Jet Trimmings.
20 per cent. discount off all our Pattern Hats and Bonnets.
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NEW CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR 1896 just to hand. These were ordered last July before Mr. Routley thought of going out of business, but must now be closed out like the rest of the stock. Sunday School and other Teachers' Supplies at especially low rates, as has always been the rule at

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

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Gratefully Received.

The Children's Aid Society gratefully acknowledge the receipt of $21.50, being half of the amount collected at the Union Thanksgiving service.

Murray Street Baptist Church Mission Band.

On Tuesday evening, December 1st, Rev. W. R. Young will lecture in the Murray street Baptist church on "Shakespeare and his Country." Mr. R. M. Roy will illustrate the lecture with lime light views. All are cordially welcome. A silver collection in aid of missions will be taken. 3d

"An Irish Immigrant."

Marks Bros. presented "An Irish Immigrant" to a crowded house last night. Miss May A. Bell, as Kathleen O'Dyar, left nothing to be desired, while Tom Marks, who is in his usual good form, received hearty applause. The waits between acts were filled with clean, clever, bright specialties.—Ottawa Free Press, Nov. 17. At Opera House, Dec. 7 to 19. 10 and 15c. 1d

Fire in Monaghan.

The lurid light in the sky, which attracted so much attention in Peterborough last night, was caused by the burning of Mr. Robert Dobbin's barns and stables, in North Monaghan. A large quantity of hay and grain was also destroyed. The fire is considered to be the work of incendiaries, and the loss is understood to be covered by insurance in the Grange, through Mr. Dawson Kennedy.

The Globe Annual and Encyclopedia for 1897.

The people of Canada, though averse to anything in the form of fraud, are quick not only to recognize but utilize a really good thing.

In the above work we believe they have something which cannot be excelled in point of accuracy and the general usefulness of the information which it contains. It is a book of over 400 pages, tastefully bound, and containing data on some thousands of different subjects, written in a clear comprehensive style. We believe that the demand for the book will be something enormous, as the orders are already coming in very rapidly.

The price is only 25 cents, postage prepaid from the Globe office, or it may be secured from any newsdealer.

If our readers want a reliable ready reference work they had better order The Globe Annual at once.

This . . . Announcement

Is not intended for parents who have bought our Boy's Wise Clothing—they know full well the honest worth and absolute saving common to our bright looking Suits and Overcoats for little boys and big. It is intended to attract the attention of mothers who have boys whom they wish to see clothed with finer materials, newer styles and tailored like custom work.

A look at our goods and prices will gain your confidence. The fit is always perfect.

Mercer's

THE TOWN TEACHERS' ANNUAL CONVENTION.

INTERESTING PAPER BY REV. H. SYMONDS YESTERDAY.

The Association Cannot be Recognized by the Government and Will Receive no Grant—The Election of Officers—Mr. J. Jeffries the New President.

The annual meeting of the Town Teachers' Association was held yesterday with the President, Mr. C. Fessenden, in the chair.

The announcement was made that the Department of Education had refused a grant to the Association, as town organizations of this nature were not recognized. The enactment calls only for a grant to be awarded to County or City Associations. It was resolved, however, to make such arrangements as will enable the Association to continue its meetings without having to look to the Government

FOR A GRANT.

Unfortunately Dr. King has a critical case on hand and was unable to give a paper on hygiene in the schools. Dr. Moher, who was to give a supplementary paper, in consequence asked to be relieved of the duty, as his paper was intended to be given conjointly with Dr. King's.

Mr. J. Jeffries, of the Collegiate Institute, gave a class a lesson in literature, which was very instructive. He took as his subject, Fidelis' descriptive poem on the Thousand Islands.

IN THE AFTERNOON

Rev. H. Symonds read a paper on Drummond's "Ascent of Man," which was most interesting. Extracts are herewith appended:

During the publishing season of 1893-4 the two most popular and most talked of books have been Mr. Kidd's work on "Social Evolution," and Dr. Drummond's "Ascent of Man."

Our task is to give an intelligible account of the main lines of Drummond's work, and then should time permit, to make a few general remarks upon the relations of evolution to theology.

In his later work, Drummond is a more thoroughgoing evolutionist than in "Natural Law in the Spiritual World." Along with many theological evolutionists he then laid stress upon the twofold barrier in the path of evolution, at the appearance of physical and of spiritual life. Law here was considered to break down, and a new creative act was interposed. The underlying conception which prompts this hypothesis, is that God is not present in law, but only, or, perhaps I should say, specially in exceptional acts. There are very many who would gladly embrace evolution, if the evolutionist would allow us just one or two gaps or breaches in the law of continuity, and this was apparently Drummond's position in 1893.

The book falls into three parts:

1. A very valuable and interesting general introduction;

2. A brilliant outline of the evolution of man, physically and mentally;

3. The exposition of the evidence in favour of a moral element in the whole process of evolution, which consists not only in the struggle for life, but in the struggle for the life of others.

PASSING BY THE INTRODUCTION,

I will endeavour to give a plain account of the 2nd and 3rd divisions.

The process by which the human body has been built up is known, not by reference to the records of the rocks and caves, but by those of the science of Embryology, which trace out the stages through which it has passed from the first germ up to the moment of birth. The germ at the outset consists of a single cell, which is, not only to the highest powers of mind and microscope, indistinguishable from the single cells of animal but also of vegetable life. The simplicity of the cell is broken by what is called segmentation into two, four, or eight parts, and so on. From these cells, or rather sets of cells, the various parts of the body are developed. When the process of segmentation is complete we find that one suite of cells has been especially set apart to provide the commissariat, others have devoted themselves exclusively to assimilation. The ventilation of the house—respiration—has been attended to by others, and a central force pump has been set up and pipes and ducts for many purposes installed throughout the system. Telegraph wires have next been stretched in every direction to keep up connection between the endless parts; and other cells developed into bony pillars for support. . . . Now all these complicated contrivances, bours, muscles, nerve, heart, brain, lungs, are made out of cells; they are themselves . . . simply masses or suits of cells modified in various ways for the special department of household work they are meant to serve.

But the really amazing revelation of the science of Embryology lies in the fact that in this

NINE MONTHS' DEVELOPMENT

the embryo passes through a series of transformation from one form of animal life to another. Each embryo that is in itself recapitulates the story of thousands of years. But is it a fact? Drummond says: "The human form does not begin as a human form. It begins as an animal; and at first, and for a long time to come, there is nothing bearing the remotest semblance of humanity. What meets the eye is a vast procession of lower forms of life, a succession of strange inhuman creatures emerging from a crowd of still stranger and more inhuman creatures." Again. Human Embryology is a condensed account, an epitome in some of the main chapters in the natural history of the world. . . . Each platform reached by the human embryo in its upward course represents the embryo of some lower animal which in some mysterious way has played a part in the pedigree of the human race, which may itself have disappeared long since from the earth, but is now and forever built into the inmost being of man. . . . "As the modern steam-winding watch contains the old clepsydra and all the most useful features in all the time-keepers that were ever made; as the Walter printing press contains the rude hand machine of Gutenburg—as the modern locomotive of to-day contains the engine of Watt—and most of the improvements of succeeding years, so man contains the embryonic bodies of earlier and humbler and clumsier forms of life." But it will be said, can we depend on Drummond—is not this the language of the poetical enthusiast, rather than the matter of fact man of science? Drummond himself appears to have anticipated some such objection for he gives us a quotation from Marshall's vertebrate embryology. — "All animals living or that have ever lived, are united together by blood relationship of varying nearness and remoteness, and every animal now in existence has a pedigree stretching back, not merely for ten or

A HUNDRED GENERATIONS,

but through all geologic time since life commenced on the earth. The phrases through which the animal passes in its progress from the egg to the adult are no accidental freaks, no mere matters of developmental convenience, but represent more or less closely the successive stages through which the present condition has been acquired." So the article on Embryology in Chambers Encyclopedia says:—"In the life history of a mammal it is possible to trace how the germ at first lingers as it were among the Protozoa; how it divides and passes quickly through the transitional "ball of cells" stage; how the embryo undergoes its first great differentiation like all other multicellular animals, in becoming a two-layered gastrula, taking its place beside the ancestral metazoa; how it by and bye acquires some of the characters of a young worm, and then of a very simple back-boned animal, like a primitive fish; how with increasing complexity it ranks with reptilian embryos; and lastly, like the fœtus acquires mammalian features, vague and general at the outset, but gradually becoming like those of nearly related forms."

The proof of this is not confined to embryology, but space will not permit us to more than mention some of the evidence. It is asserted that the gill-slits of the fish are still represented in the human neck, but have been transformed into the ear, although occasionally children have been born with gill-slits. The human skeleton also manifests the relic of a tail. The vermiform appendix—a useless and even dangerous relic of a tube used in digestion in herbivorous animals.

ADULT MAN POSSESSES

no more than twelve pair of ribs; it was predicted in the bye-gone days of comparative anatomy that in the embryonic state he would be found with thirteen or fourteen. This prophecy has since been verified. These phenomena are called vestigial structures and Drummond asserts that there are 70 of them in the human body. He concludes then that there is a body of evidence now before science for the animal origin of man's physical frame which it is impossible to resist." (Chap. ii.)

The evolution of the body is complete. The ablest philosophical evolutionist in America, Dr. Fiske, in a little book on "The Destiny of Man," whose suggestiveness it is hard to exaggerate, asserts that on earth there will never be a higher creature than man." Why? Because evolution has taken a new departure. It is no longer material but psychic, all its energies are directed to the development of mind. Drummond illustrates this in a wonderful passage, wherein he traces up the development of the hand. Why will not man's hand improve? Because, says he, man uses tools, and tools are made with the brain. "The day that Cave-man first split the marrow bone of a bear by thrusting a stick into it and striking it home with a stone—that day the doom of the hand was sealed. So with the eye. Man is in a hurry to improve his sight. He invents eye glasses, telescopes, microscopes. Hence the evolution of the eye is arrested, by the abolition of the need. In short, to extend our outlook to the whole animal creation it would seem as though material evolution has long since come to a standstill. The animal world may be compared to a tree with many branches, and the present species represent

THE TERMINAL TWIGS

of each branch. "The lamp shells have arrived; . . . along that particular line, there will probably never be anything higher. The star fishes, and the sea urchins, the nautilus—all these are highly divergent forms, which have run out the length of their tether, and can go no further.

Whence came the mind? As before said, Drummond knows of no gaps. "The fact to which there is no exception, that all lesser things evolve, the suggestion, which is daily growing into further certainty, that there is a mental evolution among animals, from the Cœlenterate to the Ape; the fact that the unfolding of the child-mind is itself a palpable evolution; . . . these seem formidable facts on the side of those consistent evolutionists, who, in the face of countless difficulties and countless prejudices, still press the lawful into the development of human faculty.

Dr. Drummond has further a most interesting chapter on the Evolution of Language, but it is necessary now, omitting also the chapter on the Struggle for Life, to turn to the concluding part of our work which has excited by far the most interest as being the most new, viz., the contention that Nature is but distinctly moral, that the highest virtue of Christianity, the virtue of Love, has its place in the story of Evolution, which is not only the story of the selfish struggle for life, but also of an unselfish struggle for the life of others.

It has been contended that Drummond is not original, that others have

SEEN THIS BEFORE,

and it is true that the idea has in a faint, dim way dawned upon other minds, but I think it will at least be admitted that Drummond is the first to have clearly seen the immense significance of the class of facts supporting the idea, and the first to so convey them to his fellows as to impress them with this profound importance.

The truth belongs to that order of facts which only require the simplest statement without comment to com mend itself to the mind.

"Take," says our author, "the tiniest protoplasm cell, immerse it in a suitable medium, and presently it will perform two great acts—the two which sum up life—Nutrition and Reproduction." Nutrition, that is the struggle for life; Reproduction, the struggle for the life of others. The one is Selfism; the second, Otherism. Of course in their rudimentary form there is nothing as yet moral, but there is, nevertheless, potency and promise of the moral. It is to be taken prophetically—Nature in making the reproductive instinct equally as strong as the instinct for individual life, foreshadowed myriads of years ago the heights of self-sacrificing love, of union for the common good.

Yet it is not in the reproductive instinct that we find the highest evidence of the Evolution of Love, but rather in the parental. It is in the Evolution of a Mother and the Evolution of the Father, that we find the most striking instance of the growth of the struggle for the life of others. The mother

HAS BEEN EVOLVED.

There is no affection in the lowest orders of creation, it begins when the young require care, and the greater and longer the need of care, the greater and stronger becomes the love. And following in the train of parental love comes the loved union of the family, the clan, the tribe, the nation, the race.

It seems to me that all this is of the utmost importance. For the emphasis laid upon the struggle for existence, by the elder Evolutionists, did appear to banish love from the plan of the earth, and to just fly the fear lest the necessity or the obligation to love should prove a mere poetic fancy, which knowledge would infallibly dissipate. There may still be many parts, in the Divine plan we cannot understand, but in the discovery of the law of love in the world of nature we have a rational ground for believing that nature and spirit, science and faith will in due time find their reconciliation.

For my part, it seems to me that God is really, through the labours of men of science, teaching us not new truths, but His old truths in a new way. The Bible, in every part of it, proclaims the majesty and supremacy of the law of God. Science is giving us new conceptions, new readings of law. The Bible in every part teaches that the law is a law of progress. Science is interpreting that truth to us. Evolution certainly aids the faith that an unceasing purpose runs throughout the ages. The Bible teaches in strongest terms the glory of love, and now we see that even here science can illustrate for us the ultimate word of Revelation—God is love.

BUSINESS AGAIN.

On motion of Messrs. Smith and Walkey it was resolved to so amend the constitution as to admit the teachers of the Collegiate Institute and Business College, as well as all other teachers in the town.

The election of officers was then taken up. Mr. Fessenden declined nomination as president, as did Mr. Yenney, as secretary-treasurer.

President—J. Jeffries.
Vice-President—Miss O'Connel.
Secretary-treasurer—W. J. Walkey.

Managing Committee—Miss Jenkins, of the West Ward; Miss Locke, of the North Ward; Miss Ryan, of the Separate School; and Mr. Sansolell, of the South Ward; Mr. McKaig, of the Collegiate Institute, and Mr. Yenney, of the South Ward.

Before adjourning for the day a vote of thanks was passed to all those who had contributed to the programme.

A cordial vote of thanks was also passed to Mr. Fessenden, the retiring president. A standing vote was taken on the resolution which was, of course, carried unanimously.

The convention then adjourned to meet again on Monday afternoon at three o'clock, when reports will be received from the committees which are now discussing the limit question for forms.

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HE WAS A CANADIAN BY BIRTH.

Filled With Credit Many Important Positions Under the British Government—Further Evidence in the Lady Scott Trial Other Notes of Interest From the Old World.

London, Nov. 26.- Sir Frederick Napier Broome, K. C. M. G., Governor of Trinidad, died at 4 o'clock this afternoon. He was a son of the late Rev. F. Broome, rector of Kenley, Shropshire, was born in Canada in 1842 and emigrated to New Zealand in 1857. Visiting England in 1864, he married Mary Anne, relict of the late Sir George Barker, R. A., K. C. B., and returned to his sheep station in New Zealand the following year, but in 1869 he came back to England. Almost immediately on his arrival in London, Mr. Broome was employed by The Times, and was for five years a general contributor, reviewer and art critic to that journal, which he represented in Russia at the marriage of the Duke of Edinburgh and on many other important occasions. He contributed prose and verse to The Cornhill, Macmillan and other magazines and published two volumes of poetry, "Poems from New Zealand" in 1863 and "The Stranger of Seriphos" in 1869. In 1870 Mr. Broome was appointed secretary of the fund for the completion of St. Paul's Cathedral; in 1873 secretary to the Royal Commission on Unseaworthy Ships. In 1875 Colonial Secretary of Natal, to which colony he proceeded as a member of Lord (then Sir Garnet) Wolseley's special mission, and in 1877 Colonial Secretary of the Island of Mauritius. He was appointed Lieutenant-Governor of the latter colony in 1880, and Governor of West Australia in 1882. He was nominated a Companion of the Order of St. Michael and St. George in 1877 and a Knight Commander in 1884. In 1885 he visited England and read before the Royal Colonial Institute a paper on Western Australia, which attracted much notice. For the first time on such an occasion at the institute, H. R. H. the Prince of Wales took the chair, and a very large and distinguished audience was present. In 1890 Sir Frederick again came to England to give evidence upon the Western Australian Constitution Bill before the House of Commons. The mission, undertaken at the request of the Legislature of the colony, concluded Sir Frederick's seven years of office in that government. During this period the colony had been greatly advanced by his exertions, and the departure of Lady Broome and himself from West Australia was the occasion of a remarkable manifestation of esteem and affection of the colonists. In 1891 Sir Frederick was appointed Governor of Trinidad.

LADY SCOTT'S TRIAL.

Earl Russell Shown to Have Written Endearing Letters to His Mother-in-Law.

London, Nov. 26.—The Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey, was crowded yesterday, when the trial of Lady Belina Scott, John Cockerton, Frederick Kast and William Aylott for criminally libelling Earl Russell, was resumed. Lady Scott wore a black dress with white gloves, and carried a bouquet of violets. Earl Russell resumed his place in the witness-box and continued his testimony. After the failure of the action brought against him by his wife for divorce he said Lady Scott sent him an affectionate Christmas card. Nevertheless the witness identified a letter written by Lady Scott subsequently to her sending the Christmas card, promising a sufficient sum of money to give a start in life to any person who would furnish proof that Lord Russell had been guilty of immoral acts prior to 1894.

The trial was continued to-day. Earl Russell, who was on the witness stand when the case was adjourned yesterday, resumed his testimony. He left Oxford, he said, in 1835. He visited Prof. Jewett in 1889 and Jewett came to his (Russell's) wedding. Prof. Jewett, he said, had not seen the letter for writing which the witness was sent down from the University of Oxford.

Counsel for Lady Scott read a letter written by Lady Cardigan to Countess Russell, in which the writer asked: "Do you know that Earl Russell was expelled from Oxford for malpractices, and are you also aware that he was guilty of misconduct with a Chinaman, who afterwards shipped to China?"

Earl Russell said that he had had a Chinese boy in his employ. The boy came from San Francisco and witness held that he beard that he had returned to China. There was not the slightest foundation for the story of witness' misconduct with the boy.

Counsellor Hall next examined Earl Russell on behalf of the male defendants. The Earl said that Ion Thynne, who slept in his (witness') cabin on board the yacht, could disprove Kast's story, but he had gone to South America, having sailed about six weeks ago. Thynne had been subpoenaed as a witness in this case, but he could not delay his departure for South America, as his child was ill and it was necessary that it should be taken away at once.

In continuation of his cross-examination, Earl Russell admitted that Aylott had slept in his cabin. Aylott was a notorious liar, but witness had nevertheless given him a good character when he left his service. The whole of Aylott's statement, Earl Russell said, was one filthy lie. None of the male defendants, Lord Russell admitted, had ever attempted to blackmail him.

Sir Frank Lockwood, Q. C., for the prosecution, re-examined Earl Russell, who, in answer to questions, said that Lady Scott had not objected to the tone of the letters which he had written to her.

Counsel proceeded to read a number of letters written to Earl Russell by Lady Scott, all of which were couched in the most affectionate terms, after which the trial was adjourned until to-morrow.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Philippine Insurgents Defeated With a Loss of Upwards of 400 Men.

Madrid, Nov. 26.—A despatch from Manila says that the Spanish troops under Major Artega have defeated a body of Philippine insurgents, whose losses in killed and wounded were upwards of 400 men.

The Hamburg Strike.

Hamburg, Nov. 26.—The total number of dock laborers on strike here is 8000, and these have been joined by the lighter men. Ships arriving from England and Sweden are bringing men to replace the strikers. All of the port laborers in Bremen are idle, and the dock men at Kiel will strike to-morrow.

Cable Conference Adjourned.

London, Nov. 26.—The Pacific Cable Conference, which has been in session daily since Sunday, adjourned to-day until Dec. 13. The proceedings were private, but it is understood that all the testimony thus far taken has been favorable to the project.

More Troops for Cuba.

Barcelona, Nov. 26.—The steamers Alicante and Buenos Ayres sailed hence to-day for Cuba, having on board 2300 troops and a quantity of arms and ammunition.

The New President Knighted.

London, Nov. 26.—The Queen has conferred the honor of knighthood on Edward John Poynter, who on Nov. 4 was elected President of the Royal Academy.

Another Head in the Basket.

Halifax, Nov. 26.—William Bishop, inspector of the work on the new drill shed here, has been removed for active partisanship.

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The cause of the brick falling is not known.

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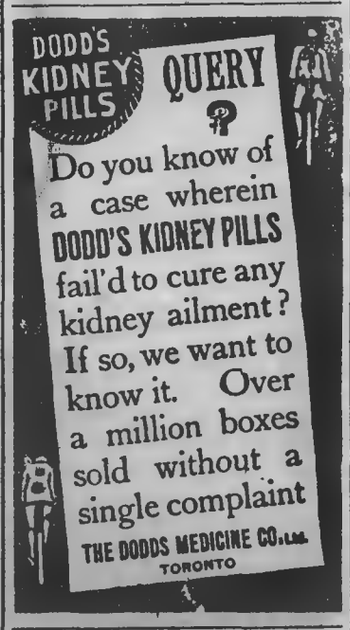
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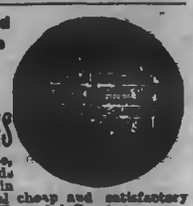

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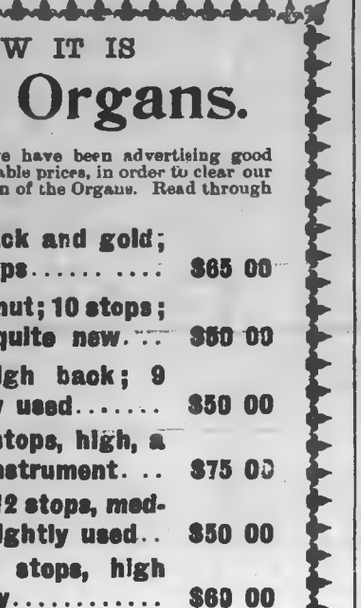

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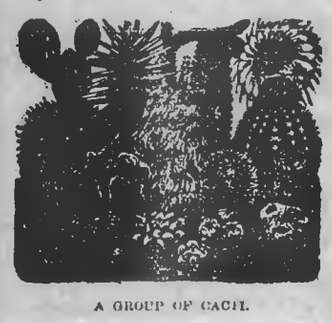
The cactus is very different from other plants. It has no leaves; its various forms are most peculiar and fantastic; and its surface is regularly spotted with spines or prickles, in some varieties hard and sharp, in others, as in the "old man," soft and hairy.

This plant is a native of the arid and rocky parts of America, its region extending from California to Chili. One can easily see how its form and habits have been developed to suit its environments. In its fleshy stem it preserves a store of moisture to tide it over a long drought, and its tough skin allows no evaporation. The spines and prickles have effectually protected it against the hungry and thirsty bisons that found no other vegetation in their wandering through the arid wildernesses of the west. So tenacious of life is it, indeed, that one variety has been known to grow from a piece of a stem thrust into a chink of lava rock. In New Mexico and Texas the cactus attains its greatest perfection; specimens of the Cereus Giganteus have been known to reach a height of 60 feet. Between this giant among cacti and the smaller varieties there is an immense gulf. One tiny specimen, when it has attained its full growth, is only two inches high.

But the cacti are not more interesting to us on account of their curious shapes and habits than they are on account of their lovely flowers. Some varieties have flowers not half an inch wide, others have flowers nearly a foot in diameter, many of them of remarkable beauty. The night-blooming Cereus provokes more interest and curiosity, probably, than any other single flower. Its ivory white petals are worthy of the enthusiasm of its most ardent admirer.

There are many different genera of cacti, and many more species of each of these. Among those that produce the most profuse and luxuriant bloom are the Cereus, the Epiphyllum, and the Phyllocactus. The Epiphyllum has flattened and jointed stems. The Phyllocactus is commonly called the People's Cactus, from the fact that it



A GROUP OF CACTI.

is capable of blooming and thriving under the most adverse circumstances.

Many varieties of the cactus are cultivated on account of their grotesque shape. Some are flattened, some cylindrical, some cone shaped, some even quadrilateral. Sometimes one genus may, in this age of specialization, be found to occupy alone the attention of a cactus enthusiast. The Echinocactus is one of the most grotesque varieties of this plant. The Mammillaria is another; it is a dwarf variety, with pretty flowers as well, and interesting on account of the seed pods that remain after the flowers have gone. Another variety genus of the cactus family is the Echinocereus, which has a stocky, upright shape, spines of various colors, and a very showy and profuse bloom.

There is little disagreement among cacti growers as to the general treatmen which the plant requires. The proper soil is one part of rich loam with two parts of sand. Sometimes a little charcoal or lime is added to improve the color of the blossoms. The most important matter in the cultivation of the cactus is to secure proper drainage. To ensure this, fill the flower pot or box one-quarter of crushed charcoal or broken brick, then put in the prepared soil, placing sand on top so that the cactus may always rest on dry soil above and below.

There are two divisions in the cactus year; one is the growing season in summer, the other is the dormant season in winter. In the growing season the cactus requires a great deal of light, heat and moisture, quite as much as other plants. In the dormant season, it requires but little water, merely enough to keep it from shrivelling, and a very moderate amount of light and warmth. During this period it may be kept in any frost-proof place, and as it looks fresh it needs no water. The Phyllocactus, however, requires some occasionally.

The cacti are propagated in all three ways—from seed, from cutting, and by grafting. Seed propagation, however, is a slow process with the cactus; and grafting is often unsuccessful. Cuttings afford the best means for raising new plants, especially as the cactus is very tenacious of life. In grafting, the best stock to use is the Pereskia and the Cereus.

Cacti may be grown in pots or in a flower bed, or, best of all, they may form a rockery. In any case they had better be taken out of the pots for the summer. There are few diseases or insects to fear in its cultivation. Sometimes a scab appears here and there on the plant, but a little castor oil applied with a hair brush will cause it to drop off.—Farming.

AN INSURANCE MAN'S STORY.

Mr. J. J. Hanratty, Inspector for the Standard Life Assurance Company, of Peterborough, Cured of Muscular Rheumatism by the Great South American Rheumatic Cure—It Turns the Midnight of Suffering into the Midday Brightness of Good Health —These are his Words.

I was a great sufferer from muscular rheumatism in my arm, so much so that for days at a time I could not sleep. I walked the floor in pain the greater part of the night. I procured a bottle of South American Rheumatic Cure, and found great relief after a few doses. It's a sure cure and I heartily recommend it. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

WILL GET RED HATS.

A Batch of Cardinals to be Appointed at a Papal Consistory on Dec. 3.

Philadelphia, Nov. 26.—The Catholic Standard and Times in its issue tomorrow will say: A cablegram from Rome to The Catholic Standard and Times names Dec. 3 as the date for the holding of the public consistory. This is official. An authoritative announcement on this point has been looked for since the opening of the present month, and from unofficial sources came information naming dates between Nov. 15 and Nov. 30. The Cardinals who will receive the red hat on Dec. 3 are Satolli, Jacobini, Aglardi, Forrata and Di Pietro, who were absent from Rome at the time of their appointment. In addition to investing the Cardinals already appointed, it is said that the Pope will confer the honor of the Cardinalate upon two other distinguished ecclesiastics. The first of these is P. Pierotti, Master of the Sacred Palace, and the second is Canon Frisco of the Metropolitan Chapter of Naples. The former is a member of the Order of St. Dominic and the latter is the most distinguished theologian in Naples. Other important appointments are expected.

Why not profit by the experience of others who have found a permanent cure for catarrh in Hood's Sarsaparilla.

AT THE FAMILY BOARD.

Though summer has gone with its verdure and flowers
And mute are the birds that made vocal the bowers,
Though leaves of the autumn are scattered and sear,
We hail this as happiest day of the year.

For once more we are met beneath the roof-tree,
Where we sported in childhood's innocent glee.
But, alas, there are some that joined in the play
Can never more meet us on Thanksgiving day.

But smiles for the living, a sigh for the dead.
'Tis useless repining for pleasure that's fled;
So let us be happy, foregathered once more,
Thank God for his bounty and cease to deplore.

Though our lives have been checkered like April day,
With sunshine and shadow in fitful display,
The blessings remaining are more than we lost,
Should we value our griefs at their greatest cost.

At our family board then let joy only reign,
Where, parents and children, we're met once again.
Let us live o'er the past, forget all our sorrow,
Be joyous today, e'en though grief come to-morrow.

For peace, love and health and a bountiful store,
While thanking the Giver, the waif at our door
With us will rejoice that it's Thanksgiving day
And feel as if sorrow had faded away.

N. MACDONALD.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucasus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined?

Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtasked, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then come the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is very dull, with buyers holding off. No sales reported and prices nominal at about $4 for straight rollers.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices steady; dealers asking $7.50 west. Shorts $8.50 to $9 west.

Wheat—The demand is restricted and prices in consequence heavy. A car of white was bought at 81½c, but most dealers ask 83c outside. Red is nominal at 81c to 82c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 91c to 91½c, Toronto freight, and at 87c Midland. No. 2 hard 85c, Midland.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with sales at 28½c to 29c west.

Barley—Trade dull, with no demand. No. 1 is quoted at 30c to 32c, and No. 2 at 28c at outside points.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices easy. White sold outside at 20c on Northern and at 21c on Midland. Mixed oats 18c to 19c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady; sales at 42c north and west.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 34c on the Northern.

Corn—Market dull, with prices steady at 28c to 29c at outside points.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Nov. 23.—Spring wheat, 6s 9d to 7s 0d; red, 6s 11d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 5d to 7s 6d; corn, 3s 0d; peas, 4s 8½d; pork, 50s; lard, 20s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 29s 6d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 23s 6d; tallow, 19s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat, off coast, nothing doing; on passage, dull. English country markets 6d to 1s cheaper. Maize, on passage, dull.

Liverpool—Spot wheat dull; futures easy at 6s 5¾d for Dec., 6s 0d for Feb. and 6s 6¼d for March. Maize 2s 11¼d for Nov. and Dec., and 2s 11d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 6d.

Paris—Wheat 21f 20c for Dec.; flour 46f 50c for Dec.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quiet for white and easy for red. Maize, off coast, nothing doing; on passage, dull.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 21f 30c for Dec.; flour firm at 46f 70c for Dec.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures firm at 6s 6d for Dec., 6s 6¼d for Jan. and Feb., and 6s 6½d for March. Maize firm at 3s for Nov. and Dec., and 2s 11¾d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 6d.

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How Lincoln Kept Books.

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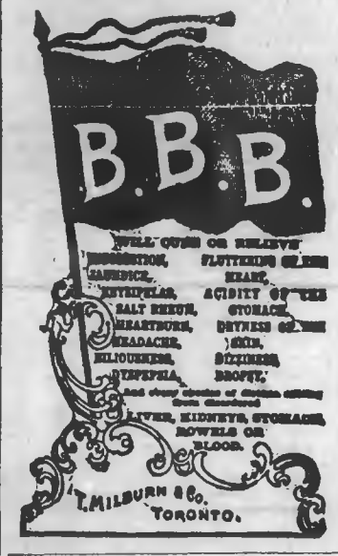

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July - -	$5,950.36	$3,240.78	$179.65 - -	
August - -	502 64	1,032.01	181.90	$4.55
September -	1,020.67	2,465.67	184.90 - -	

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THE Man who is simply "going to insure" is usually no better than the man who has'nt made the decision. In fact he is usually worse, because he has considered the subject and been convinced of his duty, but has not done it. "Nothing is done so long as anything remains undone." On application to either of the undermentioned gentlemen, full particulars will be furnished in regard to the Unconditional Accumulative Policy issued by the

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I.

Come listen to me,
And you'll surely agree,
When I tell you of Fairweather's Store,
Of Furs and of Hats,
Of Gauntlets and Caps,
It is full very near to the door.

II.

On the corner it stands,
And I tell you its grand,
Nowhere would you find any more,
If you want to buy cheap,
Just walk up the street,
And turn into Fairweather's Store.

III.

If you buy elsewhere,
You are sure to declare,
That you will never go back any more,
For the prices you'll find
They don't suit your mind,
Since you've visited Fairweather's Store.

IV.

Their prices I'm sure,
Will suit the rich and the poor,
They should were they twice as much more
For the rich they may buy,
But the poor freeze and die.
If it were not for Fairweather's Store.

V.

Now if your growing old,
You don't need to be told
That what's kept you warm before,
Will not do so again,
Neither women or men,
So just drop into Fairweather's Store.

VI.

Now if you'll do right,
You'll go there to-night,
You will not put it off any more,
If you look at their Furs,
You will take out your purse
And leave contents in Fairweather's Store.

VII.

A bicycle they,
Are giving away,
Near the Christmas time or before.
If I happened to get,
The bicycle you bet
I'll ride up to Fairweather's Store.

VIII.

Now this is my rhyme,
But if I had time,
I would write twice as much, yes and more,
That wherever it would go,
All the people would know
Nearly all about Fairweather's Store.

FORTNIGHTLY CLUB COLUMN.

No. LXXVIIII.

Dr. Milligan on "The Brightening of Life."

"Man that is born of a woman, is born to sorrow as surely as the sparks fly upward," said the Psalmist of old. "Vanity of vanities" cried the wise men "all is vanity.' And these reflexions on the dark side of life are still the burden of many a poet and philosopher. A Carlyle heaves gigantic sighs over the sorrows of the world, and groans aloud in a kind of wrathful pity at its folly. In gentler and more musical numbers Tennyson cries :

"O sorrow wilt thou live with me
No casual mistress, but a wife,
My bosom friend, and half of life ;
As I confess it needs must be."

There is such a thing as weak and sinful indulgence in sorrow. We like to be moved to tears by the play. When Amiens in "As you like it," declines to sing to Jaques any more on the ground that it will make him melancholy, Jaques replies "I thank it. More ; I prithee more, I can suck melancholy out of a song as a weasel sucks eggs."

It is therefore a good thing to have a stalwart optimist like Dr. Milligan come, and in trumpet tones, and vigourous gesture, tell us we ought to be bright, happy and joyful, and may be, if we will only stop whining about our troubles and putting our hands to the plough, turn them under as ill-weeds in the field of life.

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Dr. Milligan is we take it somewhere in the neighbourhood of fifty years of age. A man, says he, should at that age and for twenty years more be at his best. He proclaimed this truth with the voice of [a Stentor, which bore irrefragable testimony to the soundness and capacity of his own lungs, whilst the genial tone of the whole lecture was an equally powerful and even more pleasing testimony to the soundness of his heart. To brighten life, says Dr. Milligan, (and the very rafters sympathetically vibrated) you must first and foremost take care of your body. "Thank you for nothing," says the scoffer, "we all know that." To which we reply that it is the very function of the preacher to pound into us those truths which we all know perfectly well, but up to which we do not live. Assuming the truth of his statement, how many of Dr. Milligan's hearers will exchange white for the superior brown bread? Most heartily do we thank the lecturer for laying the first stress upon bodily health and for entering into those details, which to some of his hearers may have seemed trivial until he told us that he was simply retailing the hardly won and dearly bought advice of Sir Andrew Clark. "But why," cries Dr. Milligan, "why was I not told these things before? Why must I grow up to middle age, and be brought to death's door, and have to cross sea and land, and almost with violence compel the most distinguished physician of the day to tell me to take a tepid bath, to eat brown bread instead of white, and to eschew pickles and pastry?' And echo answers, "Why?" Well, we are altering all that nowadays. Our children learn physiology, and we firmly believe that a compulsory attendance of all parents at a course of good lectures on Hygiene, would do more good than the very best settlement of the Manitoba school question.

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Dr. Milligan referred chiefly to one of the preservatives of health, viz., sound diet. In addition to this we may add, fresh air, cleanliness, not only of body but of house and streets, and judicious exercise. It is stated in an excellent little book on health, that under the most favourable circumstances the air of no indoor room can be perfectly pure. How much less then, in our rooms in winter, when with closed doors and windows and double windows and no fire place, a room is not thoroughly ventilated for months. Shops, factories, offices, in these for hours every day, an imperfect air is breathed. How important that those whose business is conducted under such conditions should take all the out-door exercise they possibly can. We believe it would materially tend to brighten life if our summer half holiday were extended the whole year round.

It is often overlooked that the sunlight is for full health as necessary as fresh air. The habit of keeping the sun out of our sitting room for fear of spoiling the carpets is injurious to health. Most of us are familiar with the flat, musty, chilly atmosphere of a long closed drawing room, or unused sitting room. The author of the little book above referred to denounces in good set terms, carpets, blinds and curtains. They are one and all traps for disease.

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Judicious exercise is necessary not only for the strengthening of the muscles, but for opportunity it affords for inhaling fresh air. For people of sedentary habits exercise should not be too violent, at all events it should be increased gradually. The wonderful development of out-door exercise of the present day will result in a vast improvement of health, provided it be not overdone. It is doubtful whether professional athletes are long lived. The strain upon their bodies is too severe and continually threatens collapse. There are, however, for the amateur certain signs of over-exercise. To feel tired is not a bad sign, provided it be not accompanied with a jaded, worn out, exhausted condition, with no appetite. If one cannot after an afternoon's walking or bicycling or canoeing, followed by a meal, enjoy an evening's reading, or games, the exercise has been overdone.

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Is anything accomplished by the increased attention to health? There is not a shadow of a doubt of it. Figures from almost every country in the world prove it. We propose in a forthcoming column to refer to the excellent work on behalf of the people that is being done in London, Berlin, New York, and in fact throughout the civilized world, in which it will be shown that the death-rate and disease has everywhere been diminished. And greater results may be anticipated when every individual and every householder makes his own and his family's physical health a subject of study. The greatest impediment to progress is that deep seated and brutal ignorance, which is ignorant of its ignorance, loves and hugs its folly, and with asinine laughter, scoffs at the light of truth, and with mulish obstinacy can neither be led nor driven along the way of life.

FOURTEEN YEARS IN TERROR.

But Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart Gave Relief in 30 Minutes and Three Bottles Effected a Cure Which Baffled the Best of Physicians.

This is what Mrs. J. Cockburn, of Warkworth, Ont., says :—"For fourteen years I have been a great sufferer from heart disease ; troubled very much with sharp, shooting pains constantly passing through my heart. Very often the spasms were so severe that I would become unconscious. My limbs would swell and become quite cold. For these fourteen years I doctored with best physicians without relief. Having seen Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart advertised, I determined to try it, and before I had taken half a bottle I found great relief. I felt the beneficial effects inside of thirty minutes. I have taken three bottles and it has done me more good than any medicine or any physician ever did. I can conscientiously recommend it to all sufferers from heart troubles. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

If your eyes trouble you in any way, have them tested by W. Madill, optician. No charge for examination.

Protest Your Horses, etc.

Nothing is more needed for horses at this inclement season of the year than a waterproof horse cover. I make them to order and keep them in stock as well. Hoods, heads, backs and breasts in black waterproof, impervious to water, soft and pliable. Any kind or style of ordered goods required. Lap rugs, strictly waterproof. Also cheese covers as requested by members of the Cheese Board, and for covering all kinds of goods liable to damage from wet. A. KINGSCOTTE, Tent, Sail and Awning manufacturer, 344 Water street, opposite market.

GOUGH BROS' SATURDAY BARGAINS.

Is there anything you want for Sunday? A new Necktie, a pair of Gloves, a White Shirt, a new Hat ; a few Collars ; a pair of Boots, or a pair of Rubbers. The weather is exceptionally mild, certainly, but Gough Bros. can make it interesting for you if you have a few dollars to spare for an Overcoat. To-morrow, down go the prices all over our two mammoth stores. The $7 Overcoats will be $5, and the $5 Overcoats will be $3.90. Rattling Bargains also in Underwear such as these : 50c and 75c Shirts and Drawers will be ticketed 25c and 35c and so on to the end of the chapter. Shoes and Rubbers to keep out the wet and vile slop of a George Street, will be handed out to you at about the prices they were invoiced us. We have solid leather Boots at $1.25 per pair and our leader in Men's Laced Boots, made of genuine calf leather is only $2.50 per pair.

GOUGH BROS.,

Men's Clothiers, Shoeists, Hatters, Outfitters.

AT THE LOCKS.

Increase of Revenue Over Last Year.

Mr. Wm. Collins, lock master at the Locks has handed THE EXAMINER a table, showing the statistics of navigation at the locks.

The season of 1896 shows an increase in revenue over last year, and that showed an increase over the previous year, 1894 :

Month.	Strs.	Barges.	Rafts.	Tonnage Freight	Tolls.	No. Pcs. Logs, Timber &c over slide.
April	6				$ 2 25	
May	69	11	9	543	27 00	40,130
June	88	12	11	900	45 15	53,076
July	122	19	—	74	66 14	
August	118	22	—	116	65 22	
Sept	76	19	—	312	35 04	
Oct	62	24	—	612	29 66	
Nov	53	18	—	296	14 97	
	554	130	20	2,403	$283 53	93,206

The first steamer to pass the locks this season was the Beaver, April 26th. The last steamer was the North Star, Nov. 23. Navigation is now closed, and the stop logs are removed to help Messrs. Corry & Laverdure to put in the crib work at the entrance of the canal to Little Lake.

PUBLIC MEETING ON SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

An Effort to be Made to Establish a Branch of the Lord's Day Alliance.

The local Christian Endeavour Mission has arranged for a public meeting on "Sabbath Observance" for next Monday night in St. Andrew's church.

Mr. A. E. O'Meara, barrister, Toronto, who is secretary of the Ontario Lord's Day Alliance, will address the meeting and will seek, if at all possible, to establish a branch of the Alliance in Peterborough.

There will be an interesting programme. George street Methodist church Endeavour is responsible for the music.

MOUNT PLEASANT CHEESE FACTORY.

The Annual Ball a Great Success.

The annual ball given by Mr. George Brooks, proprietor of the Maple Leaf cheese factory, on Wednesday night, 25th November, was a decided success, about 100 being present. Although the weather was extremely bad, the good times enjoyed at former gatherings at this factory were sufficient inducement to draw out a large assemblage. Dancing began at eight o'clock and was continued till five o'clock next morning, everyone enjoying themselves to their hearts content, and expressing the wish that another such event would be arranged for during the winter.

LOYAL LAKEFIELD LODGE.

To the Editor of the Examiner :

DEAR SIR,—I wish to contradict a statement made in the report of the organization of Loyal Lakefield C.O.O F. Lodge on Monday night, Dec. 23rd. There was, in connection with the affair, no supper at either of the hotels mentioned. I do not mean to say that a supper at either of them would have been out place, but as a matter of fact no such suppers took place, and I see no use in stating what is not in accordance with the facts. The above society will hold a degree meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 8th, in the Orange Hall, Lakefield, after which the local lodge will supply refreshments. The charter remains open till that date.

Yours truly,
ONE WHO WAS THERE.
Lakefield, Nov. 27th.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

To-night—Gospel and song service at 7.30 to 8.30. Try to be on time. Chorus Club practice 8.30 to 9.30.

The meeting to-morrow afternoon will be addressed by Rev. Mr. Tapscott. There will be good hearty singing provided. Help to fill the hall.

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They Leave To-night.

The Myra Collins Company closes the week at the Bradburn Opera House to-night, and during their stay have given the greatest satisfaction to the theatre-going public, as evidenced by the crowded houses which have greeted them every night. Evening after evening there has been standing room only available, and so excellent has been the presentation of the various plays that doubtless the same crowded houses could have been drawn for another week, and it is hoped Mr. Kellam can give Peterborough another engagement later on in the season.

"Mikado" Still in the Market.

We take pleasure in informing the public that we have completed arrangements by which we can supply our old brands of flour manufactured with every care to suit the requirements of our trade. We can guarantee the same satisfaction that our flours have always given, as we are having them made from our own blends of wheat and under our personal supervision. Orders will be taken as usual at our down town office, corner of Simcoe and Bethune streets. Telephone No. 113. MELDRUM & MCALLISTER Millers.

A Stuffed Fig.

A dainty confection to be served at swell luncheons and dinners is the 'stuffed fig.' Select the best figs and cut open, stretching the skin so that a large space is left in the centre just about the size of an English walnut meat. Crack the nut so as to leave the meat whole if possible, wrap the fig around it, and press it together. The inside of the fig will stick to the meat, making round balls that can be piled up prettily on a fancy bonboniere. These are rich and delicious and besides the combination is easily digested, so that one may have no regrets the next day, no matter how freely indulged in. If one prefers other nuts, they can be substituted of course, but the walnut keeps the shape best.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Cholera, Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus and all summer complaints and fluxes of the bowels in children or adults.

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The First of these Monthly Competitions will commence January 1st, 1897, and will be continued each month during 1897.

$1,625 IN BICYCLES AND WATCHES GIVEN FREE EACH MONTH FOR Sunlight SOAP WRAPPERS

As Follows:

10 First Prizes, $100 Stearns' Bicycle,	$ 1,000
25 Second " $25 Gold Watch	625
Bicycles and Watches given each month	1,625
	12
Total given during year 1897,	**$19,500**

HOW TO OBTAIN THEM.

Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper—that portion containing the heading "SUNLIGHT SOAP." These (called "Coupons") are to be sent enclosed with a sheet of paper on which the competitor has written his or her full name and address, and the number of Coupons sent in, postage paid, to Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto, marked on the Postal Wrapper (top left-hand corner), with the NUMBER of the DISTRICT Competitor lives in.

NO. OF DISTRICT	NAME OF DISTRICT
1	Western Ontario, consisting of Counties York, Simcoe & all Counties W. and S. of these
2	East'n Ontario, consisting of Counties Ontario, Muskoka & all Counties E. & N. of these
3	Province of Quebec
4	Province of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the 5 districts, prizes will be awarded as follows :

The 5 competitors who send in the largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Bicycle, value $100.

The 5 competitors who send in the next largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Gold Watch, value $25.

2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

5. Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., will endeavor to award the prizes fairly to the best of their ability and judgment, but it is understood that all who compete agree to accept the award of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., as final.

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George St., Peterborough

CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be two masses celebrated, the first at 8 a.m., the second at 10.30 a. m.. and Vespers at 7 p. m.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Nov. 29. Services at 11 a.m. will be conducted by the pastor ; and at 7 p. m. by Rev. J. J. Rae. Sabbath School and Bible class 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Monday at 8 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Junior C. E. on Friday afternoon at 4.15. Seats free. All cordially invited

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance D.D., pastor, Sunday, Nov. 29th. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. Morning services conducted by the pastor ; evening services by Rev. W. R. Young. Sunday School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Y.P.S. C.E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed. Collections at both services in aid of the poor fund.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W.R. Young, B. A., pastor. Sunday, Nov. 29th. Services at 11 a.m., conducted by the pastor, and at 7 p.m. by Rev. J. G. Potter. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats. Grace church Sunday School at 3.30 p.m.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. J. Rae, pastor. Sunday, Nov. 29th—Services at 11 a.m., conducted by the pastor, and 7 p.m. by Rev. Dr. Torrance. Miss Dundas of Toronto, will contribute a vocal solo at the evening service. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Sunday, Nov. 29th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by Rev. R. E. Grieg, Toronto. Sunday school at 3.00 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free ; all are welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. F. Tapscott, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be cordially welcomed. Regular meeting of Young People's Society on Wednesday evening.

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I am fitting up these fine premises with entirely new and improved machinery, and having a splendid water power at my command and increased manufacturing facilities, I intend to go more extensively into my regular lines of business, as well as new lines, such as Planing, Matching, &c.

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Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

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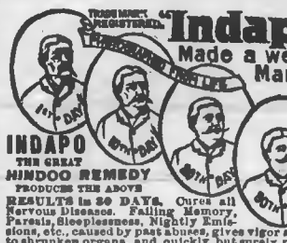
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TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES, 1897.

The undersigned will receive tenders for supplies up to noon on

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH, 1896,

For the supply of butchers' meat, butter, dairy and creamery, giving price for each, flour, oatmeal, potatoes, cordwood, etc., for the following institutions during the year 1897, viz. :—

At the Asylum for the Insane in Toronto, London, Kingston, Hamilton, Mimico, Brockville and Orillia ; the Central Prison and Mercer Reformatory, Toronto ; the Reformatory for Boys, Penetanguishene ; the Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb, Belleville, and the Blind at Brantford.

Two sufficient sureties will be required for the due fulfilment of each contract.

Specifications and forms of tender can only be had by making application to the bursars of the respective institutions

N.B.—Tenders are not required for the supply of meat to the Asylums in Toronto, London, Kingston, Hamilton and Mimico, nor to the Central Prison and Mercer Reformatory, Toronto.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. CHRISTIE,
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JAMES NOXON,
Inspectors of Prisons and Public Charities.

Parliament Buildings, Toronto, Nov. 16th, 1896.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, Chap. 110, Sec. 36, the creditors of Harry Robinson, late of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Barber, who died on or about the 26th day of Oct. A. D., 1896, are on or before the 12th day of Dec. 1896, to send by post, prepaid, to J. R. Stratton, one of the Executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, Harry Robinson, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, statements of their account and the nature of the security (if any) held by them ; and that on and after the said 12th day of December the assets of the said deceased will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof to any person whose claims shall not have been received by them at the time of the distribution of the said assets or any part thereof as the case may be.

J. R. STRATTON,
MARY ROBINSON,
Executors for Harry Robinson Estate

Peterborough, Nov. 6th, 1896. 5da

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LACE, SWISS AND MUSLIN CURTAINS

For $2.50 — Swiss Lace Curtains, worth $3 50.
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For $3.50 —Swiss Lace Curtains, worth $4 75.
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Two Men Lost Their Lives in the Blizzard.

HUNDREDS OF CATTLE PERISHED.

Mail Clerk Went for Provisions and Never Got Back to His Train—Farmer Got Lost in Going to His Barn and Was Found Frozen to Death.

St. Paul, Nov. 28.—The great storm which swept over Minnesota and the Dakotas on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday has resulted in some loss of life and great loss to live stock. Mail Agent Burroughs of the Great Northern Road is buried in a snow drift near Devil's Lake, N.D. He was on the westbound train which was stalled out of Devil's Lake Thursday evening, and walked to a restaurant at Devil's Lake, obtaining a supply of provisions, as much as he could carry, and started back for his train. He never reached it. A searching party has been digging in the snow for his body all the afternoon.

John Hooey, a farmer, living four miles from Park River, N.D., started from his house to his barn Thursday night, and his body was found two miles away on the prairie this afternoon.

The loss to stock aggregates hundreds. A coat of ice covers the ground and snow is in some places piled in drifts twelve feet high. On the ranges west of the Missouri the worst is feared for stock, as it is believed it would be impossible for cattle and sheep to get enough to eat until it thaws. The temperature is 20 degrees below zero and below zero at all points in Dakota.

At Vermillion in South Dakota in many instances trees a foot in diameter were snapped off at the bottom. Every telegraph and electric wire in that town was prostrated, and it will be some time next week before they can be repaired. To-night at Fargo, Grand Forks, Devil's Lake and Bismarck trains are beginning to move irregularly. At Aberdeen the storm has not been paralleled since the great blizzard of Jan. 18, 1888.

Railroading has been entirely abandoned until the storm breaks. Freight trains on the Hastings & Dakota Railroad are in drifts near Gates Station, and the Eureka accommodation is fast at Hills View. An utterly demoralized condition prevails everywhere.

SERIOUS STOCK LOSSES.

Pierre, S.D., reports travel of all kinds completely stopped. Reports come in from the country showing there have been serious stock losses on the ranges. It will be several days before anything definite can be learned from the cattle country to the west. At Huron the snow is piling in drifts as high as fence tops. Trains were sent south and east to-day preceded by snow plows and shovelers. Telegraph wires are prostrated in every direction. Fuel is scarce in remote districts and suffering is feared. Heavy losses of cattle on the ranges will result. Rain and sleet prevailed several hours before the snow set in. The temperature fell twelve degrees, resting at 4° below zero, when the worst storm ever known in the State in eight years set in, continuing for forty hours.

At Melette, S.D., trains are blocked and snow drifts in the main streets are 15 feet high. The wagon roads are blocked and stock will suffer greatly.

MURRAY SAYS SUICIDE.

The Provincial Detective Has Looked Into the Watterson Case at Lime Bank—Rev. Mr. Hyland Died From Nervous Shock.

Ottawa, Nov. 29.—(Special.)—Detective Murray has closed his investigation at Lime Bank into the death of Thomas Watterson, who was found about two weeks ago lying dead in bed with his throat cut from ear to ear. Mr. Murray has reported to Acting Crown Attorney Lees that it is a clear case of suicide, although the circumstances connected with the disappearing of the knife are mysterious. The detective learned that Watterson had several times tried to take his own life. On one occasion he had tried to smash his brains with a stone; on another he had induced his son to lie down beside him on the bed and had stolen his knife from his pocket, evidently with the intention of doing himself harm.

Detective Murray in the early part of the week was at Fitzroy Harbor making an inquiry into the death of Rev. D. J. Hyland, the Presbyterian minister of that place, who died rather suddenly a couple of months ago. It is understood that the inquiry was asked for by a committee of the Presbyterian General Assembly, to clear away any doubts as to the cause of Rev. Mr. Hyland's death. The detective believes that Rev. Mr. Hyland's death was due to a severe nervous shock.

IS GETTING YOUNG AGAIN

John Adams is Ninety Years Old, but is Cutting New Teeth and Is No Longer Bald.

Laporte, Ind., Nov. 29.—A remarkable case of second childhood exists in the little Michigan village of Coopersville, where resides John Adams. Many instances of old people regaining their eyesight, and a few of cutting teeth, have been reported, but these are rare. It has remained for John Adams, a hardy Wolverine, to establish a new and unparalleled record.

Adams, when he was 80 years old, could scarcely see, he was bald, and his teeth were all gone. He can now see as well as he ever could, has cut several new teeth, and his hair has grown out again. The new hair is dark brown, his eyes are clear, and at a first glimpse he looks like a man of about 40 years old.

But a little closer look makes him seem even older than he really is, although he is now nearly 90. The brown hair and bright eyes seem to emphasize the wrinkles and his skin looks like parchment. He now has an idea that a new skin will come and that the wrinkles will disappear. Mr. Adams is in excellent health and spirits, and confidently believes that he will live a long time yet.

MR. RANKIN'S BODY AT WIARTON

It was Coffined There and Will Be Taken to Detroit To-Day.

Wiarton, Ont., Nov. 29.—The tug Seaman, with Mr. Rankin's body on board, and accompanied by Mr. T. J. Austin, left Tobermorny Saturday about 2 p.m., arriving here about midnight. The tug towed a vessel down, which made her late. Mr. Rankin's body was coffined here, and will be taken to Detroit to-morrow at 6 a.m., arriving in the evening. Mr. Austin and party go home on the same train.

NOW FOR THE CANADIAN SIDE.

Signs of Competition Put New Life Into the Cataract Construction Co. as Regards Work on This Side.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Nov. 29.—(Special.)—At last property-holders about Niagara Falls are about to realize their dreams, the fulfilment of which means rapid growth and prosperity to the town. The enterprise which made Niagara Falls, N.Y., a prominent commercial and electrical city has now turned its attention to Canadian development and Canadian interests. Immediately following upon the success of the transmission of Niagara power to the City of Buffalo, the Cataract Construction Company seems to have turned its attention to the scheme of developing power on the Canadian side. The American company hold the option upon the Provincial Government lands under the name of the Canadian Niagara Power Company and do all their business on this side of the river under the name of that company. This company have asked for an extension of time to commence operations, but, spurred on by the springing into existence of an opposition company, who threatened to take the franchise off their hands, they have, without awaiting the reply of the Government, been making preliminary arrangements for beginning immediate operations. For several days gentlemen deeply interested in the American company have had important interviews with interested parties on this side of the river, and furthermore, the local solicitor of the company has considerable business in quarters which would indicate activity on the part of the company. Mr. Albert H. Porter, an engineer of the Cataract Construction Company, has been looking over the grounds upon which the option is held and has opened up an office on this side of the river. When interviewed, Mr. Porter stated that he was making some surveys for parties interested in lands in the vicinity of the proposed tunnel. Further than this he could say nothing. Another gentleman said there was a move being made, but nothing definite was to be learned at present. Mr. Rankine, the Secretary of the Company, will be in town in a few days and further developments are expected.

RUMORED INVESTIGATION.

It is Reported That the Laurier Government Will Take Stock of Militia Stores—Charges Hinted At.

Toronto, Nov. 30.

It is understood that the Laurier Government proposes instituting an investigation into the conduct of the Militia Department by the late Administration, and some go so far as to hint that certain contractors for military supplies may be indicted for alleged irregularities.

It is stated, for instance, that the last issue of tents were minus the "eave flaps" contracted for, and the Government wants to know the wherefore.

Other contractors, it is mooted, may be charged with furnishing "shoddy" military clothing.

There is, moreover, a suspicion in the Liberal mind that a number of tunics reported as supplied in the records are not to be found.

Last, but not least, certain well-known Toronto and other military men are said to have seized from the Government stores rifles and other arms for the decoration of their homes.

At any rate, the Government is said to be about to order a wholesale "checking" of the military stores.

29 PERSONS KILLED.

The Viceroy of India Visited Baroda and the Crowds, in Rushing for the Park Gates, Crushed Many to Death.

Bombay, Nov. 29.—A despatch from Baroda, capital of the State of that name, gives the details of a fatal accident which occurred there to-night. The Earl of Elgin, Viceroy of India, arrived at Baroda this evening on a visit to the Gaikwar, or native ruler of the State. The inhabitants turned out en masse to welcome the Viceroy and to see a display of fireworks in his honor. The display was given in the park of the Gaikwar, which was open to the public. Everything passed off without incident of note until the end of the ceremonies. Then the crowd made a rush for the park gates, which were so narrow that they soon become jammed with people. Those behind, not knowing the cause of the delay at the exit, pressed forward until the crush at the gates was terrific. A number of persons were squeezed to death, while others who lost their footing in the surging mass of humanity had the life trampled out of them or died from suffocation. When the crowd was finally cleared away it was found that 20 persons had been killed and 35 more or less seriously injured.

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DEATH BY ACCIDENT

Duncan McGeachie of Elder's Mills Killed.

BOTH LEGS TAKEN OFF BY A TRAIN

And the Shock Was So Great That He Soon Died—Dougald Currie of Egremont Buried Alive in a Well—Young Man Loses a Hand—Burned to Death.

Woodbridge, Ont., Nov. 29.—As the evening train came into Woodbridge Station last night, Duncan McGeachie of Elder's Mills, who was waiting on the platform, stepped across the track in front of the engine, but, miscalculating the distance of the approaching train, he was struck and ground to pieces beneath the wheels. The engine and baggage car passed over him, his lower limbs being crushed into pulp and his head cut open. He was carried into the station and Dr. Thom was summoned, but medical skill could do nothing, and the poor fellow expired about two hours after without having uttered a word. He had come down the track to Woodbridge about two hours before to get his Saturday supply of groceries and was going back on the train. He made a practice of boarding the train on the off side in order to get on more safely, without being jostled by those getting off, and was crossing the track for this purpose, with his arms full of parcels, when he was struck.

Mr. McGeachie was a blacksmith at Elder's Mills, about three miles from Woodbridge, where he also kept the postoffice and looked after the C.P.R. flag station. He was about 55 years of age and leaves a son and two daughters, who lived with him, his wife having died a short time since. His son, Thomas, ran down the track immediately on learning of the accident, and saw his father breathe his last. His eldest daughter, Minnie, was away visiting in Boston. The train was crowded, as is usual on Saturday evenings, and the terrible tragedy visibly affected the passengers and cast a gloom over the neighborhood, where the deceased was well known and highly respected.

BURIED HIM ALIVE.

Dougald Currie of Egremont Let Himself Down a Well and the Earth Caved In.

Mt. Forest, Ont., Nov. 28.—A sad and fatal accident occurred to-day in the Township of Egremont, about three miles from this town, whereby Mr. Dougald Currie, an old and highly-respected resident of the township, lost his life. About 10 a.m. a man whom he had engaged to clean his well had completed the work, and Mr. Currie placed his foot in the loop of the rope and descended to see the appearance of the well. When about 20 feet down the well caved in, precipitating the earth and stone curbing upon the unfortunate man. Willing hands at once set to work to remove the debris, but owing to the large quantity of earth and stone they did not succeed in reaching the body until late this afternoon. Evidently the poor man had been killed instantly, as his head was badly bruised.

Mr. Currie leaves a widow and grown-up family. He was about 56 years of age and a native of Scotland.

RIGHT HAND CUT OFF.

The Serious Accident Which Befel Albert Hobermill of New Hamburg.

New Hamburg, Ont., Nov. 28.—Albert Hobermill, 19 years old, met with a serious accident yesterday afternoon. He was employed cutting corn stalks with a horse-power straw cutter on the farm of [illegible] Barber, Wilmot Township. The machine became choked and Hobermill was endeavoring to remedy it, when the horses started suddenly and drew his arm into the machine, cutting his right hand completely off. Dr. Wilson of Plattsville was soon in attendance.

Burned to Death.

Belleville, Ont., Nov. 29.—Last night about 6 o'clock Mrs. James Reid, wife of G.T.R. Engineer James Reid of this city, went down cellar, leaving a lighted lamp on the cellar stairs. When coming up it is supposed one of the children accidentally kicked over the lamp, which set fire to Mrs. Reid's clothing, burning her fearfully before neighbors, aroused by the children's screams, could be of assistance. Death relieved her sufferings at 8.45 p.m. She leaves a husband and three small children.

ANTIDOTE FOR TYPHOID.

Two German Scientists Have Been Experimenting With an Anti-Toxine and Hope for Great Results.

Washington, Nov. 29.—United States Consul George Sawter at Glanchau, sends to the Department of State an account of a report soon to be published in a German medical journal by Prof. R. Pfeiffer and Dr. W. Kalle, two well-known bacteriologists of Berlin, giving the effect of a number of experiments they have made with a typhus anti-toxine. "If their hopes are confirmed," says the Consul, "the science of therapeutics in infectious diseases will have received another most valuable accession in this new discovery. The typhoid bacillus is largely known to exist in well and spring water, and the fact that they are frequently the direct cause of infection is widely recognized by authorities on bacteriology. Consequently this latest important discovery is to be greeted with joy, as it may prove in the future the means of preserving numberless lives from untimely demise, particularly as man is susceptible to attack from these bacilli during the best years of his development—20 to 25 years. The inoculations of 'typhus anti-toxine' can be easily and quickly executed, and will prove of great value and benefit, especially in times of epidemic, when the need of a prompt and efficacious life saving remedy is most urgent.

"The fruits of the experiments will soon be published for the benefit of the entire medical world."

KELLY'S AWFUL CRIMES.

The Police Saw Him Murdering His Wife and Babes and Had to Shoot Him to Stop It.

San Jose, Cal., Nov. 28.—J. P. Kelly, a jeweler, who lived in the rear of his store in the heart of the city, with his wife and her two little children by a former husband, locked the door of the store at 9.30 this morning, and began shooting at his wife. The firing attracted a great crowd, who could see through the glass doors the tragedy being enacted. Officers finally broke the glass and fired repeatedly at Kelly, bringing him down with a bullet in the head. The woman was fatally shot through the head, and both her babes were drenched with blood, but uninjured.

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in one eye and about my temples, especially at night when I had been having a hard day of physical and mental labor. I took many remedies, but found help only in Hood's Sarsaparilla which cured me of rheumatism, neuralgia and headache. Hood's Sarsaparilla has proved itself a true friend. I also take Hood's Pills to keep my bowels regular, and like the pills very much." ISAAC LEWIS, Sabina, Ohio.

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Y.P.S.C.E. NOTES.

Paragraphs of Local Interest to Endeavourers Supplied by the County Union.

WORLD'S CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR PRAYER CHAIN.

(Subject of Prayer for November.)

Pray that Canada may be a God-fearing, law-abiding, Christian land. Pray for every wise effort to advance the Christian citizenship.

AMONG THE LOCAL SOCIETIES.

On Monday evening next the local societies of the town will gather at St. Andrew's church to participate in the regular quarterly rally. The local union have arranged with Mr. O'Meara, of Toronto, to address this meeting on "Sabbath Observance." Last week we published the "Call to Arms." This meeting affords an opportunity of becoming better acquainted with the plans submitted by the Lord's Day Alliance Society. The meeting is open to the public. All are cordially invited.

George street Methodist society held a temperance meeting on Monday night. Mr. Armstrong read an interesting paper on the topic.

St. Paul's society will hold their monthly consecration meeting on Sunday night at the close of the evening service.

The attendance at Charlotte street E. L. of C. E. was good on Monday night. Many strangers were present. Mr. D.D.C. Dawe presided.

VILLERS.

At the meeting of Villers Y.P.S.C.E. held November 17th, the room was filled to the utmost capacity. The reading was taken by Mr. Jos. LaRoche, the prayer meeting by Miss Lizzie Nelson. The topic, "A good education, what it is and how to get it," was dealt with in a very able manner by Miss E. M. Nelson, and in an eloquent yet concise manner, she showed that the best and highest education is our spiritual development, and the wisdom which leads men and women to make the best provision for the life which is eternal.

BETREL—KEENE CIRCUIT.

To the Entertainment and Music Committees of the Y.P.S.C.E.:

A great deal depends upon the singing in our regular C. E. prayer meetings. If the singing is slow and dragging, or if there is no spirit in the music, everything else seems to drag along with it. Now are the Music Committees of the C. E. doing their best to prevent this?

Christ requires of us whole-hearted service. If we are rendering whole-hearted service we would not forget our work in these meetings. We would come prepared each night to do our little part to make the meeting more attractive and spirited. We must not say because we are on the Music Committee, Oh, any person can choose a hymn; it does not matter what we sing, or whether we sing at all or not. This is a mistake; we can praise God as much by singing as by praying.

How many souls have been brought to Christ by singing one of our beautiful hymns! A hymn sung well and from the heart very often touhoes the heart and sets a person thinking of their soul's welfare where talking with them or preaching would not touch them.

The Music Committee can not do this work alone. They must have the help of all the members of the society. We must all work together on whatever we do, whether in singing or praying.

Let us then as members of the Music Committee strive to do our best in the future in the way of making our meetings just as attractive as we can by making the musical part of our meetings as bright as we can.

Nov. 18.—Although the night was wet we had a good crowd. The meeting was opened by the president. James Pallin read the Scripture reading. The Prayer Meeting committee had charge of the prayer meeting for members who are on beds of sickness. Mr. S. Armstrong spoke on the Topic. He said we need to be educated physically, mentally and morally and a good education was not merely knowing how to do things, but practicing and putting into right use what we do know. The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom. May God help us all to get this wisdom.

At the close of the meeting a slip was handed to the president, from the Lookout Committee, asking for the prayers of the society for a young man who is anxious to become a Christian.

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CHEESE FACTORY REPORTS.

The Annual Report of Fraserville Factory—Successful Season's Operations—Amount and Value of Milk and Cheese—Officers Elected.

The patrons of Fraserville cheese factory held their annual meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 25th, at 2 o'clock, when the business of the season was disposed of. The auditors' and secretary's report was read, received and adopted. The auditors congratulated Mr. Kline, the cheese maker, on his success this season, in not having any rejected cheese whatever. Mr. Pue, the proprietor of the factory, has spared no expense in procuring the best help. Hence his factory stands second to none on the Board, and all trouble between purchaser and salesmen is removed.

The business of the factory this season amounted to $7,670.36. There were five hundred and seventy-four thousand one hundred and sixty lbs. of milk (974,160) sent to the factory by 61 patrons. The largest amount sent by any one patron was 49,480 lbs. or 16½ standard sent by Mr. W. G. Fisher, President. The milk was sent in as follows:

	Lbs milk.	*Lbs cheese.*	*Cash.*
May	168,807	9,452	$ 614 44
June	216,201	10,507	1,326 33
July	207,001	17,990	1,267 [illegible]
August	168,153	14,796	1,207 97
September	147,271	14,110	1,419 14
October	152,227	13,232	1,884 62
Total	974,160	890,57	
Interest			$ 11 02
Whey			269 48
Grand total			$7,670 36

The expense of the factory for the season amounted to $1,812.19, the patrons receiving $5,858.17. The officers of the factory were re-elected for 1897, and the whey was sold to Mr. Frederick Clarke for 78c. per standard, and the meeting was brought to a close.

NORTH HARVEY.

(From Our Own Correspondent.

A special meeting of the ratepayers was called Wednesday last for the purpose of electing a trustee to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Mr. R. Gerrard. Quite an exciting time was the result. Two candidates were nominated, R. Richmond and W. D. Ventress respectively. A show of hands would not be taken so a poll was demanded. Then the fun commenced; one would think it was a general election to see the rigs out gathering in stray votes—in fact competition got so strong that one side was trying to work in parties that had no vote. This was nipped in the bud, still there were one or two who voted, it is said, who had no right to do so, and had the result been close they would have been counted out. As it was they were allowed to remain, as R. Richmond had several of a majority. Some of his more enthusiastic admirers made a chair of their arms and carried him out of the school house and placed him in his rig. The result of the vote was a big disappointment to the friends of the other candidate, as they had been working for weeks before and expected to carry everything before them.

Quite a number of outsiders have bought pieces of bush for the purpose of taking out wood this winter. Now they are all moving in and building camps, which is making things around here lively. According to present prospects there will be a lot of wood taken out here this winter.

Winter has set in in earnest this time, as part of the bay is frozen over and most of the creek.

The Rev. Mr. McKnight, in trying to organize a Presbyterian congregation here, is meeting with very fair success. It is a pity he had not come here sooner as a lot of valuable time has been lost. However, we hope he will be allowed to remain here by the Presbytery.

YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Thos. McFarlane, of Ottawa, was visiting his brother, Mr. William McFarlane, this week.

Mr. William Jones, of Toronto, spent a few days renewing acquaintances here this week.

Mr. C. Young has recovered from his recent illness and will soon be able to be out again.

Mr. Wellington Brunson happened with a painful accident one day last week. He was drawing logs with a spirited horse and it ran away. In checking the horse he dislocated his shoulder. Dr. Fraser attended to Mr. Brunson and he is all right again.

Another accident happened this week which might have proved fatal. Miss Nellie Young and Maggie Kearney were returning from Lakefield and the rig upsetting they were thrown out and received a good shaking up. Through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Miller, the young ladies were taken in and cared for, and Mr. Miller drove them home. "Andrew" is always willing to give a helping hand in need.

Mr. William Hales has charge of about fifteen men at Burleigh Falls, building piers below the locks.

The steamer Empire passed through here to-day going to Lakefield.

THE PROHIBITION COMMISSION.

The magnificent waste connected with the $125,000 liquor commission which went junketing over the country some time ago picking up opinions which no one wanted, and which were valueless when obtained, has probably been well nigh forgotten by the public. Its six volumes of "evidence" and its "report" of a thousand pages have, by this time, been consigned to the realms of things that were. The worthlessness of the whole affair may be gathered from the fact that Mr. F. S. Spence, the Secretary of the Dominion Alliance, has been able in a small pamphlet of three hundred pages, to give every point worth noting ascertained by the Commission. And there is nothing very new in it either. The country paid dearly for the attempt made by the Tory Government to shirk the Liquor question. Its cowardly and evasive conduct contrasted very unfavourably with the bold challenge of the Liberal party in the convention held here: "That, whereas, public attention is at present much directed to the consideration of the admittedly great evils of intemperance, it is desirable that the mind of the people should be clearly ascertained on the question of Prohibition by means of a Dominion plebiscite.—*Ottawa Free Press.*

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THEY HAD AN ARGUMENT.

United States and British Counsel Had a Tilt Before the Behring Sea Commission.

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 29.—At yesterday's sittings of the Behring Sea Claims Commission, counsel for the United States moved to strike out two of the claims filed by the British side, on the ground that they did not come within the terms of the convention, which had resulted in the formation of the present commission, not having been included in the summary of the claims referred to the Paris tribunal. These claims were that of the schooner Black Diamond for $7500 for loss arising from her being ordered out of Behring Sea in 1886, and the personal claims of Capt. Gaudin of the British marine service for $3000 expense incurred in connection with the seizure of the schooner Aida. Both claims, the British counsel insisted, were among those which should properly be dealt with, and correspondence regarding them clearly showed that it was contemplated to include both.

The argument was continued at some lenght, and decision was reserved.

Four Workmen Killed.

Paris, Nov. 29.—An explosion which caused the death of four workmen occurred tonight in a factory at Nanterre, seven miles northwest of this city. The factory is owned by M. Hadamard, father-in-law of Dreyfus, the French captain who was sentenced to life imprisonment for selling military secrets to Germany.

CANADIAN EXPORT CATTLE.

St. Albans, Vermont, Added to the List of Ports of Entry.

Washington, Nov. 29.—By an order just issued from the Department of Agriculture, St. Alban's, Vt., has been added to the list of ports at which cattle and sheep from the Dominion of Canada for export from the United States, may be entered in bond for Portland, Me., and Boston, Mass., for export from the two last mentioned ports only, in accordance with the regulations in the order of Feb. 11, 1889. The transportation companies carrying cattle or sheep in bond from Canada for Portland and Boston for export have established at these points special stock yards for export cattle and sheep, and such yards are to be used for no other purpose. All such cattle and sheep shipped to Boston must be unloaded only at the Mystic Wharf stock yards.

Parents Must have Rest.

A president of one of our Colleges says: "We spent many sleepless nights in consequence of our children suffering from colds, but this never occurs now. We use Scott's Emulsion and it quickly relieves pulmonary troubles."

Mr. Chas. Smith, Dawa Mills, Ont., says: "For several years I was troubled with pains in my limbs, which continued getting worse until I thought I would have to quit work. In fact the pains were so severe that I could not rest nights. I took one box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills and am perfectly cured."

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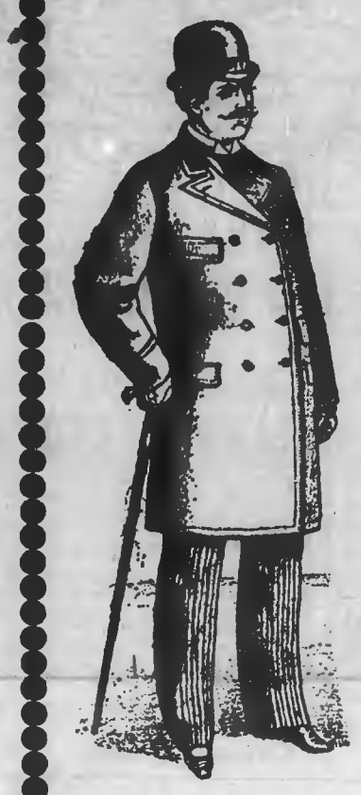

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BABY CLOTHES IN HARRISON'S HOME

The Ex-President's Wife Preparing for an Event Which is Expected to Bring Great Joy to the House.

Indianapolis, Nov. 29.—A great deal of interest is manifested here over reports which have come from the intimate friends of Mrs. Benjamin Harrison. It is said that an event of great importance is expected to transpire in the ex-President's home within the next three months, and that elaborate preparations are being made therefor. The greatest care is being exercised over Mrs. Harrison's health, which is said to be excellent, and the good lady is plying her needle upon a wardrobe of elegant dresses, dainty underwear of the most ornate and expensive character, and little wraps of the finest cashmere, elegantly brocaded and trimmed with the most costly French laces. Mrs. Harrison does her sewing in her husband's library, and it is said the ex-President is not less interested in the work than his wife. Indeed he is never too much engrossed with his legal work to spare a moment to confirm by his judgment the taste of Mrs. Harrison in regard to the effect of this or that particular lace or embroidery on any of the little garments, and it is said that he now lives in the future rather than in the past or present.

ONLY ONE DISSATISFIED

And He is Young and Inexperienced, Says Mr. Tarte—News From Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Hon. Israel Tarte left here for Ottawa this afternoon. Regarding the school question he was positive it would give satisfaction to all, French and English, Catholic and Protestant. Since the settlement was made known he had visited many French Catholic settlements in the Northwest, and found that his compatriots were all pleased with the terms. In the entire west, he declares, he has not found one man who opposes the arrangement but Archbishop Langevin. On the settlement he believes Mr. Laurier could make a greater sweeep of Quebec to-day than he did at the last election. Archbishop Langevin, he says, is young and ill-advised, and his grace would soon find all opposed to his attitude, both French and English.

The Archbishop Repudiates It.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 29.—(Special.)—Archbishop Langevin to-night made a plea to the congregation of St. Mary's Church to repudiate the school settlement, and to make even greater sacrifices for Catholic Separate schools. He declared Quebec would stand by the Catholics of Manitoba, and urged his people not to surrender what he contended was their rights.

Bro. Davin Wants Damages.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 29.—(Special.)—Nicholas Flood Davin has entered suit for ten thousand dollars damages against Editor Scott of The Regina Leader for persistent libels.

Anthony and Michael, sons of Railroad Contractor Egan of Winnipeg, were sentenced Saturday to two years' imprisonment for burglary.

Ministers Blair and Davies did not come to Winnipeg, proceeding to the Pacific Coast from Minneapolis, via the Soo line. Hon. Mr. Tarte was to have met them at Minneapolis, but pressing business necessitated his immediate return to Ottawa.

Registrar McLean of Calgary, one of the most prominent men of the west, died suddenly Saturday.

HIGHER THAN NIAGARA.

Several Minnesota Men Discover a Wonderful Cataract in the Mountains of Venezuela.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 29.—The following letter has been received from S. A. Thompson at Santa Catalina, Venezuela:

"During the exploration of the concession of the Orinoco Company, headed by Donald Grant and other Minnesota men, a trail was cut to the Imataca Mountains, starting from this point, a village of 150 inhabitants. The duties assigned to some members of the party kept them upon or close to the Orinoco until a few weeks ago, when two of us, Leslie O. Dart of Litchfield, Minn., and myself of Duluth, found time to make an excursion to the mountains.

"Pushing on beyond the point reached by the other party, we heard from the top of a mountain a sound which at first we thought to be thunder, but afterwards decided that it must come from a waterfall of considerable magnitude. Working in the general direction of the sound over a difficult trail we came, at noon on Thursday, Oct. 15, to a large river, and discovered what must rank as one of the greatest waterfalls in the world.

"The river bursts diagonally through an almost perpendicular cliff, which I estimate to be 1600 feet in height, breaks into half a dozen separate streams, which divide and subdivide, spreads out into broad, fan-like expansions, and twists about in such a curious corkscrew fashion that the water at the bottom of the falls flows in exactly the opposite direction from the course it holds where it first comes into view.

"By clinging to bushes and going up the giant creepers hand over hand, we climbed up the cliff until the herold indicated an elevation of more than 500 feet, but it was impossible to reach the top and learn how much higher the falls are."

A NOVA SCOTIA CASE.

Suffered without Help—Eighteen Years Getting Worse—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Bridgewater, N. S., Nov. 30.—(Special)—There is no man in town better known than J. S. Morgan, tinsmith, who for eighteen years has been going from bad to worse without help until at last he got hold of the right treatment. He says: "It began with backache, pains in the limbs, and finally settled down as rheumatism. I was a cripple and after I had run down greatly in weight the doctors said it was diabetes. About a year and a half ago I quit everything else and took Dodd's Kidney Pills. Have taken twenty-three boxes, and have regained my weight, health and strength. I am perfectly cured.

NEWS FROM OTTAWA

Trouble Ahead for Quebec Postoffice Employees.

THE GOVERNMENT MAY ENTER SUIT

To Recover the Amount of Which the Revenue Has Been Defrauded Through Transmission of Tory Campaign Literature—Guatemala Open for Canadian Trade—Notes.

Ottawa, Nov. 29.—Some time ago charges were preferred against officials in the Quebec Postoffice of having allowed, during the last general election campaign, large quantities of Tory literature to pass through the mails free of postage. It is said Le Courrier du Canada, with, it is alleged, the connivance of officials, transmitted free of postage thousands of copies of their paper broadcast throughout the country, in violation of the law. Inspector Sweetnam of the Postoffice Department has made an investigation into the above charges, and has handed in his report to the Postmaster-General. It is reported that the result of this investigation is likely to prove serious to the parties concerned. In addition to dismissals of some of the officials, there may be a Government suit to recover the amount of which the revenue has been defrauded, and criminal proceedings may also be taken.

The Colonial Office has sent a communication to the Government stating that the republic of Guatemala has modified its tariff as regards several articles in which Canada is able to do a good trade. From Feb. 1 to June 30, during the time of holding the Central American Exhibition, a large number of commodities are placed on the free list, but must be imported through the port of San Jose. Among them are all kinds of fish, either canned, salted, dried or smoked; all classes of cereals, pickles, confectionery, condensed milk, biscuits, meats, salted or smoked; dried fruits, bacon, butter, brushes and brooms, matches, kitchen ranges and other articles manufactured of iron.

The Cabinet has not yet considered the question of the date of the meeting of Parliament, but the Ministers are in hopes of being able to call the House about the middle of February.

Judge McCreight of the Supreme Court bench of British Columbia is to retire. He will either be succeeded by Judge Bole of New Westminster or P. A. E. Irving of Victoria.

Dr. Borden has returned to the city.

The Lake Manitoba Railway and Canal Company will apply for an Act to confirm certain agreements with the Manitoba Government and the Manitoba and Northwestern Railway Company.

Notice appears in The Canada Gazette of an application for a railway from a point near Revelstoke northwards along the valley of the Columbia River to a point near its junction with Canoe River.

Mr. Fisher went to Toronto to-day.

The Fraserville Company (limited) are applying for incorporation to manufacture pulp and articles made from wood pulp. The chief place of business is to be in Fraserville, P.Q., and the capital stock $50,000.

Notice appears in The Canada Gazette for the filing of all claims against the estate of the late Sir David Macpherson.

Magistrate O'Gara sent two more offenders to the Central Prison from here to-day. Joseph Vandette was sentenced to eight and eighteen months and Peter Vandette to eight months' imprisonment on the charges of stealing brass from the C.P.R. Joseph Vandette's terms in prison will run concurrently.

Hon. J. I. Tarte will likely be back to Ottawa on Tuesday or Wednesday. He may go to Sault Ste Marie, where the people are looking for new public buildings.

Mr. J. W. Wurtele has been appointed Vice-Consul for Mexico at Ottawa. The Imperial concurrence in the appointment has been received.

Charles Seager of Goderich has been appointed to enquire into certain superannuations and promotions in the outside service of the customs at Cobourg during June and July.

The Anchor Wire Fence Company, with the chief place of business in Stratford, are applying for Dominion incorporation, with a capitalization of $90,000.

John Crerar, Q.C. of Hamilton, Ont., has been appointed Commissioner to enquire into the circumstances which resulted in the election of a member to represent the electoral district of Algoma in the House of Commons of Canada being held on the 30th day of June, 1896, instead of on the 23rd day of June, 1896.

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NEW EDUCATION BOARD.

First Meeting Held Yesterday—Arrangements Made for the Annual Educational Association's Convention.

Toronto, Nov. 28.

At the last session of the Ontario Legislature an amendment was passed empowering a Council of Education to take the place of the joint board of the Senate and Education Department, in charge of the departmental examinations for teachers' certificates and University matriculation.

The board is composed of Justice Maclennan, Chancellor Burwash, Prof. Baker of Toronto University, Prof. Alex. McKay of McMaster, Father Teefy of St. Michael's, Alex. Steele (principal of Orangeville Collegiate), Prof. Clarke of Trinity, John Dearness (School Inspector, London), with President Loudon and Hon. G. W. Ross, as ex-officio members.

The first session of the board was held yesterday morning, all the members being present, except Prof. McKay, who is in Europe. The duties of the board were informally discussed. President Loudon was elected president.

The board, with the various committees, met in the afternoon and evening, with the following members present: President John Dearness, London; R. W. Doane, secretary of the board, Toronto; W. J. Hendry, Toronto; H. J. Strong, Goderich; F. Manley, Toronto; W.H. Fraser, Toronto; W. J. Robertson, Toronto; W. E. Groves, Toronto; W. H. Harlton, Toronto; A. A. Jordon, Meaford; W. H. Elliott, Hamilton; W. Scott, Toronto; W. H. Wilson, Toronto Junction; J. S. Deacon, Milton; C. Moses, Caledonia; Miss E. Bolton, Ottawa; Miss F. Bowditch, Hamilton; J. H. Burritt, Pembroke; G. A. Aylesworth, Newburg; Dr. Alex. Jackson, Galt, and Inspector W. C. Chapman, Toronto.

The afternoon business was taken up with discussion and revisions of the bylaws.

In the evening a lengthy discussion arose over the question of the expense of last year's printing. It was decided to hold the annual Educational Association meetings on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday following Good Friday, to which some very noted educationists have been invited to attend. The program for the meeting was also arranged, and will be made known in about a month.

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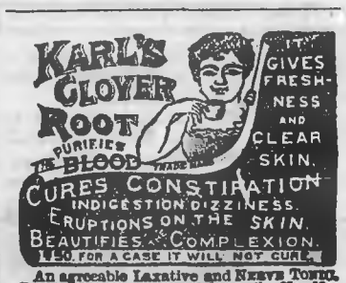

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A special meeting of the above association will be held this evening at 8 p.m. A full attendance is requested.—JAS. DRAIN, President.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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St. Luke's Annual Tea.

The annual tea and sale of ladies' work in connection with St. Luke's church, Ashburnham, will take place on Thursday, Dec. 3rd. The school house will be open all afternoon for the sale of work and the tea will begin at five o'clock. A programme has been arranged for the evening. Tickets 25 cents.

The New Fire Team.

The Fire Department to-day was given a fine new team, for which $260 was paid. One of the horses was raised in Monaghan by Mr. Lang, and the other in Otonabee by Mr. John Matchett. They are four and five years old respectively, and are a finely matched bay team, which should do good work.

Lecture and Concert.

A lecture on the early history of Canada will be delivered by Mr. J. Hampden Burnham on Tuesday evening, Dec. 1st, in the hall of the Catholic Literary Association. A first-class programme will also be rendered. Admission 10 cents.

Wedding.

A very pretty wedding took place at the Anglican church, Janetville, Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 25th, when Miss Bella, third daughter of Mr. David McNeil of "Maplewood Farm," was united in marriage to Mr. William James Stutt, of Orono. After a most sumptuous repast at the bride's residence, the happy couple left for their home "Sunnyside" farm, east of Orono, amidst a shower of congratulations from their friends.

Western Trains Delayed.

The Canadian Pacific trains from Manitoba and the Northwest are being detained on account of snow storms between North Bay and Winnipeg. The passengers that should have reached Toronto on Friday afternoon did not arrive till 4.20 Saturday afternoon, just twenty-four hours late. Saturday's Winnipeg connection is not in yet, but the officials said the passengers were expected down from North Bay by 9.50 train this morning. This will make them almost fifty-two hours behind time.

Sacred Concert.

The Sacred Concert to be given by St. Paul's church choir in the church on Thursday evening, December 10th, promises to be very successful. The choir have engaged outside talent to help them, and the usual excellent work of the choir will be an added assurance that a musical treat is in store for those who attend. The programme, which is now in press, is certainly a meritorious one, and is probably one of the most exacting programmes yet attempted here. As is the usual custom, no charge will be made but a silver collection will be asked at the door in aid of the choir fund.

DEATH OF MR. RICHARD NAGLE.

Interment Will Take Place at Ottawa, the Remains Leaving Here To-Morrow.

The death of Mr. Richard Nagle occurred early this morning at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. H. Phelan, Rubidge street.

The deceased had been ill about three weeks in Ottawa, being troubled with his heart, and a week ago Sunday it was thought wiser to move him to Peterborough. He has been gradually sinking during the week until his demise this morning.

Mr. Nagle was born in Mitchellstown, County Cork, Ireland, in 1831. He joined his father in Canada in 1840, and for some time the family lived in Ramsay Township, in the County of Carleton. He began business with the well-known lumbering firm of John Egan & Co. of Ottawa, probably the largest lumbering concern of that date. After obtaining an insight into the business, Mr. Nagle began to operate for himself, beginning on the Rocky Farm limits near Ottawa. He continued to lumber very extensively and carried on operations on a big scale in the Lake Nipissing and Lake Temiscamigue districts until his retirement from active business some ten years ago.

The deceased at one time contested Ottawa city for the local Legislature in the Liberal interests, being always prominently identified with the politics of that party.

He was a widower, his wife having died in 1882. Three daughters survive, viz.: Mrs. Harry Phelan, Peterborough; Mrs. Thos. B. Brophy, Ottawa, and Mrs. H. J. Friel, also of Ottawa. He has one sister living, Mrs. McCarthy of Russell county, and one brother, James Nagle, of St. Mary's, Perth county.

During his frequent trips to Peterborough to visit Mrs. Phelan, the deceased formed a large circle of friends, to whom his death will come as a severe shock, as his many sterling qualities had endeared him to all with whom he came in contact.

The remains will be taken to Ottawa for interment to-morrow morning, being accompanied to that city by Mr. and Mrs. Phelan.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. John Condon Yesterday Morning.

The death of Mrs. James Condon took place yesterday morning at the family residence, No. 356 Water street, at the age of 61 years.

The deceased was a daughter of Mr. John Doris, of Otonabee, and in 1855 was married to Mr. James Condon, moving to Peterborough fifteen years later, after having made herself generally beloved in her large circle of acquaintances in the township.

A husband and six children survive her. The latter all reside in town and are Mr. John Condon, Mrs. John McFarlane, Mrs. W. B. Rose and Misses Maggie, Matilda and Hannah Jane, who all reside at home.

The funeral will take place to the Cathedral to-morrow morning at nine o'clock and proceed from there to the Roman Catholic Cemetery, where interment takes place.

SENATOR COX BANQUET.

The Date Fixed for Thursday Evening, Dec. 17th, at the Oriental.

The date of the complimentary banquet to Hon. Geo. A. Cox has been fixed for Thursday night, December 17th. He is expected to return from the South on the 15th, and will come to Peterborough on the 17th.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Will Dumble has returned from a visit to Port Hope.

Mrs. David Breese is visiting Miss Waddell in Port Hope.

Mr. Fred Ferguson is home again after spending a few days in Port Hope.

Mr. A. W. Connor, of the Central Bridge Works, is in Ingersoll to-day attending the funeral of an uncle.

Mrs. Wm. Hamill and Miss Millie Thorne returned to Lindsay Saturday evening, after spending Thanksgiving with their sister, Mrs. Jos. D. Armstrong, 270 Sherbrooke street.

Mrs. W. H. Wrighton and Miss Ethel Wrighton, of McDonel street, and Mrs. John Armstrong, of Water street, returned to-day from Lindsay where they have been spending the last week.

Miss Rudkins takes a trip to the cities to-morrow for the purpose of looking up some specialities for the Christmas holiday trade. Miss Taggart, her head milliner, accompanies.

Mr. R. F. McWilliams, of Osgoode Hall, and Mr. Victor McWilliams, of 'Varsity, Toronto, who have been home for the Thanksgiving holidays, have returned to the city.

Owing to physical prostration caused by an unusually arduous day of work yesterday, Rev. Mr. Davidson was unable to preach the sermon at the mission in the evening. There was, however, a hearty service, the prayers being read by Mr. A. W. Connor.

Mr. Thos. Craig, of Ashburnham, left to-day for Oshawa, where he has secured employment. "Larkins" is one of the most promising juniors of the Peterborough Lacrosse Club and Oshawa is to be congratulated on adding so good a man to their team, as it is to be presumed that he will figure in the lacrosse field with that club next season.

Rev. Father Fitzpatrick has been called to Mount Pleasant Michigan, through the serious and probably fatal injury of his brother, Mr. John Fitzpatrick, at that place. A railway accident is responsible for the mishap, and the latest report from Mount Pleasant was to the effect that the railway surgeon had given up hope in connection with Mr. Fitzpatrick's case.

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Grand Christmas Card Opening Dec. 2nd

The numerous shoppers at the Peterborough Bookstore, who have been anxiously waiting the receipt of our new Christmas Cards and Booklets for 1896, will be pleased to learn that they have now arrived, and will be open for selection on Wednesday, Dec. 2nd. A more charming display was never on exhibition. They are masterpieces of artistic printing and decorative design. We have placed them thus early on our tables to allow those who wish to remember friends at a distance an opportunity to make their selections. The prices will be a surprise to all this year. Having bought earlier and larger we were able to secure a much larger discount than in former years. We give a special invitation to all to come and see the wonderful beauty and variety of style of our cards and booklets. Sunday school teachers and teachers of all schools buying in quantities, will be allowed more liberal reduction than ever.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

THE TOWN'S RELATIONS TO LIGHT AND POWER COMPANIES.

In Friday's issue we printed a pertinent and timely letter from a "Manufacturer" in reference to the—almost—hostile attitude of the town council towards the corporations wishing to use the streets for the placing of poles to string wires for the transmission of electrical energy for light and power purposes. In commending the attitude of the writer of the letter in relation to liberal treatment of the corporation concerned, we feel that we are endorsing a course in the general interests of the town. Not long ago we took a strong position against the proposition for the exemption of the Auburn Milling Company from taxation, but that is not inconsistent with the plea we make for generous treatment of companies in regard to the franchise of our streets. In the one case the proposal was to virtually take the people's money to promote the interests of a private corporation; in the other case it is a question of taxing a private corporation for the privilege of benefitting the citizens of the town through our manufacturing industries, whose presence and prosperity are direct benefits to the town and one of the sources of its superior prosperity as compared with places less favoured than ours. There is no necessity for us to refer at length to the advantages that result to our manufacturers from the cheapening of their raw materials—motive power—"Manufacturer" has gone fully into that in his letter. There is also to be considered the fact that the new claimants for generous consideration at the hands of the town, the Auburn Light and Power Company, are citizens of the town and have therefore good claims as compared with outsiders, who might seek privileges for their own profit, independently of the advantage or disadvantage of the town. There is an understood arrangement that the Peterborough Light and Power Company is to supply the town with light, and that the supply of power be left to the Auburn Light and Power Company. This is fair enough arrangement, and there seems to be scope in town for both in the special lines represented by these companies. It also appears that the Peterborough Light and Power Company is not, consistently with the efficient supply of light, in a position to supply power in quantities and at terms as advantageous as those in need of power may desire. What we want in the interests of our manufacturing industries, is power at the lowest possible rate, and what we more particularly want is that a corporation willing to supply this cheap power be not opposed with burdensome restrictions in the matter of privileges of transmission; we must be prepared to meet with generous attentions, our citizens whose aim is to advance the material interests of the town. The sum we may derive from a stiff charge for a street franchise for a light and power company is insignificant compared to the indirect benefits that will accrue from the cheap supply of power. Therefore it seems to be penny wise on the part of the council to take a course that will result in the immediate gain of a few paltry dollars at the risk of the sacrifice of interests that will be ten times more important. A well defined distinction, it seems, should be made as between an outside company desiring to secure street franchise, for the purpose of their own profit and one composed of citizens, who have borne in the past and are now bearing their share of supporting the institutions of the town—who are ratepayers and who deserve generous recognition at the hands of the citizens as well as the corporation. In the matter of a charge for the use of the streets for electric wire poles, the town is put to no direct expense and the small sum it may derive, while an insignificant addition to our revenue, will represent a serious tax to a coporation of citizens, who, in addition to a large outlay, will, from the nature of things in connection with new enterprises, for a time, at least, carry on operations at merely nominal profit, if not at at actual loss. But if the council should insist on making the charge in question some arrangement should be made whereby it should be so graded as to bear lightly on the initial stages of the operations of the company with a view of its full incidence being imposed only when the experimental stage of the new enterprise is passed and a fair dividend is available as a reward of the public spirit of the members of corporations investing their money to swell the long and creditable roll of our local industries. While the new company is not asking for special favours—for substantial aid—it seems only fair that they should not be handicapped by a burdensome impost at the very outset of their enterprise. If the council is not prepared to encourage the new industry they should certainly not take steps to discourage it—to place obstacles in its way.

There is every reason why the town council should approach this subject in a business-like way, and in such a manner as to promote while protecting the several interests involved. Local capital to a very large, if not exclusive, extent is embarked in the Peterborough Light and Power Company, and it should be the duty of the town to protect that capital so far as its duty to the ratepayers will permit. What we want is good light and cheap light and to secure that end, if the town should give the company an exclusive privilege to supply light, it should be seen that such arrangements are made as will secure the condition of reasonable profit to the company and cheap light for the public, which should not be an unreasonable object to aim at. At the same time similar conditions exist in the matter of local capital being at stake with the Auburn Light and Power Company. The people require sufficient power and economical power, and if exclusive privilege is granted the company to supply power, then guarantees to this end, as stringent as are consistent with reasonable profit to the company, conjoined with protection of the interests of the citizens, should be insisted upon. Let the council approach this matter in an open, candid manner and take both the companies and the public into their confidence. Surely an open friendly discussion of the subject can be made to result in a business-like arrangement that will protect both companies in the exclusive privileges the town would be warranted in granting, provided the proper safeguards, as hinted above, are thrown around such a concession. It is all very well to claim that the existence of two practically rival companies will result in low prices for light and power respectively, but the experience of the past is against such an expectation being realized. Monopoly and amalgamation is a literal as well alliterative fact. For instance, the Peterborough Light and Power Company, and the Gas Company as soon as their interests began of necessity to conflict amalgamated. In granting exclusive privileges that may avail to protect local capital it is necessary to provide that a well guaranteed quid pro quo in the shape of cheap light and power be permanently assured. It does seem possible that an amicable discussion of the question with a single desire to secure these ends may be made. If the two companies are given to distinctly understand that whatever privileges they may respectively given are to be exclusive only so long as the interests of the ratepayers are protected, then there will be no possibility of future misunderstanding. It is well to remember that local capital will not be invested, if the conditions of its employment are made so difficult that loss instead of profit will result. Instances could be cited, but the statement of it is sufficient for our point. A petty but at the same time oppressive tax on poles is not a comprehensive way to deal with the matters in question. The subject must be ripely considered, and matured action, to cover the whole ground involved must be taken.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The freezing up of the roads has pu them in a very bad condition.

—Christmas is only three weeks from Friday.

—Board of Education to-morrow night.

—Jack Butler's case has been enlarged for another week at the police court.

—Yesterday was Advent Sunday, the beginning of the church year.

—The Myra Collins Company left this morning for Kingston where they are billed to play for the week.

—An east bound C.P.R. freight train struck a cow at Kelly's Crossing, near Havelock Saturday night.

—A purse was picked up at the opera house on Saturday night and awaits an owner at the police station.

—The abundance of snakes in the vicinity of Orono is responsible for a prediction that there is going to be an open winter.

—This is St. Andrew's Day, but the occasion will not be celebrated by a dinner in Peterborough as formerly.

—A sum of money was found on Saturday. Anyone missing any silver from their purse would do well to call on the Chief of Police.

—A small gang of men left Campbellford on Wednesday morning for Rathbun's lumber camp at McClintock, Ont., where they will work this season.

—The general opinion is that Thanksgiving was fixed for too late a date this year. A month earlier would be a more popular time.

—Mr. Oliver Raymond, a brakesmen on the C.P.R., Bruce division, formerly of this division, had his left hand badly smashed on Saturday. He will lose the first finger of the hand.

—If you want to economize burn the People's Coal Coy's coal. All kinds of coal in stock, including best hard coal for stoves and furnaces, soft coal for grates, and smithing coal. Office—230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

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100 yds left of 25c Tweed and Plaid Dress Goods, reduced to 15c.
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100 yds left of our 75c Fancy Velvet, reduced to 50c.
Call and get bargains as the stock must be sold.

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25 Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Hose, reduced to 25c.
100 yds 2-inch Satin Ribbon, reduced to 10c.
1000 yds 1-inch Satin Ribbon, reduced to 5c.
150 Silk Ties for ladies' and boys' were 40c, reduced to 25c.
25 Lace Collarettes were 40c, reduced to 25c.
Stamped Linens at 5c, 8c, 10c, 15c and 20c special.
125 pair Ladies' $1.25 Kid Gloves, guaranteed reduced to 75c.

Underwear and Corsets.

10 Golf Jerseys, were $2, reduced to 99c
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100 Men's Silk Ties, were 40c, reduced to 25c.
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125 Men's Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, reduced to 50c.
Lined Gloves and Mitts, Collars, Shirts, etc. all reduced.
Special prices in Ordered Clothing.

Carpets and Housefurnishings.

$1 Brussels Carpets reduced to 73c.
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35c Tapestry Carpets, reduced to 27c.
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LOCAL NEWS.

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Murray Street Baptist Church Mission Band.

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Diphtheria.

This insidious disease has broken out again a few miles north of Minden and has carried off a grandchild of Mr. Reuben Barton after three days' illness. It appears Mr. Barton's son came home lately from a lumber camp where it is said this disease existed, complaining of illness but no precaution of isolation was taken, hence the result. Several other persons lately arrived from the same camp are being looked after by the Board of Health and quarantined as well as thoroughly disinfected.

Big lot of Men's Working Pants, regular $1.00 to $1.25, Grafton & Co's special Price..... **89c**

A Hard Winter Promised.

The weather prophets have been making careful observations with a view of finding out exactly what kind of a winter suffering humanity may look forward to, and the conclusion is that it will be one of unusual severity. The goose bone shows it; the squirrels are not satisfied with their usual hoarding places in trees, but are burying nuts underground, out of reach of the frost; the summer-birds left early, the husks on the corn are thicker than they have been for years, and the hogs are making their beds in the south-west corners of their pens. These, and less noticeable signs, are taken as conclusive, and preparations should be made accordingly. If mankind does not follow the example of the squirrels, hogs, etc., punishment must be the result.

A Delightful Concert.

A most refined and artistic concert in every way was that given in Association Hall last evening by Miss Mabel Chambers, soprano, and Miss Bertha Belasco, pianist. These young ladies have been studying abroad for two or three years, and have returned to be valuable acquisitions to the ranks of our local musicians. Their introductory concert was very flattering to both young ladies. There was a large and thoroughly critical audience present, and the generous bestowal of applause throughout the evening was eloquent proof of the good impression created. No fault could be found either with the selection of the programme or its execution. Miss Belasco contributed Chopin's Etudes in A Flat and F Flat and Liszt's Nocturne, each number being enthusiastically encored. Miss Mabel Chambers contributed Mendelssohn's Sulekia, Greig's popular "Slumber Song," Bishop's "Love Has Eyes," and "With Verdure Clad," from the "Creation." This young lady has a sweet voice, most delightfully flexible. The will doubtless be very popular with Montreal audiences, judging from the enthusiasm aroused by her singing of "Love Has Eyes" last night. —Montreal Star, Nov. 19th, 1896.

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ST. JOHN'S PARISH.

Rev. W. L. Armitage Appointed a Curate.

"The appointment, announced yesterday in St. John's and in the Mission, of Rev. W. L. Armitage, from the Memorial church of London, Ont., of which the rector is Rev. Canon Richardson, has restored the parochial staff to the strength it was previous to the departure of Rev. Carl Smith. Mr. Armitage comes with the highest possible recommendations, by his late rector and all who knew him and his work, which has been largely in connection with a mission in connection with the Memorial church. Mr. Armitage was offered by the Bishop of Huron the incumbency of the parish of Thorndale at a much larger stipend than he receives here, but he preferred to come to Peterborough. Mr. Armitage is a young man of energy and a churchman of liberal views.

PRESBYTERY OF PETERBOROUGH.

Bobcaygeon's Call to Rev. Bryce Innes, B. A., Sustained.

At a special meeting last week of the Presbytery of Peterborough held in St. Andrew's church, Messrs. Bredin and Moore represented Bobcaygeon, and Mr. H. C. Hore, Dunsford.

A unanimous call from Bobcaygeon and Dunsford was sustained to the Rev. Bryce Innis, B.A.

The induction is to take place on Tuesday, Dec. 8th, in Bobcageon, at 2.30. Rev. Mr. Reeves of Lakefield, will preside; Rev. Mr. Potter preach; Rev. Dr. Torrance address the minister, and Rev. Mr. Tanner of Omemee, address the people.

In the evening a tea will be served, after which there will be music, short addresses and a lecture by Rev. J. G. Potter on "Can you Eat Sawdust without Butter?"

A CANADIAN SHEEP SHEARER.

He Fleeces His Yankee Opponents.

New York, Nov. 27—At the live stock show in the sheep shearing contest yesterday afternoon, in which the manner of the work counts as well as the time taken in doing it, the competition was very keen, and the three shearers were so evenly matched on all points that the issue was in doubt up to the last two or three minutes. The winner was M. Gibson, of Delaware, Ontario. Time, 23 min. 40 sec. He took more time than the second prize winner, but won on the excellent style in which he removed the fleece. "Dan" Taylor, of Mil brook, N.Y., was second, in 21 min. 30 sec., and N Frederick, of Tarrytown, N.Y., third, in 24 min. 24 sec.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

At a meeting held at Norwood last week the senior hockey team was re-organized for the coming season. Following are the officers:

President—Dr. J. C. Moffat.
Vice-Pres—H. G. Buck.
Captain—F. W. Ashe.
Ex. Committee—W. Stewart, L. McGregor and D. A. Fraser.

The club decided to renew their membership in the Provincial Association, and are looking forward to a lively season.

Lindsay will have a first class hockey club this season. The Y.M.C.A. are taking hold of it. Very favourable terms, financially, exist at present. The organization meeting was held on Friday evening, with a very good attendance. The following officers were elected:

Patron—Judge Dean.
Hon. Pres.—Mr. A. F. D. MacGachen.
President—Mr. Wm. Flavelle.
Vice-Pres.—Mr. R. Ross.
Captain—Dr. F. Walters, D.D.S.
Sec.-Treas—Mr. A. Clark.
Managing committee—Dr. Walters, Mr. R. deB. Strathy, Mr. A. Clark.

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New Furniture.

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Government Dam.

The dam being built by the Ontario Government at the Minden mills is nearing completion and will be a great improvement, as it is a most substantial and workman-like job, being highly creditable to Mr. Welch, under whose immediate superintendance and direction the work has been carried on. On Wednesday last nine of the workmen employed thereon went home to Lindsay for Thanksgiving Day, leaving only three or four men to complete the job, which they expect to finish this week.

Mr. Routley Doing it Thoroughly.

"If you aim to do a thing,
And mean to do it really,
Never let it be by halves,
Do it fully, freely!"

Sensational! Not a bit of it—just a simple straightforward way of carrying out his intentions. Mr. Routley, after a successful eleven years of active life, has decided to retire from business at New Year's. In order to effect an easy closing up of his business, it is necessary to sell off the stock, and the quickest way to turn stocks into money is to cut prices. This is done, and done thoroughly. Cost and values not considered—clearing out the stock is the main point in question. A perfect avalanche of bargains is promised to shoppers, and the price reductions are making Peterborough people talk, wonder and buy!

SEVERAL SERMONS TO THE YOUNG MEN.

ADDRESSED BY FOUR DIVINES LAST NIGHT.

Rev. Dr. Torrance Preaches in the Charlotte Street Church, Rev. J. J Rae in St. Andrews, Rev. J. G. Potter in the George Street Church, and Rev. W. R. Young, B.A., in St. Paul's.

As stated on Saturday the members of the Ministerial Association arranged an exchange of pulpits for Sunday evening, when each delivered a special sermon to young men. The various churches were attended by unusually large congregations, the subject for the sermons being an interesting lesson to both old and young. A brief synopsis of the various sermons delivered will be found appended:

Rev. Dr. Torrance.

Rev. Dr. Torrance of St. Paul's, spoke from the pulpit of the Charlotte street Methodist church. He took for his text Proverbs xx, 29th verse:—"The glory of young men is their strength; and the beauty of old men is the grey head."

There is no period in life, stated the speaker in the course of his sermon, to which a greater interest belongs than the period of youthful manhood. It is the period when one having just emerged from boyhood begins to feel that he is master of himself. It is the period of large possibilities, when onlookers pause to see what is to come out of youth's bloom and promise. In the text Solomon says, "The glory of young men is their strength."

1. These words may be applied to the physical strength of young men. While physical strength is not the highest kind of strength, it is a gift for which we ought to be sincerely thankful. It is an inestimable blessing to come into the world with a sound body, and to find oneself on reaching youthful manhood in the possession of bodily health and vigour. And one should seek to keep his physical strength as long as possible, carefully avoiding everything that would injure it.

2. These words may be applied to the intellectual strength of young men. Intellectual strength is a great blessing. We should not, however, carry our admiration for it too far, as Carlisle does. It is important to cultivate our mental powers. This we may do by a judicious course of reading.

3. These words may be applied to the moral strength of young men. Samson was physically strong but morally weak. Byron was intellectually strong but morally weak. Moral strength is strength like that of Daniel, who purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the king's meat.

4. These words may be applied to the spiritual strength of young men. John says, "I write unto you, young men, because ye are strong and the word of God abideth in you and ye have overcome the wicked one." Those young men are spiritually strong in whom the word of God abideth.

Let young men cultivate these different kinds of strength, physical, intellectual, moral and spiritual, and they will understand the force of the words, "The glory of young men is their strength."

Rev. J. G. Potter.

Rev. J. G. Potter, of St. Andrew's, occupied the pulpit of the George street Methodist church and spoke from the text, "Wilt thou not from this time cry unto me, my Father thou art the guide of my youth," Jeremiah 3rd chap. and 4th verse. He stated that the prophet in this instance used these words as he evidently saw the necessity of calling upon man to forsake his evil ways and cling to God. Success can only be attained by following in His footsteps and failure is due to estrangement from Him.

Jeremiah understands the troubles of the people. He knows that they are deeply in sin and so in the words of the text He calls upon them to take the Father as their guide.

It is a cause of great encouragement, continued the speaker, to think that young manhood is the illustration of all that is strong, buoyant, hopeful and cheerful. Jesus Christ called around Him young men to be His disciples, and to-day he calls upon, not the aged so much, as the young men, because their minds are purer, tenderer and more plastic. They have less of worldliness and selfishness in them than those who have lived longer and becomes stronger in their prejudices. It is an honour and glory to young manhood to know that Jesus Christ calls upon you to His service. He calls upon young men to help Him in turning the course of those who are on the broad road to destruction.

God wants immediate action.

It is His desire that every young man should say "My Father thou art the guide of my youth, be my guard all the way through my life."

What young man is there who would raise his hand against a saintly mother? What young man, no matter how humble, will allow an unrighteous word to be said of one so dear to him. Not even an infidel will allow a word to be said against his Christian mother.

The speaker then proceeded to address a strong appeal to young men to fight the good fight and not bring the grey hairs of their mothers to the grave in sorrow. He instanced the case of the young man in Toronto who recently forged a cheque in that city and endeavoured to pass in the bank. He depicted the sorrow of the father who hurried to the city from the peaceful country to face the awful disgrace which his son brought upon him. He told of the straightforward brother whose career was almost blasted by the occurrence and then spoke touchingly of the agony of the mother. Ah, said he, we can imagine her wishing in her agony that the earth would open a grave in which she could lay her bowed head.

The folly of procrastination was then dwelt upon by Mr. Potter, who drew a comparison by explaining the difficulty met with by a physician to whom the task was assigned of setting a limb which had been for some time broken. The longer it was allowed to go the more difficult was the task of setting it. It was the same, too, with disease. If taken in time it could be cured, but if delay was indulged in, it might be too late when the physician arrived. A special plea was then addressed to the young to join the army of the saved before the conscience became seared by a worldly life. An obstacle which stood greatly in the way of progressive Christianity was that the young were inclined to think that religion was only for the old. He warned them that this was not the case and if the opportunity was let slip now it might pass and never return.

Rev. W. R. Young, B. A.

Rev. W. R. Young, B. A., conducted the service in St. Paul's church. He spoke from Matthew 6—33, "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness." "Self knowledge, self reverence, self control, these three," says one, "form man's true Saviour. Blended in one they form a power that can lift man from deepest depths to highest heights." A prominent lecturer criticising the late Lord Macaulay declared that "Without Godliness in the heart and life the most brilliant career has missed its allotted purpose and there comes a dimness upon the lustre of the brightest fame." These quotations indicate opposite poles of thought. One finds in man all that is necessary for personal salvation. The other recognizes that without God there can be no true salvation. The text to-night is the teaching of the Great Teacher on this question and contains a motto which, if observed, must make a man better for both worlds. What we are to seek, why we should seek, how we should seek, will outline our thoughts to-night. What we are to seek. The object of our search is two-fold—(a) The kingdom of God, (b) His righteousness. When men speak of a kingdom they mean not simply a vast territory, boundless wealth, great population. True, these may be included in the thought of a kingdom but in themselves do not constitute a kingdom. The underlying principle in a kingdom is a sovereign's rule and a subject's submission. Whenever they are found a kingdom is established. So in the use of the word in science a kingdom is that department in which a controlling force is acknowledged. The kingdom of God is the rule of God in the heart, and the cheerful submission of the heart to that rule. Whenever you find these you have the kingdom of God. The righteousness of God is the working out in practical life of this rule in the heart. It means the observance of God's law and the loving of God with all the heart.

Why should we seek this? Any man has a right to ask this question. Religion is one of the most reasonable things in the world. No man is required to take a step in the direction of religion without having a sufficient reason for his doing so. In answer to the question we may submit three answers.

(a) In religion we find that while essential to life, many things are desirable, but not necessary. Their possession would add pleasure to life but they are not necessary. Money may be desirable. It would relieve business difficulty and add to the comfort of home, but many of us have gotten along without much money and may have to do so until the end. Political honours may be desirable, but not necessary. But religion is necessary. While men may get along without it in time, who can face death without it? All else will fail us in that hour.

Religion furnishes us with the simplest course of living, and gives us the most common sense view of life.

Christians are often told that they are credulous—they believe almost anything, and especially anything that is supernatural. But when the facts which Christians believe are placed side by side with those which skeptics ask us to believe, it is easily seen that skeptics are more credulous than Christians. Take the skeptics' account of Creation and compare it with the Bible account, and which requires the stronger faith? Take the Bible account of the creation of man, and is it not easier to accept than the theory of the evolutionist? Surely it was easier for a man to accept the statement that man was made by God in his own image than to believe that his great-great-grandfather was a monkey or a tadpole? Viewed from any standpoint, the religion of Jesus Christ is the simplest and most common sense view of life.

Religion furnishes us with the only true view of life. Sometimes men speak of life as common place. It is made up of routine duty. True it is common place if it is an end in itself, but when life is viewed as a seed-time, and eternity as a harvest, when two worlds are joined, then life and the routine duty cease to be commonplace. The old philosopher rubbing sealing wax with chamois, and then catching feathers and strews with his wax, may appear to be at child's play, for when he is seen as Shaler

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Mrs. F. E. Forgey, of Carns, Keyapaha, Co., Neb., writes: "I write to you again concerning my daughter, Mrs. D. Billings. She has taken two bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and two of 'Golden Medical Discovery.' She thinks the medicines did her a world of good. She was confined the 15th of February. Was sick about three hours, and now has a ten pound daughter. She got along nicely afterward. She says she never felt so well. She looks well and her complexion is clear."

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COLD STORAGE FACILITIES.

Prof. Robertson Says Toronto is a Natural Centre—Phenomenal Expansion of Trade in Butter.

Toronto, Nov. 28.

An interested audience of business men assembled in the Council Chamber at the City Hall yesterday morning to listen to an address upon cold storage by Prof. Robertson, Dominion Dairy Commissioner. Among those present were: Messrs. Andrew Gunn, George Chapman, D. M. Macpherson, M.L.A., Lancaster; J. S. Buchan, Dominion Cold Storage Co., Montreal; W. Thompson, Ed Burke, D. Flavelle, E. H. Ramsay, Rutherford, Ald. Preston, Ald. Leslie, Jones of Dominion Cold Storage Co., Toronto; Marshall.

The Mayor took the chair and briefly introduced the Professor, but having to attend a meeting of the Board of Control, requested Ald. Leslie to preside.

Prof. Robertson, having laid down the cardinal principles that in Canada the products of the farms are the staple articles of commerce, that the work of the middle men is quite as essential to prosperity as the work of producers, and that it is essential to procure the delivery of the finest quality of products to the British consumer in prime condition, called attention to a schedule of twelve articles of food of the value of $577,599,000 which were imported into Great Britain in 1895, every one of which articles is produced in Canada.

Canadian cheese has won the first place in the British market because it is not readily injured at the ordinary atmospheric temperature. The creamery butter in Canada when made is as fine as that made in Denmark or France, from which Great Britain draws large supplies. When the butter from Canadian creameries can be carried to the British markets in cool storage chambers it will win quite as good a reputation there as Canadian floor and Canadian cheese. The exports of butter from Montreal during the shipping season of 1894 were only some 32,000 packages. In 1895 the late Government provided cold storage chambers on the steamships for the safe carriage of that article. The quality was so improved and the demand so increased that the exports from Montreal reached 69,000 packages in 1895, and 157,821 packages in 1896. The exports of this article may be indefinitely increased. Great Britain imports butter annually to the amount of about $65,000,000. The deterioration of food products is caused by some form of fermentation, that can be very greatly retarded if not wholly arrested by keeping the goods continually at a temperature at or near freezing point. The Government has planned to give the necessary assistance to complete what will practically be a chain of cold storage service from the creameries in Canada to the retail shops in Great Britain.

In order that the butter may begin its journey in a state of perfect preservation, the Government will pay a bonus of $100 per creamery to the owners who provide the necessary refrigerators to keep the butter at a temperature not exceeding 37 or 38 degrees. The Government proposes to largely extend the assistance which it has given towards providing a service of refrigerator cars running weekly on different lines of railways to the ports of shipment.

Cold storage chambers, fitted with the best mechanical refrigerator machines, are to be fitted up in several lines of ocean steamships.

The vote by the Dominion Parliament for cold storage was for the preservation of products for the foreign markets only or mainly. At inland points where it may be actually necessary to have cold storage accommodation to complete the chain of cold storage service for goods en route to the foreign markets, if that accommodation will not be provided by private enterprise, doubtless the Government will give the financial assistance which is actually necessary.

Toronto is now a great railway centre, and as the parts of carloads of such products as butter, poultry, eggs and cheese intended for export may be collected here by the refrigerator cars running weekly, it may be necessary to have a cold storage building where these can be kept safely until full carload lots are made up for the ocean shipping ports. Already there are two or three large cold storage warehouses in Montreal, which have been provided wholly by private enterprise and capital. It is presumed that the independence of spirit of Toronto men would not let them ask from the Government what Montreal business men had not needed in providing similar public service. At the same time it would not do to let the cold storage system be faulty from Western Ontario for the want of the necessary accommodation at such an essential railway point as Toronto, and if it cannot be provided without a small measure of Government assistance that will doubtless be given. However, the business itself as a private enterprise would probably be self-sustaining and profitable from the beginning.

At the conclusion of his address Prof. Robertson answered a number of questions elucidating the various points touched upon by him and a brief discussion followed.

Upon motion of Ald. Leslie, a vote of thanks was tendered Prof. Robertson.

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WHO KILLED MR. RANKIN?

A Tragedy on Fitzwilliam Island Which is Surrounded by Mystery—His Companions Missing.

Tobermoray, Ont., Nov. 27.—A week or 10 days ago the tug Seaman of Wiarton called here, bound for Fitzwilliam Island with two Americans, who were going to survey and value timber on the island, the Seaman to call for them in two weeks' time. The men were a Mr. Austin of Detroit and a Mr. Rankin, supposed to be of either Detroit or Big Rapids, Mich. They were accompanied by a guide from this place, George E. Belrose.

Yesterday Capt. A. W. Tyson of the Seaman was obliged to take shelter in Rattlesnake harbor on the Fitzwilliam Island. Going to the shanty occupied by the above-named gentlemen, he knocked on the door. Receiving no reply, he entered, and was horrified to find the body of Mr. Rankin in a box standing against the wall, with bruises on his face and body.

Pinned to the dead man's breast was a note stating that his comrades had left for Tobermoray at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, the 24th, to wire.

As yet Austin and Belrose have not reached here. It is thought they are on Yeo Isle or Black Bill Isle, being unable to make here, having but a small yawl, and the weather since Tuesday night having been very stormy.

The tug Seaman left this morning to look for the missing men. Mr. Rankin's death is believed to have been due to an accident of some kind.

Well Known in Detroit.

Detroit, Nov. 27.—The two men alluded to in the Tobermoray despatch are Thomas J. Austin and James Rankin of this city. They left Detroit about two weeks ago on a land-looking trip to Fitzwilliam Island to estimate the cedar on it, with a view of closing a large contract for cedar ties. The island was recently purchased by W. C. Yawkey of Detroit, and Mr. Austin. Thomas Austin is one of the best-known young men in Detroit. He was born in the city 37 years ago and has lived here all his life. He is married to a daughter of W. C. Yawkey, the well-known lumber man and capitalist of this city. The plan of purchasing Fitzwilliam Island has long been a favorite one with Mr. Austin. Two or three years ago he had an option on the island and endeavored to get some of his friends interested with him. Mr. Yawkey and Mr. Austin recently purchased the island, which contains about 18,000 or 20,000 acres, and has valuable mineral deposits. Mr. Austin has the reputation of being a big-hearted, courageous fellow, who did not know what fear was in an emergency of this kind. His father was a lake captain and Tom was brought up on the water. The general opinion seemed to be that Rankin having met with an accident of some kind, Austin and guide immediately started in search of help. Being an expert sailor he would not hesitate to go out in the heaviest sea. His friends are hopeful that he succeeded in reaching one of the neighboring islands and that the high winds that have prevailed in that region for the last few days have kept him from reaching the mainland. J. S. Rankin, his companion, whose dead body was found in the shanty, is an old-time lumberman and land-looker. He was in partnership with C. S. Ortmann, with whom he made his home at 92 High-street east. He was also interested in the Detroit Sulphite Fibre Company. He is unmarried. Mr. Rankin was born in Scotland 63 years ago and has lived in this country ever since he was 5 years old. He was a well-known Mason.

SIFTON HAS A WALK-OVER.

The New Minister Elected by Acclamation—Winnipeg News.

Winnipeg, Nov. 27.—(Special.)—Hon. Clifford Sifton, Minister of the Interior, was elected by acclamation in Brandon to-day. He will reach Ottawa with his family in a fortnight.

Premier Greenway to-night announced he had selected Charles Meikle, member for Birtle, to fill the vacancy in his Cabinet caused by Mr. Sifton's retirement.

Rev. Alex. Grant of Winnipeg has accepted the call to the First Baptist Church, Ottawa.

Hon. Messrs. Blair and Davies will arrive here to-morrow and go straight through to the coast. They were to have met Mr. Tarte here, but that gentleman's special car is delayed along the line in a snow blockade.

The blizzard here last night was the worst known in years. The train service is badly demoralized and several trains are cancelled entirely.

UNDER THE HORSES' FEET.

Mr. Archibald McLean Slipped From His Wagon and Was Killed.

Harriston, Nov. 27.—Archibald McLean, a farmer living on the town line between Arthur and Minto, was fatally injured here this afternoon. He started for home with a team and wagon, and had only gone a few rods when the lines slipped from him in some way, and in trying to regain his hold he fell under the horses' feet and was kicked in the head, and died in a few hours after, never fully regaining consciousness. He leaves a widow and three children.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—Trade remains quiet and firmer. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.15 to $4.30.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices steady; dealers asking $7.50 west. Shorts $8.50 to $9 west.

Wheat—The market is a little more active and prices strong. Sales of red and white are reported outside at 85c to 86c. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 94c, No. 2 at 92c to 93c, and No. 1 Northern at 98c, all Toronto freights.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with sales at 28½c to 29c west.

Barley—Trade dull there being little demand. No. 2 sold outside at 28c.

Oats—Dull and weak. White is quoted at 19c to 19½c outside and mixed at 18c. The latter offered here at 20c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices easy; sales at 41c north and west.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 35c.

Corn—Market dull, with prices steady at 28c to 29c at outside points.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The receipts of live stock were limited to-day, and the tone of the market is firmer. Choice export cattle are quoted at 3¾c to 4c, and medium at 3½c. The best bulls bring 3¼c to 3½c per lb. Butchers' cattle firm, with the best worth 3¼c per lb. Medium cattle bring 2½c to 2¾c and inferior 2c to 2¼c. Milch cows sell at $25 to $40 each and calves at $3 to $6 each.

Sheep and lambs in limited supply and prices somewhat firmer. Export sheep sold at 3c per lb., and bucks at 2½c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3¼c to 3½c per lb.

Hogs in fair offer and prices unchanged. The best sold at 3¾c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c to 3½c, light weights at 3¾c, sows at 2¾c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Nov. 27.—Spring wheat, 6s 10½d to 7s 0½d; red, 7s 0d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 6d to 7s 8d; corn, 2s 11⅝d; peas, 4s 7½d; pork, 50s; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c. heavy, 29s 0d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 6d; tallow, 19s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast nothing doing, on passage firm. English country markets dull. Maize on passage steadily held.

Liverpool—Stocks of red wheat exhausted; futures steady at 6s 9d for Dec., 6s 9¼d for Jan. and Feb. and 6s 9½d for March. Maize steady at 2s 11¾d for Dec. and 2s 11¼d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 28s 3d.

Paris—Wheat 26s 20c for Dec.; flour 40f 35c for Dec.

Liverpool—Wheat firm at 6s 10¼d for Dec., 6s 10⅜d for Jan. and 6s 10⅝d for Feb. and March. Maize firm at 2s 11¾d for Nov. and Dec. and 2s 11½d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 28s 3d.

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Body Found and Not Identified—Was the Man Thrown from a Boat?

Welland, Nov. 27.—(Special.)—About the middle of September the body of an unknown man was found floating in the canal. An inquest was held and every effort made to discover the deceased's identity, but without success. A notebook found in his possession contained the name of Charles Ross. The St. Catharines police have received a letter from Cleveland officers to the effect that Joseph Fields is serving a sentence for throwing a man off boat into the river at that place. It also states that Fields knocked a man off a boat in the Welland Canal and if the authorities want Fields he can be had. The man knocked into the canal has never been heard of since, and as the drowned man, supposed to be Ross, is the only stranger who has met death in the canal during the past year, it certainly looks like the perpetration of a foul deed on the part of Fields. The coroner has taken steps to have full particulars of the matter in the hands of the authorities, and developments are awaited. The body of the drowned man was interred at Welland.

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The Latest Fashions

The shade known as wild duck, that striking combination of blue and green that recalls the soft breast of the bird, will be seen all winter. In silk for waists and for petticoats and trimmings it will hold its own with all the curious combinations, autumn advices predict.

Black stockings and white shoes are quite en regle, but there is a strong feeling against anything with tan shoes but a hose that exactly matches. Large buckles of antique silver are much worn, particularly with low soft black glace kid shoes, while with gayer colors jeweled bows and beaded tips are not uncommon.

Silk was never in greater demand than it will be this coming winter. The heaviest weaves, the thickest cords, will be most in favor. Light-weight silks will be used only for linings. Heavy moires and richly brocaded satins with raised flowers in contrasting hues, and in shades to match the ground tint, will be the fabrics for dinner and evening wear.

In the matter of fabrics velvet will reign supreme. No winter wardrobe will be complete without a velvet gown. The French modiste has declared in its favor; it is most becoming to the complexion; nothing so sets off the figure or may be made to hang so well. Mark the prophecy—to obtain a gray or a purple velvet gown will be the ambition of every well dressed woman.

A spoon for every use and a use for every spoon. It would seem so in this day of endless invention and variety. Table silver is without limit of pattern or structure. The new sugar tongs are like miniature ice pincers. The handles are finished with two large rings and the ends are claw shaped, so that the lumps of sugar are held as though in a vice.

The latest Parisian sunshades are small. It is suggested that at the present rate of decrease we shall soon be using the tiny silk and lace togs of our grandmothers. Those most popular at the present, however, are of rational size. A recent novelty is white, with flowers printed on its surface, such as convolvuli, poppies and the like, used with a handle whose color harmonizes with the flower and a knot incrusted with precious stones.

Nothing takes the place of lace for millinery and dressmaking purposes. It plays a most prominent part on all summer gowns and hats, no matter what the material, no matter what the color. It is made into butterflies, stiffened into shape with wire for millinery purposes; it is used to cover waistcoats when the silk may be deemed of too deep a shade. It softens and beautifies everything it touches, and is most popular in the yellow shades which are so becoming to the complexion.

Tiny capes, or collets, that reach barely to the puff of the sleeve give the finishing touch to costumes designed for midsummer wear. Two styles appear to divide the allegiance of the entire feminine world. One is a succession of pleatings of mousseline de soie in cream or straw color, over light taffeta foundations, and shows a big bunch of pink roses at the back of the neck beneath a fall of lace. The other is of linen embroidered in arabesques in a combination of tones and is trimmed on the interior with flouncings of soft lace.

A crepe paper toilet table is a great addition and is inexpensive and easily made. Have your carpenter manufacture a circular or square table, as you desire. Tack a piece of cloth around its edge deep enough to come down half way to the floor; sew to this a flounce of the crepe paper, covering the rest of the distance to the carpet. Cover the top of the table with the paper and finish it with another flounce of the paper deep enough to overlap the lower one. Set it off with a liberal number of paper bows or rosettes, and the effect will be really astonishing.

The miniature craze is in full blast. The mania extends in every direction from the decorating of china tea services to the perpetuating of the faces of dear relatives. No drawing room is complete without a collection of these little oval or round shaped studies tacked in groups or standing in odd corners against a bit of drapery or an old empire fan background. All the dead and gone celebrities, wicked and angelic, lucky and unlucky, are charmingly represented. Marie Antoinette, Mme. de Pompadour, Marie Louise and Josephine are prime favorites.

A certain wise though fashionable mother has originated a plan whereby she kills two birds with one stone, for not only are her own and her neighbor's children given the pleasure of having company and each child in its turn taught how to entertain and to practice the unselfishness required of host or hostess, but the mothers themselves are equal sharers with their children in the pleasure brought about by this unique idea. This bright woman has the common sense to realize that she grows petty and narrow and easily irritated by trifles if she stays at home too much or merely seeks recreation in making calls and talking small talk, so she has found three other mothers who think as she does, and they four have formed a "Happy Afternoon Club," in joining which they agree to have the children of the other three at the house of one of the members once a month, for the afternoon. Opera, concert, theatre, golf, tennis or whatever takes the other mothers away for their afternoons recreation is enjoyed with an easy mind, as the stay-at-home mother promises not to delegate the somewhat onerous honors to any one else, but starts all the fun going in person for the children left in her care. At first it was hard work, but what a gala day for the youngsters and a little tact and good management soon made the afternoon more enjoyable than a real party and accustomed them to "society" at an early age. In seeing their children drawn out by the others in thinking up games and entertainment for the little folks the mothers are wonderfully refreshed, and have been quite as much the gainers as the children, and other parents are advised to try this simple plan.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucassus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined?

Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtasked, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then come the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

THE RUSSELL-SCOTT CASE.

Something About the Earl's "Wild Oats" Prior to His Marriage.

London, Nov. 27.—The Central Criminal Court (Old Bailey) was not so crowded as yesterday, when the trial of Lady Selina Scott, mother of the Countess Russell, and others charged by Earl Russell with criminal libel, was resumed this morning before Justice Hawkins.

Lady Scott was dressed as stylishly as yesterday and was attended in court by her maid.

Earl Russell was re-examined by his counsel, Sir Frank Lockwood, Q.C., and said he informed Lady Scott on the subject of his "wild oats" prior to his marriage to her daughter. Counsel for the Earl continuing, read a letter from Lady Scott to his client in which she wrote:

I want you always to trust me. I am thankful I know everything. I love you just the same. Your loving, Bo.

Answering further questions put to him by Sir Frank Lockwood, Earl Russell said that at the end of the suit by the Countess for a restitution of her conjugal rights, the litigation had cost him between £10,000 and £15,000.

Mr. St. George Lanefox, a cousin of Earl Russell, corroborated the latter's evidence on the subject of the yachting trip and said he warned the Earl not to marry, as, from enquiries which he had made, he considered Lady Scott to be a "woman of infamous reputation."

After evidence had been given in regard to the responsibility of Lady Scott for printing and circulating the libels against Earl Russell, upon which the charges against the defendants are based, the court adjourned until Monday.

A Kansas Jail on Fire.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 27.—At 3.30 this morning fire broke out in the Jackson County Jail, and for a while it appeared as if the structure would be destroyed, and many of the prisoners, 168 in number, cremated. Prompt work by the Fire Department prevented an awful holocaust, and the damage to the prison will only be about $1000. The Criminal Court and the marshal's office were wrecked. The fire was caused by a cigarette.

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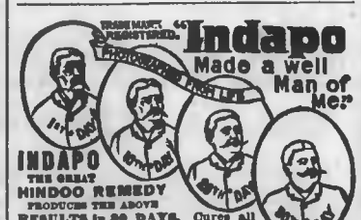

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What ills come to humanity from a disordered liver! Henry Ward Beecher has said that it was impossible for a man to hold correct spiritual views if his liver was out of order. The liver is so important a part of the mechanism of man that when it ceases to work with ease the whole man is unable to do his work aright. Can we not appeal to thousands, nay, tens of thousands, for a verification of this fact? Certainly it is, that Mr. David Reid, of Chesley, Ont., felt that the enjoyment of life had been taken from him, through the unhealthy condition of his liver. For ten years he says he was troubled with liver complaint and dyspepsia. Employing his own language: "At times my liver was so tender I could not bear it pressed or touched from the outside. Had tried a great many remedies without any benefit. Was compelled to drop my work, and being worse than usual, I decided as a final resort to try South American Nervine, which had been recommended to me by friends who had been cured by it. I got a bottle from A. S. Goodeve, local druggist, and commenced taking according to directions. Before I had taken half a bottle I was able to go to work again, and I have improved steadily since. I can conscientiously recommend South American Nervine to any suffering from dyspepsia or liver complaint." This is Mr. Reid's story as he tells it in his own words. Were it thought necessary it could be corroborated by a host of witnesses. Mr. Reid has lived a long time in Chesley, and his case was known to be a very bad one. But that makes no difference to Nervine. This great discovery rises equal to the most trying occasions. Let it be indigestion, the most chronic liver trouble, as with Mr. Reid, nervous prostration, that makes life miserable with so many, sick headaches, that sap all the effort out of man or woman, Nervine measures to the necessities of the case. It is a great medicine and thousands to-day in Canada are happier and healthier men and women, because of its discovery. There is no great secret about it, and yet there is an important secret. It operates on the nerve centers of the system from which emanate all life and healthfulness, or if disordered, sickness, even death. Nervine strikes promptly at the nerve centers, hence, as with Mr. Reid, where ten years' use of other medicines had done no good, less than a bottle of Nervine brought about encouraging results, and a few bottles cured.

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SEVERAL SERMONS TO THE YOUNG MEN.

(Continued from Fifth Page)

of Miletus, investigating the power of a magnet, his work takes a new meaning. Franklin flying a kite seems to be child's play, but when that kite flying is seen to Franklin questioning the storm cloud, it has a deeper meaning. So the measuring of cloth between the counter, the building of stone and brick walls, and all the common work of life take on a new meaning when they are seen as connecting time and eternity.

For these three reasons, men—young men especially, should seek the kingdom of God.

How should we seek? This may be illustrated by a study of the way men of the world seek the things of the world. With all the heart, with all the mind, with all sacrifice. So should we seek God to day. First in point of time, first in order of merit, first in everything. After all it is the only object worth seeking.

Rev. J. J. Rae

Rev. J. J. Rae occupied the pulpit of St. Andrew's church last night. He took for his text II Kings 6-17: "And Elisha prayed and said. Lord, I pray the, open then his eyes that he may see. And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man."

This scene is familiar to us all. Elisha and his young servant were fleeing from the King of Syria. They take refuge in Dothan. The host of Syria encompasses Dothan at night and when the young man had "risen early and gone forth, behold a host compasses the city, both with horses and chariots." He hastened to his master in great fear and said: "Alas, my master, what shall we do!" And Elisha said: "Fear not, for they that be with us are more than they that be with them." And Elisha prayed, "Lord, I pray thee, open then his eyes that he may see," and the Lord opened his eyes and he saw the mountains full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.

If there were but one prayer for the Christian church in behalf of the young men who stand facing the problems of life and destiny, that prayer should be for each: "Lord, I pray thee, open thou his eyes that he may see."

This is the secret of all mastery. Men are great, and rich, and happy, they are poets, and philosophers, and sculptors, and inventors only as their eyes are opened that they may see. The greatest vision that a man can have is the vision of a true noble manhood, to the attainment of which all the powers of being are called into action, and all the forces without into aid, and the question of how to attain this manhood, how to get this vision, is the question of questions to us all.

A man must see God. No human life begins in earnest until their eyes are open to see God. "Not a monarch watching nature while her mighty plan unfolds, but the Father of our spirits and the Shepherd of our frames, Loving each as our begotten, Calling each by separate names." We must see God as a Father in "Our Father which art in Heaven,"—only then can we apprehend Him aright. We must see god as a Helper. He who reads the world's history should see in it and through it all the master movements of all-powerful Love struggling to bring harmony and happiness to men. So in each life God's effort is ever evident to those who can see, offering and making available every needed help to the consummation of manhood. We must seek God as a protection. He that is for is more than all that can be against us. God stands to protect all who trust in Him, the present refuge of human weakness and need.

A man must see himself. He only can when he has first seen God, then in mirrored truth he sees himself. Sees what he is—what life means, sees what he can be—what the possibilities of living are. He must see the potentials of choice—the necessity of wise and personal administrations of life. He must see the need, the essential necessity of ceasing to do evil and learning to do well, for he is the divinely appointed architect of life's structure and the material must be good if the edifice stand.

A man must see his fellow-men. He belongs to a family and all men are brothers, sons of one Father. He is a citizen of a nation and all men are fellow citizens, subjects of the same King. He must see that it is duty to closely judge his fellowmen. Some will not administer for themselves—they live to be helpful. Some live to help and these only are happy. Their songs abound while from the others go up the shriek and curse and groan.

How shall we be able to see? Get proper position, take in the landscape of time and eternity. Be a citizen of both worlds. Live in clear atmosphere of truth, honour and sobriety. Have strong power of vision. Live so that sight may be keen. Let

Faith and her realising light
The clouds disperse, the shadows fly,
The invisible appear in sight
And God is seen by mortal eye.

Then though it doth not yet appear what we shall be, yet we know that when He appeareth we shall see Him as He is.

THE TOWN AND MANUFACTURERS.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

A letter appeared in the EXAMINER of Friday, the 27th November, over the signature of a manufacturer, making complaint of the inaction of the Town Council and the Board of Trade in neglecting the town's interest by not inducing manufacturers to come to Peterborough. I shall not defend the council nor the Board of Trade, but I hardly think that ratepayers will uphold the views of the manufacturer. Being myself a manufacturer of 35 years domicile at Peterborough, the ratepayers will bear me out in saying that the town prospered better before the advent of such factories being coaxed to Peterborough by the council, giving them all they asked for in land and exemption of taxes. Ask such manufacturers whether they build houses for to rent, for which they would have to pay taxes? This question requires no answer, as everyone knows that owners of houses have to pay taxes whether their places are provided with tenants or for years empty. What have manufacturers of such a class done for the town since their advent. Houses have been built on the strength of being wanted for the increase of population. Properties have so lost since in value as to become unsaleable, even at the price the same are taxed for. The taxes which the council wants ratepayers to believe to be low in comparison with other towns is a delusion, as such places have given bonuses for railways and built waterworks, which is not the case in Peterborough. How have such manufactories affected trade? They have doubled the traders and with what results? I leave this question unanswered. As everyone well knows, I am, myself, a manufacturer, as stated before. What has the council for the thirty-five years I have been in business done for me? Once in all that time I supplied the police with helmets. One of the officers left the town suddenly and by another officer being appointed as his successor, he was also supplied with a helmet, which caused a wrangling in the council over the payment for the same, because they had not given an order for it. The ratepayers will find that the council then was more enconomical than at present.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your kindness.

I remain,
Yours truly,
WM. LECH.

Nov. 30.

PERRYTOWN CHEESE FACTORY.

The Annual Meeting held on November 25th—A Good Attendance.

The annual meeting of the Perrytown cheese factory was held in the factory on Wednesday, Nov. 25th. There was a very attendance of patron. On motion Mr. James Durham took the chair, and Mr. Wm. Kelley was elected secretary. After the minutes of the last meeting were adopted, the secretary, F. Currilley, read the report, showing the working of the factory for the past season to be in advance of last year, both in sales and also cheese manufactured :

Total No. lbs. of milk received during season.....762,366
Total No. of lbs. of cheese manufactured. 69,477
Total cash received for cheese.....$5,811 09

The following officers were appointed for the ensuing year :

President—J. W. McBurney.

Directors—The President and Messrs. Alex. Beatty. Wm. Potts, J. C. Gray, Wm. Robb, Dr. Henry Leslie, V.S., and Henry Wilson. Fred. Currilley was appointed as secretary, salesman and treasurer. The meeting then adjourned.

CAVAN.

The following extract from the minutes of the Cavan council has been forwarded to the EXAMINER with a request for publication :—

"Moved by Councillor Berry, seconded by Councillor Hootan,—That the reeves and members of the municipal council of the corporation of the township of Cavan in council assembled, do take this, our earliest opportunity, of expressing our sincere thanks to Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., for the valuable assistance he has given us in connection with the matter of the proposed opening and making of the thirteenth and fourteenth concession lines of road in the township of Cavan running through the big swamp east of the middle or gravel road, and for his valuable address given to the public at the meeting held in the village of Cavanville in connection with the visit and address of the Provincial Road Overseer, and that the clerk be instructed to forward a copy of this motion to Mr. Stratton.—Carried unanimously."

LILY LAKE LITERARY SOCIETY

Large Attendance at the Regular Meeting—A Good Programme Presented.

The regular meeting of the Lilly Lake Literary Society was held on Thursday evening, Nov. 19th, at which there was a large attendance. The president took the chair at 7 30, and after the secretary's report was received and the business, of which there was a great deal, was dispensed with, the following programme was rendered :

Critic's report.....Critic
Reading.....Mr Joe Tully
Song.....Mr Fred Tully
Impromptu speech.....Mr Will Tully
Instrumental...Messrs Lou and Rollie Ferguson
Recitation.....Miss Elma Stovey
Recitation.....Mr Rollie Ferguson
Song.....Miss Edith Tully
Recitation.....Mr Sidney Tully
Impromptu speech.....Mr John Mahood
Recitation.....Miss Jennie Mahood
Impromptu speech.....Mr Joe Middleton
Recitation.....Mr Harry Elliott
Song.....Miss Clara Middleton
Reading.....Miss Lena Tully

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IMPERATIVE DECEMBER DOINGS

—AT—

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We propose making December a notable month in our business. November has been a booming month, for, mind you, we laid ourselves out to boom things—not talk, not thunder, not importuning to buy, but a solid boom that bought buyers. Our idea of booming is to put out some inducements that no one can afford to neglect. You will remember our special push for November was in Carpets, Curtains and Housefurnishings. We purpose to push the going out of other lines embracing

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Ladies' Jackets, Frieze	5 35

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NEWS FROM OTTAWA

The Premier Had an Adventure on a Street Car.

THE CONDUCTOR ALMOST FAINTED

When He Found That He Had Demanded Fare a Second Time From the First Minister—Old Dominion Notes Will Have to be Used for a Time Yet.

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—A good story is being told of the Premier. The other evening it was raining, and naturally Mr. Laurier took a street car, paying his fare on entering. The car was crowded and when some passengers alighted and others got on the conductor got mixed up about his collections. Thus it happened, says The Tribune, that he again presented his fare box to the distinguished statesman. Mr. Laurier looked at the box and then at the conductor: "What is this for?"

"Your fare."

"I have paid you."

"When?"

"When I got on."

"You have just got on, and you haven't paid."

Things seemed to be at a deadlock, when a red-faced man with his arms full of bundles, came to the rescue. He vouched for the fact that Mr. Laurier had paid his fare, and when that gentleman alighted at McLaren-street the red-faced man felt that he had the moral support of the car.

"Ye oughtn't t' have held up the Government for a five-cent fare," he said, "ye really oughtn't."

When it dawned upon the conductor who his passenger was he was so overcome that he nearly fell in a fit. As it was, he actually stopped dead at the car crossing until the white flag was waved.

Recently references appeared in some newspapers to the disgraceful condition of many of the Dominion dollar bills now in circulation. Hitherto it has been the custom of the Finance Department to replace dirty and dilapidated Dominion bills on presentation to that department with new ones. This is done largely through the Ottawa banks, who can conveniently send over to the department a batch of five or ten thousand dollars' worth and secure new notes for them. It transpires, however, that at the present time the department has run out of new stock, and it will be probably a month before the banks can secure any. Some of the Ottawa banks have had to send to the Assistant Receiver-General's office at Montreal for a supply of dollar bills, and what they have received have been worn-out bills actually held there for transmission to the department to be cancelled. Owing to the condition of affairs in the department, there is no alternative but to place them in circulation again. It is likely that Toronto may also be called upon for a supply.

It is by no means settled when Mr. Laurier will visit England. It is possible that he may have to cross the Atlantic this winter, even though the session of Parliament is not more than ten or twelve weeks away. The Premier is not anxious to visit England until next year, but public business, chiefly the fast Atlantic steamship question, may render it imperative for him to go. If the journey can be avoided the visit will be postponed until after next session, in which case he will probably be accompanied by Sir Richard Cartwright. Strange to say, the Premier has never visited Europe.

Hon. Mr. Fisher and a number of Ottawa gentlemen have received invitations to attend the annual meeting of the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union, which is to be held at Guelph on Dec. 9 and 11. It is pointed out that during this year co-operative experimental work in agriculture alone has greatly developed, there being upwards of 11,000 plots, situated on 2260 different farms, used for experiments throughout the province. A splendid program of papers has been arranged for the meeting. The Dominion and Provincial Ministers of Agriculture have promised to attend. As showing the growth of experiments in agriculture, it may be pointed out that in 1886 there were only 12 in Ontario; in 1888, 90; in 1891, 203; in 1892, 754; in 1893, 1204; in 1894, 1440; in 1895, 1699, and in 1896, 2260.

A telegraphic despatch from Winnipeg appears in the evening papers stating that Mr. J. E. Smart of Brandon has been appointed Deputy Minister of the Interior in succession to Mr. Burgess. Nothing has been announced of Mr. Burgess' intention to resign the position, or of the Government to replace him with some other man. The Premier, when asked what truth there was in the story, replied that he had not heard a word of the matter, and he regarded the despatch as a pure fabrication.

Capt. Deville, Surveyor-General, has looked into the American contention that the nets seized by the cruiser Dolphin on Aug. 10 last in Lake Huron somewhere near the boundary line were taken in United States waters. From the maps of the United States War Department it transpires that the seizure was actually made within Canadian jurisdiction, so that there is no prospect of the parties from whom the nets were secured making anything out of their contention.

Several employes connected with the Departments of Agriculture, Railways and Canals and Postoffice put in their last day's work to-day, a large number having received their notice of dismissal some time ago. Ministers are still being pestered by applicants for office. One Minister recently received a letter from an Ottawa man stating that he thought evidence could be procured to convict a Government employe of political partisanship at the last election. If sufficient evidence were procured to justify his dismissal, would the vacant position be given to the writer's son? The Minister replied that any evidence of partisanship against an employe would be carefully weighed, but certainly the position, if vacated, would not go to the writer's son.

Mr. Tarte and party returned to Ottawa to-night. The Minister says what impressed him most in the west was the feeling of confidence among the people. He was surprised to find so many young men settled out there, all willing to work. Immediately on reaching the city Mr. Tarte paid a visit to his chief.

They are having exciting times in Hintonburgh, Ottawa's western suburb. The villagers who haven't paid their taxes can now keep their money in the bank for a few days. An injunction was granted by the Judge in Chambers this morning, restraining the further collection of taxes until Dec. 7. The injunction was an accompaniment to a writ issued in the High Court of Justice by R. V. Sinclair on behalf of Messrs. George Sparks, Andrew Holland, James Newton, Robert Reid and others, protesting against the taxation as illegal and void, and also asking that the village clerk, Mr. Mason, be restrained from acting as treasurer, either to receive or pay out the village moneys, until such time as he gives ample security, and also asking that Mr. Frank Hatherall be restrained from acting as tax collector until he gives security. The reason for asking that the taxation be declared illegal is that the rate exceeds two cents on the dollar, the limit fixed by statute.

Information was received at the Geological Survey Department to-day of the death of Mr. N. J. Giroux, of the survey staff, at River Boudette. Mr. Giroux was lying ill at his father's house, and his death was hastened by the burning of the dwelling. Mr. Giroux had to be carried out of the building, and the shock retarded his recovery. He was 37 years of age, and highly respected by his associates at the Survey Office.

J. G. Scott, manager of the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway, was here to-day, and had an interview with the Postmaster-General regarding mail subsidies on that railway.

Sir Oliver Mowat, Hon. Mr. Fielding and his private secretary left for Toronto to-day. The Tariff Commission opens in Hamilton to-morrow.

Information was received here to-day of the death at Peterboro of Mr. Richard Nagle, who amassed a fortune in this district in lumbering. He once ran for member of Parliament for Ottawa.

Mr. W. McDougall of Hull has been appointed Sheriff of Ottawa County, vice Coutlee, retired.

The appointment of Senator McClelan as Lieut.-Governor of New Brunswick will be made this week.

A number of American bridge builders spent the day in town. They are on a tour of inspection.

SEES WITHOUT AN EYE.

Dr. Cocke of Boston, the Blind Specialist, Is Thankful to the X Rays.

Boston, Nov. 30.—Dr. James Richard Cocke, the blind scientist of this city, was made to see to-day for the first time in his life since he was three days old. It was a triumph of the X-ray. But perhaps more wonderful than this was the fact shown that eyes are not necessary to sight, developing the interesting problem, Where is the sense of sight located?

Dr. Cocke has one glass eye and one real eye, but the real eye is totally blind, yet it was clearly shown that the most vivid perception of light sensation was in the eyeless socket.

The instrument used was capable of a power of a million volts, and the tube was the ordinary Crookes.

Dr. Sutherland and G. Von P. Palm were the operators. A block of wood with raised copper letters on it was shown to Dr. Cocke inside and outside the cabinet. He felt it with his hands, and when he discovered the letters he said they were just what he had seen, and which gave him the impression of lack of density, or thinness.

"I am satisfied of this," said Dr. Cocke, "that if my sight were restored this minute I could not read print; but if it were raised like the blind alphabet I am sure I could read that."

When asked what the sensation was like, he said: "It is like an internal, tactile sensation; up and down, up and down, and off. It is a most exciting sensation. It is so intense that it is painful. This is not a perception of objects, but of my consciousness. This is an impression within my life. It is an inner and not an objective sense. It is vibratory. It seems like a general cerebral sense. It is almost like the perception of space."

BRITAIN AND FRANCE

Should be Friendly, So Paris Papers are Saying.

A VERY DECIDED CHANGE OF TONE

All the Powers Should Act in Concert in Regard to Turkey—Frosts in Britain Have Affected Crop Prospects—The Hamburg Dockers' Strike—General Cable News.

Paris, Nov. 30.—The Figaro, in a leading article to-day, declares that the most intimate relations between Great Britain and France are necessary; and that M. Hanotaux, Minister of Foreign Affairs, will be to blame if he fails to cement the nations as desired by the people and Parliament of France.

Le Nord confirms the statement made on Saturday that the Paris Government has joined the Governments in St. Petersburg and London in negotiations looking to the establishment of Turkish reforms, which accounts for the sudden change in the tone of the French press towards England.

FROSTS IN EUROPE.

That Is Probably the Reason for the Latest Rise in Wheat.

London, Nov. 30.—The Mark Lane Express to-day, commenting on the crop prospects, says: Severe frosts in France and Central Europe have stopped plowing and sowing, and we anticipate a somewhat reduced wheat acreage in the entire region between the Vistula and the Bay of Biscay. Winter has set in throughout Russia. The Sea of Azof was closed to navigation on Nov. 24, and navigation of the Baltic is dangerous on the northern and eastern coasts, where there already is much ice.

Owing to the rainfall in India the deficiency in the wheat acreage is reduced, but while famine no longer threatens, a scarcity seems bound to be felt until the spring of 1898. English wheat maintains a good price in London, but the country markets are less firm. The cause of this is clear. In the counties last week 166,684 quarters of English wheat were offered for sale, against 69,530 for the same week of 1895.

A LITTLE LOVE FEAST.

Sir Joseph Lister and Mr. Bayard Say Nice Things at the Royal Society Dinner.

London, Nov. 30.—The anniversary dinner of the Royal Society was given to-night. Among the guests was Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, the American Ambassador, who proposed a toast to Sir Joseph Lister, the president of the society. In speaking to his toast, Mr. Bayard paid a handsome tribute to the work that had been achieved by the society.

Sir Joseph, replying to the toast, eulogized Mr. Bayard, who, he said, had endeared himself to everybody by his genuine love for the Old Country. Mr. Bayard, he added, must have a feeling of the greatest satisfaction, as he (Mr. Bayard) had privately remarked to him during the evening, that the hope of his life had been almost fulfilled, and when he left he would be able to feel that the clouds that had once seriously threatened the amicable relations of the United States and Great Britain had entirely cleared away during his term of office. This Sir Joseph ascribed as largely due to Mr. Bayard's beneficent efforts.

HAMBURG DOCKERS' STRIKE.

Some Reason to Hope that the Trouble Will Shortly Be Settled.

Hamburg, Nov. 30.—There is some reason to believe that the trouble here will shortly be settled. Efforts to bring about a conference resulted today in the appointment of a committee of four ship owners and four workmen to decide upon terms for a settlement of the strike. The committee met to-day, and it is said that the outlook for the ending of the trouble is hopeful, both sides being willing to recede in some degree from the extreme stand they have heretofore maintained.

Dockers' Strike Extending.

London, Nov. 30.—A despatch from Hamburg to the Exchange Telegraph Co., says the strike of the Hamburg dock laborers is extending, the dock men at Bremerhaven, Geestemunde and Nordenham having joined the strikers.

The Cable Conference.

London, Nov. 30.—The Pacific Cable Conference is meeting daily at the Colonial Office in secret sessions. The taking of the technical evidence has been finished. This included the evidence of London cable manufacturers and W. H. Preece, the technical director of telegraphs, of the postoffice of Great Britain.

Steamship Rates Go Up.

London, Nov. 30.—The American Line Steamship Company has issued a circular list of revised rates of fare on the ships of that company. The winter rates are not altered. The summer season begins with the month of April instead of July, as heretofore, and extends to October. The summer saloon rates are increased from £17 to £20, children half fare, and the age limit is reduced from 12 to 8 years. Reductions on return tickets are discontinued. The other transatlantic companies will adopt the same rates and regulations.

To Release Jameson.

London, Nov. 30.—The Daily Mail will to-morrow say that Sir Matthew White Ridley, the Home Secretary, acting on the advice of Sir William Broadbent, who on Saturday visited and examined Dr. Jameson, in Holloway Jail, has ordered the release of the prisoner. Dr. Jameson's friends wanted to remove him this evening, but he was too weak to be taken from the prison.

Hard on Ticket Agents.

New York, Nov. 30.—An evening paper says the business of the committee agents who made a livelihood by booking passengers on the trans-atlantic steamships from this city, is practically at an end. The substance of a circular which has been prepared is that, on and after Dec. 1, 1896, all steamship lines carrying passengers across the Atlantic, either to British or Continental ports, will refuse to accept passengers by these agencies.

Nervous

People find just the help they so much need, in Hood's Sarsaparilla. It furnishes the desired strength by purifying, vitalizing and enriching the blood, and thus builds up the nerves, tones the stomach and regulates the whole system. Read this:

"I want to praise Hood's Sarsaparilla. My health run down, and I had the grip. After that, my heart and nervous system were badly affected, so that I could not do my own work. Our physician gave me some help, but did not cure. I decided to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon I could do all my own housework. I have taken

Cured

Hood's Pills with Hood's Sarsaparilla, and they have done me much good. I will not be without them. I have taken 13 bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and through the blessing of God, it has cured me. I worked as hard as ever the past summer, and I am thankful to say I am well. Hood's Pills when taken with Hood's Sarsaparilla help very much." MRS. M. M. MESSENGER, Freehold, Penn.

This and many other cures prove that

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Hood's Pills act easily, promptly and effectively. 25 cents.

The Daily Examiner is delivered to all parts of the Town for 10c. a week 35c. a month, $2.00 for six months.

Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1896.

THE TOBACCO HABIT.

The universal habit of using tobacco is as firmly ingrained in human nature, almost, as the habit of using bread. Though as long ago as the time of King James, that virtuous monarch denounced with his royal pen the use of the weed, humanity has kept right on using tobacco which has found advocates almost as distinguished as the royal censor. At first thought it would seem that a plant to which humanity so universally turns for comfort was provided by nature for the use of man. Lord Byran in a distich thus apostrophises the leaf of the nicotiana tabacum:

Sublime tobacco! that from east to west,
Soothes the tar's labour and the Turkman's rest,

and Lord Lytton thus pays tribute to the virtues of the much-condemned solace of man:

"Tobacco is a pleasing and a soothing friend; it makes a man think like a philosopher and act like a sage."

Thus we see opinions differ; what we like, we manage to approve of without many qualms of conscience; what we can't use or enjoy we very easily see the evil of. However, with tobacco, as with other things, the benefit or injury depends upon the moderate and proper use or the intemperate use or abuse. Still, as Canadians lead in most things, it is satisfactory to know that they lead in reform of the tobacco habit. They used less tobacco last year than for any of the four previous years. The quantity of tobacco consumed in Canada during last year was 9,633,000 pounds, or 340,000 pounds less than the average of the past four years. Half a million pounds of Canadian tobacco was used in the factories. There are 1,500,000 above the age of twenty in the Dominion. This would make the average consumption of tobacco, snuff and cigarettes made in Canada a little over six pounds for each male adult. There were 108,290,000 cigars consumed, against 106,181,000 in 1896, and an average of 110,192,000 for four years. These returns show that each male adult consumed seventy-two Canadian made cigars during the year. If as many more are imported, and if the non-smokers constitute one-fourth of the population, then every smoking adult in Canada smoked 192 cigars last year. The flippant and frivolous cigarette was manufactured, to the extent of 77,664,000, against 54,493,000 in 1895, and 44,450,000 in 1894. This is a distinct increase in this regard, though a man, woman or child that smokes a cigarette cannot be said to use tobacco. Yet the habit is perhaps more morally degenerative and pernicious than the use of tobacco in any form. If we continue using less tobacco and consuming less whisky and allied tipples, we may have reason for expecting the dawn of the millenium in a few thousand years.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE window glass combine in the United States is broken—a very natural consequence of an attempt to squeeze such a commodity into a corner.

THE sanguinary fable of the Kilkenny cats it seems is being re-enacted in Cuba. Each of the compatriots is claiming to have "chawed up" the enemy in a most thorough style, and if both tell the truth, there will soon be nothing left but the—tales.

DURING next year three provincial lieutenant-governorships will be vacant—Ontario in May, British Columbia in November, and Quebec in December. It may be expected that somebody will be found to fill them. The salary of the office in Quebec and Ontario is $10,000 with free residence, etc., and in British Columbia $9000 with the usual perquisites.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

THE CATTLE EXPORT TRADE.

Interesting figures in Relation to this Important Industry.

People in Canada have been known to ask why, if the export cattle trade were a losing one, as those pursuing it say, do shippers stick to it season after season. The answer probably is that the trade is not always a losing one, indeed has been at one time very profitable, but owing to peculiar conditions on the other side the Atlantic was perhaps a losing one this year. Prices ruled low, 9½c in London in June, only 8c in July, coming up to 11½c in August, and going down to 8 or 9c again. The condition of the animals sent over was often poor and quite a number of shipments realised a loss. The extent of the trade was very considerable, 100,360 head having been shipped in 1896, as compared with 96,562 in 1895, which at an average of $60 each, represents a total of $6,021,600. The freight amounted to $1,003,600, while the railway charges were $301,080. The amount of hay used is estimated at 15,000 tons, which at $11 per ton, makes $165,000. The insurance is put at $100,360; keep of cattle at yards, $54,661; loading fees, $54,661, and attendants for the ocean voyages amounted to $90,000, making a total of over $8,000,000. This, therefore, is no inconsiderable industry. Exports of sheep were 80,671 head, a decided decline from the 136,728 head of 1895, and caused, no doubt, by the embargo placed upon them in January last. In their case, too, low prices were the rule, for where in 1895 they realised 14½c. for top price, in the present season the top price was 12½c. The value of these 80,671 at $5 the head s put at $403,355; ocean freight $100,000 and insurance $20,000. Horses went abroad to the number of 12,755 from the St. Lawrence in 1895; this year the number was only 10,087, of which one-half were landed in London.

A table will show the number of animals shipped from Montreal and Quebec during the season and the steamer lines by which they went:

Steamers.	*Cattle.*	*Sheep.*	*Horses.*
Allan Line	27,100	27,086	4,086
Reford & Co.	32,744	13,483	2,077
Elder, Dempter & Co.	15,656	17,632	1,851
Dominion Line	13,470	8,392	876
Johnston "	8,931	2,272	333
Beaver "	8,486	5,345	642
From Quebec	2,270	533	....
" "	1,451	1,222	86
Munderloh & Co	961	1,486	....
McLean, Kennedy & Co.	171	214	155
Total	100,269	80,671	10,087

Thirty thousand cattle went to Liverpool, twenty-two thousand to Glasgow, eighteen thousand to London, the remainder to Bristol, Newcastle, Manchester and France. Among the exporters of sheep John Dunn was at the head with shipments of 12,165; A. McIntosh, P. R. Duff, and Swift & Co. being other large shippers. Gordon & Ironside, who shipped 33,907 head of cattle in 1895, despatched only 27,057 this year. James Eakins stands next with 9,571. There seems a fascination about the trade for we have counted ninety names in the list of shippers of Canadian cattle during the present season. —Monetary Times.

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Paine's Celery Compound the Only Kind that Cures.

Other Celery Concoctions Merely Worthless Imitations.

"PAINE'S" Has a World-wide Record of Life-saving.

If you are numbered amongst the sick and diseased the medicine you need is the kind that has cured your friends and neighbours.

Paine's Celery Compound is to-day the only medicine that can meet your needs if you are suffering from rheumatism, neuralgia, liver and kidney troubles, dyspepsia and constipation, nervousness or from any trouble that results from impoverished or impure blood. It cures the sick as surely as night follows day.

The vast reputation that Paine's Celery Compound has acquired as a life-saver has led unscrupulous men to put up worthless imitations, and to name them celery preparations. Many people are deceived daily by these miserable frauds, spending their money for remedies that have no established record, and that can never cure.

A little care on the part of those who purchase will soon have the effect of banishing such deceptive liquid preparations from our midst.

Ask for "Paine's"; insist upon getting "Paine's"; and be satisfied that the name "Paine's" is on every wrapper and bottle that you buy. When you secure "Paine's" you have the only medicine on earth that can drive off your load of misery and suffering and give you a healthy, fresh and joyful life.

THEY'VE LEFT BLENHEIM.

The Prince of Wales and His Family Depart From the Marlborough Mansion.

London, Nov. 28.—The Prince and Princess of Wales, who have been the guests of the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough at Blenheim Palace for the past week, took their departure from Blenheim to-day. Their Royal Highnesses were escorted from Woodstock to Oxford by the Oxfordshire Hussars and a detachment of the local Yeomanry Corps. The military was headed by the Duke of Marlborough, in his capacity of lieutenant of cavalry.

To Treat for Annexation.

Honolulu, Nov. 21.—(Via San Francisco, Nov. 28.)—It is generally stated here, on what seems to be excellent authority, that Minister Cooper's mission to Washington is to assist Resident Minister Hatch in the negotiation of a treaty of annexation to the United States with President Cleveland.

The Wabash Railway Trains

running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled from end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

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IF HE WERE THE MAYOR HIMSELF

His Case Could not be More Thoroughly Discussed.

THE McFADDEN CURE

This was a Case of Diabetes—Also Stone in the Bladder—Cured by Eight Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Napanee Nov. 20.—(Special)—If he were Mayor of the town he could not be better known nor his case cause more talk. Your correspondent refers to Mr. Archibald McFadden whose prolonged sufferings so many were aware of and his cure by using Dodd's Kidney Pills which is causing so much talk just now. As to his experiences he said:—"For some years I have been troubled with Diabetes and stone of the bladder I consulted and was treated by several of the best physicians with no permanent benefit."

"The agony I endured in voiding and rom scalding can never be described I ran down in weight and strength until I thought that my time had come.

"I tried all the remedies prescribed by friends until at last I was advised to use Dodd's Kidney Pills."

"After using eight boxes I am as sound and well as ever in my life and have not lost a day since using the first few doses."

Dodd's Kidney Pills have never as yet, in any case, failed to cure kidney disease at any stage of its progress.

THE COLDEST NOVEMBER

That Has Been Known for Fifteen Years—Ten Carloads of Sheep Frozen to Death.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 30.—The cold weather which prevails in the storm-swept districts of the Northwest has caused intense suffering, and the death list of four is expected to be increased unless milder weather sets in.

Ten carloads of sheep, destined for Chicago, were frozen at Grand Harbor, Devil's Lake. The November which is just closing is the coldest known in the Northwest for 15 years. Snow fell on the 4th of the month and has not since disappeared. There is great suffering on the stock ranges, and thousands of cattle will be killed if the weather continues cold.

At Vermillion, S.D., there is hardly a tree standing and every orchard is ruined. In many instances trees a foot in diameter were snapped off at the bottom. At midnight the thermometer was 12 below zero.

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Arrested and Thrown Into Prison in Cuba.

BUT JOHN BULL MADE HOT HASTE

He Taking Steps to Protect His Subjects, Who Were Two Men From Vancouver, B. C.—Defenceless Men and Women Massacred by Order of Gen. Weyler.

New York, Nov. 30.—A Herald special from Victoria, B.C., says: That the wheels of British diplomatic circles move swiftly when British subjects are outraged by foreign powers, is evinced by a case in which all residents of this province are interested.

The first intimation came on Thursday last in a telegram to Premier Turner from Bell Irving, a well-known merchant of Vancouver, B.C., who states that his brothers-in-law, Messrs. Beattie, both residents of British Columbia, had been arrested by the Spanish in Cuba, wrongfully imprisoned and sentenced to death. Mr. Irving asked that the Government of British Columbia take immediate action in their behalf, and the Premier at once telegraphed F. G. Vernon, the British Consular Agent General in London, asking that he communicate with the Foreign Office, and urge prompt inquiry and protection for the British Columbians. At the same time Lieut.-Governor Dewdney cabled to the Secretary of State, asking him to look into the case.

Immediate replies were received both from Mr. Vernon and the Secretary of State. The former, in fact, cabled within 18 hours after the despatch of the Premier's message to him, stating that the desired steps had been taken, and the Foreign Office would insure the safety of Messrs. Beattie and all other British residents in Cuba.

AS BAD AS TURKEY.

All Non-Combatants in Cuba Being Massacred by Order of Butcher Weyler.

Key West, Fla., Nov. 30.—Havana advices say the extermination of Pacificos continues by Weyler's orders. All commanders are ordered to clear the country of all non-combatants. The massacres only become known through the confessions of officers and soldiers. Col. Struch, it is said, openly boasted in Havana of killing over 300 old men, women and girls, who surrendered in Pinar Del Rio Province. Many have also been killed in other provinces.

Cubans Made a Great Capture.

New York, Nov. 30.—The first definite news regarding the capture of Guaimaro, in the district of Gamaguey, Cuba, by the insurgents arived in this city to-day in the form of a personal letter from Gen. Calixto Garcia to the Cuban Junta.

The report of the siege and capture, which was cabled here some time ago, has been denied by the Spanish authorities, but the Cuban leaders in this city declare that Gen. Garcia's letter leaves no doubt now that the report was correct.

It states that the garrison of 295 men in town lasted two days. When the officers surrendered the Cubans took as prisoners all the men in charge of the forts, which included one captain, two lieutenants, two sub-lieutenants, 18 sergeants, one surgeon and 16 corporals. All the officers were paroled, but the men were sent to the mountains to work on the Cuban plantations.

The booty captured by Gen. Garcia's men was a great boon to the patriots. It included 500 centenes (a gold piece worth $530) and other money aggregating $21,000, 200 Mauser rifles, 125,000 rounds of ammunition, six pack mules loaded with medicines and stores, and 500 machetes, besides a quantity of clothing.

Guaimaro is in the district of Camaguey and in the Province of Puerto Principe, and is a three days' march from the capital of that province.

It was said by the Cuban leaders in this city to-night that news of the capture of Puerto Principe is expected daily from Cuba.

No News of Weyler.

Havana, Nov. 30.—No news concerning the movements of Captain-General Weyler has been received. There is nothing to indicate the whereabouts of Maceo's command, but it is thought that they are retreating before the advance of General Weyler.

The war bulletins issued at the Palace to-day were unimportant. They only reported skirmishes, in which the losses on each side were trifling.

Rebels to-day blew up with dynamite a bridge near Seiba Mocha, Province of Matanzas, while a train was passing over it. The armored car attached to the train was wrecked and one soldier wounded. Thus far 278 members of the Nanigo Society, which is made up of criminals and ruffians of every description, have been exiled to the African penal colonies. This society was very active towards and after the close of the 10-years' war, and its members have taken advantage of the present condition of affairs to commit all manner of crimes. The authorities are making every effort to extirpate them.

An order has been issued by the Local Treasury to prevent the exportation of tobacco grown in the Province of Pinar Del Rio and Havana from the ports of the other provinces.

TO DISCUSS CUSTOMS.

A Conference to Be Held to Talk Over the Regulations Affecting the Canadian Frontier.

Washington, Nov. 30.—A conference between special customs inspectors and Treasury officials from Washington, which was ordered by Secretary John G. Carlisle about ten days ago, is in session in the Custom House to-day. It was called for the purpose of discussing the customs regulations now existing on the Canadian frontier and the formulating of amendments looking for the betterment of the service there, and the Chinese as they affect the customs regulations will not be an incident of the conference

J. N. Comstock, Chief of Customs at Washington, is the chairman of the meeting. He said this morning: "Certain modifications of existing regulations will be discussed, and eventually form a report to be made to the Secretary of the Treasury at Washington." The subject is general customs at all points on the Canadian frontier, from Maine to Manitoba. The Chinese will not, however, be mentioned. Some of the old regulations applying to all merchandise have been improperly interpreted and the reports will make recommendations for their simplification and betterment. It will last for two or three days. Those who will formulate the report are J. J. Crowley, Chief Special Agent of Customs at Washington; J. N. Comstock, Chief of Customs; W. S. Howell, representing Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Hamlin; Collectors Nicoll, Caulfield and Norris, and Special Agents Smith and Tuohy.

Collector Kilbreth is authority for the statement that there is no conference at the custom house regarding the question of Chinese smuggling.

PLENTY OF GOLD.

The Reserve at Washington Is Now Thirty Millions Above the Limit.

Washington, Nov. 30.—There is no present likelihood that the Treasury Department will voluntarily resume the issue of gold certificates for bullion gold deposited. Within the past week sterling exchange has gradually grown stronger, as a result of which gold has to be sent abroad to pay for goods imported. At present the gold reserve is $30,000,000 above the reserve limit, and the Treasury rather discourages than otherwise the receipt of gold, as it reduces its supply of currency. In round figures it has on hand $70,000,000 in currency available for its daily business.

Bucket Shop Men Fined Heavily.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—The first case in this city in which "bucket shop" proprietors have been successfully prosecuted by means of the postal laws came before Judge Grosscup in the United States District Court this afternoon. William McClure, Dr. James Craig, J. E. McClure, John Tallman and W. A. Thomas, who were indicted this term for using the mails to promote a scheme to defraud, appeared in court with their attorney, and entered a plea of guilty. The District Attorney recommended a fine of $1000 in each case. The judge will pronounce sentence to-morrow.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

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GOODWIN DIVORCE CASE.

Has Asked that His Counter Complaint Against His Wife Be Dismissed, He to Foot the Bill.

San Francisco, Nov. 30.—The theatrical profession was well represented in Judge Murphy's court this morning, where Nat C. Goodwin, the comedian, was expected to appear for examination regarding his income, in order that the Judge might be able to fix an equitable sum for the maintenance of Mrs. Goodwin, whose suit for divorce from the actor is now pending. Goodwin's attorneys filed an affidavit signed by their client. In effect he desired the counter complaint, which he had entered against Mrs. Goodwin, dismissed, he bearing all costs. The affidavit also showed that Goodwin had paid her a sum of money in full settlement of all claims against him for alimony and support. Goodwin did not appear and the action was practically dismissed, the question of costs alone remaining to be settled.

Death of a Great Scholar.

Boston, Nov. 30.—Rev. Oliver Crane, D.D., LL.D., died of paralysis last night. Dr. Crane was a well-known Oriental and classical scholar. He was a graduate of Yale of the class of '45 and passed nine years in the Orient in the work of the American Board of Foreign Missions.

Lady Scott Case Further Adjourned.

London, Nov. 30.—The trial of Lady Selina Scott, mother of the Countess Russell, Frederic Kast, John Cockerton and William Aylott, for criminally libelling Earl Russell, which was adjourned on Friday until this morning, has been further adjourned until next Monday, owing to the illness of Kast, who is suffering from pneumonia.

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Lacing Gloves.....	were $1.00, now	75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colours.....	were $1.00, now	0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 stud Lacing Gloves, in black and coloured.....	were $1.25, now	1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves	were $1.25, now	1 00
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.20, now	12½c
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.30, now	0 20
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.35, now	0 25

Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose.....	were 30c, now	20c
Higher Grades at Cost.		
Heavy Wool Hose.....	were 20c, now	15c
Heavy Wool Hose.....	were 25c, now	20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

ROBERT HALL

285 George Street, Peterborough,
Telephone 171.

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Madill's Cream of Witch Hazel

Has no superior as a remedy for chapped hands or face, or any roughness of the skin.

Skating on Whyte's.

Ice has formed on Whyte's pond to the thickness of about three inches, and scores of youngsters are out with their skates enjoying themselves.

Voters' List Appeals.

The Court for the hearing of appeals concerning the voters' list was called for this morning at eleven o'clock, but has been postponed for one week.

Office Removal.

Mr. G. M. Roger, barrister, etc., may be found in the office of Mr. J. W. Bennett, Water street, whilst repairs are being completed in his own office.

Liberated on the 15th.

"Reddy" Wells, who was sent up to the Central Prison for six months for receiving stolen goods and assisting Burns to escape from the police last July, will be liberated Dec. 15th.

Thanks.

The management of Dr. Barnardo's Hazel Brae Home, Peterborough, desire to convey their thanks for the following donations for the children's Xmas tree: Mrs. (General) Haultain, one dozen dolls; Mr. Robert Fair, parcel remnants.

Nose Bags for Horses.

J. J. Turner & Sons have just received an order from the west for a couple of dozen nosebags for horses. Their ventilated feeding bag is making a wide name for itself and large sales are continually being made.

Lecture and Concert

Everybody should make it a point to attend the entertainment given by the Catholic Literary Association in their hall tonight. Mr. J. Hampden Burnham will deliver a lecture on "The Early History of Canada." Admission 10 cents.

St. Luke's Annual Tea.

The annual tea and sale of ladies' work in connection with St. Luke's church, Ashburnham, will take place on Thursday, Dec. 3rd. The school house will be open all afternoon for the sale of work and the tea will begin at 5 o'clock. A programme has been arranged for the evening. Tickets 25 cents.

Don't Believe

all you hear, especially about dried fruits. Believe what you see, taste and handle. Sample our Xmas fruits at any time and anywhere, and you will find them the cheapest, cleanest and largest. Try our selected cleaned currants in pound packages. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. 2d127

Re-elected President.

Hon. John Dryden, Provincial Minister of Agriculture, who was in New York last week attending the annual meeting of the American Shropshire Registered Association, was re-elected President for the sixth consecutive time. The meeting was held in connection with the great annual Fat Stock Show.

Natural Science Association.

The Natural Science Association will meet this evening at 8 o'clock sharp at Mr. Elcome's, taxidermist, owing to the meeting of the Board of Education in the Collegiate Institute. Programme, "Culture of Winter Blooming Plants," by Miss Finley; "Ornithological Observations" by President Fife; and, owing to Vice-President Keogh being unable to give his paper on "Chemical Affinity," Mr. Elcome will lead in a discussion on "Beaks of Birds of Prey," illustrated by one of each family in the order. All interested are invited to attend.

A HORSE DROWNED.

Its Driver is Kicked in the Face Trying to Save it.

At about half past eleven as one of the carters, working on the excavations of the Trent Valley Canal just above Nassau, was watering his horse in the river, an accident occurred which nearly cost the man his life and through which the horse was drowned.

It appears that the bed of the river falls away very abruptly at the point where the horse was being watered and the animal was forced out over its depth by the heavy cart. It was immediately swept off its feet by the strong current and both cart and horse turned completely over.

The driver clung to the cart and did his best to save the animal, but without avail. As the horse felt itself drowning it lashed out with its heels and struck the driver several times in the face. He was rescued with difficulty by his comrades, as he fainted from the effect of the heavy blows.

The horse and cart drifted down to the dam, where they are at present caught, the whole outfit being submerged, with the exception of one of the horse's legs.

ST. ANDREW'S DAY.

It was not Formally Observed in Peterborough.

All round the world yesterday, wherever a Scotchman was, and there are few countries where he is not found, the "day and a' wha honour it" was the toast of toasts. The day was the festival of Scotland's patron saint, St. Andrew. In some form or other the day was universally observed—a sprig of heather adorned the bonnet or a "right guid Willie Wacht" was drained to the land o' cakes. In Peterborough there was, it seems, no formal observation of the day. This failure to foregather was, it is understood, due to the low ebb of the funds in the treasury of the local society and to some of the members being "sweer" to enthuse this year. The local sons of Scotland, however, celebrated the occasion in their "hairts," and some of them possibly in their stomachs, but all the same one and all the pulses of Scotchmen took a few extra beats to the minute and a warmer rush of memory went back over the sea to the scenes of the bonnie land of the heather. The secretary of St. Andrew's Society received the following telegraphic greetings:

HAMILTON, Nov. 30, 1896.

St. Andrew's Society, Peterborough:

May the charms of Saint Andrew fellowship warm the tide of kindness in a' your Scottish bosome the nicht.

ALEX. McPHERSON,
President.

TORONTO, Ont. Nov. 29, 1896.

President St. Andrew's Society, Peterborough, Ont.:

We'll mak our mant, we'll brew our drink, we'll dance and sing and rejoice man.

A. M. COSBY.

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 30, 1896.

President of St. Andrew's Society:

O' the auld flag! the auld flag!
O' Scotland's lion bricht,
May ilka guid be tae the lads
Whae honour thee this nicht.

D. McMASTER,
Pres. St. Andrew's Society, Montreal.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Phelan left for Ottawa this morning with the remains of the late Mr. Richard Naegle, the funeral taking place in that city to-morrow.

Miss Sarah Potter, a pass matriculant of Queen's University, is visiting at St. Andrew's manse. Miss Potter is the youngest sister of Rev. Mr. Potter.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—An address will be delivered by J. Hampden Burnham in Catholic Association hall this evening.

—Mr. Angus McIntosh has again taken charge of the rink and is hard at work making ice for the skaters and curlers.

—The sessions open before Judge Weller a week from to-day, when Mark Lockington will come up for trial on the charge of burglarising the Morgan House.

—A number of the councillors again discussed the appealing against the judgment in the case of Jackson vs. Peterborough last evening, but no action was taken.

—If you want to economize burn the People's Coal Co's coal. All kinds of coal in stock, including best hard coal for stoves and furnaces, soft coal for grates, and smithing coal. Office—230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

—Whilst the police may be a little lenient towards the residents in the outskirts and allow them to use the sidewalks for bicycling whilst the roads are bad, yet there is no excuse for the young scorchers which are to be seen dashing along the boards every day. The magistrate was nearly run down yesterday.

Obituary.

The death of Mr. Francis Dunnigan, aged 41, took place last night of typhoid fever at the Nicholls Hospital. The deceased resided on Division street and leaves a widow and four small children to mourn his untimely death. He was well known throughout the county, being interested in the fruit tree and general nursery business.

Death of Dr. Morris.

The death of Dr. Morris, formerly of Peterborough, occurred yesterday at Oshawa. His son, Mr. Alf. Morris, of Peterborough, left for that town on Saturday last. Inflammation was the cause of death. Amongst those who have gone from town to attend the funeral are Mr. Harry Robinson, Mrs. A. Rickner, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Job, Mrs. Geo. Benton, sr., and Messrs. William and James Job. The doctor was well known throughout the entire Midland District, being an extensive manufacturer of popular medicines.

A Musical Entertainment.

The Montreal Witness of Nov. 17th says: "Concert goers experienced a treat on Tuesday in the choice musical entertainment given by Miss Mabel Chambers and Miss Bertha Belasco in Association Hall. The sweet toned voice of the first mentioned artist was heard to good advantage in "With Verdure Clad," "Love has Eyes," as well as in other numbers and encores. Miss Belasco's playing left almost nothing to be desired. The hall was crowded and the concert a decided success." The plan for concert to be given here by these young ladies, Dec. 3rd, is now open at Stratton's bookstore. Reserved seats 50 cents, admission 35 and 25 cents.

Miss Armstrong's Opening.

Miss Armstrong held her first opening in fancy work and novelties last evening and it was attended with such great success that her numerous patrons hope that the experiment will be again tried next year. An enormous quantity of fancy work was shown and a great many orders taken. The exhibition of silk drapes for tables, pianos and mantels was superb, as was the splendid showing which was made in table covers, centre pieces and doylies, finished in Battenburg or Honiton lace and drawn work. Something very new is the sweet pea pattern for doylies and it attracted a great deal of favourable attention last evening. It is used extensively on centre pieces and for the covers for five o'clock tea tables. A fine display of pretty toilet articles in silver is also shown by Miss Armstrong.

A WARSAW WEDDING.

Nuptials of Miss Nina Barr and William J. Little.

A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of Michael Barr, South Dummer, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 25th, 1896, when Miss Nina Barr, his eldest daughter, was married to William J. Little, of North Dummer.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. Robinson, of Warsaw, in the presence of about one hundred of the nearest relatives and friends of the bride and groom.

The bride looked charming and was becomingly costumed in blue silk tweeding and was given away by her father.

Miss Bella McLean, of Norwood, was the bridesmaid and was assisted by Miss Dora Payne, as maid of honour. The groom was assisted by Mr. David Crowe, of Hall's Glen.

After the wedding ceremony the guests were invited to partake of a most inviting wedding breakfast. The bride was the recipient of a large number of costly and handsome presents. Mr. and Mrs. Little left on the morning train for an extended tour north.

TRENT VALLEY CANAL.

The Rosedale Works and a Short Description of the Operations.

A short description of the Rosedale works, says the Fenelon Falls Gazette, will be of some interest to our readers, partly from the fact of their being the first work to be carried on in this district by the new Government, notwithstanding many prophecies to the contrary by local Conservatives before the election; and also from the fact that between thirty and forty of our labouring men are at present employed thereon. The work consists of drilling, blasting and dredging a channel ninety feet wide from a short distance above the locks to a point over half a mile above the bridge, and was commenced about a year ago, and has been continued ever since with the exception of an intermission of about two months and a half. The foreman is Mr. Wm. Kennedy of Bobcaygeon, and the gentleman in charge of the blasting operations is Mr. D. E. Bethune. The drilling is done in rows across the width of the channel, the holes being four feet apart, making twenty three holes in each row. From ten to fifteen rows are cleaned out and blasted every day, the state of the weather governing the number to a certain extent. The dredge is managed by Mr. Wm. Hungerford, of Lindsay, who at present is doing good work, throwing out the rock at the rate of about fifty feet per day. The men are comfortably housed in the building formerly occupied as a hotel. The cooking is ably done by Mr. Angus Fountain, of Fenelon Falls, and to see the quantity of food that disappears at each meal is the best recommendation that it is put up in first class shape. There is every prospect of the work continuing all winter and possibly longer.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION.

The Last Session Held Yesterday Afternoon.

The last session of the town teachers' convention was held yesterday afternoon, according to announcement, at four o'clock, when the committee, which had discussed the curriculum, reported, as the result of which a recommendation will be made to the Board of Education to-night regarding certain changes which the teachers think advisable.

Miss Beckett, of the Central School, gave an object lesson to a class on Friday, which proved most instructive. Miss Beckett took for her subject "Leather," and admirably illustrated the principles of object teaching.

Who is Frank Yeigh? Well you here see his picture. He is an employee in the Crown Lands Department at Toronto. He has gone over much of the world gathering the finest things to be had to illustrate his lectures. His style is easy, clear and delightfully pleasant. Of high literary culture and exquisite taste, he manages to give lectures that are not less charming than educational, and in making Britons thoroughly acquainted with their own empire he is rendering a patriotic and valuable service.

Big lot of Men's Working Pants, regular $1.00 to $1.25, Grafton & Co's Special Price..... 68c

ASHBURNHAM BRIEFS.

Interesting Items from the Village—The Mark Street Auxiliary of the W. F. M. S.

Great preparations are being made for the open meeting of the Mark street Auxiliary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society on Wednesday evening, December 2nd, at half-past seven o'clock, in the Mark street Methodist church.

A good programme of readings, recitations, etc., is being prepared. Mrs. Sherin of Lakefield will give an address on mission work, and the autograph quilt will be sold to raise money to assist in procuring material to fill a box to be sent to some needy mission field at Christmas.

Everybody is invited to the open meeting, and all ladies of the congregation—whether members of the Auxiliary or not—are invited to attend the regular meetings held on the first Wednesday of each month at 3 p.m. The next meeting will be on December 2nd.

Madill's Compound Healing Salve for burns, scalds, frost bites, or sores of and kind.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Windsor Salt

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

DEATH'S HARVEST.

Death of Rev. A. H. Munro, Formerly of Peterborough.

The death took place on Monday afternoon of the Rev. A. H. Munro, pastor of the Immanuel Baptist church, St. Thomas, formerly of Peterborough.

Although the reverend gentlemen had been ailing for a couple of weeks, no serious results were anticipated, and his sudden demise came as a shock to his many friends. The deceased gentleman was one of the most courteous and genial of gentlemen and a pulpit orator of great ability.

Prior to coming to Ontario from New Brunswick, he held prominent positions on the staff of the Methodist College, Sackville, the Baptist Seminary Fredericton, and assisted in the establishment of the Government Normal school at St. John's.

Previous to going to St. Thomas he was pastor of churches in Toronto, Cobourg and Peterborough. Mr. Munro was a man of more than seventy years of age, and leaves beside his widow, one son and three daughters.

If your eyes trouble you in any way, have them tested by W. Madill, optician. No charge for examination.

A Good Judge of Meat

Is a blessing to any household. She knows that for prime roasts, juicy steaks and chops, fresh poultry and delicious sausage, J. J. HOWDEN'S, 461 George street, is the favourite meat shop for her. Hams, bacon and lard always on hand. Telephone 39.

BIRTH.

GOODING—At Winnipeg, on Friday, 27th November, 1896, the wife of Mr. A. F. Gooding, of a daughter.

It Pays to have your Clothes

Built to Order.

No two men are built alike; hence the impossibility of any man being fitted properly, except with a Suit or Overcoat made to body MEASURE.

Who wants to wear Clothing that would fit somebody else much better?

There are times when a man gets desperate, but there's no occasion for any one in Peterborough to wear clothing that looks as though he swopped suits with somebody else, when we can fit him to a nicety.

All we ask is a fair show and a good tape measure.

Well dressed men whom we have cut for have also learned another secret—that they needn't pay "away up in G" for their high-class garments.

P. SIMONS & CO.

Peterboro's Popular Tailors and Dressers.

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours made to order, perfect fit, for

$4 00.

The same Goods sell in Toronto for $5.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for .. $3.00

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

W. J. GREEN,

No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

NIGHT SCHOOL

How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to improve their Education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book-keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the student.

Many have fitted themselves for better positions by attending our Night School. You can do the same.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings, 7 to 9 p.m.

PRINGLE & McCORMA,
Opposite Post Office. *Business College.*

C. P. R. "SPECIALS"

Owing to the recent order of the C. P. R. Company to their employees to carry inspected Watches, we have this week put into stock two splendid C. P. R. "Specials":—

The Elgin B. W. Raymond,
The Waltham C.P.R. 'Special.'

The movements in both of these watches are the finest high-rating movements produced, and for accurate time-keeping cannot be excelled.

We invite C. P. R. employees as well as all others who want a thoroughly reliable time-keeper to come and inspect these two "Specials."

This is the Last Week of Our Jewelry Sale.

McClelland

The Jeweler, Peterborough.

A Foretaste of Xmas!

On WEDNESDAY, December 2nd, we will hold a GRAND CHRISTMAS CARD OPENING, when we will display such a magnificent collection of the reproductions of the masterpieces of artistic printing and decorative design, as will stir up the enthusiasm of Christmas Card Shoppers.

We give a special invitation to all to come and make their early selections for friends at a distance.

Our unexcelled galaxy of Beautiful Christmas Illustrated Papers is now in full display. Remember to order early and avoid disappointment.

A. H. STRATTON & CO.

PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

Agent for Butterick's Patterns. Telephone No. 285

Great Crowds

DELIGHTED WITH THE

Great Bargains

..AT..

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S.

GREAT REALIZATION SALE

The opening days of this great Sale, revealed the fact that our announcements are read by thousands of cash buyers. The crowds that visited our store Friday and Saturday will testify to the enormous reductions made in our close cash prices. NO RESERVE. MONEY MUST BE RAISED.

Dress Goods.

25 per cent. discount off all our Dress Costumes.
This means $4 Dress Lengths reduced to $3.
This means $6 Dress Lengths reduced to $4.50.
This means $8 Dress Lengths reduced to $6.
This means $12 Dress Lengths reduced to $9.
The greatest possible chance to get good dresses at wholesale prices.
Our New Black Dress Goods reduced from 15 to 25 per cent.
100 yds left of 25c Tweed and Plaid Dress Goods, reduced to 15c.
500 yds left of 50c All wool Tweed Dress Goods, reduced to 35c.
200 yds left of All wool Fancy Dress Goods, were 75c, reduced to 50c.
100 yds left of our 75c Fancy Velvet, reduced to 50c.
Call and get bargains as the stock must be sold.

Hosiery, Gloves and Ribbons.

25 Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Hose, reduced to 25c.
100 yds 2-inch Satin Ribbon, reduced to 10c.
1000 yds 1-inch Satin Ribbon, reduced to 5c.
150 Silk Ties for ladies' and boys' were 40c, reduced to 25c.
25 Lace Collarettes were 40c, reduced to 25c.
Stamped Linens at 5c, 8c, 10c, 15c and 20c special.
125 pair Ladies' $1.25 Kid Gloves, guaranteed reduced to 75c.

Underwear and Corsets.

10 Golf Jerseys, were $2, reduced to 99c
8 Golf Jerseys, were $3.75, reduced to $1.99.
25 pair $2 Corsets, reduced to 99c.
Reduced prices on "Health Brand" Underwear
25 Ladies' Night Gowns, were 75c, reduced to 50c.
Infant's Robes and Dresses at special prices.
These goods are cheaper than you can possibly make them.

Men's Furnishings and Ordered Clothing.

100 Men's Silk Ties, were 40c, reduced to 25c.
25 Men's Heather mix Socks, were 50c, reduced to 25c.
125 Men's Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, reduced to 50c.
Lined Gloves and Mitts, Collars, Shirts, etc. all reduced.
Special prices in Ordered Clothing.

Carpets and Housefurnishings.

$1 Brussels Carpets reduced to 73c.
$1.35 Brussels Carpets reduced to 95c.
20c Carpets reduced to 15c.
35c Tapestry Carpets, reduced to 27c.
25 per cent. discount off all Eider Down Goods except Cambric Covered Cushions and Cosey and $3.99 Comforters.
Blankets, Flannels and Flannelettes all cut in price.

Jackets and Fur-Lined Capes and Cloaks.

The prices marked on these are pushing them out lively.
MILLINERY at very special prices.

Of course there are a few people who will still pay the long prices for goods because they get a few days credit. Our terms are Spot Cash. No approval. Money back if goods do not suit. It saves a great deal of trouble.

No Reserve at This Sale.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

STILL KEEPING UP!

THE INTEREST DISPLAYED IN

ROUTLEY'S BIG SALE

Shows no signs of abatement, but, on the contrary, is daily and hourly magnified. **ASTONISING VALUES AND FREEDOM FROM MISREPRESENTATION** characterize this Sale, and the confidence of buyers exerts an influence in keeping up the continual crowds.

CHRISTMAS IS NOT FAR OFF and this sale affords a splendid chance of buying Christmas Gifts, such as **Toys, Dolls, Games, Sleighs, Rocking Horses, Baby Carriages, Fancy Goods, Christmas Cards, Picture Books, Pocket Books, Fine Leather Goods, Ornamented Glassware, Silverware, Student and Banquet Lamps, Novelties in Fancy Cups and Saucers, High Art Pottery, China and Dresden Ware** and many other appropriate presents for old and young.

ONE THING MUST NOT BE FORGOTTEN—**ROUTLEY'S** Sale will continue in full swing until aftet the 31st December, but no longer, as after that date Mr. Routley will be no longer in business—so the goods MUST POSITIVELY BE SOLD. Although the Sale has been a remarkable success there is a great stock of attractive goods that must be sold before the end of the year, of which early buyers will have best choice.

NEW CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR 1896 just to hand. These were ordered last July before Mr. Routley thought of going out of business, but must now be closed out like the rest of the stock. Sunday School and other Teachers' Supplies at especially low rates, as has always been the rule at

ROUTLEY'S, 379 George Street.

Perhaps You Never

Tried our Tea, if so you don't know what good Tea we sell how low in price.

Then again there is not two or three profits in our Tea, we import them and you get the advantage.

Two things to remember—we import our Teas and save for you the importer's and jobber's profit.

This month we are selling our Thirty-five cent Tea for Twenty-eight cents a pound.

Stroud Bros.,

DIRECT IMPORTERS.

370 George St., Peterborough.

Also at Montreal, Kingston, Toronto and Ottawa.

Daily Examiner.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Madill's Cough Syrup

For coughs, colds or sore throats. Cure guaranteed.

Kept Open After Seven.

Messrs. Foote & McWhinnie were fined five dollars and costs, amounting in all to $9.15, this morning by the magistrate for keeping their store open after 7 o'clock on the evening of Nov. 24th.

A Vital Question.

From the statistics in the Town Clerk's office, the natural population of Peterborough seems to be steadily growing. During November there were 21 births, as against 10 deaths—an increase of eleven during the month. There were six marriages.

Murray Street Baptist Church Mission Band.

On Tuesday evening, December 1st, Rev. W. R. Young will lecture in the Murray street Baptist church on "Shakespeare and his Country." Mr. R. M. Roy will illustrate the lecture with lime light views. All are cordially welcome. A silver collection in aid of missions will be taken. 3d

How to Treat Raw Furs.

A Montreal correspondent gives the following hint to country storekeepers, and those who buy raw furs from trappers at interior points: "Be careful in your trading for furs, and avoid buying or shipping unprime skins, on which you are almost sure to suffer loss. Remember that prices are down in London, and buyers there are particular. Also note that buyers in Canadian cities are making close selection of skins, in view of a falling market." Our Montreal fur market report this week, is of interest, as showing the fact of decline in various furs, such as bear, fox, mink, skunk, musk rat, and the reasons for it.

Grand Christmas Card Opening Dec. 2nd

The numerous shoppers at the Peterborough Bookstore, who have been anxiously waiting the receipt of our new Christmas Cards and Booklets for 1896, will be pleased to learn that they have now arrived, and will be open for selection on Wednesday, Dec. 2nd! A more charming display was never on exhibition. They are masterpieces of artistic printing and decorative design. We have placed them thus early on our tables to allow those who wish to remember friends at a distance an opportunity to make their selections. The prices will be a surprise to all this year. Having bought earlier and larger we were able to secure a much larger discount than in former years. We give a special invitation to all to come and see the wonderful beauty and variety of style of our cards and booklets. Sunday school teachers and teachers of all schools buying in quantities, will be allowed more liberal reduction than ever.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

This . . . Announcement

Is not intended for parents who have bought our Boy's Fine Clothing—they know full well the honest worth and absolute saving common to our bright looking Suits and Overcoats for little boys and big. It is intended to attract the attention of mothers who have boys whom they wish to see clothed with finer materials, newer styles and tailored like custom work.

A look at our goods and prices will gain your confidence. The fit is always perfect.

Mercer's

FORMED A LOCAL LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE.

THE BRANCH TO BE ORGANIZED BY THE TOWN MINISTERS.

A Very Large Attendance at St. Andrew's Last Night—Mr. O'Meara, of Toronto, Lucidly Explains the Aims and Objects of the Provincial Alliance.

Mr. A. E. O'Meara, of Toronto, addressed an exceedingly large and representative gathering of citizens in St. Andrew's church last night. It was the occasion of the quarterly meeting of the local union of Christian Endeavour, but the members of the society gladly consented to postpone their programme and give the evening to the representative of the Provincial Lord's Day Alliance.

Mr. A. E. Stanley, president of the Union, occupied the chair, and the opening exercises were conducted by Revs, Dr. Torrance, W. R. Young, B.A., and J. G. Potter. The latter made a few remarks before introducing the speaker of the evening. He pointed out that wherever the sanctity of the Sabbath was observed, then the community derived consequent blessings. It had been said that the church was anxious to have the Sabbath observed for selfish ends, but pointed out that the men who were

WORKING THE HARDEST

to acquire the desired end were professional men in Toronto who could ill afford the time to spare from their business, but endeavoured to do their best, urged on by their strong convictions and loyalty to God and humanity.

Mr. O'Meara in his introductory remarks, congratulated Peterborough on the splendid turnout which augured well for the interest which would be taken in the subject once its advantages were fully known. The observance of the Lord's day, he explained, as a civil institution was not for the purpose of forcing religion down anyone's throat. A man may read a novel or he may go to church. What the Alliance sought to do was to protect this day, which is both God's day and man's day—to protect it and guard it as a day of rest.

A false idea is prevalent concerning the word liberty in connection with the matter. Some say "Give us a free Sunday"—that is, freedom from the restraint regarding the employment of other people.

There are two kinds of liberty. The liberty to obey God's law, and the liberty to destroy it, or in one word, "license." We claim, continued Mr. O'Meara, that everyone has secured to him the liberty to obey God's law in this matter.

The policy of the observance of the Sabbath always leads to the greatest strength of the nation which has adopted it.

THE ANGLO SAXON RACE

have always observed the day in its sanctity, and who are more feared on sea and on land. The interest of our homes demand its observance. There are no two things more clearly connected than the observance of the Lord's day and a quiet peaceful home life.

Then think for a moment, said he, of the educational importance of the observation of the Lord's Day. An agitation is being raised for more religious instruction in the schools, but what better religious instruction could the State afford than that week after week there should be a public testimony to God's law?

Then there is the industrial importance of the question. Whilst every class is interested in the matter, there is one class above all which is concerned. That is the class which has the high honour of being called workingmen—the breadwinners. Sunday labour introduced for any class, no matter how small, means danger

TO ALL WORKINGMEN.

On these grounds the Legislature has enacted certain provisions covering the preserving of the Lord's day of rest.

The Sabbath was made by God for man and every man has a right to enjoy that privilege.

We claim for man, continued Mr. O'Meara, a God-given right and a right which the state has given him to enjoy the day of rest.

The Lord's Day Act forbids Sunday labour or the employment of Sunday labour, and provides heavy penalties for Sunday excursions.

These are the only principles upon which a day of rest can be strictly maintained, but they do not go far enough. Conveniences are allowed for a certain class of people, but when things are permitted for the sake of convenience, you don't know where you are going to stop, and it is for the purpose of calling a halt that the Alliance exists.

The Hamilton Sunday Street Car case is being tested now in the courts, but this is only a part of the work of the Alliance. It also goes into the question of a Saturday half holiday, and hopes in the near future to obtain legislation such as will

STRENGTHEN THAT MOVEMENT.

In the United States more than two millions of persons are now engaged in unnecessary Sunday labour in about forty different trades and occupations. Of these fully one million in railroad and street railway traffic. Shall we follow this example? In the cities of the United States the street railroad corporations are chiefly responsible for breaking down the Lord's Day. Shall they do so here unopposed?

A weekly day of rest means seven years of rest and leisure in a life-time of forty-nine years. Who can estimate the value of this to the workingmen? How shall it be preserved to them?

Sunday traffic is now carried on upon ten street and other local railways in various parts of the Province. The fight of the Alliance is against this. Shall local railway and steamboat traffic be permitted on the Lord's Day from end to end of the province? This is the issue directly involved. Nothing short of it. The full issue is even wider. Shall any form whatever of unnecessary Sunday labour be permitted throughout the province? If one sort be allowed, why not other sorts, why not all sorts? Beware of the Sunday excursion, the Sunday newspaper, the Sunday theatre, the Sunday saloon.

Over two millions of people have been made slaves in the United States. A slave is one from whom freedom

HAS BEEN TAKEN

and it is against this sort of thing that we carry on our work. There are two elements against us. Those who want to spend the day in boisterous merriment and those interested in having the traffic.

As against these, we say it is God's day and we expect to have God's blessing upon us in trying to preserve its sanctity and we expect the development of a strong and active provincial Alliance. No question with which the Alliance deals is a local one; all are provincial and for that reason active branches are wanted throughout Ontario.

Upon Mr. O'Meara resuming his seat, Mr. A. J. Johnston in a few remarks suggested that if a branch of the Alliance was to be formed it would be as well to strike while the iron was hot and when there was such a large attendance. He moved, seconded by Mr. W. J. Wattam:

Resolved, That a branch of the Ontario Lord's Day Alliance be organised in the town of Peterborough, along the lines suggested by Mr. O'Meara and that the ministers of the town and Ashburnham be a nominating committee to name officers and arrange for organization of a local branch.

The motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. Geo. Sonneider, the efficient organist of the George street Methodist church, presided at the organ and the choir of that church had the direction of the music which was particulary hearty and inspiring. During the evening Miss Vina Belleghem and Mr. James Brown sang a pleasing solo.

ORGANIZE A BRANCH.

Rev. Dr. Torrance inquired as to the scope for work, and was informed that while the Alliance as a whole was formed for provincial work, branches could consider local questions of interest. At present the Alliance was asking the Courts to decide various issues, but the time would come when it would appeal to the Legislature, and at this juncture the branches would be expected to work among the people in the interests of the Association.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

The Limestone, Granite and Victoria clubs of Kingston have amalgamated. The united club will be known as the Frontenac, and should put out some strong teams.

A strong seven will wear the blue and white of Varsity on the ice this winter. Bradley, Barr, Shepherd, Scott, Cameron, Fitzgibbon, Morrison of the Wellingtons, and W. Morrison of the U. C. C. are the available ones.

CURLIANA.

A meeting of the skips of the Granite Curling club will be held at the rink on Friday night next at eight o'clock to select rinks for the ensuing year. All those contemplating curling this season with the Granites should see the secretary, Mr. W. A. Allen before this date and secure tickets as the rinks will be chosen from the ticket holders up to Friday night.

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THE CANADIAN "SOO" CANAL.

The Trade of British Columbia—Mine Products Taken East.

The Canadian canal at Sault Ste. Marie has had a fairly busy season. A statement of the business done by the canal up to the end of October, as prepared by the Railways and Canals Department, shows 4,371 vessels to have passed through since the opening of navigation, with a tonnage of 4,137,117 tons, and carrying 4,277,437 tons freight.

The imports at Nelson, B.C., for October were $122,548 in value, $25,918 being free goods. The exports from that port were of the value of $247,974, of which there was from

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People shudder at the tales of Monte Carlo suicides, but look on with perfect equanimity while friends and loved ones commit just as certain suicide by neglecting their health. Trifling disorders of the digestion persistently neglected lead to impurity of the blood, the tissues of the body are imperfectly nourished, and emaciation and debility follow. In the case of that dread disease, consumption, imperfectly nourished tissue is built up in the lungs, forming a suitable soil for the germs of that deadly disease. One-seventh of all the deaths each year are due to consumption. This fearful death rate could be easily avoided if the proper remedy was resorted to.

A sure preventive and cure of consumption is found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases. It corrects all disorders of digestion, invigorates the liver, and makes the blood pure and plentiful. It is the great blood maker, flesh-builder, and nerve invigorator. It gets into the blood and acts directly upon the lungs, building up healthy tissue and driving out all impurities and disease germs. Thousands have testified to its wonderful merits. Druggists sell it.

"I feel that I must write you telling you of the great benefits derived from the use of your 'Golden Medical Discovery,'" writes Miss Laura Piersel, of East Bethlehem, Washington Co., Pa. "Last summer my friends thought I was surely going into consumption, and having tried doctors before with no satisfactory results and hearing your medicine so highly spoken of, I took one bottle. My cough left me altogether with all the distressing symptoms, and in fact the cure seemed almost miraculous to all who saw me. I cannot say enough in praise of the medicine, and have done much to induce others to use it."

THE HEAD HACKED OFF.

A Dark Tragedy Unearthed by a Couple of Boys, But it is Apparently an Insolvable Mystery.

Jersey City, N.J., Nov. 28.—Three boys, while gunning on the Hackensack meadows this morning, discovered the decapitated body of a man lying alongside of the tracks of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad. A large knife, besmeared with blood, was lying near the body. The body was subsequently removed to the morgue in this city. The theory of the police is that the man was murdered in the roadway and the body was subsequently secreted in the bushes alongside the railroad track.

The head was found near the body. The corpse is that of a man of middle age. It is badly decomposed. The ground where the body lay showed every evidence of a struggle. The body had hardly any flesh on it, and the clothes are so rotten that the body must have been where found for some time. The man's head had evidently been hacked off while he was held prone on his back.

WORK FOR THE DOCTORS.

Two Score Wedding Guests Poisoned Near Hollidaysburg, Pa.

Hollidaysburg, Pa., Nov. 28.—An assemblage composing a wedding anniversary party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Angus R. Stewart in Frankstown Township, this county, to-day were poisoned by eating ham sandwiches, but the nature of the deathly ingredient has not yet been defined. Forty cases of poisoning are reported this evening and all the physicians have been pressed into a hospital corps for the emergency. Among the sufferers are Rev. Dr. D. H. Barron, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church; Editor Frank J. Over, F. H. Goodfellow and E. Mentzer. Many farmers in the township have sent here for medical aid for their families. While the sickness of the guests is of a serious character, no fatalities have yet been reported.

The numerous cures of rheumatism by the use of the old standard blood-purifier, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, show conclusively that it is an effective remedy, if not indeed the specific for this most painful and persistant of maladies. What has cured others will cure you.

Death of Baron Savile.

London, Nov. 29.—The death is announced of Baron Savile, who for many years held high diplomatic appointments. He was British Minister to Saxony from 1866 to 1867, to the Swiss Confederation 1867-68, to Belgium 1868-83, and to Italy 1883-87. He was born in 1819, and was created a Baron in 1888, with special remainder, in default of male issue, to John Savile-Lumley.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—There is a moderate demand and prices rule steady. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.15 to $4.30.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices steady; dealers asking $7.50 west. Shorts $8.50 to $9 west.

Wheat—The market is quiet, with prices firm. Offerings of white are limited, and the price nominal at 86c outside. Red sold at 85c outside. No. 1 Manitoba hard is firm at 94c to 95c, Toronto freights, and No. 1 Northern at 93c to 94c, Toronto freights.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with sales at 28½c to 29c west.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 2 sold outside at 28c.

Oats—Market is quiet and firmer. White sold outside at 20c and mixed quoted at 19c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices easy; sales at 41c north and west.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 35c.

Corn—Market dull, with prices steady at 23c to 23c at outside points.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Nov. 28.—Spring wheat, 6s 11½d to 7s 0½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 0d to 7s 7d; corn, 3s 0d; peas, 4s 7½d; pork, 50s; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c. heavy, 28s 0d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 25s 0d; tallow, 19s 0d; cheese, white and colored do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 25s 0d; tallow, 19s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat firm; futures steady and 1d higher at 6s 11½d for Dec., 6s 11½d for Jan. and Feb. and 6s 11½d for March. Maize quiet at 3s 0½d for Nov. and Dec. and 2s 11½d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour, 25s 3d.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 22f 10c for Dec. Flour strong at 47f 80c for Dec.

London—Wheat on passage 3d to 1s higher. Cargoes Russian wheat on passage, 28s 6d for Dec. and Jan. Maize quiet.

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Gents,—I was in very poor health for over four years; the doctor said it was constipation. Not wanting to spend too much cash I got three bottles of B.B.B. and took it regularly, I can certify that I am now in the very best of health and feel very grateful to B.B.B.

ALFRED THEOUX, Montreal, Que.

HAVE THEY PERISHED?

Two Prominent Torontonians, Who Were Hunting for Gold, Are Missing in The Far North.

Toronto, Nov. 30.

There is considerable anxiety as to the safety of Lawyer John Shilton and Surveyor Johnson, two Torontonians, who have been out in the Seine River district looking for gold. Five weeks ago they were supposed to be shut in by ice in a district some 50 miles north of Lake Abraham, when about to stake some claims.

The voyage north to the gold mine had been made by canoe, and while en route they were suddenly caught by a sharp frost, which rendered the rivers impassable to the canoes, though the ice was not hard enough to bear their weight. Nor could they go through the woods, which were all one mass of swamp. On the trip they were accompanied by a Toronto prospector named Mills, who left them at Wabigoon Mission on account of illness, and said he would remain there till their return.

They had only two weeks' provisions with them when they left seven weeks ago, and it is thought they must have perished. On the other hand, the means of conveying news regarding them are very limited. There is a faint possibility that they are safe somewhere.

Word was received from Mr. Mills ten days ago stating that not a line or message had been received from the others, and that he had no money to collect a relief party together. Funds were immediately forwarded by those in the syndicate which the lost men represent, and after a great deal of trouble Mr. Mills, with the assistance of the Hudson Bay Company, is on the road to try and find them.

He has with him Indians, dogs, sleighs and toboggans. Some men, it is reported, knew the country so well that they refused $500 to take part in the relief expedition. Mr. Mills, by the way, started out alone to rescue them, but only made 12 miles in five days, and was forced to return. The party will have to portage 50 miles to reach their destination.

Such a long time has elapsed since Messrs. Shilton and Johnson were blockaded that little hope is entertained of finding them alive, and it is feared they have been starved or frozen to death, or perhaps fallen through the ice in an effort to escape. One ray of hope lies in the fact that they have weapons and may shoot game. It might be well for the Government to form another expedition to assist the first one, for the road they have to travel is a hard and dangerous one.

John Shilton is a member of the legal firm of Shilton & Wallbridge, and Surveyor Johnson has a wife and family living in Wellington-street west.

DEFICIT OVER $25 000,000.

United States Treasurer Morgan Presents His Balance Sheet for the Year Closed Last June.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The annual report of Daniel Morgan, Treasurer of the United States, made public this afternoon, shows the total receipts from all sources during the fiscal year ended June 30 last to have been $326,076,200, as against $313,390,075 for the fiscal year 1895, an increase of $13,586,125.

The receipts from customs aggregated $160,021,751, a gain of $7,863,134; from internal revenue $146,762,994, a gain of $3,341,192; from sale of public lands, $1,005,523, a loss of $97,823; from miscellaneous sources, $19,186,060, a gain of $2,479,622.

The total expenditures for the year were $352,179,446, as against $350,105,298 for 1895, a decrease of $4,015,852.

The deficiency for the year is $25,203,245, or $17,902,977 less than for last year. The net receipts from the $262,315,400 of bonds sold in 1894, 1895 and 1896 were $204,164,295.

KATIE WALSH'S PLUCK.

The Young Woman Fought a Highway Robber Who Attacked Her Near the Village of Hastings.

Hastings, Ont., Nov. 28.—A good deal of excitement was created in this village Saturday morning when it was reported that a highway robbery had taken place a few miles west of this place the evening before. Miss Katie Walsh, daughter of Michael Walsh, who lives about five miles west of here, had been in the village, and when about two miles and a half out a man suddenly sprang from the side of the road, grabbed the horse by the head and drew him into the bushes. Miss Walsh, with great presence of mind, drew the whip to spur the horse, but saw it would be useless, and instead used it over the villain's head, sprang from the buggy and started to run back the road, all the time calling for Mr. Hoar, whom she had passed on the road shortly before. She was soon overtaken, however, and her purse, containing some eight dollars, was taken from her in the scuffle. She attempted to pull a handkerchief which he had tied over his face off, but could not do so. The sound of Mr. Hoar's rig and the determined stand Miss Walsh took no doubt frightened him by this time, so he turned, jumped the fence and struck across the fields. Miss Walsh, still keeping cool, tied her horse and then ran to meet Mr. Hoar, who was coming up. They tried to track him through the fields next morning, but the rain the night before destroyed all chances of doing so. Mr. Walsh will offer a reward for his detection, but at present no clue is held. Too much credit cannot be given Miss Walsh for her pluck.

FOUND A JEWEL.

An Important Find by a Brockville Jeweller.

Mr. Joseph Lane, the well-known jeweller of Brockville, says: "For some years I have suffered with severe pains in my back and sides and flashes of heat between my shoulders. I had a tired, wornout feeling.

"The numerous medicines that I took gave me very little relief. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills I thought I would try a box, and got one at Curry's drugstore.

"After the first two or three doses I felt much relieved, and the longer I took them the greater the change for the better in my condition. I am much better in every respect and recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to all sufferers from kidney trouble as the best remedy I know of."

Sold by James Lynch, druggist, 168 Hunter street, Peterborough.

Mr. Chas. Smith, Dawn Mills, Ont., says: "For several years I was troubled with pains in my limbs, which continued getting worse until I thought I would have to quit work. In fact the pains were so severe that I could not rest nights. I took one box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills and am perfectly cured.'

Although it is nearly a year since Mr. S. took the Pills he has had no return of the pains, and feels splendid. Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, Druggist.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentry, Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. Never travel without it. Price 35c.

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A YOUNG GIRL'S CRIME.

In Sheer Desperation She Cuts the Throat of Her Illegitimate Child With a Common Knife.

Alexandia, Ont., Nov. 28.—This place has been the scene of a terrible crime during the past few days. A young girl about 18 years, named Mary Gulbaun,, gave birth to an illegitimate child last week, and then cut the child's throat with an ordinary knife used in the house. After committing the crime she put the little corpse in a heap of brush behind a shed adjacent to the house where she lives. The local authorities have taken the matter in hand. The girl is under the doctor's care and was so low last night that her life was despaired of.

THE BRIDEGROOM CAME NOT

And for That Reason the Bride Now Claims $5000 Damages.

Halifax, N.S., Nov. 28.—Miss Ida Shaw, a young woman who in her wedding attire last week awaited the coming of her husband-elect, who came not, and now refuses to enter into the bonds of matrimony with her, to-day commenced a suit for breach of promise, claiming $5000 damages. The defendant is Charles Ferris, and he is employed in a mineral water factory. There are rumors of another local breach of promise case, in which a lady well known in Halifax society circles would be the plaintiff. The man mentioned is at present in Europe.

A NOVA SCOTIA CASE.

Suffered without Help—Eighteen Years Getting Worse — Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Bridgewater, N. S., Nov. 30.—(Special)—There is no man in town better known than J. S. Morgan, tinsmith, who for eighteen years has been going from bad to worse without help until at last he got hold of the right treatment. He says: "It began with backache, pains in the limbs, and finally settled down as rheumatism. I was a cripple and after I had run down greatly in weight the doctors said it was diabetes. About a year and a half ago I quit everything else and took Dodd's Kidney Pills. Have taken twenty-three boxes, and have regained my weight, health and strength. I am perfectly cured.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn says: "Shiloh's Vitaliser 'Saved my Life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels Price 75c. Sold by John Nugent, 389 George Street.

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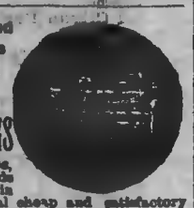

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Meantime Mr. S. had a son growing up, whose ideas of what is due to the general public in the matter of personal attire were very different from his father's. He tried in vain to get his father to discard the old army coat. Persuasion being in vain, Mr. S. junior finally resorted to deception.

He entered into an arrangement with a tailor to sell his father an excellent overcoat, made of expensive cloth, for the pretended price of fifteen dollars, while he, the son, agreed to pay the remainder of the real price of the coat, which was sixty-five dollars.

This stratagem arranged for, Mr. S. junior waited in the store until his father came along, clad in the old coat, and called him in.

"Father," he said, "just come in and look at the bargain this man has here!"

Mr. S. came in reluctantly, and looked at the garment. He knew that it was a remarkably good piece of cloth, he had lately become half-convinced that his old army coat was about worn out, and though fifteen dollars seemed to him an extravagant price to pay for an overcoat, he saw here an opportunity to get a garment which would last him another twenty years.

After some unsuccessful haggling, therefore, he bought the coat, paid the fifteen dollars, put the new garment on, had the old one done up in a paper, and started on his way down the street with the parcel under his arm.

Then the son paid the tailor the remaining fifty dollars, and rejoiced that his father was at last respectably covered.

Old Mr. S., in the new overcoat, was not recognized by some of his oldest friends; but one friend did recognize him, and said to him:—

"Why, S., that's a splendid coat you have on!"

"Well, I should think it ought to be," said S., "I paid fifteen dollars for it."

"Fifteen dollars!" exclaimed the other, who knew a piece of cloth when he saw it; "why, I'll give you twenty dollars for the coat right here!"

"It's your coat," said S. "I don't know a quicker way to make five dollars than that."

So he took off the new and magnificent garment, pocketed the twenty dollars, unwrapped the old army coat, put it on, and went his way in perfect satisfaction—a satisfaction not shared, it need hardly be said, by his son, when that young gentleman came home and found what the outcome of his cunning strategy had been.—Youth's Companion.

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THE woman who was chosen by the State of Montana as its ideal of beauty is to-day an inmate of the alcoholic ward of Bellevue Hospital, New York. Four years ago she was known to the people as a model of physical perfection, now she is an object to stir mingled pity and disgust.

The unhappy woman is Mrs. Caroline Louise Beach. She posed as the model of the great solid silver statue of Justice, which Montana sent to the World's Fair. This statue which stood in the facade of the Montana building, was the most notable of the state's exhibit and was not the least remarkable feature of the entire exposition. The face was that of Ada Rehan, but possibly out of modesty the famous actress made no further contribution to the statue.

The model was selected from a vast number of applicants by Sculptor Park. Mrs. Beach's figure was very beautiful and as near to the proportions immortalized by Greek sculpture as an artist could hope to find on this earth. In size she was almost heroic, for she was five feet nine and a half inches and weighed 170 pounds. Grace and strength were as happily combined in her as in the Venus de Milo.

To destroy such beauty seems no ordinary sin, but that is what Carolina Louise Beach has done. To-day she lies distorted and hideous, with hardly a trace discernible of the charms that attracted a nation.

Her former beauty lends great interest to the sordid but tragic story of her life. In the beginning she was a

AS THE STATUE OF JUSTICE.

vain woman, who married a good steady business man in a small Illinois town. She developed a craving for notoriety. She moved to Chicago, and they drifted apart. She and her husband were not living together when she became the model for the Montana statue. After that her father renounced her, and she went to New York.

She made her first public appearance there when "living pictures" were in favor. It was at Koster and Bial's that they were first given in their perfection. The Kilanyi shows at the Madison Square Garden Theatre gave a hint of the possibilities of this form of entertainment.

Venus Rising From the Sea," and "Dina Surprised by Actateon," were all right at the Garden, but speak to some thoughtful man about town concerning those days only two years ago, when he forsook all other amusements for the timebeing, and turned into Thirty-fourth-street at 10.45, and ask him what chiefly occupied his attention there.

It was the appearance of Carolina Beach as Dina. The stage was darkened for a moment, and then the calcium turned on and they beheld Dina—apparently Diana of the Madison Square Tower, with hardly any more on her than St. Gauden's Diana.

St. Gauden's model was five feet ten inches in height, and she weighed 155 pounds. Mrs. Beach was five feet nine and a half inches, and she weighed 170. There never were any complaints at the box office.

Her fame and success at that time, alas, led to her downward career. The cold bottle and the hot bird proved an irresistible temptation. The lady continued to be five feet nine and a half inches high, but she lost many of the proportions that attracted Sculptor Park back in the days before the World's Fair.

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The British Warship Wild Swan Brings News of Serious Trouble Threatened.

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 29.—Officers of the British sloop of war Wild Swan, which arrived here late on Friday evening from South American ports, admitted to-day that serious trouble was threatened in Chili by the revolutionists at the time of the departure of the cruiser. Duels and personal encounters between Balmacedists and followers of Errazuriz were of frequent occurrence, while the Wild Swan was at Iquique, where it lay at anchor on election day, Sept. 18 last. The officers learned from reliable sources that the Balmacedists, through a pretended coalition with the opposition political party, in realty a fusion of Liberals and Conservatives, were giving their consent to the election of Errazuriz, with the intention of gaining time for a conspiracy then forming to overturn the Government.

Dollar Wheat at Toledo.

Toledo, O., Nov. 28.—May wheat sold at $1, with cash a close second at 99c, on the floor of the Toledo Exchange to-day. It was the first dollar wheat on the crop and first since 1892. Great excitement prevailed for a time. The market sold off to 98½c at the close.

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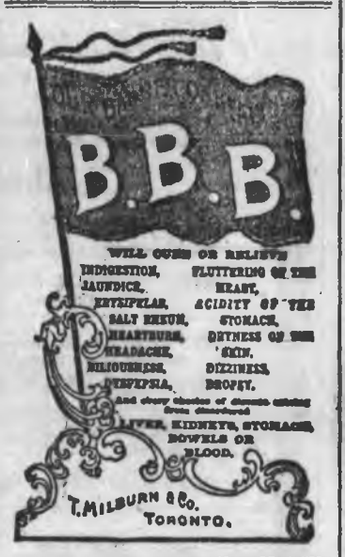

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SEVENTH WIFE AFTER HIM

Elizabeth Snyder Says that William E. Hedrick Had Six Wives When He Married Her.

Hagerstown, Md., Nov. 30.—Elizabeth Snyder went to the police station to-day and asked for a warrant for the arrest of Charles S. Smith, to whom she was married about two years ago, and who, she says, had been wedded six times before she became his wife. She said the man was then in Hagerstown, and she wanted him arrested at once before he could get away.

According to her story, she left Hagerstown with Smith and went to Chambersburg to get married. They were refused a license on the ground of her youth. Then they went to Martinsburg, W. Va., where they were wedded, and it was only a few days after that she heard several persons call him William. Then she found that his real name was William E. Hedrick. They went south and visited the man's mother. Just across the fields lived another wife of Hedrick. Then, the woman says, she learned that Hedrick had already been married six times. Thereupon Mrs. Hedrick No. 7 deserted her husband and came here.

After the woman had told her story she was informed that legally the crime of bigamy, if committed at all, was committed in West Virginia, and that a warrant could not be issued here. She will follow him up.

MRS. KOERNER WINS.

Gets a Divorce from Her Husband and Also Gets Her Child—A Buffalo Sensation.

Buffalo, Nov. 30.—Mrs. Georgia M. Koerner was granted a divorce to-day from her husband, Herman T. Koerner, head of the big lithographing firm of Koerner & Hayes, and with it the custody of their child, a boy 16 years old.

The action for divorce was first brought by Mr. Koerner, and was followed by a counter suit, both parties basing their suits on statutory grounds. While the case was pending an exciting element was injected by the kidnapping of young Koerner from his school near Syracuse. His father went there to see him and took him to Quebec, and at night got him aboard a liner and took him to London. Mrs. Koerner followed by the next steamer and, after several days search, found her son in London, when the father and tutor were at the theatre, and fled back to America with him. Mrs. Koerner is wealthy in her own right and did not ask for alimony.

NORTH BRUCE PETITION.

The Case Begun at Southampton, But Not Much Progress Was Made—A Lot of Witnesses.

Southampton, Ont., Nov. 30.—The trial of the petition filed against the election of Mr. Alexander McNeill, M.P. for the north riding of Bruce, was commenced in the Town Hall here to-day at 3 p.m. The petitioner is Mr. Richard James Lillico of Chesley, and it is charged that the respondent personally, or through his agents, was guilty of bribery, corruption and undue influence, and similar acts, by reason of which the election should be set aside, and that the respondent should be declared ineligible to sit as a member of the House of Commons, voting at the elections for same, or holding office in the gift of the Crown during the statutory period of his disqualification.

A cross petition has also been filed by Mr. Alexander McNeill against Dr. H. A. Bonnar, his opponent in the last election, in which similar charges are made.

Mr. Justice Street and Mr. Justice Falconbridge composed the court. A. B. Aylesworth, Q.C., R. A. Grant and C. J. Mickle of Chesley appeared for the petitioner, and B. B. Osler, Q.C., for the respondent. About a hundred witnesses have been summoned.

Mr. Aylesworth opened the case for the petitioner. Very little progress was made, owing to the time spent in interpreting questions and answers. Some of the witnesses were Indians from the Saugeen Reserve, and unable to speak English.

The court was adjourned at 7 o'clock until 9.15 to-morrow morning. Notwithstanding the long list of charges and the many witnesses subpoenaed, it is thought that the case will be finished by to-morrow evening.

PREACHED AGAINST THE BALL.

A Presbyterian Clergyman of Montreal Caused a Sensation in Society.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Throughout the day and at the splendid ball this evening in honor of St. Andrew, there was a great deal of comment over a sermon preached in Crescent-street Church yesterday by Rev. Dr. McKay, a leading Presbyterian divine, and rather a strait-laced theologian regarding public balls, and other social functions. Now it happens that Rev. Edgar Hill of St. Andrew's, and Rev. Dr. Barclay of St. Paul's, are not so particular as their reverend brother, who presides over the Crescent-street flock, for both of these gentleman attend St. Andrew's ball and, in fact, the first-named generally says grace at the first supper table, and no one appears to think any the less of them for it. It is not known if Rev. Dr. McKay had his two brother divines in his mind's eye or not, but be this as it may, he gave the promoters of St. Andrew's day festivities quite a knock all the same. He deplored the fact that the foreign missionary fund had to be cut down 25 per cent., owing to the hard times, and the scarcity of the needful, and he regretted that St. Andrew's was celebrated in such a costly manner, no doubt feeling that a hundred or more South Sea Islanders might be brought to the light of the Gospel if the rich Montreal ladies and the pretty debutantes who year after year grace St. Andrew's ball, would make the sacrifice of their diamonds and ball gowns. In fact Dr. McKay's sermon is the sensation of the hour in Presbyterian circles.

Twelve banking institutions of the Provinces of Quebec and Ontario will begin to-morrow to pay dividends, aggregating upwards of $1,350,000. This vast sum is for the most part the half-yearly dividends of the various monetary institutions, and, according to the usual custom, the dividends to the shareholders are made payable on and after Dec. 1. It is the custom, however, of several large banking institutions, such for instance, as the Molsons and the Bank of British North America, to declare their dividends at an earlier date, so, of course, they do not appear in the subjoined list of those who make payment, beginning to-morrow: Bank of Montreal, $300,000; Merchants' Bank of Canada, half-yearly dividend, $240,000; Bank of Toronto, half-yearly dividend, $100,000; Ontario Bank, half-yearly dividend, $25,000; Banque Ville Marie, half-yearly dividend, $15,000; Banque de Hochelaga, half-yearly dividend, $28,000; Quebec Bank, half-yearly dividend, $75,000; Imperial Bank of Canada, yearly dividend, $157,088; Jacques Cartier Bank, half-yearly dividend, $15,000; Union Bank of Canada, half-yearly dividend, $36,000; Standard Bank of Canada, half-yearly dividend, $40,000; Traders' Bank of Canada, half-yearly dividend, $21,000. Total $1,352,088.

Some 50 hands have been put off in the C.P.R locomotive works, but they will no doubt be taken on again as the work demands.

It is stated here that Mr. L. O. David's brochure on the French-Canadian clergy has received the approval of Rome, and if this be the case, Mr. David's clerical critics here will be considerably embarrassed.

Dr. Jameson Improving.

London, Nov. 30.—The physicians of Holloway jail report that the health of Dr. L. S. Jameson, the Transvaal raider, which was reported last week to be in a critical state, is showing some improvement.

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Nothing is more needed for horses at this inclement season of the year than a waterproof horse cover. I make them to order and keep them in stock as well. Hoods, heads, backs and breasts in black waterproof, impervious to water, soft and pliable. Any kind or style of ordered goods required. Lap rugs, strictly waterproof. Also cheese covers as requested by members of the Cheese Board, and for covering all kinds of goods liable to damage from wet. A. KINGSCOTTE, Tent, Sail and Awning manufacturer, 344 Water street, opposite market.

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A DOUBLE DROWNING.

Two Ottawa Lads Went Skating and the Ice Gave Way—Gallant Efforts at Rescue.

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—A double drowning accident, involving deeds of heroism, occurred in the city this afternoon. A number of young lads were skating on the thin ice of the Rideau Canal above Maria-street bridge, when two, named Edmond Potvin and Joseph Perras, both about 16 years of age, broke through. A companion named John Clarke, 17 years old, got Perras out and then made a gallant attempt to save Potvin, but failed, he himself being carried out of his depth and sinking with Potvin. A crowd of schoolboys from the Collegiate Institute, 100 yards away, ran to the scene when they heard the news and one of them, a plucky young lad of 16, named Douglas Lyon, dived three times into the icy water, but could not find the bodies. Lyon was given three cheers for his plucky effort. Later on the bodies of Clarke and Potvin were recovered.

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AN ELEGANT CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR Sale—a beautiful Pier Glass, handsomely framed in Black Walnut, on coloured Marble Slab; British plate glass with bevelled edge, valued at $125, stands 9 feet, 6 inches; will be sold at a bargain—less than half price. Address "C" EXAMINER Office. 6d123

FOR SALE—A GOOD MEDIUM SIZE, J. & J. Taylor Safe with Combination Lock—a bargain. Apply at the EXAMINER Office. dtf

265 HUNTER STREET—FURNISHED Rooms to rent; with or without board.

TO RENT—SEVERAL COMFORTABLY Heated Rooms Bank of Commerce Buildings; suitable for bedrooms or offices. Apply to 437 George street. dtf93

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TWEED PANTS 75c and	.75

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Styles and qualities equal to anything shown by exclusive dealers. Such smart, stylish Hats and Footwear are getable no where else at the price.

It's the young men's trade we cater to, and if any old men want to look young they should buy their Hats and Shoes at Gough's.

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WIDE LEAF SOFT FELT HATS, 65c, 50c and	.40
MEN'S HARD FELT HATS, starting at	.25
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Clearing Sale of Millinery.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

CHILDREN'S BONNETS, FANCY HOODS, CAPS AND MUFFS.

which will be sold much below cost. A number of PATTERN HATS and BONNETS to be sold at half price. This is a rare chance for Ladies' to get the newest and most stylish goods at half the regular price. Come early and secure bargains as the goods must be sold.

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IMPERATIVE DECEMBER DOINGS

—AT—

THE GOLDEN LION!

We propose making December a notable month in our business. November has been a booming month, for, mind you, we laid ourselves out to boom things—not talk, not thunder, not importuning to buy, but a solid boom that brought buyers. Our idea of booming is to put out some inducements that no one can afford to neglect. You will remember our special push for November was in Carpets, Curtains and Housefurnishings. We purpose to push the going out of other lines embracing

Mantles, Mantle Cloths, Millinery, Dress Goods, Silks, Dress Trimmings, Hand Embroidered Irish Linens, Flannels, Flannelettes, Carpets, Housefurnishings & Curtains.

We want to get these lines pared down by the month. We want you to help at the paring. We purpose to pay you for it in the values we will give.

SCAN THIS LIST! SCAN THIS LIST!

MANTLE DEPARTMENT.

FOR $4.25 Ladies' Cloth Jackets, formerly sold at $6.50.

FOR $5.00 Ladies Black Curl Cloth Jackets, formerly sold at $6.50.

FOR $5.50 Ladies' Black Beaver Cloth Jackets, formerly $7.50.

FOR $5.00 Ladies' Tweed Jackets, formerly sold at $7.50.

FOR $8.50 Ladies' Black Curl Cloth Jackets, former price $12.00.

FOR $15.00 Ladies' Fine Cloth Jackets, silk lined, formerly sold at $20.00.

FOR $1.00 per yard all our Ladies' Tweed Ulsterings, formerly sold at $1.25 and $1.50. CUTTING FREE.

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FOR $1.25 Fancy Silk Velvet Tams, worth $2.00.

FOR $1.25 Children's Trimmed Hats, worth $3.00.

FOR $2.5 Ladies' Trimmed Hats, worth $4.00.

FOR $3.50 Ladies' Trimmed Hats and Bonnets, worth $5.00 and $6.00.

FOR 25C your choice of a large collection of Sailors, worth $1.00.

DRESS GOODS.

20 Per Cent. off all our Dress Costumes.

FOR 25C per yard your choice of 300 yards Fancy Blouse Silks, formerly sold at 35c and 75c.

DRESS TRIMMINGS.

FOR 3C, 5C, 10C per yard your choice of 200 yards Dress Trimmings, formerly sold at 12½c, 15c and 20c.

FOR 10C the yard your choice of 1000 yards Unshrinkable Grey Flannel.

FOR 25C the yard 10 pieces Elder Down Flannels, handsome patterns, worth 50c and 60c per yard.

IRISH LINEN.

We are clearing our entire stock of hand Embroidered Linens, embracing Pillow Shams, sideboard Scarfs, Tray Cloths, Doylies and 5 o'clock tea cloths.

CARPETS.

FOR 25C choice pattern Tapestry Carpets, formerly sold at 35c.

FOR $1.00 per yard best 5-frame Brussels Carpets, latest designs.

FOR $1.75 & $2.25 your choice of our lovely stock of Scotch Muslin Curtains, former prices $2.00 and $3.00 per pair.

We have about 20 pairs of Swiss Curtains left to be cleared at our November Sale Prices.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES.

We are introducing some rare Novelties suitable for Gifts, such as Silver Cups, Silver Mounted Mirrors, Silver Cased Toilet Bottles, Hand Painted Silk Doylies, Silk Handkerchiefs, Fancy Handkerchiefs, Silk Scarfs and hundreds of other useful things, all at prices as attractive as the goods are handsome.

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Felt Shapes, were $1, now 75c.
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Felt Shapes, were 75c, now 35c.
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Trimmed Hats, were $2, now $1.25.
Trimmed Hats, were $1.50, now $1.
Ospreys, Feathers, Wings, etc. at half price.

Mantles to Go.

Stylish Mantles, were $10, now $5.
Stylish Mantles, were $8, now $4.50.
Stylish Mantles, were $5, now $2.25.

Ribbons, Etc., to Go.

Ribbons, worth 20c, reduced to 10c.
Ribbons, worth 25c, reduced to 15c.
Ladies' Vests, long sleeves, worth 30c, reduced to 12 1-2c.
Rimswood Gloves, worth 30c, reduced to 19c.
Black Cashmere Gloves worth 25c, reduced 15c

Hosiery to Go.

Ladies' Hose, all wool 25c.
Ladies' Fine Ribbed Wool Hose 20c.
Ladies' Ribbed Wool Hose, seamless 25c.

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FRUIT GROWERS WANT PROTECTION

Senator Sanford Tells About the Cost of Making Overcoats and Wants the Tariff Maintained—Mr. Copp Goes in for Free Trade in Iron Manufactures.

Hamilton, Dec. 1.—(Special.)—Shortly after 10 o'clock this morning the Dominion Government Tariff Commission commenced its labors in Hamilton at the Board of Trade rooms. All the members of the commission, Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance (chairman); Sir Oliver Mowat, Minister of Justice; Sir Richard Cartwright, Minister of Trade and Commerce, and Hon. William Paterson, Controller of Customs, were present. There was a large crowd of interested people in the room when the commission settled down to business.

The first spokesmen for a deputation were E. D. Smith, Winona, and D. J. McKinnon, Grimsby, who appeared on behalf of the fruit-growers of the peninsula. Mr. Smith said the fruit-growers would like a change in duty on pears and plums, 20 and 25 per cent. ad valorem, to a specific duty of a cent a pound. In the rush of the season this would mean a duty of about $1.80 on $1 worth, this being practically prohibitory. The fruit-growers thought a small duty should be placed on bananas, say 1-2 cent a pound, so as to encourage the consumption of domestic fruit. Dried peaches might also be taxed 2 cents a pound. Unless the fruit-growers had a large protection they could not have the Canadian market to themselves, the competition of New York and Michigan being very strong.

Mr. McKinnon said he looked on the present Government as a continuation of the late Government, instead of being distinctly unlike it, adding emphatically that the fruit-growers need protection more than manufacturers.

The fruit-growers were asked to prepare figures for the use of the commissioners.

Edward Morris of Fonthill said the nurserymen of Canada were in danger of being driven out of the business unless protected from the bogus nurserymen of the United States. He asked that the specific duty be maintained, especially in view of prices on the other side, being 50 per cent. less than actual cost of production. This state of affairs would likely continue for some time.

R. C. Brown, Ridgeville, wanted the duty on small nursery stock changed from ad valorem to a specific duty. He admitted having business on both sides of the line, being in Canada because of the duty. He backed up what Mr. Morris had said about bogus Yankee nurserymen fleecing farmers.

Senator Sanford and John Calder were present as the representatives of the clothing manufacturers. Mr. Sanford showed the commissioners an overcoat which was entirely Canadian, even including the buttons, it being sold wholesale at $3.75. He said that 25 per cent. of the members of the Commons wore the same style of coat. In contrast to this, he showed an American cheap overcoat, which sold in New York at $1.30 wholesale. Its lining was torn to show that it was simply cotton waste and bagging, not being as good as shoddy. It would not stand the wet, and was altogether a delusion and a snare.

The present duty on such United States goods was about 60 per cent., and the Senator wished the duty to remain, otherwise the farmers would be liable to be fleeced badly by having such stuff palmed off on them.

W. H. Judd, soap manufacturer, advised the commission that if the tariff on soap were changed, American manufacturers would make a slaughter market of Canada.

J. J. Evel and A. W. Semmens, undertakers' furnishings, stated that they wanted the duty on their raw material reduced to the same figure as that on the manufactured article, which was 25 per cent.

J. J. McLaren of the Hamilton Coffee and Spice Company asked that a specific duty of two cents a pound extra be placed on ground spices, instead of the ad valorem duty, which was really a higher duty on high-grade goods. On a pound of pepper, worth 10 cents, this would be a duty of 1 1-4 cents. By such a change cheap and poor spices would be practically prevented from coming into the country.

Several other manufacturers of more or less importance appeared before the commission and presented their views, but not one was in favor of free trade.

The commissioners were entertained at luncheon to-day at the Hamilton Club by A. T. Wood, M.P., and T. H. Macpherson, M.P. Owing to the recent death of his son, Sir Richard Cartwright will not accept any invitations to social functions while in the city, but he will live quietly at the Royal Hotel. Hon. W. E. Sanford will entertain the commissioners at dinner at Wesanford this evening.

At this afternoon's inquiry, W. J. Copp, stove manufacturer, put in a word for free trade. He said if the United States would allow him to send stoves there free of duty, he would be willing to allow the American manufacturers the same privilege in Canada. On behalf of the iron industry he asked that stove bolts be not rated higher than stoves, they being one cent a pound ad valorem. The tariff needed revision on stove rods, sheet iron and sheet steel, and stove patterns should be six cents a pound. Stove tiles should be only 27 1-2 per cent. Designs should be registered for 14 years, instead of only 5, for $5, and manufacturers should be notified when patents expired.

Henry New, A. D. Harris and Robert Campbell, sewer pipe manufacturers, wanted a specific duty of $5 a ton on sewer pipes. The present duty was 25 per cent. ad valorem.

M. W. Findlay, slater, asked to have the duty on slate reduced from 30 per cent. to 20.

George E. Bristol was the chief spokesman for a deputation of wholesale grocers, who wanted the duty on cleaned rice reduced. They thought the duty was too high on syrups, the tariff being nearly 100 per cent., and they wanted the molasses duty made uniform. The sugar refiners were protected higher than necessary, Mr. Bristol said, and a specific duty instead of ad valorem on various articles of food would suit the grocers. They wanted the prohibitory duty on show cards taken off, it being vexatious and serving no good purpose.

Adolphus Dalley, stove blacking manufacturer, wanted no change in the duty on blacking (30 per cent.), otherwise the importers should be made to pay 25 per cent. on the actual selling price of their goods. He said his firm, F. F. Dalley Co., paid over $22,000 annually in wages. Mr. Dalley left a box of blacking with the commissioners, as a souvenir.

H. E. Ralston said 25 per cent. was too low a duty on stove polish, but the duty on plumbago, 10 to 25 per cent., was too high for raw material.

J. D. Trenamen wanted the tax on rubber cement considerably reduced. He paid 72 per cent. on nearly all his raw material, and it should not be more than 30 per cent.

Adam Ballantyne, retail grocer, requested that the coal oil duty be reduced to 3 cents, the duty on fruit jars from 30 per cent. to 15 per cent., wax candles 4 cents to 2 cents. He also wanted the tariff on biscuits reduced and he said the duty should be taken off syrups and molasses and a duty of 5 to 10 cents on tea.

James Brown, manufacturer of shears, dies, etc., wished the goods coming into the country to be classified. He gave the commissioners a statement of his ideas, not for publication.

J. G. Hore, wheel manufacturer, did not wish a change in the duty.

Edward New, the only fire brick manufacturer in Canada, asked to be protected from the big rivals in the States, by a 20 per cent. duty on fire brick.

THE NORTH BRUCE PETITION.

Evidence of Saugeen Indians Taken and Contradicted Many Charges Dismissed.

Southampton, Ont., Dec. 1.—The North Bruce election trial was continued here to-day.

This morning several Indians living on the Saugeen reserve testified to having been offered money and to having received extra timber and exemption from dues on condition that they would vote for Mr. McNeill. Several charges against the member-elect were dismissed, the evidence in support of them being insufficient. Indian Agent Crowe then being called, denied having taken any part in the election, either on behalf of Mr. McNeill or his opponent.

After the adjournment, Mr. Osler continued his cross-examination of Mr. John Crowe. The witness denied he had offered any inducements to any Indians to influence their votes. When Mr. Aylesworth concluded his re-examination of this witness, he informed the court he had no further evidence to produce.

On charges 9 to 19, which were first dealt with, the court decided that the respondent should call witnesses. Mr. Osler called William Porteous, who denied the statements of the Indian witnesses that Crowe had offered inducements to them if they would vote for McNeill. Mr. Aylesworth briefly summed up the evidence on these charges, but the court decided that no case had been made, and charges 9 to 19 were dismissed.

Charges 6, 7 and 8 were then taken up. S. James, an Indian, one of Dr. Bonner's scrutineers on the reserve, said that two boxes of cigars were given away by McNeill's scrutineers after the votes had been polled.

Wm. Henry Scott, druggist, Southampton, admitted spending $20, given him by James Dundas. The money was distributed among the Indians after dark. Scott underwent a long cross-examination by Mr. Osler in regard to details, but no further information was elicited from him. Charles Scott said Dundas gave him $20 for use among the Indians, which he gave to his brother some days later.

Mr. Osler submitted that he should not be made to answer these charges, because it was not proven that money given to anyone was to a voter. Afterwards the petitioner was allowed to amend his particulars.

Mr. Osler then called Mr. C. R. Vanstone, who said that Scott had told him he did not care who was elected.

James Duncan was called, and said the money he gave to Scott for election purposes was his own and he gave it of his own free will.

Mr. Aylesworth argued that the charges made by the petitioner were sustained by the evidence produced and that Scott was an agent for whose acts the candidate was responsible.

Mr. Justice Street delivered the opinion of the court that, while an improper payment had been made by Lundas, neither he nor Scott could be considered an agent of McNeill's, and that there had been no corrupt practice affecting the candidate. Charges 6, 7 and 8 were therefore dismissed.

Mr. Aylesworth then commenced to put in evidence in support of the charges made, but before he had proceeded far the court adjourned until 9:15 to-morrow morning.

The London Petition.

London, Ont., Dec. 1.—The preliminary proceedings in connection with the London election trial are progressing quietly, and to-morrow or the next day will witness another step in the progress of the case, when the solicitor for Mr. Beattie, will be presented with a very bulky legal document, the bill of particulars, which has to be supplied to the defendants by the prosecuting party two weeks before the trial, which takes place on the 17th. The Liberals have already subpoenaed a large number of witnesses.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

The Grand Division of Ontario in Session at Whitby—Prominent Gentlemen Present.

Whitby, Dec. 1.—The town is full of Sons of Temperance to-day. The grand division for Ontario of this pioneer Temperance Society of North America, is holding its annual convention in the Town Hall. The session opened this afternoon with G.W.P. J. Brooks, Toronto, presiding. Other grand officers present were G.W.A. Henry O'Brien, Vienna; G.S. W. H. Bewell, Whitby; G.T. J. M. Walton, Nettleby; G. Chief Rev. Mr. Wickett, Copleston; G. Con. Chas. Cottenden, Toronto; superintendents of young people's work, Miss Theresa Scenes, Port Perry; Miss Della Nigh, Avon; P.G.W.P.G.M. Rose, Toronto. Forty-two candidates were initiated into the grand division.

Among the prominent members of the order present are Ed. Carswell, Oshawa; P.M.W.A. James H. Roberts, Boston, Mass. Tres. Nat. Div. of North America; F. M. Bradley, Washington, D.C., G.F. Sec. of the National Mutual Relief Society; Thos. Caswell, M.L.A., Toronto.

Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education for Ontario, and Provincial Secretary E. J. Davis are here this evening to take part in the public reception in the Music Hall. The freedom of the town was presented to the visitors by the Mayor, Reeve and Deputy Reeve of Whitby, who were so appointed to do by the Town Council.

Discussion of the plebiscite question is expected to enliven to-morrow's session.

DAMAGE IN THE WEST.

The Blizzard Followed by Blockades of Ice in the Gorges and Floods in the Valleys.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 1.—Reports of damage done by the late storm, which are beginning to come in, show that it is greater than at first supposed. The railroads are still badly handicapped, but hope to be running by Wednesday. The body of Thomas Anderson, who perished in the storm near Moorehead, was found this morning near the home of the young lady whom he had escorted home through the blizzard.

Much Apprehension.

Helena, Mont., Dec. 1.—There is much apprehension in regard to the cattle industry this winter. The severity of the weather for the past few days, and the fact that there is considerable snow on the ranges, are ominous of future losses.

New Floods Threaten.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Dec. 1.—A more disastrous flood than the memorable one of 1884, in which thousands of dollars worth of property was destroyed, threatens this city. An ice gorge, fastened by thousands of logs, has formed at the site of the old Lafayette mill, and an enormous body of water is being held in a space covering about six miles of the river.

If the water continues to rise one-half of the city may be flooded.

At Irving, near here, the tracks are flooded, and no trains are coming in. The weather is intensely cold, and the streets are a mass of ice, over which flows the incoming tide as it slowly rises. Eau Claire has every reason to feel apprehensive, as its danger begins when that of Chippewa Falls has passed.

Farmers Had to Flee.

Eau Claire, Wis., Dec. 1.—The Chippewa River is jammed with ice in several places from the Dells forting works, just below Eau Claire, to Gravel Island, two miles from Chippewa Falls. The backwater at Chippewa is accumulating rapidly, flooding part of the town, and is up to 18 feet. Alarming reports are received as to the possibility of the ice jam breaking and precipitating a great mass of water on Eau Claire. About 20 miles of the valley division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, south of Eau Claire, is under water and ice; there have been no trains for three days. On the lowlands below Durrand the rise was so rapid that many families had to flee in their night robes to places of safety. The suffering among the women and children was intense, and many have frozen feet and limbs. Those who could do so fled to the railroad track. There they built a fire, and tried to protect themselves from the frosty winds until relief arrived. An engine and coach sent out from Durrand gathered up 40 or 50 of these people. The bottoms are all under water, and the stock and produce are a complete loss.

Blizzard in Texas.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 1.—A severe blizzard has been raging in portions of Texas during the past 48 hours. At Houston, Victoria and Eagle Pass, the heaviest snowstorm of recent years is raging. It is not thought that cattle will suffer much.

If your eyes trouble you in any way, have them tested by W. Madill, optician. No charge for examination.

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THE DRINK HABIT.

Yesterday we suggested the encouragement presented to moral reformers by the evidence government statistics afforded of the decrease of the tobacco habit, and the annual report of the department of Inland Revenue, shows that what many regard as an allied evil, the drink habit, is gradually losing its grip on the popular palate. Though there was an increase of ardent spirits manufactured during the year 1896, there was a decrease in the consumption. The quantity of spirits produced during the fiscal year was 4,382,210 proof gallons, against 2,605,787 in 1895. The quantity warehoused was 4,597,000 gallons, against 3,139,000 in 1895. The average for four years previous was 3,138,000. Duty was collected last year on 2,344,000 proof gallons. The consumption per head of spirits was 0.63 or sixty-two gallons for every hundred souls in the Dominion. This is the smallest consumption since Confederation, the average in twenty-seven years being over a gallon per head. In 1895 it was .66, and in 1894 it was .74. The decrease in the consumption of wine is also perceptible. Last year there was consumed per head 2 12 gallons, as compared with a consumption per head of 2 16 gallons per head in 1895, and 2.26 gallons in 1894. It is apparent, however, that the necessity for stimulants is a persistent delusion, if delusion it be, with humanity. While the consumption of spirits and wines shows a decrease the use of their less potent popular equivalent has been increased. Of beer there was consumed 3.52 gallons per head in the past fiscal year, compared with 3.47 per head in 1895 and 2.16 in 1870. The ratio between the decrease in wine and spirits consumption, and increase of beer, seems to be fairly constant. However, there is evidence that the drink habit is gradually losing its hold upon the people, who, while feeling the necessity of drink of some kind, prefer the comparatively mild and gentle beer to its more potent congenors, whisky and wine. Those of us who have passed the meridian of life, can frankly testify to the marked change in the drinking habits of the people within the past generation. Not only, as is shown by statistics, is their less drinking, but less drunkenness. Drinking and intemperance do not, of necessity, go together, but in fact they too often do so. The falling off in immoderate drinking—for the figures quoted show that there is still a great deal of drink consumed—is, no doubt, largely due to the increased strength of the temperance sentiment, brought about by the persistent advocacy of those promoting it, and, perhaps, to some extent, to the growth of the sentiment against a man making a beast of himself—to increase of total abstinence in the one case and to increase of moderate drinking in the other. Whether the spread of temperate practice and temperance sentiment in the masses has yet reached the stage that would make the adoption of the prohibition of the liquor traffic possible, is a question that doubtless admits of discussion; but there is no doubt that the friends of the temperance reform movement have reason to feel encouraged, and to push their efforts with improved hope of ultimate success.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

MR. SIFTON'S election by acclamation in Brandon shows, says the Ottawa Journal (Independent), that in Manitoba the majority anyway are very well satisfied with the school settlement.

IN discussing the appointment of colonial judges to the Judicial Committee of the Imperial Privy Council, Lord Roseberry said that such an appointment would "add one more golden link to the chain of the Empire." In the case of Canada the link is a Strong one.

MR. DRYDEN'S LATEST MOVE.

Proposed Amalgamation of the Three Dairy Associations.

(Ottawa Journal.)

Hon. Mr. Dryden's proposal to harmonise and simplify the working of the three dairy associations of Ontario, and of the Dominion and Provincial governments' connection with them, seems a most timely one.

Through organization and intelligent government promotion, the dairying interests of Ontario have shown a remarkable progress during the past ten years.

It is gratifying to find the same intelligent government interest continuing. Mr. Dryden suggests another step in dairying development in the province on business principles, and the Journal is sure that the dairy associations and Prof. Robertson, the Dominion dairy commissioner, will co-operate heartily.

Mr. Dryden is to be congratulated on his move.

WARSAW.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Thanksgiving day was quiet here. The stores were closed during the day, and nothing serious happened until night when the quack, quack of ducks and geese were heard, but were soon hushed in silence when Ned came around.

The rink will soon be in progress.

Thos. A. Choate shipped a carload of turkeys from Hastings last week, and expects to ship another this week.

Mr. George Reynolds is the guest of Mr. Samuel Hamblin. George looks well since he has been out in the Northwest.

Warsaw creamery is running in full blast.

Rev. G. Robison is attending a meeting at Toronto this week.

Court Warsaw, C.O.F., had two initiations on Tuesday night. Would like to have two more next meeting night. Push hard boys.

Weddings are the order of the day around here. More are looked forward to in the village shortly.

SOUTH MONAGHAN.

(From Our Own Correspondent.

The ladies of the Centreville Presbyterian chure held their annual Thanksgiving dinner and concert on Nov, 26t. The programme was very interesting and entertaining. Special mention may be made of the solos by Miss Sing, of Port Hope, and exhibitions of club swinging by Miss Cheer, also of Port Hope. The programme was as follows:—

Hymn	"All Hail the Power of Jesus Name"
Prayer	Rev Mr Tanner
Chairman's Address	Rev Mr Cattanach
Solo	Dr McKee
Address	Rev Mr Tanner
Solo	Miss Sing
Solo (encore)	Miss Sing
Club Swinging	Miss Cheer
Reading	Mrs Cattanach
Solo	Miss Sing
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That Canadian patriotism can be relied upon to support those whose efforts are directed to the stirring up of memories of our glorious past and hopes for the magnificent future which is possible to us, is proven by the success of a publication that for the past ten years has been growing into the good graces of Canadians.

Toronto Saturday night has alwas issued a Christmas Number, little heralded by the press, advertised only by its merits, and acceptable to everyone because of its well-told stories and prettily made pictures. For several years it used English, French and German supplements, but for the past two years it has excelled all previous attempts by issuing immense reproductions of historical paintings, original and Canadian.

This year the Battle of Queenston Heights is the subject, a picture nearly three feet long by ever two feet wide, painted by a Canadian artist and reproduced by Canadian processes in fourteen colours. The surroundings of the battle are the mountain up which our volunteers endeavoured to climb, the historic gorge of Niagara, the blue distances which stretch through New York State, and the mists which rise from the whirl of the rapids. In the foreground General Brock is dying, supported by the arms of his lieutenants. The Regulars are charging past him, the Indians are skirmishing through the rocks and trees to the right, and Canada's hero, with his sword aloft, cries out, "Push on, York Volunteers." The picture excites that strange emotion which contains so much of patriotism that one scarcely knows whether to choke up with the coming tears or to shout with enthusiasm. The spirited and artistic conception of the picture, the tasteful treatment of the colour scheme, the effective freedom of the drawing combine to give it an art as well as sentimental value that will make it a fit adornment of the walls of the most æsthetic Canadian home.

The story of the war is written by George Taylor Denison in so vivid a style that one can almost hear the musketry and the shouting of the charging brigades. Saturday Night's Christmas this year is incomparably the handsomest and most worthy production of Canadian art, and should be sent by everyone to absent friends who live afar but whose hearts have not grown cold when the name of Canada is mentioned. For sending to absent or loved ones in the Old Country, where they know so little of our history, it is the brightest and most thrilling Canadian souvenir ever produced. It can be found at all newsdealers, price 50 cents, or mailed directly from the office of publication at the same price. It may be added that the book is crowded with interesting stories and illustrations—one story being contributed by the Marquis of Lorne, ex-Governor General of Canada.

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LATEST CABLE NEWS

St. James' Gazette Says Do Something for Canada.

DR. JAMESON IS NOW A FREE MAN

But Too Ill to be Removed From Holloway Prison—Daily News Eulogizes Sir H. Strong—Very Cold in England—German Navy Affairs Discussed—French Matters.

London, Dec. 1.—Referring to the reported tariff revision in the United States and Canada, The St. James' Gazette this afternoon devoted its leading editorial to the Canadian question, and urges the Government to do something for Canada, which, it says, is infinitely more important than Guiana and South Africa, adding: "It would be well before it is too late for the Government and Parliament to consider whether the Dominion has received the attention it deserves. The consolidation of the empire is an absolute necessity, yet nothing is doing to accomplish what Mr. Chamberlain long ago promised. But, what has he done, and what is he going to do for Canada?"

The St. James' Gazette points to Canada's temptations, and to the alleged boast of the Anglophobe American papers that she has no chance even of a customs union until Canada joins the United States.

EULOGIZES SIR HENRY.

London Daily News Speaks Well of Canada's Representative.

London, Dec. 1.—The Daily News contains a eulogistic article on the nomination of Sir Henry Strong, Chief Justice of the Dominion of Canada, as Privy Councillor, which will enable him to sit on the Judicial Committee. The Daily News comments upon the fact that the law does not provide a salary for three colonial judges, and it advocates a radical reform of legislation, amalgamating the Privy Council, Appeal Court and the Judicial Committee into a single great appellate tribunal for all the Queen's dominions.

JAMESON RELEASED.

But the Raider is Too Ill to be Removed From Holloway Prison.

London, Dec. 1.—The report published this morning in The Daily Mail that Sir Matthew White Ridley, the Home Secretary, has ordered the release from Holloway jail of Dr. Jameson, the Transvaal raider, is confirmed upon official authority.

Though his release has been decided upon by the authorities the condition of Dr. Jameson's health renders it impossible for him to be removed from the jail at present.

TRADE WITH CANADA.

Old Country Merchants Say Orders are Light This Year—Prices of Apples.

London, Dec. 1.—(Telegram Cable.)—Manufacturers and exporters here say their trade with the Canadian firms who import dry goods from the Old Country is not nearly up to that of former years, and the buyers for Canadian dealers are placing very small orders for goods.

Covent Garden prices for Canadian apples, as reported by W. N. White, are: Blenheims, 9s to 13s; Nova Scotia Kings, 9s 6d to 11s; Ribstones, 9s to 12s; Kings, 11s to 12s; Greenings, 9s to 11s; Baldwins, 9s to 11s; Golden Russets 11s to 19s; Fullamatns, 11s to 13s; Golden Mundin, 11s to 13s; Seeks and Spys, 11s to 13s. Liverpool prices are about the same as those reported here.

THE GERMAN BUDGET.

Admiral Von Hollmann Tells of the Cost of Replacing the Fleet.

Berlin, Dec. 1.—The debate on the estimates was resumed to-day in the Reichstag. Admiral Von Hollmann, Secretary of the Navy, declared that in order to replace the German fleet the value of which was 320,000,000 marks (about $76,000,000) by new vessels, the sum of 32,000,000 marks annually, or 10 per cent. of the value of the fleet, should be provided in the budget. The Government, however, he explained, only asked for 20,000,000 marks (about $4,750,000). He paid a warm tribute to the sailors of the German warship Itlis, who went down off the coast of China, while cheering for the Emperor. This reference to the gallantry of the German sailors was warmly applauded.

Count Von Bosadowsky-Wehner, Minister of the Imperial Treasury, stated that it was impossible to ignore the right of the various federal states to a proportion of the surplus of the Imperial revenue, and he expressed a hope that an agreement would be reached by the Government and the Chamber so that the federal states would not be subjected to excessive demands. He also hoped, he said, that the redemption of the public debt would be pushed.

Relative to the operation of the sugar tax law Count Von Bosadowsky-Wehner would express no opinion, saying he believed the law had not yet been long enough in operation to render it advisable to do so. The subject of abolishing the bounties on sugar, however, was still being considered by the Government.

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FRENCH AFFAIRS.

Lockroy's Proposal to Build $40,000,000 Worth of Warships Approved.

Paris, Dec. 1.—It is reported that Admiral Besnard, the Minister of Marine, is not unfavorable to the proposal of M. Lockroy to include in the naval estimates $40,000,000 for building new men of war. It is probable, however, that the proposal will only be accepted in some modified form.

M. Maxime Avoine, the sculptor, has committed suicide on account of grief over his dismissal from the Ecole Des Arts Decoratifs, for expressing revolutionary views of the Carmaux troubles to his pupils.

The Monetary Commission has pronounced in favor of a nickel issue. M. Foville, director of the mint, opposes this decision.

Funeral of Poet Patmore.

London, Dec. 1.—The funeral of Coventry K. Patmore, the author, who died on Nov. 26, took place in the Catholic Church at Lymington to-day, and the body was interred in the cemetery at that place. A choral mass for the dead was celebrated in the church in the presence of a large congregation of mourners.

Murderers Get 15 Years.

Berlin, Dec. 1.—Grosse and Werner, the two men who last October murdered Herr Major Levy, President of the Berlin bar, by stabbing him to death in his bedroom, were sentenced to-day to 15 years imprisonment.

Strikers Backed Up.

Berlin, Dec. 1.—At a meeting of the United Trades Representatives here yesterday evening Herr Molkenbuher, a member of the Reichstag, presiding, a resolution was passed, assuring the Hamburg strikers of the solid support of the workingmen of Berlin and promising them financial aid, while agreeing to prevent the departure of men from the city to take the places of the strikers.

Changes in the Directorate.

London, Dec. 1.—The Marquis of Tweeddale and Sir Albert Cappel have retired from the Board of Directors of the Anglo-American Telegraph Co., and have been replaced by the election of Sir Gerald Fitzgerald and Mr. R. H. Benson. Mr. T. A. Bevan was elected chairman of the Board at a meeting held to-day.

Extreme Cold in England.

London, Dec. 1.—A cold wave of extreme severity is prevailing throughout England, and several deaths of tramps and others from exposure to the weather are reported. Many of the streams, lakes, ponds, etc., are frozen over with ice of sufficient thickness to permit skating, which is being generally indulged in.

Mathilde Bland's Body Cremated.

London, Dec. 1.—The body of Mathilde Bland, the author and lecturer, who died last week, was incinerated in the crematory at Woking to-day. A large number of persons eminent in literary and artistic circles were present, and an address was delivered by Moncure D. Conway, the distinguished author.

Mr. Roosevelt Improving.

London, Dec. 1.—The condition of Mr. James P. Roosevelt, Secretary of the United States Embassy, who has been suffering for some time past from nervous prostration, is improving, and it is probable that Mr. Roosevelt will start for Egypt within a week or ten days for the purpose of recuperating his health.

Medals for Scientists.

London, Dec. 1.—At a meeting of the Royal Society yesterday Sir John Lister, Foreign Secretary, presiding, medals were presented to Prof. Roentgen for his ray discoveries, and to the French professor, Moissan, for his discovery of the isolation of the element fluorine.

Money for the Strikers.

Hamburg, Dec. 1.—The distribution of the strike funds began this morning. Seven thousand men are receiving aid. About 14,500 dockers and others are now on strike. The boatmen of the Upper Elbe have decided not to strike.

Chauvin Set at Liberty.

Paris, Dec. 1.—M. Chauvin, the Socialist deputy, who was arrested on Sunday during the demonstration against the visiting Socialists, was set at liberty to-day in pursuance of the vote taken in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, ordering his immediate release.

Belgian Officials Resign.

Brussels, Dec. 1.—The Burgomasters and Sheriffs have resigned, owing to the adoption of the Communal Council of a Catholic proposal, fixing the minimum wage of communal employes at three francs per day.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

Brussels, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I started taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

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A bracelet for a lady bicyclist consists of a curb chain, in the middle of which is a powerful whistle set with the nozzle upward, so that the wearer is enabled to use it without detaching the chain from the wrist. These are made in gold or silver.

That soft, rich, glossy sheen, so much admired in hair, can be secured by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. All the assistance that nature requires to make the hair strong, beautiful, and abundant is supplied by this excellent preparation.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—There is a moderate demand and prices rule steady. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.15 to $4.30.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged, dealers asking $8.75 west. Shorts, $9 to $10 west.

Wheat—The market is quiet, with prices firm. Offerings of white are limited, and the price nominal at 86c outside. Red will bring 85c outside. No. 1 Manitoba hard is firm at 95c, Toronto freights, and No. 1 Northern at 94c, Toronto freights. No. 1 is quoted at 84c afloat, Fort William, at 92c Midland and at 99c to $1, Toronto freight, all rail.

Buckwheat—The market is steady and prices 28½c to 29c west.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 2 is quoted outside at 28c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 20c and mixed quoted at 19c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices easy; sales at 40c to 40½c north and west.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 36c west.

Corn—Market dull, with prices steady at 28c to 29c at outside points.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The cattle market was quiet to-day, with little or no change in prices. Offerings amounted to 50 carloads, including 1000 head of sheep and lambs. Export cattle brought 3½c to 3¾c, and extra ones 4c per lb. Choice bulls 3c to 3½c. Butchers' cattle firm, with the best worth 3¼c per lb. Medium cattle bring 2½c to 2¾c and inferior 2c to 2¼c. Milch cows sell at $25 to $40 each and calves at $3 to $6 each.

Sheep and lambs in limited supply and prices somewhat firmer. Export sheep sold at 3c to 3⅛c per lb., and bucks at 2½c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3¾c to 3⅞c per lb.

Hogs in fair offer and prices unchanged. The best sold at 3¾c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3⅜c to 3½c, light weights at 3½c, sows at 2¾c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 1.—Spring wheat, 7s 0d to 7s 1d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 8½d to 7s 7½d; corn, 3s 0d; peas, 4s 7½d; pork, 50s; lard, 28s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 29s 6d; do., light, 22s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 25s 6d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat on passage quiet and steady. Maize rather easier.

Paris—Wheat 22f 50c for Jan.; flour 48f 50c for Jan.

Liverpool—Wheat futures quiet at 6s 11½d for Dec., 6s 11½d for Jan. and Feb. and 6s 11¾d for March. Maize quiet at 3s for Dec. and 2s 11½d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quiet and steady. Maize on passage dull.

Paris—Close—Wheat dull at 22f 40c for Jan. and flour dull at 48f 25c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat firm at 6s 11¼d for Dec., Jan., Feb. and March. Maize quiet at 3s for Dec., 2s 11¼d for Jan., Feb. and March and 2s 11½d for May. Flour 25s 6d.

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An Ashburnham hotelkeeper before Magistrate Edmison, this morning, entered a plea of guilty to the charge of selling liquor on Sunday and was fined $40 and costs, amounting in all to about $60.00.

Died at Mt. Pleasant, Mich.

Father Fitzpatrick passed through at noon to-day from Mt. Pleasant, Mich., on his way to Norwood with the remains of his brother who was killed in a railroad accident in that place. Interment takes place in Norwood to-morrow.

Children Free.

By sending your name and address (write plainly) to Adams & Sons Co., 11 and 13 Jarvis street, Toronto, Ont., you will receive one of their beautiful paper dolls, with moveable heads and bodies, for the children free.

An Accident to Mr. Walter Stocker.

It takes a good deal to retire Peterborough's popular bill-poster, but he is laid up to-day as the result of an accident. He was down at Bensfort yesterday. The axle of his vehicle broke and in the catastrophe Walter sustained an injury to the foot that keeps him quiet.

St. Luke's Annual Tea.

The annual tea and sale of ladies' work in connection with St. Luke's church, Ashburnham, will take place on Thursday, Dec. 3rd. The school house will be open all afternoon for the sale of work and the tea will begin at 5 o'clock. A programme has been arranged for the evening. Tickets 25 cents.

Don't forget the Concert given by Miss Mabel Chambers and Miss Bertha Belasco, assisted by Mr. Thos. Dunn, in Bradburn's Opera House, Thursday, December 3rd. Plan of reserved seats at Stratton's Bookstore. Admission 35c and 25c.

Acknowledgment.

The Committee of Management of the Peterborough Protestant Home gratefully acknowledge the following donations for the month of November: Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, clothing; Mrs. A. G. Dixon, corsets; A Friend, potted meat; Ladies St. John's church, flowers; Mrs. McGill, Toronto papers; Mr. A. Thompson, vegetables; A Friend, maple sugar; A. O. Foresters, cake and ham; A Friend, $5; Mrs. W. A. Sanderson, cake; Mrs. T. Edgar, milk; Mr. R. H. Hunter, butter.

Lucky Bargains in Tweed.

A lot of people have been looking for remnants in tweeds. We have made a lucky stroke of business at about 50c on the dollar of a job line of tweeds, which we will sell very cheap. These remnants are long enough to make a full suit, a coat, a pair of pants or a vest. As long as they last we will make up suits for $12, $13 and $15, and a pair of pants for $3, $3.50 and $4, or about 25 per cent. cheaper than regular prices. Warranted to fit. H. LEBRUN & Co. 2tlw

A SCHOLARLY ADDRESS.

Mr. J. Hampden Burnham on Canada's Early History, in Catholic Association Rooms Last Evening.

The audience that assembled in the Catholic Literary Association rooms last night was treated to a programme of unusual excellence, the different numbers presented being of a very high order.

Mr. L. V. O'Connor occupied the chair and seated on the platform was Ven. Archdeacon Casey and the speaker of the evening, Mr. J. Hampden Burnham.

The first number presented was a brilliant pianoforte rendition of "Si La Stanchezza," by Miss Grace Kendry. Mr. James Browne, the popular tenor, rendered "Douglas Gordon" in excellent voice, and later on in the evening "Tell Her I love her so." Mr. Browne was warmly encored in each number. The instrumental duet, violin and piano, by Messrs. Talbot—a catchy galop, was well executed. Mrs. Geo. Ball appeared in excellent voice in "Roxy Darlin'" and in response to a warm encore sang very sweetly, "The Maid of Dundee." The next number, an instrumental selection by three young men, greatly pleased the audience. Miss Emma Fitzgerald in her pianoforte solo, "Remember Me," showed the result of careful training. Miss Lottie Ball, of Keene, the clever and talented young violinist, treated the audience to a genuine surprise in her brilliant rendering of Wichtl's "Carnival de Venice." She was greeted to a warm encore and responded with "The Mocking Bird." Miss Ball gives promise of a brilliant future as a violinist. Miss Dennaird, of the Separate school staff, made her debut as an elocutionist, and her recitation "An Incident in '98," was rendered in a faultless manner. An instrumental duet by the Misses Pollock, "On to Battle," was exceedingly well rendered by the promising young pianistes.

The address by Mr. J. Hampden Burnham on "The Early History of Canada," was indeed a masterpiece of eloquence, replete throughout with patriotic passages and evidences of pains taking research. The speaker stated the reason he choose this subject was because of the fact that next year the 400th anniversary of the discovery of Canada would be fittingly celebrated, on which occasion the Duke and Duchess of York would be present. It was not his intention, he declared, to describe Canada's greatness. She needed no description but he would begin with a description and history of the Indians—whom he characterized as the finest race of uncivilized people in the world, who had attained a beauty of life beyond description. Mr. Burnham then proceeded with a delightful and highly interesting history of the Indian race—their characteristics, mode of living, appearance, religion and mode of warfare, paying particular attention, however, to the Algonquin, Huron and Iroquois tribes. During the speaker's address he paid a warm tribute to the noble self-sacrificing efforts of the Jesuits amongst the red men.

Mr. Burnham next referred to the explorations of the Cabot brothers and their discovery of Newfoundland and also to the celebrated Jacques Cartier and Champlain. The English admiral Frobisher brought the speaker up to the period in Canada's early history, when the possessions of the French developed rapidly, and the rivalry between England and France commenced. The speaker's description of the conflict for supremacy for the possession of this country, which terminated at the decididing battle of the Plains of Abraham, was indeed an eloquent word picture, and the audience seemed as though they were eye witnesses of the different engagements so graphically were they described by the speaker.

At the conclusion of the address Mr. Burnham was greeted with loud applause.

A hearty vote of thanks was moved by Ven. Archdeacon Casey and seconded by Mr. W. Rudkins.

Mr. Burnham in replying stated that he trusted the people of this section of the country would aid the Canadian Historical Society (which had gone to considerable trouble and expense) to make the 400th anniversary of Canada a credit to Canadians.

The evening's programme was brought to a close by the National Anthem.

The accompaniments during the evening were effectively played by Misses K. Hurley, Clara Bell and M. Butler.

Pocket and Office Diaries for 1897.

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The Busy Store.

Some merchants would have the public believe that the big sale at Routley's was only a "fake" sale, and that they can sell just as cheap. I might just say here that I have always paid a hundred cents on the dollar during my twenty years of business, and that my goods have been bought, and are now being sold at less prices than others can buy them. Yet it will last only a few weeks longer, as I am positively retiring from the retail business, and would like all who owe me accounts to call and settle before January 1st, 1897. C. B. ROUTLEY.

Peterborough Market.

On the authority of the market clerk, Mr. R. H. Nesbitt, the EXAMINER is able to state that hereafter all grains offered for sale on the market will be weighed free of charge to the seller. This is designed by the market clerk to afford an advantage to the farmer, who has the privilege of ascertaining the weight of a load of grain, which he has disposed of or wishes to dispose of, to a customer. Mr. Nesbitt is desirous of making the Peterborough market more popular and attractive if possible to farmers as well as town's people, who wish to take advantage of the opportunities it offers.

A Giant Christmas Turkey.

St. Joseph's Hospital acknowledges with thanks the receipt of a splendid turkey presented by Messrs. H. Lebrun and A. J. Gough. This fine bird is of the length of five feet and weighs 28 lbs. It was the stake in a game of "forty-fives" in which there were six contestants. The trophy fell to Messrs. LeBrun & Gough who generously presented the magnificent turkey to the Hospital and House of Providence as a sort of thanks-giving—a turkey te deum for their victory. The game was played at Mr. John Moloney's residence, Brock Street, on Monday evening, and the contestants were Messrs. B. Morrow, John Moloney, Dr. Moher, Jas. Lynch, H. LeBrun and A. J. Gough. Eleven games were played of which Messrs. LeBrun & Gough won six. They now claim to be the champions of the town at the good old Irish game of forty-fives.

Mr. Yeigh's Lecture.

The subject of Britain's girdle of the globe and of Canada's scenery and history was particularly appropriate for the Canadian Thanksgiving entertainment enjoyed by a large audience in Bond street church last evening. Mr. Frank Yeigh added another to his platform successes in his eloquent presentation of his topic, and the richly coloured views thrown on the screen by Mr. W. H. Charlton, of Chas. Potter's establishment, were heartily cheered. Mr. T. Arthur Miller contributed organ music as an accompaniment to the series of pictures, and aroused the audience to enthusiasm by his fine rendition of national airs, especially the "Maple Leaf."—Globe, Nov. 27th, '96. 2nod

BRADBURN---CUMMING.

CELEBRATION OF THE NUPTIALS THIS AFTERNOON AT 2 30.

The Ceremony Performed by Rev. Dr. Torrance, of St. Paul's Church—Off for New York on a Wedding Trip.

A quiet, but exceedingly pretty wedding took place this afternoon at half past two at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Cumming, Charlotte street, when her fourth daughter, Miss Bessie Cumming, was wedded to Mr. W. H. Bradburn.

The ceremony was performed in the large drawing room, which was most artistically and daintily decorated for the occasion, the bay windows being banked high with ferns, whilst delicate sprays of smilax were gracefully draped on the walls. Rev. Dr. Torrance, of St. Paul's church officiated.

The bride was most becomingly costumed in a chic cadet blue travelling suit trimmed with black braid and carried a shower bouquet of magnificent cream roses. The bridesmaid was Miss Irene Brignall, of Belleville, her neice, who looked most charming in a white silk gown with garniture of chiffon and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The sweet little maid-of-honour was Miss Robina Cumming, daughter of Mr. John Cumming, and neice of the bride, who was also prettily costumed in white silk.

The groom's gift to the bridesmaid was a most handsome crescent-shaped brooch twined with pearls, whilst to the maid of honour he presented an exquisite little turquoise ring.

A number of unusually handsome gifts were received by the bride.

The groom was assisted by his brother, Mr. Rupert Bradburn.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. William Cumming, of Montreal.

At the conclusion of the ceremony a dainty wedding dejeuner was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Bradburn left by the afternoon train for New York and other points, being accompanied to the station by a large number of their young friends. Upon their return they will take up their residence for the winter with Mrs. Cumming on Charlotte street.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Meeting of Col. Sanderson, L.O.L., No. 331 Last Night.

At the annual meeting of Col. Sanderson, L.O.L., No. 331, at Downers Corners, last night, there was a large attendance and the following officers were elected:

Bro Dawson Kennedy.....W Master
" Allan McCarthy.....D M
" David Spears.....Chaplain
" James Murray.....Rec Sec
" James Rose, jr.....Fin Sec
" Thos Huston.....Treas
" Thos Mitchell.....Dir of Cer
" F C Kitner.....Lecturer
" J J Elliott.....First Committee
" Herbert Mitchell.....Second "
" Jas McClaren.....Third "
" Will M Davidson.....Fourth "
" George Frost.....Fifth "
" J G Weir and Archie Huston.....Auditors

The newly elected officers were duly installed by Past Master Joseph Saunders, after which refreshments were served and a very enjoyable evening spent.

NICHOLLS' HOSPITAL.

The Monthly Statistics—Movement of Patients.

Appended is the report furnished by the Nicholls Hospital of the patients who were treated in that institution during the month of November:

No. of patients remaining in Hospital..... 19
" " treated..... 42
" pay patients..... 19
" free " 23
" " from Peterborough..... 25
" " from other places..... 11
" " cured..... 15
" " improved..... 6
" " died..... 1

Dr. Halliday attending physician for month. Drs. King, Boucher, Clarke, Caldwell, Carmichael, Greer, and Brown attending private patients.

PERSONAL

Miss Jessie Neilson, of Belleville, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Alex. Elliott has returned from Buckhorn, greatly improved in health.

Mr. H. P. Kennedy left this afternoon to spend a couple of days in Toronto on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cumming, of Montreal, are visiting Mrs. Wm. Cumming, Charlotte street, for a few days.

Mrs. A. Brignall, of Belleville, is spending a few days at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Cumming, Charlotte street.

Rev. C. E. McLeod, Gilmour Memorial church, Smith, preached anniversary sermons in the Baptist church, in Lindsay, on Sunday.

Miss Bertha Belasco, of Montreal, the pianiste at the concert to be given by Misses Chambers and Belasco in the opera house on Dec. 3rd, is in town, the guest of Mrs. Turner.

Mr. Nagle, of St. Mary's, passed through last night on his way to Ottawa, to attend the funeral of his brother, Mr. Richard Nagle. He was joined here by Father Joseph Phelan.

The Lindsay Post says: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McBain, of Peterborough, spent Sunday in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Little. Mr. McBain returned home yesterday, but Mrs. McBain will remain the balance of the week.

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Opera House for Two Weeks, December 7th to 19th. 10 cents and 15 cents.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—A case of diphtheria is reported from Ashburnham.

—Fred Wilson's Dramatic Company is to be in Lindsay next week.

—Lindsay curlers expect to begin their season this evening. Montreal has been hard at it for some time. Don't lose any time Anggs.

—A great many birth certificates are being brought to Medical Health Officer to sign. It is only the death certificates, though, which he is required to endorse.

—If you want to economize burn the People's Coal Co'y's coal. All kinds of coal in stock, including best hard coal for stoves and furnaces, soft coal for grates, and smithing coal. Office—230 Charlotte street. Telephone 206.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

A special meeting of the Hockey Club is called for this evening in the Oriental Hotel. Some preliminary matters have to be discussed before the representatives attend the O. H. A. meeting in Toronto on Saturday.

The Ontario Hockey Club, of Port Hope, has decided to join the O.H.A.

Madill's Compound Healing Salve for burns, scalds, frost bites, or sores of any kind.

CANADIAN HISTORICAL INTERESTS.

An Effort to be Made to Establish a Branch Here of the Canadian Historical Association.

In response to the repeated requests of the parent Historical Association the local people will shortly meet to form a branch in Peterborough. The Association itself has done admirable service in preserving the records of those lively times in the earlier periods of Canadian national life. Next year the greatest celebration that Canada has ever had will be held in connection with the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of Canada by Cabot. The Duke and Duchess of York will visit the country on that occasion.

The British Association for the advancement of science will be in session in Canada and everything that can be done to do honour to so important an event will be taken in hand by the society. Peterborough cannot longer remain behindhand and though, to a large extent we are guiltless of the culture, incident to antiquity, still we can do what we are asked to do by those competent to be our leaders in this respect.

Putnam's Corn Extractor

Cures in twenty-four hours. This is the testimony of tens of thousands who have used it. Putnam's acts speedily, without pain, and removes corns in twenty-four hours.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

It Pays to have your Clothes

Built to Order.

No two men are built alike; hence the impossibility of any man being fitted properly, except with a Suit or Overcoat made to body MEASURE.

Who wants to wear Clothing that would fit somebody else much better?

There are times when a man gets desperate, but there's no occasion for any one in Peterborough to wear clothing that looks as though he swopped suits with somebody else, when we can fit him to a nicety.

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How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to improve their Education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book-keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the students.

Many have fitted themselves for better positions by attending our Night School. You can do the same.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings, 7 to 9 p.m.

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"SPECIALS"

Owing to the recent order of the C. P. R. Company to their employees to carry inspected Watches, we have this week put into stock two splendid C. P. R. "Specials":—

The Elgin B. W. Raymond,

The Waltham C.P.R. 'Special.'

The movements in both of these watches are the finest high-rating movements produced, and for accurate time-keeping cannot be excelled.

We invite C. P. R. employees as well as all others who want a thoroughly reliable time-keeper to come and inspect these two "Specials."

This is the Last Week of Our Jewelry Sale.

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A Foretaste of Xmas!

On WEDNESDAY, December 2nd, we will hold a GRAND CHRISTMAS CARD OPENING, when we will display such a magnificent collection of the reproductions of the masterpieces of artistic printing and decorative design, as will stir up the enthusiasm of Christmas Card Shoppers.

We give a special invitation to all to come and make their early selections for friends at a distance.

Our unexcelled galaxy of Beautiful Christmas Illustrated Papers is now in full display. Remember to order early and avoid disappointment.

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Dress Goods.

25 per cent. discount off all our Dress Costumes.
This means $4 Dress Lengths reduced to $3.
This means $6 Dress Lengths reduced to $4.50.
This means $8 Dress Lengths reduced to $6.
This means $12 Dress Lengths reduced to $9.
The greatest possible chance to get good dresses at wholesale prices.
Our New Black Dress Goods reduced from 15 to 25 per cent.
100 yds left of 25c Tweed and Plaid Dress Goods, reduced to 15c.
500 yds left of 50c All wool Tweed Dress Goods, reduced to 35c.
200 yds left of All wool Fancy Dress Goods, were 75c, reduced to 50c.
100 yds left of our 75c Fancy Velvet, reduced to 50c.
Call and get bargains as the stock must be sold.

Hosiery, Gloves and Ribbons.

25 Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Hose, reduced to 25c.
100 yds 2-inch Satin Ribbon, reduced to 10c.
1000 yds 1-inch Satin Ribbon, reduced to 5c.
150 Silk Ties for ladies' and boys' were 40c, reduced to 25c.
25 Lace Collarettes were 40c, reduced to 25c.
Stamped Linens at 5c, 8c, 10c, 15c and 20c special.
125 pair Ladies' $1.25 Kid Gloves, guaranteed reduced to 75c.

Underwear and Corsets.

10 Golf Jerseys, were $2, reduced to 99c
8 Golf Jerseys, were $3.75, reduced to $1.99.
25 pair $2 Corsets, reduced to 99c.
Reduced prices on "Health Brand" Underwear
25 Ladies' Night Gowns, were 75c, reduced to 50c.
Infant's Robes and Dresses at special prices.
These goods are cheaper than you can possibly make them.

Men's Furnishings and Ordered Clothing.

100 Men's Silk Ties, were 40c, reduced to 25c.
25 Men's Heather mix Socks, were 50c, reduced to 25c
125 Men's Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, reduced to 50c.
Lined Gloves and Mitts, Collars, Shirts, etc. all reduced.
Special prices in Ordered Clothing.

Carpets and Housefurnishings.

$1 Brussels Carpets reduced to 75c.
$1.35 Brussels Carpets reduced to 95c.
20c Carpets reduced to 15c.
35c Tapestry Carpets, reduced to 27c.
25 per cent. discount off all Eider Down Goods except Cambric Covered Cushions and Cosey and $3.99 Comforters.
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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1896.

MEETING OF THE NATURAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION.

An Interesting Paper Read on Floral Culture Last Night.

The meeting of the Natural Science Association held last evening proved most interesting. Mr. Elcome gave the distinguishing features of the raptores order of birds, which, in Canada, has but three families, viz; 1, cathartidae; 2, falconidae; 3, strigidae. He has several beautiful specimens of each of these subdivisions, but perhaps that ordinarily known as the "fish hawk" received the most attention. He closed by aptly illustrating "The Economy of Nature," as seen in the construction and uses of the various parts of bird.

By request of the Association the following abbreviated paper on "Floral Culture" is given:

"Be it ever so humble there's no place like a garden, nothing that educates, soothes and encourages like the culture of flowers," writes an enthusiast in floriculture. Very few houses are without something in the shape of a plant during the winter, from the soap box of stubby geraniums to the well appointed conservatory. It is not an easy matter for the lover of flowers to give them up with the first frost until the next May, and so house plants are attempted under all sorts of unfavourable conditions. Preparations for house plants in winter should be made during the previous spring and summer, and proper soils and a moderate amount of heat, sun and moisture are absolutely essential to their successful culture. These conditions should be as carefully observed with one plant as with a hundred, as a single pot or basket in good order with

HEALTHY LOOKING GREEN LEAVES,

even without blossoms, is a much more agreeable sight than a consumptive window garden. No plants should have as much heat at night as they have during the day—from 10 to 20 degrees being the proper difference in temperature. On the other hand, as we all know, plants in a room where there is no heat are in danger of freezing, and if left in a room of low temperature at night they must be carefully protected from all possible window draughts.

Moisture is one of the most important considerations for plants, as the dry air of the ordinary living room is fatal to bloom and beauty. Ingenious devices are sometimes resorted to for the necessary moisture, and among these a very simple one is to suspend a large sponge, or two of them if there are many plants, in the window and keep it constantly wet. A successful cultivator of house plants says: "I steam my plants quite often. I heat several stones or bricks very hot in the stove, and then take them out and place in an old wooden pail; set it in the room, pour on a quart of boiling water, and drop the curtain. The dampness is just what the plants like, but the insects do not. The watering of house plants seems easy enough, but in reality it is a very important and delicate operation and inexperienced growers are given to deluging their pots much more than is necessary. Some plants require a great deal of water and others very little, and some atmospheres are dryer than others and call for more water in proportion. To ascertain the needs of any plant in this respect, it is only necessary to tap on the side of the pot; a hollow ringing sound in reply is a cry for water, while a dull heavy sound indicates that that the plant is not thirsty. A thorough watering is the only beneficial one. Most plants in winter do not require watering more than two or three times a week (while in summer they need it daily), but this depends in a great measure on the nature of the plant and condition of the atmosphere. Tepid water should be used which is about the temperature of the atmosphere, and should be applied in

AS FINE A SPRAY

as possible, a fine shower being more like nature than a steady pour. Plants should never be watered when the sun is shining on them. Once a week the leaves of all plants should have a thorough washing and an atomizer will be found excellent for this purpose. An old cultivator recommends as a compost for pot plants one-third leaf mould, one-third rich loam, one-third river sand. Mix well together and to every bushel or thereabouts about a shovelful of lime, ashes or gypsum. The pots for house plants should not be too large, as those of contracted dimensions will ensure more bloom. The soil for potting should not be moist, but should crumble easily.

The morning sun is the great invigorator in the way of growth and bloom and a healthy appearance generally, and only plants that love the shade will prove at all satisfactory without it. Among the lists given for various exposures the following will be found useful, and you will notice that I name very few that are not well known to us, at least by names, and none are named that are difficult of culture outside the greenhouse. For an eastern or from that to a southern exposure:—Geraniums, cactus, begonias (for their almost endless variety), pelargonium, Chinese primrose, heliotrope and the following bulbous plants: narcissus, calla, oxalis, hyacinth, and scilla. On western or sunless window several pretty species of palms and ferns—the Roman hyacinth, azalea, Chinese primrose, Chinese lily, fuchsia and the primula theconica, a beautiful little flower and a constant bloomer. Give it plenty of water and it will give you a succession of delightful flowers. The leaves of these plants should not be allowed to touch a cold window pane. The heliotrope is a great favourite. Its delicate flowers of various shades of purple blue, and its delicate vanilla odor make it very desirable for bouquets. It grows readily from cuttings, but the old plants bloom more profusely than the young ones. It likes plenty of sun, needs a great deal of water, and is particularly susceptible to dust.

Mignonette, though humble, is not to be despised, and an ornamental window box, filled only with this low-growing, violet-scented annual, is a desirable addition to any room. A pot of mignonette and another of sweet alyssum cost nothing, and yet few things will be found more pleasant and attractive in the winter season. As late as September will answer for sowing seeds of these plants for winter blooming and from three to six plants may be put in one pot. In this short paper time will not permit me to deal in detail with the care of many plants but I will conclude with the wish that we may all take more interest in the cultivation of flowers.

Next meeting Jan. 12th, 1897, in the Collegiate Institute.

VILLAGE SCHOOL BOARD.

Meeting of the Ashburnham Trustees Last Night.

The following trustees were present at the monthly meeting of the Ashburnham School Board last night—Messrs. Craig, chairman; Pollock, Symonds, Sheridan, Adams and Maniece.

The headmaster's report of the school attendance for the month was read and received:

	On Roll.	Av. Att.
Miss Allen	63	44
Miss Wood	29	25
Miss Fitzgerald	44	39
Miss Stevenson	33	28
Mr Matchett	48	40
Total	216	176

Moved by Messrs. Sheridan and Pollock that the two junior rooms be divided at the beginning of the new year, as suggested in the headmaster's report.—Carried.

In response to a request Messrs. F. E. Perney, of the Norwood school, and W. A. Evans, of Lakefield, gave their opinion regarding the holding of two examinations a year in the school.

Mr. Perney advanced the opinion that two examinations a year hurried the pupils too much and often resulted in imperfect and superficial work. The Norwood school was working along the lines of the one promotion examination a year principle and the results were most satisfactory. He would not advise a pupil to remain a shorter time than two years in the fourth book.

Mr. Evans stated that the school had two promotion examinations in the year for the third book and all lower classes but only a mid-summer examination for higher classes. They were considering to make the latter rule also applicable to the senior third class. He did not approve of the biennial examinations in the higher classes.

On motion of Messrs. Pollock and Mantece, the communications were received and handed to the headmaster, the matter to be left to his discretion. The secretary was also instructed to convey the thanks of the Board to Messrs. Perney and Evans for the information furnished.

On motion Mrs. Boyler's account of $1 for ink was ordered to be paid.

A communication was read from Mr. Humming, applying for position of janitor at a salary of $105. Mr. Doupe applied verbally for re-engagement at former salary, $140. The matter was left over for consideration.

On motion of Messrs. Sheridan and Craig, it was decided to hold a special meeting on the 16th inst.

The Board then adjourned.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION, REGULAR MEETING.

ACCOUNTS AND COMMUNICATIONS DISPOSED OF.

The Public School Teachers Apply to Have the Curriculum Slightly Changed—The Matter Left Over for Discussion with the New Inspector.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Education last evening Dr. Burnham presided, and the other trustees present were Messrs. W. G. Ferguson, J. J. McBain, J. Stevenson, Peter Hamilton, Jas. Edgecumbe, Dr. Caldwell, W. H. Hill and J. J. Hartley.

ACCOUNTS

were received and referred to the Finance Committee as follows:

K Mark	$ 3 12
A H Stratton	4 68
J P Hurley	26 05
Smead & Dowd	1 25

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and disposed of as appended:

From Sgt.-Major Rundle asking permission to use the gymnasium on Tuesday evenings for the purpose of instructing a class of ex-pupils.—Granted.

On motion of Trustees McBain and Hill the matter will be under the direction of the chairman of the Supervision Committee.

From Duncan Welker, B. A., Brockville, thanking the Board for his appointment as Public School Inspector, and accepting the position.—Received.

From J. F. Robinson applying for a position on the Public School staff.—Referred to the Committee on Appointments.

From the public school teachers as follows:—"The teachers of your public school staff unanimously ask your permission to make a few changes in our present limit. The experience of our past term has shown these changes to be not only expedient but necessary in the interests of the schools. We are very anxious that everything should be in the best possible shape before the work of the year 1897 begins and we therefore respectfully ask that you will give this matter your early attention.—Received.

From W. H. McCreary, asking for an extra stove in the Park street school.—The Property Committee was authorized to supply the want.

REPORT OF MONIES RECEIVED.

Town Treasurer	$2,000 00
Public School fees	1 50
Collegiate Institute	210 00
	$2,211 50

COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE ATTENDANCE

	On Roll.	Avg. At.
Form IV	17	16
" III	28	27
" II	31	30
Upper I	52	50
I A	42	39
I B	47	44
	217	206

PUBLIC SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

South Central—

On Roll	431
Average Attendance	373

Kindergarten department—

On Roll	63
Average Attendance	48

BARNARDO AVENUE SCHOOL.

	On Roll.	Avg. At.
Part I	59	49.3
" II	39	32.4
2nd Book	50	45.
3rd Book	51	47.4
	199	174

PARK STREET SCHOOL.

	On Roll.	Avg. At.
E Jenkins	37	33
C Cairns	47	44
E L Thomas	59	50
Jas McCreary	41	38.42

GEORGE STREET SCHOOL.

	On Roll.	Avg. At.
Dorothy Hall	41	39 4-19
Adeline Ames	36	31.7
M A Mark	38	36

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

recommended the payment of the following accounts:—

T Fitzgerald	$ 6 00
Peterborough Light and Power Co	2 88
F. Mason	2 90
EXAMINER	18 40
Miss Strachan	37 50
A H Stratton & Co	56 51

Adopted on motion of Messrs. W. G. Ferguson and W. H. Hill.

ACCOUNTS CONFIRMED.

Payment of the following accounts was confirmed:—

Re Mrs. Wherry	$330 00
Robt. Duncan	1 00
Edw. Sutton	5 50

THE LIMIT QUESTION

was taken up for discussion and Principal Smith invited to speak on the subject. He stated that the changes in the curriculum which the teachers desired were very simple, consisting mainly in a few alterations in the subjects of history and physiology in the third book divisions. If the changes were to be made it was desirable that it be done before the beginning of the new term.

Principal Yenney explained that the present limit was purely an experimental one, instituted by the late Inspector, who did not have time to ascertain whether it worked satisfactorily. The principle changes which were desirable were in the 3rd book classes. Too much history was being taken up in this grade, of a nature which was not needed. It was desirable to restrict this subject to the limits of the authorized text book.

Mr. Jas. Stevenson stated that although if he had been present at the last meeting he would have opposed the appointment of an Inspector from principle, yet he had since learned that the man who had been secured was the best possible procurable. Friends had written him to this effect from the east. He thought the matter of changing the limit should be left over until the inspector arrived.

Mr. Hill stated that the new Inspector would be in town on the 23rd. and suggested that the Supervision Committee confer with him in the matter at that time.

It was moved by Trustees Caldwell and Fair, that the Supervision Committee confer with the Inspector and principals of the different schools re any changes in the boundaries and any matters pertaining to school organization and report to the Board at its first meeting in January, with power to act.—Carried.

On motion of Messrs. McBain and Ferguson it was resolved that the chairman of the Property Committee be authorized and instructed to purchase all the necessary supplies of wood and fuel required for the public schools and Institute for the coming year.—Carried.

It was moved by Messrs. McBain and Hartley, that the election for school trustees be held at the time, place and manner as required by statute, and the secretary be instructed to publish the necessary notice.—Carried.

Trustees Hill and Ferguson moved that the headmasters prepare the papers and conduct the examinations as usual.

The Board then adjourned.

DIAMOND L. O. L. NO. 80.

Annual Meeting and Election of Officers Last Night.

At a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of Diamond Loyal Orange Lodge No. 80 last evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

Joseph Jones	Master
R Wolstenholm	Dep-Master
W A Kindred	Chaplain
W H Wilson	Recording Secretary
J A McWilliams	Treasurer
Geo W Hall	Director of Ceremonies
S J Campbell	Lecturer
Wm Maxwal	1st Committeeman
Thos Brown	2nd "
Geo Campbell	3rd "
Jason Elliott	4th "
W H Smith	5th "
S J Campbell	Auditors
W A Kindred	Auditors

The newly elected officers were duly installed by R. W. Bro. Robert Weir, Past Grand Master of British North America.

A special meeting of the local Orangemen is called for this evening in the True Blue's Hall.

LILY LAKE LITERARY SOCIETY

Election of Officers—The Excellent Programme Presented.

The Lily Lake Literary Society held its regular meeting on Thursday, Nov. 26th, at which there was a very large attendance. After the general business was over, the following officers were elected for the ensuing month:

President—Mr. John Mahood.
Vice-President—Miss Ella Patten.
Secretary—Mr. Will Tully.
Treasurer—Mr. Jas. A. Storey.
Reporter—Mr. Jos. Middleton.
Critic—Miss Edith Tully.
Guard—Mr. David Mahood.
Committee—Messrs. T. Calvert, W. Swinton Robt. Elliott and Bert Middleton, and Mrs. G. A. Reid, Mrs. T. Calvert and Miss Lottie Middleton.

After the election of officers was over, the following programme was rendered:

Address	President
Critic's report	Critic
Song	Mr Jas Storey
Reading	Mr Joe Tully
Recitation	Master Merton Storey
Debate—Resolved, "That City Life is Better than Country Life."—Affirmative, Will Tully, Miss Lizzie Mahood and Mrs T Calvert; negative—Messrs John Mahood and Jos Middleton and Miss Ella Patten.	
Recitation	Miss Ella Tully
Speech	Mr Thos Calvert
Song	Miss Edith Tully
Recitation	Mr Vally Tully

When the meeting was over, excellent supper, provided by the ladies, was partaken of.

Madill's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil for bronchitis or long standing cough; pleasant to take; carefully prepared.

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China Hall has a full assortment—4, 6, 10, 16 and 32 candle power—at lowest prices

New Furniture.

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Are our Horses Threatened?

An outbreak of cerebro-spinal meningitis is reported to have broken out in a stable of horses on a farm in Wellington county, and the veterinary surgeons in attendance have advised the slaughter of the animals. This disease is stated to have been quite prevalent in some parts of the States some twenty-five years ago, but is an unusual thing in Canada, the only case known to Dr. Bryce, the Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, being an outbreak, presumed to be similar to this which occurred near Uxbridge about seven years ago, and which carried off several fine animals.

GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to Tuesday, Dec. 8th, at 10 a. m., for the

Stock, Fixtures and Book Debts,

of W. G. Emmerson, Grocer, Ashburnham.

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SUITS—Cashmere, Tweeds, Cheviots, Worsteds—all the best fabrics. You don't have to take a Suit of all one cloth.

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Everyone knows the biblical story of the passover. The angel of death turned aside only at the doors of the chosen people. The first-born of all others were slain. There is a chosen people to-day, at whose doors the angel of death turns aside and whose first-born escape unscathed while the children of others perish. The chosen people are the healthy people. Nine-tenths of the deaths among children are due to the ill-health of the mothers during the period preceding motherhood. Every woman owes it to herself, her husband and her children to keep herself healthy in a womanly way. She should thoroughly understand her own physical make-up. She should realize the importance of keeping the organs of womanhood healthy and vigorous. She can only do this by taking proper care of herself and using the proper remedy for weakness or disease of those organs.

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NORMAN CHRISTMAS.

CUTSOMS AND FEASTS OF ENGLAND'S ANCIENT RULERS.

Celts and Saxons Were the Servants of Their Conquerors—Stewed Lampreys From the Severn—Drinks of the Early Britons.

CELTIC superstitions and traditions prevail in England, the land of the mistletoe; the romance of Arthur and his knights lingers around Avalon; Roman luxury is with us in Bath and Cirencester; Somerset recalls the scenes of Athelney and Glastonbury, and in the magnificent piles of Worcester, Gloucester and Hereford we still gaze in admiration on these wonders of Norman generosity.

But what have these Normans bequeathed to us of Christmas customs? Nothing distinctive, for their ancestors, the sea kings, were but offshoots of the same Scandanavian forefathers of the Saxons, and thus we had already received through Dane and Saxon the observances of northern Yule. But a greater luxury and love of display in every form entered English life. Quality, no longer quantity, was the fashion of the board. The ox and calf flesh, sheep and swine flesh appear as beef, veal, mutton and pork; huge horns of home-brewed ale give place to wines; spiced and highly seasoned dishes first appear. But at heart the Norman is no more refined than the Saxon. Where the Saxon is simple-minded, trustworthy and faithful, the Norman is crafty, cunning and deceitful. His fair words may sound sweeter, 'tis all.

Many and varied now are the dishes at feasts. Our terrapin and canvas-back duck had their prototype in the crane, indispensable at all aristocratic feasts, and in Becket's days, for King Henry was a veritable gormand, we find such dishes as 'dillegrout," "karumple" and "maupigyrnun."

Dillegrout required great skill on the cook's part, for it was composed of almond milk, the brawn of capons, sugar and spices, chicken parboiled and chopped and is often known as "le messe de gryron." If fat were added to it, then it became "maupigyrnun."

The tenant of the manor of Addington in Surrey held his lands in return for a mess of dillegrout on the day of the King's coronation.

The Norman Kings had learned to appreciate the stewed lampreys of the Severn, and the loyalty of Gloucester was tested every year by the preparation of a huge lamprey pie for the sovereign.

So fond was Henry II. of this rich dish that his gluttony overcame his prudence, and his last illness and death resulted from the same. John, too, fined the citizens of Gloucester for not sending him their usual tribute. But when lampreys cost 50 cents apiece, and a whole sheep's carcass could be bought for the same sum, need we wonder at the economical tendencies displayed toward the worthless king?

The Christmas lamprey pie, which Gloucester sends to the reigning King or Queen is well worth notice. Last year the custom, fallen into abeyance, was revived, and a pie weighing 31 pounds was despatched to Windsor and gratefully acknowledged by Her Majesty. According to an ancient recipe, "take out ye backbone, season ym with cloves, mace, nutmeg, pepper and allspice, stew ym in beef gravy, port wine and wine of Maderia, put ym in a pie, with chopped anchovies, flour and butter; eat yt with lemon juice, mustard and horse radish."

Accompanying this dish are silver skewers bearing the city arms, engraved or raised in relief. The English had long ere this time been celebrated for their drinking capabilities.

Iago says, "Your Dane, your German and your swag-bellied Hollander are nothing to your English."

The mead, sider, ale, pigment and morat of the Celts and Saxons have Norman successors in claret or clarre, garhiofilac and hippocras. The Saxon morat was made of honey and mulberries, and the Norman hippocras, indispensable at all high feasts, was sweetened wine mixed with spices. The garhiofilac was a white wine spiced with giroffe or cloves, and we can still read an order of Henry III. directing the keeper of his wines to get ready for Christmas two tuns of white wine to make garhiofilac and one tun of red wine for claret.

The same King gives orders for peacocks and boars' heads for the feast, showing how luxury was creeping in more and more. It was this King whose coronation at Gloucester is depicted in one of the cathedral windows. In a notable Christmas spent there in 1234 nearly all his nobles left him because he had given the best seats at table to foreigners.

But we must never forget that until Crecy was fought and won in 1346 there was no English Christmas. Previous to this Saxon and Norman dwelt apart as servant and master, the Saxon clinging to his simpler if coarser mode of life. The Norman sat scornful and aloof in his ceremonious feasts. But the leaven was none the less working, and each successive generation of the two races became more and more cognizant of the other's doings. The Saxon dwelling as servant in the Norman's halls must conform in part to the ways of the household, and the Norman child devoted to his faithful Saxon servant listened with eager ears to the tales of Arthur and his knights, for the Saxon and Celt had long ere this made common cause.

We have no tale of the reverence of the cross to tell in the observance of a Norman Christmas, and yet the wars of the cross drew Saxon and Norman closer and closer, until in the time of Edward III. they made common cause and fought bravely side by side, the Saxon full of admiration for the skill which could conquer brute force, and the Norman no longer disdainful, for he finds the Saxon yeoman a trusty friend, a faithful subject and a worthy ally. And so we come to the England of Chaucer, the father, the wellspring, the bright and morning star of our language—the richest, the greatest and most comprehensive of the languages of the world. Let us join him in "Nowell crieth every lustie man."

The numerous cures of rheumatism by the use of the old standard blood-purifier, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, show conclusively that it is an effective remedy, if not indeed the specific for this most painful and persistant of maladies. What has cured others will cure you.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—There is a moderate demand and prices rule steady. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.15 to $4.30.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices firmer, dealers asking $8.75 west. Shorts, $9 to $10 west.

Wheat—The market is quiet, with prices firm. Offerings of white are limited, and the price nominal at 80c outside. Red will bring 85c outside. No. 1 Manitoba hard is firm at 95c, Toronto freights, and No. 1 northern at 94c, Toronto freights.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with sales at 28½c to 29c west.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 2 sold outside at 28c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 20c and mixed quoted at 19c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices easy; sales at 40c to 40½c north and west.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 35c to 36c east.

Corn—Market dull, with prices steady at 28c to 29c at outside points.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Nov. 30.—Spring wheat, 7s 0d to 7s 1d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 6d to 7s 7d; corn, 3s ½d; peas, 4s 7½d; pork, 50s; lard, 21s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy 29s 0d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 25s 0d; tallow, 1us 0d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast nothing doing, on passage firm. English country markets 6d higher in some cases and 6d lower in others.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; futures steady at 6s 11¾d for Dec., 7s for Jan. and Feb. and 7s 0¼d for March. Maize steady at 3s 0¾d for Nov. and Dec. and 2s 11¾d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour, 25s 3d.

Paris—Wheat 22f 25c for Nov. and Dec.; flour 48f 25c for Dec.

London—Close—Wheat on passage firm. Maize on passage dull.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 22f 50c for Nov. and Dec.; flour firm at 49f 10c for Dec.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat firm at 7s 0¾d for Dec., 7s 0⅝d for Jan. and Feb. and 7s 0⅜d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 9½d for Dec. and 3s for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour, 25s 3d.

Mr. Chas. Smith, Dawn Mills, Ont., says: "For several years I was troubled with pains in my limbs, which continued getting worse until I thought I would have to quit work. In fact the pains were so severe that I could not rest nights. I took one box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills and am perfectly cured."

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BURNED WITH HIS CHILD.

Chaplain Blaine Tried to Rescue the Little One and Both Were Lost.

Washington, Nov. 30.—A telegram was received at the War Department to-day from Major Burke, stationed at Fort Ringold, Texas, stating that last night the quarters of Post Chaplain M. C. Blaine were burned and the Chaplain and his young daughter burned to death.

Chaplain Blaine, after the fire had made some headway, missed his daughter, and entered the building to rescue her. He was overcome by smoke, and perished with his child. His wife escaped without serious injury. Chaplain Malnor C. Blaine was born in Kentucky and enlisted as a private in Company 54th Kentucky Infantry in 1864, was discharged the next year and appointed Post Chaplain from Pennsylvania, June 16, 1880.

A NOVA SCOTIA CASE.

Suffered without Help—Eighteen Years Getting Worse—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Bridgewater, N. S., Nov. 30.—(Special)—There is no man in town better known than J. S. Morgan, tinsmith, who for eighteen years has been going from bad to worse without help until at last he got hold of the right treatment. He says: "It began with backache, pains in the limbs, and finally settled down as rheumatism. I was a cripple and after I had run down greatly in weight the doctors said it was diabetes. About a year and a half ago I quit everything else and took Dodd's Kidney Pills. Have taken twenty-three boxes, and have regained my weight, health and strength. I am perfectly cured.

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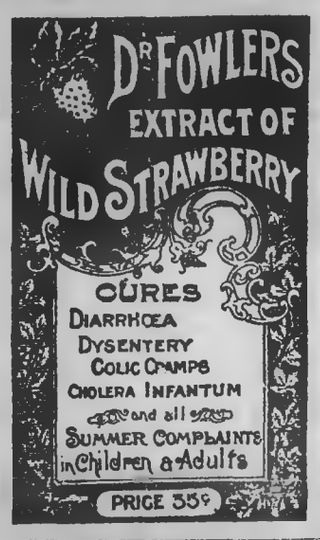

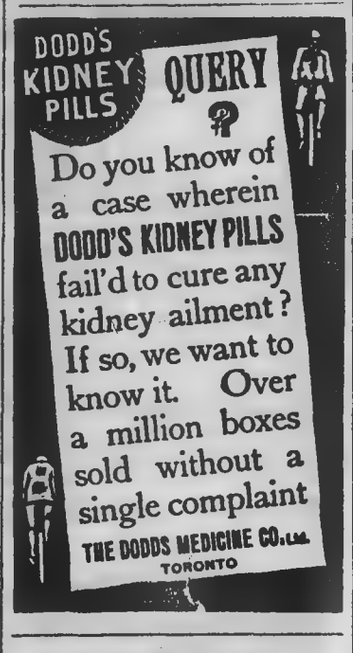
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Senator Frye Says the Dingley Bill or a Good Substitute for It Must be Passed.

New York, Nov. 30.—A Journal special from Lewiston, Me., says: "President Cleveland will act in an emphatic way regarding the Cuban revolution," said Senator William P. Frye, with far more emphasis than the written words indicate. "I have good grounds for so believing, and as I expect nothing of this Congress—or, rather of this Senate—I am made very glad by the confidence which I now feel in the man at the White House."

These words were uttered by the Maine Senator, who has held aloft the banner of Cuban liberty many times during the past year. The conversation had begun with the question: "What will Congress do during the short session?"

"It must do something at once to increase the revenue," replied the Maine Senator, "or stand disgraced as the law-making power of the nation. The Dingley Bill, or a good substitute, must be passed to stop the growing deficit. A Government cannot afford to live beyond its means any more than an individual. Aside from my pronounced belief in protection, I have no patience with the makeshifts that Secretary Carlisle proposes. A tax on tea and coffee is an outrage. An income tax is repugnant to democracy. Let the monarchies raise money in that way. I would admit free of duty every product of the soil or of any shop that is not competitive."

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SHE HOAXED ALL FRANCE.

Famous Mere Ibrahim, the Bogus Vivandiere of the French Army.

It is the business of diplomatists to hoax, if they can, those Governments whose hospitality they enjoy as personae gratæ; pensioners have also been known to deceive the authorities of those governments whose flag they assert they have defended with their heart's blood, but it has remained for an illiterate yet crafty old woman to perpetrate upon France the greatest hoax in the records of diplomacy or of the pension bureau.

For more than five years Parisian newspapers, and, indeed, the entire press of Europe, have been full of eulogistic anecdotes concerning the brave "Mere" Ibrahim, the alleged vivandiere of the Second Regiment of Zouaves, with which corps she was supposed to have served in the Crimean war, in the Italian war of 1859, in Mexico, throughout the Algerian campaign, and in the war of 1870, in which latter conflict she declared that she had been so badly wounded as to be left for dead on the battlefield.

This record in general augmented by many details of individual heroism, caused the late President Carnot to decorate her, three years ago, with the Cross of the Legion of Honor, and last spring President Faure had pinned to the shoulder of her dress the highly prized "Medaille Militaire," which is only accorded for distinguished heroism on the battlefield.

On July 20 last she died at Vichy. During her last illness a specially detailed corps of army surgeons and nurses attended her with the utmost care. She had every extravagance that a grateful Government knows so well how to bestow upon the notorious brave. She was carried to her grave in Aix with the most imposing military honors. The general commanding the district, with his staff, attended the funeral, while regiments of cavalry and infantry rendered the honors.

But now the truth has been discovered. Investigations conducted by a committee of army officers; who had in view the perpetuation of her memory in some suitable memorial, have revealed the fact that "Mere" Ibrahim was a rank imposter, who had never in her life been the "vivandiere" of any regiment, and that in the Crimean war, the only one in which she may be said to have played a part, she was a mere disreputable camp follower. She was ordered away from the army by the Provost Marshal, and returned to Constantinople for disgraceful conduct and theft. Her many deeds of valor, her brilliant military career, the tales of which were so easily swallowed by a credulous Government, press and people, turn out to have existed nowhere but in her fruitful and vivid imagination.

Fortunately for herself the wicked old woman did not live to answer for her lies. Mother Ibrahim furnished to the newspapers stories of her career that would have filled a good-sized book. She had, she alleged, been wounded eight times.

One of her most interesting stories dealt with a wound received in the Franco-Prussian war. After the surrender of Metz one of innumerable col-

MERE IBRAHIM, THE BOGUS VIVANDIERE.

umns of French soldiers was on its way to imprisonment in Germany. She started out to join this column and give it help and encouragement, when a German guard smashed her shoulder with the butt of his rifle. Presumably he thought she was going to attempt a rescue or carry some message to the French prisoners.

In the Tonkinese war, she said, she had been wounded by one of the terrible curved knives wielded by the "Black Flags."

In spite of all these injuries, she was able at an age of more than 70 to learn to ride the bicycle. She was thus a new woman as well as an old one. While engaged in this pastime she fell down and opened one of her numerous old wounds. It was at this time the newspapers began to discover how interesting she was. She, like a shrewd woman, appreciated her opportunities.

When she got well she announced that she was going to Paris to present the brandy barrel of the Second Zouaves to the President of the Republic. The genial M. Felix Faure received her and subsequently presented her with the cross of the Legion of Honor.

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Two New Cardinals.

Rome, Nov. 30.—A consistory was held at the Vatican to-day, at which Canon Guiseppe Brisco and Mgr. Graffaele Pierotti were created cardinals. Count Capo-Grossi, the consistorial advocate, delivered an oration, in the course of which he favored the beatification and canonization of Joan of Arc. His Holiness the Pope responded: "Ad sanctum ritum congregationem ut videat et referat." Neither Brisco nor Pierrotti is a bishop. They were personally selected by the Pope on account of their unusually high theological attainments.

Great Fire at Bradford.

London, Nov. 30.- A block of seven-storey buildings in Bradford, occupied by a large number of business firms, was destroyed by fire to-night. The loss is placed at £200,000. Among the occupants of the buildings were Holdsworth & Sons, Possette & Co. and Ainsworth & Co., all woolen merchants, and the Anglo-American and Commercial Cable Companies.

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Hamburg, Nov. 30.—Several warehouse companies have suspended. There are 13,000 men on strike.

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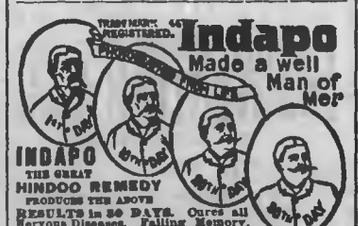

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BENSFORT.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. William Whittington was joined in the holy bonds of matrimony on Wednesday last to Miss Thompson of Otonabee. The presents were many and varied. After a very pleasant evening they reached their home about two o'clock Thursday amid the congratulations of their many friends who were present to receive them. We wish them every success and happiness in their married life.

Mr. Reed of Otonabee, who has rented the farm formerly occupied by Mr. Robt. Mahood had a ploughing bee one day last week. Owing to the miserable state of the weather and the bad roads it did not prove as successful as expected. However, he got several acres ploughed and received quite a start for next spring.

The climate of South Monaghan seems to be quite congenial for outdoor plants at this time of year. Dandelions are out in bloom, and several other varieties of plants usually frozen at this time of year, are flourishing. That is, at the date of this writing.

Several of the young people attended the dinner and concert held at Centreville on Thanksgiving Day.

WESTWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The annual meeting of the patrons of Westwood cheese factory was held in the factory here, on Friday afternoon, Nov. 27th. The President, Mr. R. Harrison, in the chair. Mr. Robert Tudhope was appointed secretary pro tem. The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed. The salesman, Mr. Thos. Blezard, M.P.P., gave a report of the season's business, which was highly satisfactory. Mr. Blezard said it was no trouble to sell the Westwood cheese, as it was always A—1. Buyers appreciated it, and were all anxious to get it, as it always commanded the top price on the English markets. This excellent state of affairs was brought about by two things. 1.—By having such an excellent cheesemaker as Mr. James Ryan, who was second to none in the Dominion. 2.—By the patrons all being anxious and painstaking in having their milk in first-class order.

The auditors, Messrs. John Lancaster and Robt. Tudhope, presented their report, which was adopted.

The president reported having received a circular from the Department of Agriculture respecting the branding of cheese, and that he had replied in favour of branding.—Approved.

The feeding of rape and Swede turnip tops was fully discussed, and it was resolved that the patrons of Westwood cheese factory feed no rape or Swede turnip tops to their cows during the factory season.

The following are the officers for the ensuing year, all being re-elected by acclamation:

President—Mr. Robt. Harrison.
Sec.-Treas.—Mr. James Ryan.
Salesman—Mr. Thos. Blezard, M.P.P.
Auditors—Messrs. John Lancaster and Thos. Tudhope.
Directors—Messrs. H. Nelson, M. Lynch, Jas. Lancaster, I. Humphries, M. J. Healey, Wm. Sharp, sr., M. English, D. K. Cameron and Thos. Eason.

The following is a statement of the business done at Westwood cheese factory during the season of 1896: The amount of milk received, 1,904,111 lbs., or 634 7-10 standards. There were made 174,868 lbs. of cheese, being an average of 10 22-25 lbs. milk to lb. of cheese. The aggregate value of the business done during the season was $14,863 59. The gross value of the milk per standard was $23.45, and the net value, after paying all expenses, was $18 57. The greatest amount of milk sent by any one patron was by Squire Brackenridge, viz: 84,575 lbs., and the average sent by each of the 90 patrons was 21,156 lbs. Before the close of the meeting a unanimous vote of thanks was tendered the cheesemaker, the president and salesman. The patrons of Westwood cheese factory are proud of their factory, and of their honourable and efficient cheesemaker, Mr. James Ryan, and they are deservedly so, as their cheese is always first class, commands a ready sale, and the highest price on whatever market it is offered.

Messrs. Wm. Sharp, jr., and Benj. Slade are home from Indian Head, N.W.T., where they have been for the last three months. We are all pleased to see them back, as they are both very estimable young men.

Mr. Thomas Blezard, M.P.P., celebrated his 58th birthday Tuesday evening, Nov. 24th, by a small party, at his home. After a very excellent supper was partaken of a very pleasant evening was spent in songs, games and social conversation. It is the wish of his many friends that he will live long to enjoy many such anniversaries.

A meeting was called last Saturday night to organize a brass band. Nothing definite yet.

We would recommend you to buy from Grafton & Co's, the best class of goods for the least money.

Y.P.S.C.E. NOTES.

Paragraphs of Local Interest to Endeavourers Supplied by the County Union.

WORLD'S CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR PRAYER CHAIN.

(Subject of Prayer for December.)

Pray that the month celebrated, the world around, as Christ's natal month may be marked by the gift of a multitude of young hearts to him, and by the more complete consecration of all his people to his service.

A LITTLE LESSON IN THE SCHOOL OF PRAYER.

The first Christmas gift was a life. The fashion set by God is the fashion for all mankind to follow. He sent us not merely some temporal blessing, some creation of His hands, some slight token out of His inexhaustable storehouse, but He sent us the very life of His only-begotten Son. Is any gift less than a life a sufficient return for that peerless Gift? Dare we offer anything short of our full hearts to the great Giver? Ah, no; this best gift is the only worthy gift, and God desires it. How much He desires to receive the offer of a young, loving heart none but Himself and the angels know. And it surely is well pleasing to him that a myriad believers should unite in a grand concert of prayer throughout the Christmas month that the young everywhere should offer their lives to Him. What a Christmas it would be in heaven if to every praying soul there should be granted one new life redeemed to the Lord's service! Is it not worth praying for? I ask you who believe in prayer.

THE LOCAL EXECUTIVE

held their monthly business meeting Tuesday night in the Y.M.C.A. parlour. With one exception all the societies were represented. It was resolved that the secretary communicate with the ministerial association requesting the pastors of the town to set aside one Sunday service at an early date for the discussion of the Sabbath Alliance Society, so that the public generally may gain some knowledge of the work done by this organization. Arrangements were made for the annual New Years morning consecration service. The meeting will, as usual, be held in the Y.M.C.A. hall between nine and ten o'clock New Years morning. The executive will have charge of the meeting, while the Y.M.C.A. singing class will be requested to take charge of the music. The Union also purposes making preparations to celebrate Endeavour day in a suitable manner. The representatives of the respective societies of the union were urged to present the work of the union more fully before the societies, and also to endeavour to have the rallies of the future, brighter by introducing impromptu singing and prayer, and that each society feel more their responsibility in making these meetings brighter.

BETHEL - KEENE CIRCUIT.

It is with a feeling of deep regret that we chronicle the death of another member of our society. Mrs. Fred Fife passed quietly away on Monday evening after a lingering illness. On Wednesday afternoon her remains were brought into the church and a large number of friends gathered together to pay their last tribute of respect to one dear departed sister. She is one that will be missed in the church and League, as well as in her home. She made friends wherever she went, and was loved by all who knew her, and one that we thought we could not do without, but God in His wise dealings saw best to take her to Himself. Although our sister will never meet with us again on earth, we trust that the words of counsel given by her, and the life that she lived will be a help to us in our daily lives. Before she passed away she left two messages for those who listened to her funeral sermon. First—Tell them to give their hearts to God when they are young." Second—Tell them I died in the triumph of faith. Rev. Mr. Liddy conducted the service. The lines below are the hymn sang by the choir at her request. The remains were interred in the Fife Cemetery. The bereaved family and friends have the sympathy of this society.

Not now, but in the coming years,
It may be in the better land,
We'll read the meaning of our tears—
And then, sometime, we'll understand.

We'll catch the broken threads again,
And finish what we here began,
Heav'n will the mysteries explain,
And then, ah! then, we'll understand.

We'll know why clouds—instead of sun—
Were over many a cherished plan;
Why song is ceased when scarce begun,
Yes then, sometime, we'll understand.

Why what we longed for most of all
Eludes so oft our eager hand;
When hopes are crushed and castles fall—
Up there, some time, we'll understand.

God knows the way, he holds the key,
He guides us with unerring hand;
Some time, with tearless eyes we see,
Yes, there, up there, we'll understand.

Then trust in God through all thy days,
Fear not for he doth hold thy hand;
Though dark the way still sing his praise—
Some time, sometime, we'll understand.

VILLIERS

Y. P. S. C. E. held its regular monthly consecration meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 24th. The topic was taken by Miss Jennie Lancaster, who dealt with her subject in a manner that showed careful thought. She led her hearers to see how many of the every-day incidents of our lives are "blessings," though we often forget to regard them as such. Miss Jennie Gillespie led the prayer meeting and sincere and heartfelt prayers were offered that God may bless and make ever more and effectual to His honour and glory our society and its members, both active and associate.

Don't forget the Concert given by Miss Mabel Chambers and Miss Bertha Belasco, assisted by Mr. Thos. Dunn, in Bradburn's Opera House, Thursday, December 3rd. Plan of Reserved Seats at Stratton's Bookstore. Admission 35c and 25c.

CHEESE REPORTS.

The Annual Statistics of Fleetwood Factory.

The following are the figures of the operations of this factory for the year 1896:

Total lbs. of milk for season, 1,315,736.

Total lbs. of cheese, 122,499.

Total proceeds, $10,087.04.

Average per standard, $18, after paying all expenses.

No. lbs. milk to lb. cheese, 10.74.

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Trimmed Hats, were $1.50, now $1.
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Stylish Mantles, were $5, now $4.50.
Stylish Mantles, were $5, now $2.95.

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LOST IT ON A FOUL.

Fitzsimmons Knocked Sharkey Senseless

BUT THE SAILOR GOT THE DECISION

Lanky Bob Had the Best of the Battle All Through and Pounded Sharkey at His Will—The Referee Said to Have Decided Wrongly and He Was Hooted.

San Francisco, Dec. 2.—Not since Peter Jackson and Jim Corbett danced about each other for nearly five hours before the members of the California A.C. has such enormous interest been aroused in a fight between heavyweights as that exhibited in the battle to-night at Mechanics' Pavilion between Fitzsimmons and Sharkey. Sharkey's personal popularity was in a measure responsible for this, although Fitzsimmons' reputation had not a little to do with it. Standing room in the hall was at a premium, and thousands of men surged about the doors.

The Australian came over from his training grounds early this afternoon, and rested at the Baldwin Hotel. To a representative of the United Associated Presses, he said, just before entering the ring:

"I am suffering from a severe cold, as you can see, and it has settled in my bones, but this will not interfere with my putting the sailor to sleep in short order. I weigh just 174½ pounds, which is more flesh than I have ever carried into the ring, but I expect I shall need it all to stand off Sharkey's bull-like rushes. I hope he will make a hurricane fight of it. That will just be to my liking."

Martin Julian was equally confident. Jack Stenzler and Dan Hickey, who assisted Fitz in training, were beside Julian in Bob's corner, both wearing black eyes and sundry scars as evidence that the "Kangaroo" had lost none of his hitting power. Each of the trainers was confident that Fitz would make a short fight of it, despite his cold.

No man ever entered a ring with more confidence in his ability to win than did Tom Sharkey. "I've always been a shortender," he remarked to a reporter of the United Associated Presses, "and I've always saved the money of my friends. When I met Choynski the odds were 3 to 1 that I would go down, but I fooled them. Yes, and I was beaten out of the decision, too, but that will not happen to-night. I am strong enough, heavy enough and clever enough to whip Fitzsimmons, and I intend doing so inside of seven rounds, if possible. If I fail it will be because he is the better man."

Australian Billy Smith, Bob Allen and Danny Needham, who were behind the sailor, and who also trained him, had their last dollar up on their charge, so confident were they of his winning. Sharkey was trained to the minute. He weighed 176 pounds, three pounds lighter than when he met Corbett, and many thought he was a trifle drawn.

All day long Martin Julian and Danny Lynch, representing Fitzsimmons and Sharkey, respectively, argued and squabbled over the selection of a referee. When the eleventh hour was reached they notified President Groom of the National Club that he would have to name a referee. Mr. Groom was prepared for the emergency, and without hesitation he submitted the name of Wyatt Earp, who in the early days was a terror to the fierce element in Kansas and Arizona.

The great pavilion began to fill before 6 o'clock. Sharkey's friends monopolized the upper gallery, and all the shouting for the sailor came from the cheaper seats. Fitzsimmons' backers were found among the soft-palmed fraternity in the $10 seats. Among those present were a score of prominent attorneys, a dozen judges and any number of millionaires and other celebrities. All day long the pool rooms were crowded, Fitzsimmons closing a 2-to-1 favorite. Sharkey money was plentiful, but it came in small sums, no large wagers being reported.

The pavilion contained not less than 13,000 people when the first event was called. A cordon of 25 policemen fringed the ringside, while 75 officers were distributed about the hall to preserve order and prevent confusion.

A sensational story was printed in an evening paper to the effect that Police Commissioner Gunst had bet heavily on Fitz, and would have Chief Crowley stop the contest should it become apparent that Sharkey would win. Mr. Gunst declared that he did not have a dollar up, and that the pugilists should not be molested unless the fight became brutal. In that event Captain Whittman, in charge of the officers, would see that the law was not violated.

Fitzsimmons entered the ring at 10.03, followed by his seconds. Sharkey entered five minutes later, receiving a greeting that was a hundred times more enthusiastic that that which greeted Fitzsimmons. They sat quietly in their corners, surveying each other critically, for it was the first time each had seen the other.

Referee Earp entered the ring shortly after the principals. Mr. Julian refused to accept him. Julian explained that he did not propose to take any chances with a man who was professedly ignorant of the rules. The crowd heard Julian patiently and their sympathies were with the Australian. Earp endeavored to make himself heard, but failed. Lynch, Sharkey's manager, announced that he had signed the articles in behalf of Sharkey and that his man had lived up to them. Julian remained obdurate and there was another conference. Julian shouted that he was willing to have a referee selected from the audience, and the crowd yelled for Earp. Fitzsimmons insisted that Sharkey's bandages, which were on his hands, be removed, which was done.

The men shook hands at 10.35. Mr. Earp removed his coat and the fight was apparently on.

Round 1—In the first round they were very cautious. Fitz landed on the neck lightly and in the clinch, the Sailor lifted Fitz like a baby. The Sailor was doing all the leading, but a sharp hook from Fitz sent him down. A second later Bob knocked him down and the gong sounded.

Round 2—Fitz landed a stiff left on the jaw and a clinch followed. Fitz shuffled after his man, while Sharkey seemed rattled. A hard right sent Tom reeling, but he rallied and landed a hot one on the wind. Tom attempted to land a left, but failed and Tom clinched. This was repeated a second later, after each had landed a stiff right. Sharkey got another hard right a moment later, and clinched to save himself. Fitz was puffing, but confident, and followed his man carefully. Tom got one in on the shoulder with the left and received a hot one in the jaw, which staggered him, as the gong sounded.

The Sailor was clearly playing in great luck, as Fitz seemed to have him just where he wanted him at the call of time. Fitz scorned to sit down, and came up strong for the third round.

Round 3—Sharkey clinched Bob and got a left on the neck. Another lead by Fitz was met with another clinch. Fitz got in a hot left on the face, but it was not in the right spot, and Sharkey clinched. A little in-fighting followed in which Sharkey held his own. Bob landed a hard right, which was followed by the usual clinch. Sharkey is putting up his usual rough-and-tumble fight, but has not failed to land a blow fair. He led time and again, but Fitz was not there. Clinches followed in rapid succession. Just before the bell sounded, Tom made an ugly swing, which, had it landed, would have been a palpable foul. The sailor was puffing, but not distressed. There were shouts of foul and Sharkey was cautioned.

Round 4—Fitz led and a clinch followed. In the break away Fitz slipped and fell and as he rose Sharkey went at him like a bull, landing two hard blows on the wind. Bob sent a swift right on the neck, and as he recovered Bob followed it a minute later with another on the breast, taking a hot one in his neck in return. A rally followed, and the men clinched, Sharkey hitting Fitz twice in the clinch. Bob got the left in on Tom's jaw and uppercut him on the heart. Tom tried an uppercut, and got another blow on the head. Bob warmed up and sent in two terrific rights, closing Tom's left eye. Sharkey clawed his man on the arm and seemed to be decidedly weary as the round closed. Father Time came to the relief of the sailor and saved him.

Round 5—Bob led and landed a right, Sharkey clinching and throwing Bob heavily. Another left started a stream of gore from Sharkey's damaged eye, and angered Sharkey, who rushed wildly and tried for the wind. A hard left sent Tom to the ropes and he clinched again. In the break away Sharkey again hit foul. After the men separated Sharkey started his rushes, but Fitzsimmons stopped him with stiff lefts and Sharkey was fighting foul.

Fitz landed two hard lefts, the last of which sent Tom on his back through the ropes. Tom was very groggy, and Fitz hit him hard twice in succession, and for the fourth time Sharkey was all but out when the gong tapped. Fitz was little distressed. The only sign of trouble he showed was an abrasion on the left arm.

Round 6—Sharkey did not rush as stiff as before, and after feeling his man, Fitz landed a left punch and followed it a moment later with a hard left hook. Sharkey was leading for the stomach and clinching continually, lifting Fitz from the floor every time. Fitz let a hard left go, and it landed on the chin, but did not phase his man. An uppercut a moment later sent Tom back a few feet, as did two stiff lefts a moment later. A heart blow from Bob forced Tom to clinch, and he hit Bob foul in the break. This angered Fitz, and he went at his man, staggering him with a left, also landing right and left on the chin in rapid succession. Sharkey grabbed the Australian around the knees, and was hanging hard when the gong sound. Sharkey was taking fearful punishment, but still had a fighting punch left.

Round 7—Sharkey rushed, and caught a left on the face. He wrestled Fitz and struck him in the clinch, but still Earp could not see. Sharkey was slow, and made a futile lead for the stomach. Bob sent a stiff left into Sharkey's face, and the sailor clinched and uppercut Fitz before breaking. He repeated this a moment later, and wrestled Fitz all over the ring. The crowd yelled foul, and still Earp was blind. Fitz landed two hard rights and a left. Sharkey clinched each time, holding Fitz by the knees. The sailor seemed to be strong and fresh at the close of the round, but should have lost the fight on fouls at least a dozen times. The crowd were hooting and jeering at Earp in the interval.

Round 8—Sharkey led and missed. Again he led and clinched. Bob put his right on the face and duplicated it again later. In the breakaway Sharkey hugged his man. Fitz led again and landed only to be smothered once more. This was repeated three times and the crowd hissed.

Sharkey was doing nothing but wrestling. Bob got in two hard rights, but could not reache the spot. A hot exchange followed in which Fitz landed right and left, uppercutting his man and breaking away easy. As Sharkey rushed again Fitz got his celebrated hook twice and the Sailor career was checked. Sharkey rolled over on his back and threw up his left leg. Fitz smiled and returned to his corner. The seconds were counted off and Sharkey was carried to his corner limp as a dishrag. He had to be carried from the ring, and appeared to be greatly distressed, while Fitz was spry as a lark, and did not bear a scratch.

The crowd yelled its approval and shouted lustily for the Australian. Order could not be restored long enough for the referee's decision to be heard. When order was restored the referee announced that Sharky had been given the decision, he having been hit foul by Fitz. It was clearly an unfair decision, as the knockout blow was a fair punch on the jaw. The crowd became boisterous and cursed Earp long and loud. The unanimous sentiment was that Fitzsimmons had been robbed in the most cold-blooded manner.

Cleveland Must Have Money.

New York, Dec. 2.—A Tribune special from Albany says: It is reported here that President Cleveland has bought, in addition to the property at Princeton, a handsome house in Ninety-sixth-street, New York. It is said the price was $250,000.

Rosenthal is Weaker.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—The physician attending Moritz Rosenthal, the pianist, said there was no change in the patient's condition last night.

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NOW BRANTFORD WILL BE HEARD

Some of the Witnesses in the Ambitious City Favored Modifications—Iron Smelters Satisfied With Existing Conditions—Glittering Diamonds Displayed.

Hamilton, Dec. 2.—(Special.)—At the morning session of the Ministerial Tariff Conference, there was a large attendance of manufacturers, merchants, capitalists and others interested in the proceedings. The dimensions of the secretary's room at the Board of Trade were found inadequate, and a move was made to the spacious board room, where the spectators and others interested found matters far more convenient.

H. R. Jobb of the Kay Electric Works asked that the duty of 15 per cent. on soft copper wire be removed, there being but one manufactory in Canada.

The bulk of the morning session was taken up with a discussion of the duty on iron. John Milne, R. R. Morgan and Robert Hobson appeared before the Ministers as the representatives of the Hamilton Blast Furnace Company, the former, as spokesman, dilating on the great value of iron in commerce, and pointing out the vast importance of blast furnaces to this country. He quoted figures going to show that iron was cheaper than it ever was before, and incidentally remarked that the principal manufacturers were using Hamilton iron. The blast furnace, he said, and a capacity of two hundred tons a day, and it required four hundred tons a day to feed the furnace. An average of 120 tons a day could be produced. Since the works started about 10,000 tons of native ore had been used, at a cost of $3.50 a ton. About 21,000 tons of pig iron had been turned out, and of this 10,000 tons had been sold, the works not yet having found a sufficient market for its production. The company had paid $66,000 in freights for the furnace supply and $7000 in outward bound freights. An average of $1150 a week had been paid in wages, 125 men being employed at the furnace. The plant had cost about $400,000, and the company had not yet reaped a cent from the enterprise.

Mr. Milne desired a fair share of encouragement for the smelting works from the present Government, and expressed the opinion that if the duty and bounty on iron were to be removed it would be a long time before capital could be induced to invest in another smelting enterprise in this country. The company got as much of its ore as possible from the Canadian shores of Lakes Huron and Superior. He estimated the duty, $4 per ton, to be about 35 per cent., in addition to which encouragement the iron manufacturers were receiving a bounty of $2 per ton.

Pig iron, according to the speaker, is a finished product, and should not be confounded with raw material.

Hon. Mr. Fielding was inclined to differ with Mr. Milne on this point, opining that if pig iron were not raw material it would be hard to find such an article.

Mr. Milne went on to say that the Americans had had largely the control of the Canadian markets, but since the establishment of the smelting works it would be necessary for them to come down in their prices in order to compete with the local institution. At present the price of pig iron in Hamilton is $15.65. The fact was emphasized that the duty and bounty should remain undisturbed.

A. T. Wood, M.P., invited the commissioners to visit the smelting works, and it was decided to do so immediately after luncheon.

Mr. C. E. Doolittle, representing the Ontario Rolling Mills, an institution representing a cash investment of $300,000 and employing 350 men, asked for a considerable reduction in the duty on scrap iron and bituminous coal, the latter now being held at 100 per cent. ad valorem and the former at $2 per ton. The speaker urged that his mills could turn out 250 tons of bar iron a day, which was more than the entire Dominion could consume, yet there are eight or nine mills doing business in the country. He believed if the duty on manufactured products was to be changed, it should be made specific and not ad valorem.

Hon. Mr. Fielding informed Mr. Doolittle that there would likely be a large gathering at Ottawa of people interested in the iron industries for the purpose of a conference with the Government, and in the meantime he would keep the memorandum of the Ontario Rolling Mills.

The canned fruit industry was represented by W. P. Innes, Simcoe; W. A. Ferguson, Delhi, president of the Canners' Association; A. C. Miller, ex-M.P. Picton; D. Marshall, Aylmer; Thomas Nihan, St. Catharines. In this connection W. C. Breckenridge represented the tin plate feature of the industry and F. D. Carse the labels.

Mr. Innes pointed out that fruit packing in this country was a comparatively new industry, and was being carried on extensively throughout Canada, except in Manitoba and the Northwest Territory. There is $500,000 invested in the industry, and more than 3000 people directly employed for six months of each year. The canners pay out $500,000 a year to farmers, and an equal sum for solder, labels, etc., all manufactured in the Dominion. The duties at present were: Vegetables, 12 cents a pound; fruits, 2 cents a pound. He wanted the import duty on vegetables and meats to be left alone, and tin plate, etc., on the free list. He asked that the duty on evaporated fruits be changed from 25 per cent. ad valorem to a specific duty of 2 1-2 cents a pound. Mr. Innes thought Canadian vegetables superior to those of the United States.

The commissioners figured out that the duty on canned tomatoes amounted to 100 per cent.

W. A. Ferguson regarded the duty on fresh fruits from the States as being out of harmony with that on dried fruits, the former being one cent a pound too high. The canners were producing more than the country could consume, and it would be necessary to consider the question of exporting to England. The Americans are the Canadians' strongest competitors in canned fruits, though the latter's product is the more finely flavored.

D. Marshall complained that last year

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

SIR ADOLPHE CHAPLEAU, Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, has privately expressed his approval of the terms of the school settlement as the best that could be obtained under the circumstance. The importance of this is very great. The name of Chapleau is the only powerful name left in the Province of Quebec outside of the Liberal party, and his judgment sustains that of Mr. Laurier. In speaking of this question in 1892 at Hochelaga, when he was a member of the Federal Government, Mr. Chapleau used the following language: "I cannot say what the Government will do in order to settle this question, which is more irritating than difficult, but this is what I can tell you:—We desire to follow up those splendid traditions of conciliation and cordial understanding which have given to our country such a great measure of success, progress and tranquility." Like Mr. Laurier, Sir Adolphe Chapleau prefers conciliation to coercion.

DISCUSSING the tariff enquiry, the Montreal Star says: This is just as it shou'd be. All classes in the community ought to be heard from. The ministers have issued a broad enough invitation in all consicence. Those who are in favour of the maintenance of the protection tariff have appeared before the Commission and given their reasons. It is only *fair* that those *who* are opposed to its maintenance should appear, state definitely what parts of the tariff they want changed, what effect these changes are likely to produce, and the reasons why they think they will be of benefit to the community. And they should go into the whole question—should deal with the duties on their own products as well as with those levied on the products of others, and should tell us what they think the effect on the home market will be. Let us have specific statements, facts and figures from all sides; and let us be spared a 'deluge of glittering generalities' after the enquiry is ended and the tariff made."

THE principle of exemptions is wrong and unjust. The taxes that are thereby practically remitted to one class of the community is necessarily thrown upon those who have to pay the taxes, and governments should favour no class. For instance, there is a proposal to abolish the privilege possessed by civil servants of exemption from garnishee of their salaries to satisfy their debts. A mechanic who, as a rule, strives to pay his debts, can have his wages garnisheed in case he neglects or refuses to pay his bills. Civil servants can plunge into debt and so far as any legal claim is concerned the creditor is unable to attach his salary to recover his rights. Civil servants have no excuse for not paying their debts. They know to a farthing the amount of their income. They receive their pay regularly, and if they refuse to satisfy just debts they should, like anybody else, be made to pay them. Governments are generally regarded as "good pay," and government employees should be made to conform to the same condition. There is enough temptation to evasion of just dues without the facilities provided for civil servants in the exemption from attachment of their salaries for honest debts. In a righteously governed country there should be no favoritism shown as is now the case with civil servants. Every citizen should be made, if he is not inclined to do so voluntarily, to bear his just share of the responsibilities of citizenship.

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AN ELECTORAL OUTRAGE.

One Way to Win Advantage in an Election—The Late Government's Usurpation of Authority—Subornation of Law-breaking.

Mr. Crerar has commenced his investigation into the Algoma writ. His report will furnish an example of the way Conservative Administrations juggled with the Queen's writ and actually subverted the law of the land. Sir Chas Tupper had only taken office when, by his order, it was decided to recall the writ after it had been issued by the constituted authority, the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and to hold it until such time as would make it impossible for the election to be held on the same date as the other elections. The returning officer was induced to break the law. Upon the receipt of the writ the course of the returning officer was defined by the statute, and compliance with the statute would have compelled the holding of a poll not later than June 23. The course pursued by Sir Charles Tupper's Administration induced the returning officer to break the law, to which his attention had been specially called by the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and delay the poll until June 30. The object was, of course, to win the election as a bye election, after the Government had been sustained, as they expected, on the 23rd of June. Documentary evidence exists to prove the conspiracy entered into to deprive Algoma of her electoral rights and possibly, if the result all over was close, to change the fate of a Government. There is a telegram to Mr. Plummer; there is a communication from Hon. John Costigan to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and there is a communication from Dr. Montague, then Minister of Agriculture, to Mr. Plummer. There are also communications from the Clerk of the Crown to the Privy Council and to the returning officer. The moral of this episode is that no Government should control writs for elections, which generally means that the party organizers control. In England it is not possible for the Government of the day to do this, because the law directs the Clerk of the Crown to issue the writ within a limited period after the receipt of the Speaker's warrant in bye-elections, and the Government is not consulted. Here the law would have to be made to conform to our circumstances, but the principle of a time limit in bye-election writs is a wholesome one.

HAULTAIN.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Rev. W. R. Young of Peterborough conducted a very interesting service for the Methodists of South Burleigh on the 22nd ult. An excellent sermon was preached from a part of I Peter i, 19th verse, "the precious blood of Christ." The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered to the members of the church. At the close of the service a good collection was taken up.

The re-engagement of our teacher, Miss Arnott, for 1897 has given general satisfaction.

Rev. Mr. Young was the guest of Mr. Charles Lauder while in the neighborhood.

Miss Crowley, a former tercher, is visiting Mrs Clarke Stone.

The mild weather this fall is a good thing for the farmers here, as the dry weather and forest fires have made hay a very scarce article.

In farm produce, butter and eggs are going at a fair price. Pork and beef are very low.

The tax-collector was around last week. He does not report many bills paid yet.

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LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

[Supplied by H.P. Kennedy, live stock dealer, 240 George street, Peterborough.]

There is very little change to report in the live stock trade, except that there is an over supply of inferior and this cattle offered for which prices are lower, selling down as low as 2½ to 1 7-8c per lb. In fact this class of stock is simply unsaleable. Good butcher cattle are a trifle firmer. Quotations are as follows:—Choice steers and heifers, if offered, would be worth from 2 1-2 to 3c per lb, good batchers' cattle from 2 to 2 1-2c, and inferior stock and old cows down to about 1c per lb.

Lambs are still firm in price at from 3 to 3 1-4c per lb, fat sheep from 2 to 2 1-4c per lb, fat hogs continue to sell at 3 1-2 for selects; 3 1-4 for heavies and 3c for sows Dressed meats—Beef by the quarter 3 to 5c, pork by the quarter 5 to 6c; lamb by the quarter 6 to 7c; mutton by the quarter 4 to 6c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—Special—There were about 900 head of butchers' cattle, 20 calves and 1,800 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. The excessive supplies demoralized the prices of cattle, and prices dropped about ½ of a cent per pound, and a considerable number will have to be held over for another market. A few of the best cattle were sold at about 3½c per lb. with pretty good stock at from 2½c to 3c per lb; common beasts sold at from 1½c to 2½c, and the leaner beasts sold at from a little over 1c to about 1½c per lb. Calves were in brisk demand, and Mr. Bourassa bought five good calves, paying from $8 to $12 each for them. Mutton critters are lower all round. Shippers are paying nearly 2½c per lb. for good large sheep. Lambs are selling in lots at about 3½c per lb., and a few of the best at about 3¾c per lb. Fat hogs are plentiful, and sell at from $3.75 to $3.95 per 100 lbs.

CHEESE MARKETS.

Utica, Nov. 30.—Cheese sales to-day—280 boxes at 9c, 2,025 boxes at 9¼c, 1,100 boxes at 9⅜c, 50 boxes at 9⅝c, 80 boxes at 9 3-4c; 1,200 boxes on commission; 10 packages creamery butter at 23c. Market strong and ½c higher on large cheese. At Little Falls—120 boxes at 9c, 700 boxes at 9¼c, 220 boxes at 9 3-4c, 1,295 boxes at 9c, 325 boxes at 9⅜c, 607 boxes at 9½c; 88 packages dairy butter at 18 to 19c.

CASTORIA.

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GALWAY.

From our own Correspondent.

Mr. T. McNamara, one our leading farmers, was united in the bonds of holy matrimony last week to a lady a short distance south of Bobcaygeon. Mr. and Mrs. McNamara returned home last Tuesday evening, where they were met by a few of their intimate friends, when a pleasant evening was spent.

Mr. H. Seymour, of Harvey, accompanied by two gentlemen from the township of Mauvers, visited this section a few days ago. They were buying up a few head of cattle for the purpose of feeding.

W. J. Cain and Thomas Coffee returned home last Saturday from the Gilmour camps, *north of Dorset*. They are both afflicted with ulcerated throats. We believe they are getting some better. Mr. Wm. Dolal has lost his entire flock of sheep, 14 in number, about ten days ago. Thus far he has not succeeded in recovering them. It is quite possible that he will find them, as they have likely strayed into the woods somewhere adjoining his premises.

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GEO COCHRANE
License Inspector West Peterborough

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LONG INTERVIEW WITH MR. LAURIER

The Irish M. P. Wants the Government to Accept Mr. Huddart's Tender—The Canadian Soo Canal Has Worked Well All Season—General News From Ottawa.

Ottawa, Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Mr. J. F. Hogan, M. P. for Mid-Tipperary, had a long interview with the Premier last night. It is understood his object was to urge acceptance by the Government of Mr. Huddart's offer for the fast Atlantic steamship service. The class of vessels which Mr. Huddart proposes to put on the route are 572 feet long, beam 65 feet, depth 42 feet, giving a tonnage of between 11,000 and 12,000 tons register. The number of first-class passengers to be carried would be 300, second-class 200, and steerage 1000, and cargo space for 2500 tons. They have been designed by Saxton White, builder and designer of the Campania and Lucania. Tenders were asked for vessels of this character, and it was shown that the average price with outfit on board would be $2,500,000.

Mr. Schreiber, Chief Engineer of Railways and Canals, returned to the city to-day. He states that the department has every reason to be satisfied with the manner in which the Sault Canal lock has worked this summer, not a hitch having occurred. The amount of business has been considerable, and by the time navigation closes, which will be some day this week, over 7000 vessels will have passed through the canal. On days when the Michigan lock had not been working well, a not infrequent occurrence, the Canadian lock has had just about as much as it could do. Asked about the report that further dredging would be required at the entrances to give a depth of water of 17 1-2 feet, Mr. Schreiber said that this applied to the American canal, not to the Canadian. Eighteen feet of water is found at the entrance to the Canadian lock throughout the whole season of navigation.

Mr. Schreiber visited Hamilton yesterday and inspected the bridge over the Desjardins Canal. He says the bridge will be finished this week and regards it as a fine piece of work.

Capt. Spain, commandant of fishery protection service, states that during the past summer the Americans have adopted some novel devices for catching fish. Capt. Sol Jacobs of Gloucester, Mass., one of the slickest fishermen in New England, and the invariable high liner of the Gloucester fleet, devised a scheme whereby a net was let down between two poles after a bait had been thrown on the water. The mackerel rushed voraciously after the bait and then the seine was dropped under them and they were scooped up by the hundred. Capt. Jonathan Chase, also of Gloucester, who is a steam seiner, devised a method by which incandescent electric lights, varying from one to six, were dropped into the water and when the fish were attracted to the lights the seine was drawn around them.

During the past summer an Aberdeen (Scotland) steam trawler, chartered by a Nova Scotia firm, was engaged in Canadian waters, but it was not very successful.

At the Department of Trade and Commerce a large number of replies have been received from Boards of Trade to the departmental communication asking for suggestions by which trade could be promoted. When these suggestions have been collated they will make a somewhat lengthy list.

With reference to the report published in U. S. papers of a land grab by Canada at Fort Cudahy, on the Yukon, the headquarters of the Yukon detachment of the Mounted Police Force, according to the testimony of Mr. C. H. Hamilton of the North American Trading and Transportation Company, there is not the slightest truth in the statement. Both the Canadian and American surveyors agree to within a few feet as to where the 141st parallel crosses the Yukon, this being the international boundary line, and as Fort Cudahy is situated on the east side of the 141st parallel it is clearly within Canadian territory.

Mr. Coste, Chief Engineer of the Public Works Department, who has just returned from the Pacific Coast, will have work enough arising out of the same to keep him engaged for some time. Among the works are the surveys of the St. Andrew's Rapids improvement and the dyking of the Fraser River in British Columbia. The former will, he says, be carried out this fall. An engineering party will be sent out to British Columbia before long to co-operate with the Local Department Engineer in preparing plans for Fraser River dyking, and the general undertaking will depend much on the nature of the progress reports made by this party.

Postmaster-General Mulock has detailed Mr. B. M. Armstrong, Superintendent of the Toronto Postoffice, to investigate a number of irregularities connected with the postal service between Toronto and Rossland, B.C., and Mr. Armstrong left yesterday for the mining town. Numerous complaints have been received from merchants, both in Rossland and Toronto, as to the dilatory manner in which the mails have been handled.

The officers of the 43rd Battalion decided last night that the bravery of Douglas Lyon, who is a private of E Company, in risking his life to save two lads from drowning in the canal on Monday night, is deserving of recognition, and action will be taken to that end. A citizens' testimonial will probably also be presented to the brave young fellow.

Chief Engineer Mountain of Parry Sound and Government Engineer McCallum have left to inspect the line. This will be the inspection of the last 16 miles of the road by the Ontario Government. The Dominion Government engineers have not yet made their inspection, but will likely do so some day this week.

A. G. Gilbert of the Experimental Farm staff is talking to the farmers in Lanark County on poultry raising as a means of increasing their wealth.

A report was current that Mr. Hodgins, M.P., will retire from the representation of Carleton County so as to give a seat in the Commons to ex-Speaker White. Mr. White, however, says there is no immediate prospect of his entering Parliament.

A peculiar fact has come to the knowledge of the Department of Marine and Fisheries in connection with a shipment of lake trout which were sent to New Zealand some years ago from Canada. It was found that the fish, instead of remaining in the rivers, drifted down to the sea, and there grew to the weight of 15 or 16 pounds.

Work on the Soulanges Canal construction is over for the season of 1896, and the most of the contractors have dismissed all their hands for the winter.

THE OUTLOOK IN INDIA.

Prospects of Rain and Lower Prices for Wheat—General News by Cable.

London, Dec. 2.—A Times despatch from Calcutta says: It was thought in some quarters that the Viceroy's recent speeches betrayed unwarranted optimism regarding the famine outlook, but the impression is growing that he was right. Indications exist of the formation of another cold weather storm in Beluchistan. If this moves eastward, as usually happens, further rain may fall in the Punjab and in the Northwestern Provinces. Clearly prices have begun to fall in most of the provinces, though they are still much above the normal.

Agricultural operations in Madras and Bombay are proceeding actively, the rainfall having been abundant in nearly all districts and the difficulty of obtaining fodder for plow cattle has quite disappeared in these presidencies

THE EMPEROR THEIR GOD.

A Peculiar Incident Which Occurred in the German Reichstag.

Berlin, Dec. 2.—An incident took place in the Reichstag during to-day's debate with reference to a criticism by one of the members to the effect that the sailors of the gunboat Itis ought to have prayed to God instead of cheering the Kaiser as the vessel went down. In reply to this, Vice-Admiral Hollman, Secretary of the Navy, said that when the sailors had the Emperor before their eyes they had their God before their eyes, and they thought of the authority which God set over them.

The remarks met with cynical cheering from the Radicals and Socialists.

HAMBURG STRIKERS.

Eight Thousand of Them in Meeting Decide to Accept Arbitration.

Hamburg, Dec. 2.—The striking men in the shipping trade held two meetings in this city this morning, at which 8000 men were present. The meetings were conducted in an orderly manner, there being no attempts to incite those present to riotous demonstrations. Resolutions were passed accepting the proposition that the settlement of the dimculty be left to a court of arbitration, and declaring that the strikers would abide by the decision of the court. Herren Von Elm, Legien and Molkenbuhr, members of the Reichstag, will represent the port trades in the arbitration court, and the strikers' interests will be in charge of Herr Doeringe.

WILL DEMAND REDRESS.

Lord Salisbury Will Bring Spain to Account for the Arrest of the Beattie.

London, Dec. 2.—The Manchester Guardian to-day says that Lord Salisbury, Prime Minister and Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, will make very strong representations to the Spanish Government with reference to the detention in Cuba by the authorities of Richard and John Beattie, residents of British Columbia, who were recently arrested in Havana for being in some way connected with the Cuban revolution.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

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Ottawa, Dec. 3.—A serious fire broke out about 1 a.m. in the premises occupied by Mrs. Turner, confectioner, and Macdonald Bros., gents' furnishings, on Sparks-street. It then spread to the C. Ross Co., Ltd., premises, which are now burning, with little prospects of saving.

WINDOW GLASS TRUST.

The Big Monopoly Reorganized With Branch s East and West.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 2.—The window glass manufacturers of the United States, who have been in session here for two days, completed their labors last evening. The result was the reorganization of both the old associations, that in the East to be called the Pittsburg Window Glass Company, and that in the West the Western Glass Company.

Each association has an Executive Committee, composed of its officer and five others, and each of these Executive Committees will appoint for its association four members of the joint Executive Committee of eight. This joint Executive Committee is clothed by the agreement with plenary power in making schedules of prices and in enforcing penalties for violation of the agreement. Only four small factories in the West remain outside the association and three in the East.

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to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $1.00, now	$ 75
Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $1.25, now	1 00
Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $1.75, now	1 25
Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $2.00, now	1 40
Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $3.50, now	2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves.....	were $0.75, now	$ 50
Lacing Gloves.....	were $1.00, now	75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and coloured.....	were $1.00, now	0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured.....	were $1.25, now	1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves	were $1.25, now	1 00
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.20, now	12½c
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.30, now	0 20
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.35, now	0 25

Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose.....	were 30c, now	20c

Higher Grades at Cost.

Heavy Wool Hose.....	were 20c, now	15c
Heavy Wool Hose.....	were 25c, now	20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

ROBERT HALL

385 George Street, Peterborough, Telephone 171.

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To the "EVENING EXAMINER" who do not receive their paper regularly each evening, will oblige by promptly leaving word at the business office.

Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Probabilities.

Moderate winds; fair; a little higher temperature; local snow flurries.

If your eyes trouble you in any way, have them tested by W. Madill, optician. No charge for examination.

Cleaned Currants.

Selected cleaned currants all ready for use, put up in pound packages. Try them. They are the finest you ever used.—MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. 2td

Canadian Historical Association.

A public meeting will be held in the town council chamber on Monday afternoon at four o'clock for the purpose of forming a branch association in connection with the Canadian Historical Society, which will celebrate the 400th anniversary of the discovery of Canada next year.

St. Luke's Annual Tea.

The annual tea and sale of ladies' work in connection with St. Luke's church, Ashburnham, will take place on Thursday, Dec. 3rd. The school house will be open all afternoon for the sale of work and the tea will begin at 5 o'clock. A programme has been arranged for the evening. Tickets 25 cents.

New Skating Rink.

Ashburnham is to have a grand skating rink this year on Riverside Park and a strong company has been formed to carry the project into execution. Waiting rooms are being erected and Mr. John Belcher will give the levels for converting an acre or two of the park into a rink. A steam engine has been secured for flooding purposes.

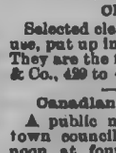
Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5.75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 230 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

Gave a Favorable Opinion.

A letter received by a citizen yesterday morning states that the new York nerve specialist consulted by Hon. William Harty, Commissioner of Public Works for Ontario, has pronounced favourably on the minister's case. This will be glad news to the scores of friends and well-wishers of the popular and genial representative of Kingston in the Legislative Assembly.—Whig.

Sale of Work.



Great preparations are being made for the annual sale of work conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph. This year the affair will be held in the parlours of the Catholic Literary Association, and will take the form of a Christmas Tree as well as a sale. A special feature will be the large amount of children's clothing, which will be disposed of. Many pretty things for Christmas gifts will also be on sale. The entertainment will take place on the evening of the 22nd of Dec.

Next on the Programme!

Christmas, of course, with turkey and plum pudding well in the race! Buyers at E. Brown & Co's grocery will have selections from the finest imported fruits and general groceries that money can buy. Lots of people are quietly buying as fast as the new Xmas goods are opened out. There are lots of things that can be bought just as well now as two weeks hence. Prices will always be consistent with reliable goods. Our present staff is efficient and capable, including E. Brown, B. Cunningham, head clerk; Thos. Baker, junior clerk; Rol. Hill, porter; Ralph Jones, assistant porter. Telephone 61.—E. BROWN & Co.

PRESENTED WITH A PAST COUNTY MASTER'S JEWEL.

An Honour Conferred Upon Mr. W. J. Green, P.C.M., by Local Members of the Orange Order.

Mr. W. J. Green, of town, Past County Master, of the Orange Order, is leaving this evening to take up his residence in British Columbia, and as he has repeatedly held high office in the District Orange Lodge, his brethren resolved not to allow him to go without some manifestation of their esteem. A special meeting of the local lodge was therefore summoned last evening in order that he might be presented with the jewel of a Past County Master.

Mr. Robt. Weir, Past Grand Master of Royal Black Knights of Ireland, was voted to the chair. After the chairman had addressed the meeting, stating the reasons for which the brethren had been called together, the address was read by the County Secretary, Mr. Sidney B. Weir. Bro. John A. McWilliams, Past District Master, then presented the jewel, which is the handsomest ever given in this district. Upon it was the following inscription:—"Presented by the Orangemen of Peterborough to Worshipful Bro. W. J. Green, Past County Master, Dec. 2nd, 1896." The following address was then read:

To Bro. W. J. Green, Past County Master, L. O. L.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—Your brethren of the Orange Order, having learned of your intention to remove to other parts, feel that they would be derelict of their duty were they to allow you to depart without attempting to show their appreciation of your services, both as a private member and in your more honoured several official capacities. When we remember that you have filled with honour to yourself and satisfaction to your brethren the several important offices of County Master, District Master and Master, and that you now hold the triple position of District Secretary, Secretary of L. O. L. No. 80, and Secretary of the Royal Black Knights, we begin to appreciate you as we have never done before, and it appears to add weight to that old saying "that we do not know how to value our blessings until they are with drawn from us." Permit us even at this late moment to acknowledge your late services to our Order, and your many good qualities of head and heart, and as an earnest token of our good faith in this, we ask you to accept this Past Master's jewel, which as you know is not given for its intrinsic value, but as a slight token of our esteem and a reminder of the pleasant memories of the part.

And now Brother Green, we desire, ere we part, to wish you Godspeed on your journey, and we sincerely trust the contemplated change will turn out for your best interest and should we never be privileged to meet together in a lodge on earth again, our earnest wish is that we may all be re-united in a happy hereafter where parting is no more.

Signed on behalf of the Peterborough brethren:

R. WEIR, P. G. M., R.B.K.B.A.
JOHN A. MCWILLIAMS, P.D.M.
JOSEPH JONES, P. D. M.
GEORGE W. HALL, P. D. M.
SIDNEY B. WEIR, C. S.

Bro. Joseph Jones then read the address on behalf of L. O. L. No. 80:

To Mr. W. J. Green.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—On behalf of the members of Diamond L. O. L., No. 80, I desire to extend to you their sincere thanks for the many valuable services rendered to the Lodge as their recording secretary for the past fifteen years, and also for the kind consideration you have always shown to the members. And now allow me to express to you the oft-times repeated regrets of the brethren on their learning of your intended removal from our midst, knowing as they do, that our association here has lost a most painstaking and efficient officer thereby, but realizing as they do that our loss will be the gain of our brethren in the far west, trusting that you may be spared to be as useful to them as you have been to us, and now wishing you prosperity and happiness in your new home.

Signed on behalf of the Lodge,
JOSEPH JONES,
Master L. O. L. No. 80.

The Past County Master made a most suitable acknowledgment, after which neat speeches appropriate to the occasion were made by Messrs. John A. McWilliams, Past District Master; Joseph Saunders, Joseph Jones, P. D. Ms.; Capt. J. W. Miller, G. W. Hall, Thos. Brown, Jos. Batten, W. H. G. Armstrong, District Treasurer, J. Briggs, Deputy Master of 457 Nassau, and W. A. Kindred, Chaplain of L. O. L. No. 80.

MEETING OF THE SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD.

The Property Committee to Look After Repairs During the Holidays.

At the regular meeting of the Separate School Bard held last evening there were present: Messrs. Quinlan, chairman, McGrath, Lynch, Goselin, Hickey, Sheehy and Doris.

The minutes of the meetings of October and November were read and confirmed.

THE REPORT OF ATTENDANCE

for November was presented as follows:

The Convent—No. on roll, 232; average attendance, 202.

Lake street school—No. on roll, 176; average attendance, 150.

The following

ACCOUNTS

were presented and referred to the Finance Committee for payment:

A H Stratton & Co.....	$ 3 37
"	6 00
C Halpin.....	1 50
H Carveth.....	1 00

THE FINANCE COMMITTE

presented the following report:

H Carveth.....	$ 7 00
Review Printing Co.....	2 40
R Bagley.....	2 75
Cox & Davis.....	15 00
H Owens.....	2 00
Rathbun Co.....	20 77
C Halpin.....	1 50

The report was adopted on motion of Messrs. Sheehy and Doris.

School tax for the current year on the Catholic Association was ordered to be paid on motion of Messrs. McGrath and Lynch.

Moved by Messrs. Lynch and Hickey, that any repairs which are required to be done in the schools, that the Property Committee be empowered to have the same done during the holidays—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Lynch and McGrath, that the secretary make the necessary arrangements for the nomination and election of trustees.—Carried.

The Board then adjourned.

Gent's two-clasp wool-lined English make Kid Gloves with Paris points, in tan, brown and red tans, guaranteed worth $1. Grafton & Co's Special Price..... 50c

Diphtheria at Chesley.

In a letter received from Madoc the report comes that diphtheria is raging in in that village to an alarming extent. Several families are sorely afflicted and several persons have died from the disease.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

Mr. Yeigh's Lecture.

The subject of Britain's girdle of the globe and of Canada's scenery and history was particularly appropriate for the Canadian Thanksgiving entertainment enjoyed by a large audience in Bond street church last evening. Mr. Frank Yeigh added another to his platform successes in his eloquent presentation of his topic, and the richly coloured views thrown on the screen by Mr. W. H. Charlton, of Chas. Potter's establishment, were heartily cheered. Mr. T. Arthur Miller contributed organ music as an accompaniment to the series of pictures, and aroused the audience to enthusiasm by his fine rendition of national airs, especially the "Maple Leaf."—Globe, Nov. 27th, '96. 2eod

RUMOURED OUTRAGE IN OTONABEE.

A Young Girl Said to have been Badly Injured by Her Relatives.

The rumour of a cruel outrage in Otonabee is current upon the streets, and if the facts of the case substantiate the story there would be justification in the visit of the constables to the domicile where the alleged inhuman action took place.

The rumour is to the effect that the daughter of a small farmer, not far from town was horribly beaten for refusing to give up her lover, to whom the father and brother had taken objection.

The beating took so severe a form, it is said, that the girl's life was almost despaired of, several of her ribs having been broken by the severe kicks of her relatives.

The name of a local physician is connected with the case, as having been summoned to attend the poor girl's injuries, but he refuses to throw any light upon the subject, beyond saying that the whole matter has been greatly exaggerated.

LATE RICHARD NAGLE.

Funeral To-day to Notre Dame From St. Patrick's Church.

(Ottawa Journal, Dec. 2nd.)

The funeral of the late Richard Nagle took place this afternoon from the Russell House to St. Patrick's church, where service was conducted by Rev. Father Phelan, of Peterborough, and Rev. Father Whelan. The attendance of friends was unusually large. The chief mourners were Messrs. James Nagle, B. McCarthy, H. Phelan, T. B. Brophy, H. J. Friel and the three daughters of the deceased, Mrs. Phelan, Mrs. Friel and Mrs. Brophy.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. P. J. Brennan, G. P. Brophy, Frank McDougal, Dr. St. Jean, J. Gouix, W. McKay, H. K. Egan, E. Phelan and M. Starr.

The floral tributes were chiefly from members of the family, including wreathes from Mr. and Mrs. E. Phelan and Mr. and Mrs. H. LeBrun, of Peterborough, and one from his three daughters. A few cut flowers were received from friends.

At nine o'clock to-morrow morning Rev. Father J. Phelan, of Peterborough, will sing a requiem mass in St. Patrick's church.

ELECTION OF STEWARDS.

The Congregation of the George Street Church Choose their Representatives.

At the close of the prayer meeting in the George street Methodist church last evening the congregation elected seven stewards as representatives on the Quarterly Board. There were twelve nominations and the following gentlemen were elected: Geo. Powell, J. J. Hartley, John Nugent, H. Stabler, Thos. McFadden, A. E. Dixon and J. Jeffries.

At the conclusion of the election a number of those present expressed their satisfaction at the showing of the last annual report, Mr. D. W. Dumble pointing out that during the year the congregation had contributed upwards of $7,000.00. Reference was also made to the photogravure of Rev. W. R. Young on the first page of the report, and it was advocated as a commendable idea that hereafter the photograph of the pastor of the church should appear in the report. A discussion then ensued regarding the renovation of the church, and as the result the interior will be thoroughly gone over in the spring.

RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

Mr. H. Furze, Travelling Auditor of the Grand Trunk, passed through to-day.

Mr. Bert. Wallace, local G.T.R. operator, has returned from Chicago after spending a few weeks there on a holiday.

Mr. W. P. Chapman, Assistant Engineer, G.T.R., was in town yesterday. He is on a tour, inspecting the Grand Junction division, and took a run out to Lakefield.

Superintendent James Webster, of the G.T.R., gave the local officials a call yesterday.

Mr. S. Dunn, railway operator, who has been taking Mr. Bert Wallace's place at the G.T.R. depot key in the latter's absence, has been recalled to Allandale.

PERSONAL

Rev. Father Scanlan is in Norwood attending the funeral of Rev. Father Fitzpatrick's brother.

Mrs. Judge Weller returned to town last evening after having undergone an operation for her eyes.

GILT-EDGED BUTTER.

A Limited Number of Customers Wanted for weekly supply of choice Dairy Butter. No roots fed, satisfaction guaranteed, sample order solicited. Leave your address at the "Examiner Office." deod130

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The roads are in a fair shape for wheeling though a little rutty.

—Mr. John Craig took a carload of furniture to Lakefield this afternoon.

—Mr. Wm. Black is now editor of the Havelock Standard. He is a new arrival in that village.

—The heart of the small boy is glad there is plenty of "glare" ice on the ponds and creeks in and around the town and the juveniles are sharpening up their skates.

—The cold weather is checking work on the canal. A gang has been laid off the Peterborough - Lakefield section and another off the Nassau-Little Lake portion.

—A bicycle journal offers a prize of $10 for a photo of the worst road for wheelmen in the province of Ontario. A photograph of George street a couple of weeks ago would have undoubtedly been awarded the prize.

—Mr. Justus Alley, postmaster at Rush Point, four miles north of Havelock, whose dwelling, in which was the postoffice, was lately reduced to ashes, was awarded $768 by the company that carried the risk.

—Since their return home, sportsmen can recount among other things, the pleasure it gave some men in hunting without a license. They were many who never saw a license, who brought home their deer without the regulation shipping tag.

—Many town councils in Ontario with progressive ideas have made arrangements for the flooding of different vacant lots in their town, thus providing a place where the youngsters can enjoy a good skate free of charge. What say our legislators to such a scheme as this?

—The following is told of a young man in one of our neighbouring towns who is addicted to the cigarette habit: He had smoked 1,200 packages and wrote to the manufacturers to know what they would give him for 1,200 pictures that had come with the cigarettes. The answer of the manufacturers was right to the point—"smoke 1,200 more and we will send you a coffin."

Windsor Salt

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

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—AT THE—

PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE

SANTA CLAUS is now strongly in evidence all over the PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE, with Dolls, Games, Toys, Sleighs, Rocking Horses, and a multitude of Playthings and Presents to choose from, together with Christmas Cards, Holiday Books, Christmas Papers, Purses, Albums, Leather Goods, Elegant Fancy Goods, and Costly Unique Novelties. The whole Store pulsates with a new life, and the Christmas Attractions discount everything ever before attempted.

Mirrors, Medallions,
Onyx Tables,
Photo Frames,
Purses, finest leathers,
Purses, sterling silver mounted
Gentlemen's Pocket Books,
Gentlemen's Letter Wallets,
Travelling Companions,
Ladies' Writing Books,
Ladies' Writing Portfolios,
Hand Painted Porcelain Placques,
Solid Brass Photo Frames,
Hand Paintings on Porcelain,
Jewel Cases,
Brush and Comb Sets,

Pin Trays,
Manicure Sets,
Smoking Sets,
Gent's Handkerchief Holders,
Gent's Necktie Holders,
Gent's Collar and Cuff Cases,
Gent's Shaving Cases,
Table and Office Bells,
Fancy Ink Stands,
Fountain Pens,
Gold Pens,
Gold Pencils,
Perfume Bottles,
Ladies' Work Baskets,
Dolls of all kinds,
Games,

Picture Books,
Toy Books of all kinds,
Children's Sets of Dishes,
Dolls Carriages,
Dolls Cradles,
Sleighs of all kinds,
Rocking Horses,
All the Annuals for 1897.
All the Illustrated Christmas Papers,
The Poets in any Bindings,
Any of the Standard Works in Sets,
Diaries for 1897,
Scrap Albums,
Photograph Albums,

Autograph Albums,
Hand, Table and Dressing Mirrors,
Hand Painted Opera and Party Fans,
Shopping Bags,
Ladies' Card Cases,
Water and Lemonade Sets,
Card Receivers,
Christmas Booklets,
Christmas Art Calendars,
Christmas Cards,
A beautiful selection of Bibles,
Common Prayers and Hymns,
Bibles and Methodist Hymns,
Catholic Prayer Books, etc.

These are only a few of the many suggestions we can offer you for Xmas and New Year Gifts. We make a specialty of supplying Presents for Xmas Trees Entertainments, and have everything you want, but we still do business on the same old plan—

Prices Always the Lowest!

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WOMEN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Mark Street Auxiliary Holds an Open Meeting.

A very largely attended open meeting of the Mark street church Auxiliary of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society was held last evening, the President, Mrs. M. W. Matchett, presiding. The following interesting programme was presented:

Opening hymn—"The Morning Light is Breaking"	
Prayer.....	Rev W C Beer
Scripture reading—Malachi III.....	
Vocal solo	Miss Butcher
Report of Lindsay Convention...	Mrs Sherin
Sale of Autograph Quilt.....	Mr J H Beer
Vocal duet.....	Misses Lumsden and Butcher
Paper on Missionary work	Mrs Sherin
Benediction.....	Rev W C Beer

During the afternoon a very interesting meeting was also held when Mrs. Sherin, of Lakefield, the District Organizer, gave an informal talk on missionary work, during the course of which she gave a number of valuable hints to the members of the branch. At the close of this meeting an afternoon tea was given.

All ladies who can attend, whether members or not, are invited to the regular meetings, held at 3 o'clock on the first Wednesday in each month. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 5th, 1897.

Ho! for the Grand Concert in Bradburn's Opera House to-night. Miss Mabel Chambers, Soprano; Miss Bertha Belasco, Pianiste; Mr. Thos. Dunn, Baritone. Reserved Seats on sale at Stratton's Bookstore. Admission 35 cents and 25 cents.

DIED.

MORRIS—At Oshawa, on Monday, the 30th November, 1896, Dr. Edwin Morris, in his 71st year.

NIGHT SCHOOL

How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to improve their Education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book-keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the student.

Many have fitted themselves for better positions by attending our Night School. You can do the same.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings. 7 to 9 p.m.

PRINGLE & McCREA,
Opposite Post Office. *Business College.*

C. P. R.

"SPECIALS"

Owing to the recent order of the C. P. R. Company to their employees to carry inspected Watches, we have this week put into stock two splendid C. P. R. "Specials":—

The Elgin B. W. Raymond,
The Waltham C.P.R. 'Special.'

The movements in both of these watches are the finest high-rating movements produced, and for accurate time-keeping cannot be excelled.

We invite C. P. R. employees as well as all others who want a thoroughly reliable time-keeper to come and inspect these two "Specials."

This is the Last Week of Our Jewelry Sale.

McClelland

The Jeweler, Peterborough.

Favourite Beverages

NOW IN STORE, full supplies of the following favourite beverages, from the Walkerville well known Brewing and Distilling Company:—

BOTT'S STOUT Especially fine for Invalids.

KAISER BEER. Light and Sparkling for table use.

ST. GEORGE'S PALE ALE Equal to Bass and sold at half the price.

We are the Sole Agents in Peterborough for these fine goods.

Superior Port and Sherry Wines, Allan's Cider for Mince Meat, Gooderham's, Walker's and Seagram's Fine Whiskies and other Reliable Liquors.

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Great Bargains

..AT..

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S.

GREAT REALIZATION SALE

The opening days of this great Sale, revealed the fact that our announcements are read by thousands of cash buyers. The crowds that visited our store Friday and Saturday will testify to the enormous reductions made in our close cash prices. NO RESERVE. MONEY MUST BE RAISED.

Dress Goods.

25 per cent. discount off all our Dress Costumes.
This means $4 Dress Lengths reduced to $3.
This means $6 Dress Lengths reduced to $4.50.
This means $8 Dress Lengths reduced to $6.
This means $12 Dress Lengths reduced to $9.
The greatest possible chance to get good dresses at wholesale prices.
Our New Black Dress Goods reduced from 15 to 25 per cent.
100 yds left of 25c Tweed and Plaid Dress Goods, reduced to 15c.
500 yds left of 50c All wool Tweed Dress Goods, reduced to 35c.
200 yds left of All wool Fancy Dress Goods, were 75c, reduced to 50c.
100 yds left of our 75c Fancy Velvet, reduced to 50c.
Call and get bargains as the stock must be sold.

Hosiery, Gloves and Ribbons.

25 Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Hose, reduced to 25c.
100 yds 2-inch Satin Ribbon, reduced to 10c.
1000 yds 1-inch Satin Ribbon, reduced to 5c.
150 Silk Ties for ladies' and boys' were 40c, reduced to 25c.
25 Lace Collarettes were 40c, reduced to 25c.
Stamped Linens at 5c, 8c, 10c, 15c and 20c special.
125 pair Ladies' $1.25 Kid Gloves, guaranteed reduced to 75c.

Underwear and Corsets.

10 Golf Jerseys, were $2, reduced to 99c
8 Golf Jerseys, were $3.75, reduced to $1.99.
25 pair $2 Corsets, reduced to 99c.
Reduced prices on "Health Brand" Underwear.
25 Ladies' Night Gowns, were 75c, reduced to 50c.
Infant's Robes and Dresses at special prices.
These goods are cheaper than you can possibly make them.

Men's Furnishings and Ordered Clothing.

100 Men's Silk Ties, were 40c, reduced to 25c.
25 Men's Heather mix Socks, were 50c, reduced to 25c.
125 Men's Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, reduced to 50c.
Lined Gloves and Mitts, Collars, Shirts, etc. all reduced.
Special prices in Ordered Clothing.

Carpets and Housefurnishings.

$1 Brussels Carpets reduced to 75c.
$1.35 Brussels Carpets reduced to 95c.
20c Carpets reduced to 15c.
35c Tapestry Carpets, reduced to 27c.
25 per cent. discount off all Elder Down Goods except Cambric Covered Cushions and Cosey and $3.99 Comforters.
Blankets, Flannels and Flannelettes all cut in price.

Jackets and Fur-Lined Capes and Cloaks.

The prices marked on these are pushing them out lively.
MILLINERY at very special prices.

Of course there are a few people who will still pay the long prices for goods because they get a few days credit. Our terms are Spot Cash. No approval. Money back if goods do not suit. It saves a great deal of trouble.

No Reserve at This Sale.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

STILL KEEPING UP!

THE INTEREST DISPLAYED IN

ROUTLEY'S CLEARING SALE

Shows no signs of abatement, but, on the contrary, is daily and hourly magnified. **ASTONISING VALUES AND FREEDOM FROM MISREPRESENTATION** characterize this Sale, and the confidence of buyers exerts an influence in keeping up the continual crowds.

CHRISTMAS IS NOT FAR OFF and this sale affords a splendid chance of buying Christmas Gifts, such as **Toys, Dolls, Games, Sleighs, Rocking Horses, Baby Carriages, Fancy Goods, Christmas Cards, Picture Books, Pocket Books, Fine Leather Goods, Ornamented Glassware, Silverware, Student and Banquet Lamps, Novelties in Fancy Cups and Saucers, High Art Pottery, China and Dresden Ware** and many other appropriate presents for old and young.

ONE THING MUST NOT BE FORGOTTEN—**ROUTLEY'S** Sale will continue in full swing until aftet the 31st December, but no longer, as after that date Mr. Routley will be no longer in business—so the goods MUST POSITIVELY BE SOLD. Although the Sale has been a remarkable success there is a great stock of attractive goods that must be sold before the end of the year, of which early buyers will have best choice.

NEW CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR 1896 just to hand. These were ordered last July before Mr. Routley thought of going out of business, but must now be closed out like the rest of the stock. Sunday School and other Teachers' Supplies at especially low rates, as has always been the rule at

ROUTLEY'S, 379 George Street.

Perhaps You Never

Tried our Tea, if so you don't know what good Tea we sell how low in price.

Then again there is not two or three profits in our Tea, we import them and you get the advantage.

Two things to remember—we import our Teas and save for you the importer's and jobber's profit.

This month we are selling our Thirty-five cent Tea for Twenty-eight cents a pound.

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Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

For stomach and liver trouble use Madill's Stomach and Liver Pill; few doses will relieve.

MARKS BROS' CO,

Opera House for Two Weeks, December 7th to 19th. 10 cents and 15 cents.

Local Option.

A petition is soon to be presented to the council of Madoc township, asking that a by-law be submitted under Local Option section of the License Law, to do away with licenses in that municipality. The friends of local option are very sanguine that it will carry, although it is a little embarassing to candidates at this time of the year.

Otonabee Lodge I.O.O.F. Anniversary.

The annual anniversary entertainment of Otonabee Lodge, I.O.O.F., will be held in their hall, corner of George and Hunter streets, on Monday evening, Dec. 7th. An interesting programme of vocal and instrumental music by some of the best local talent will be provided, to be followed by the usual social and refreshments. 4d130

Lucky Bargains in Tweed.

A lot of people have been looking for remnants in tweeds. We have made a lucky stroke of business at about 50c on the dollar of a job line of tweeds, which we will sell very cheap. These remnants are long enough to make a full suit, a coat, a pair of pants or a vest. As long as they last we will make up suits for $12, $13 and $15, and a pair of pants for $3, $3.50 and $4, or about 25 per cent. cheaper than regular prices. Warranted to fit. H. LEBRUN & Co. 2d1w

A Good Postal Idea.

An interesting suggestion is made by a correspondent of the New York Herald, who says that in England, when one has a large number of letters or circulars to mail at one time, he need not be at the trouble of affixing a stamp on each one of them, but may carry them to the post office, pay the postage due on them and pass them in. No postage stamps are affixed, but the office simply stamps them "Paid," and they are forwarded. This is an idea very well worth the consideration of our Postmaster General. The postoffice clerks have to mark each envelope already, in cancelling the stamps, so there would be no extra trouble for them, while it would save business offices the time and trouble of pasting stamps on each separate letter or circular.

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OBITUARY.

Death of William Barry, Formerly of Peterborough.

William Barry, who departed this life last week after several months illness, was born in the county of Cork, Ireland, in the month of November '29. In the year 1832, along with his parents, Patrick and Helen Barry, he came to Canada, settling first in Quebec, and then in the state of Vermont, and with his parents in 1837 came to Peterborough, and for twelve years made his home in the neighbourhood of Westwood, and from there to the township of Percy.

In the fall of 1850 he married Mary Holland, sister of Mr. James Holland, of Hastings, (from which union three sons and six daughters were born and still survive him), and who some nineteen years ago preceeded him to the land from whence no traveller returns. Seventeen years ago he led to the altar Miss Margaret Sullivan, of Douro, who now mourns his loss, and of which union one son was born.

Mr. Barry also leaves a brother, Mr. Patrick Barry, of Hastings, and three sisters—Mrs. John Connelly, (widow) of Seymour; Mrs. Kelly, (widow) of Peterborough, and Mrs. Ryan, of Buffalo, N.Y.

He was a man of great energy and force of character, flowing over with native wit and humour, obliging and a good neighbour. In religion a Roman Catholic, liberal in its tenement, honourable in his intercourse with all.

The remains were followed by a large concourse of sympathising friends and neighbours to St. Mary's church, Hastings, where it received the rites of the church, conducted by Rev. Father Connelly, his pastor, and thence to the Asphodel, R. C. Cemetery for interment.

ASHBURNHAM PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Report of Standing of Pupils for November.

Fifth class, 834 marks—Oscar Matchett, 48; Mollie Blois, 542; Eliza Edwards, 512.

Senior Fourth, 804 marks—Terrot Glover, 732; Edith Beattie, 645; Florence Butcher, 605; Laura Craig, 590; Robert Manlece, 562; Mabel Scott, 557; Matthew Edwards, 543; George Smith, 538; Sid Tivey, 516; Daisy Distin, 509; Jessie Crane, 490; Rose Craig, 483; Walter Tighe, 465; Harry Crocker, 465; Alice Scott, 456; Lannie Mowry, 452; Florence Dormer, 443; Ethel Record, 425; Ralph Quinn, 419; Bruce Beattie, 385; Frank Eden, 384; Eva Moore, 372; Wallie Wood, 321; Sybil Stethem, 302; Harold Crane, 295.

Junior Fourth Class—804 marks—Annie Dawson, 609; Mamie Ingram, 595; Donald Edwards, 564; Bruce Pollock, 502; Carrie Noyes, 492; Pearl Law, 491; Alex. Gillespie, 484; Harry Rogers, 473; Sid Gibbs, 442; Mabel Crocker, 440; Harry Cox, 428; Grace Goldie, 420; Bertha Symonds, 413; Maud Long, 384; Claude Rogers, 354; Jno. Eynon, 325; Nellie Craig, 271: Robt. Long, 266.

Senior Third—May Pollock, Ivan Law, Howard Bennett.

Junior Third—Blanche Westlake, Madeline Stone, Carl Russell.

Senior Second—Bertha Telford, Carrie Doupe, Ella Distin.

Junior Second—Lulu Scott, Edna Rogers, Rossie Bennett.

Senior Part Second—Tommy Edwards, Herbert Stethem, Edna Dobbin.

Junior Part Second—Jessie Waddell, Letitia Wood, Nettie Castle.

Third Tablet—Laura Smithson, Percy Crane, Norman York.

Second Tablet—Lillie Chrow, Muriel Scott, Jimmy Burgess.

First Tablet—Hazel Craig, Carrie Armstrong, Elsie Pollock.

Promotion examinations will be held in the Junior Third Class, and in all classes under that, beginning Monday, Dec. 14th. Any pupil absent from any part of the examination will lose his chance of promotion.

In future after this examination there will be only one promotion examination each year, in June, in the senior Part second, junior third, senior third, and junior fourth classes.

In all the first classes (Part I) and in the junior part second and junior second classes there will be promotion examinations twice a year, in June and in December.

School closes Tuesday, December 22nd, to re-open on Monday, January 4th, 1897.

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SHOOTING ACCIDENT.

A Young Man's Game Bag Mistaken for a Rabbit.

On Saturday last a party of three young men of Campbellford, Frank Bonnycastle, Alex. Davidson and Henry Rowed, Jr., went out to hunt rabbits in what is known as Gibson's swamp, near Trent Bridge, and during their movements an accident occurred of a very serious nature.

On returning homewards, they entered a swamp on the farm of Mr. John Given, about three miles north of Campbellford, and towards evening their dog started a rabbit and ran off out of their hearing. After waiting a few minutes, they left the swamp, but returned on hearing the dog again, too late, however, as the rabbit had passed by. Rowed and Davidson were together, and Bonnycastle was about thirty yards distant from them. Rowed thought he saw a rabbit, having mistaken Bonnycastle's haversack or game bag, which hung from his shoulder, and he raised his gun to fire, but only the cap snapped. Bonnycastle heard this and turned his head and saw his two companions, and at that moment Rowed fired the other barrel, and its contents lodged in Bonnycastle's body. Frank shouted to him, saying, "You have shot me!" and then he became paralysed and could not speak for some time afterwads.

The young man walked to the residence of Mr. Given, who drove him to Campbellford. Upon their arrival there a physician was called to attend the young man's injuries. Shot was found in his scalp, several grains having entered behind his ears, one in the neck, near the jugular vein, and between seventy and one hundred lodged in his neck, shoulders, back, and down his body to the knees. Fully fifty were removed from between his shoulders.

The haversack at his side, containing a rabbit, received about forty grains, and this no doubt saved his life, by preventing them from entering his abdomen. A large number were removed, some having to be cut out as they had penetrated the flesh to a considerable depth, and carried with them small particles from the clothing. No attempt was made to remove the one near the jugular vein.

Young Bonnycastle, who is seventeen years of age, stood the operation without flinching. His back is covered with wounds; but we are pleased to state that he is recovering, and was able to be on his feet again on Monday.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The Bible Institute will hold its regular meeting to-night at 8 o'clock. All are urged to be present who can.

Ho! for the Grand Concert in Bradburn's Opera House to-night. Miss Mabel Chambers, Soprano; Miss Bertha Belasco, Pianiste; Mr. Thos. Dunn, Baritone. Reserved Seats on sale at Stratton's Bookstore. Admission 35 cents and 25 cents.

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Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

The Executive of the Peterborough hockey club met last evening and finally decided that three teams be entered in the Ontario Hockey Association series, viz., a seven in the seniors, intermediates and juniors. The club will be represented in Toronto on Saturday at the annual meeting by Messrs. Geo. J. Hopkins and Walter Phelan.

THE WHEEL.

Linton, the Welsh bicycle rider who rode 32 miles in an hour, and who is now in America, has a wonderful thigh development. Linton is 5 feet 8 inches high and weighs but 126 pounds. Yet his thigh is more muscular and larger in circumference than Jim Corbett's thigh. The development of his great extensor thigh muscle is marvellous. It does not show in knots, but looks as if the front of the thigh had been beaten with a club and had become puffed with inflammation. But there is no puffing in Linton's thigh. The muscles are twined together like a network of steel cables. The back of the thigh tapers away in a peculiar wedge shape, showing remarkable development except in the long contractor muscle. The lower leg is small in proportion to the thigh, but the instep and ankle again show great development. This gives an idea of Linton's construction and the secret of his unparalleled riding.

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Proper Attention to Packing and Good Cold Storage on Board Ship Will Insure a Profitable Trade—Publishers Want Newspaper Postage—Notes From the Capital.

Ottawa, Dec. 1.—The Trade and Commerce Department has received a comer's office, London, dealing with enquirmunication from the High Commissioners which were made among OldCountry dealers, as to the probable demand for Canadian turkeys, geese and other poultry through the winter and spring months. There is some division of opinion as to the best time for sending shipments. Just before Christmas and New Year's there is a large demand for poultry of all kinds, but the tendency is toward a glut in the market through the number of British birds which are sold at that particular season and the supply coming in from France and other continental countries.

This tends to lower the price of Canadian poultry. Lack of adequate cold storage facilities on the lines between Canada and the United Kingdom have confined our shipments largely to birds in the feather. The demand is brisk for the first three months of the year and prices continue just about as good as through the holiday season. One thing should be given particular attention and that is the packing. The feathers should be smooth and the killing should be done carefully, so that it will not look as if done by some beast of prey. Much depends on the weather when the shipments are made. The caution is repeated of starving the birds for at least 24 hours before killing, as they will keep much better. It is evident, the High Commissioner notes, that the possibilities of the trade in poultry developing to any great extent are slim till better cold storage is provided in the vessels. It is recommended that in large shipments the sexes be divided, and birds of the same size placed in each case. The cases might be stencilled, as it would assist the dealers in sorting. At Christmas time the largest birds are called for, but later in the winter medium or smaller birds sell well. Very much the same applies to geese as to turkeys. If they can be refrigerated and plucked they certainly meet a more ready sale. When spring comes the supply of British poultry is scarce, and this matter is worthy of attention in Canada. A list of firms is attached who are prepared to enter into correspondence for the purchase of Canadian poultry.

The Minister of Agriculture's tour of Ontario, upon which he set out this week, will last about a fortnight. In that time he will study the requirements of the various localities, and then proceed to Washington, where he will consult with the United States authorities on matters relating to cattle quarantine and regulations to govern the same between the two countries.

Increased mail facilities are to be provided by the postoffice authorities for the Kootenay district, via the American border, and the Northern Pacific Railway to the "Soo."

Representations have been made to the Postmaster-General, by certain newspaper proprietors in favor of a re-imposition of postage rates for transmission of newspapers sent through the mails from the office of publication. The ground on which this is urged is that free postage hurts the legitimate newspaper business by encouraging fake advertising schemes. The Minister is disposed to charge a postage rate of one cent per pound on newspapers, but allowing free transmission through the mails within the county of publication. This latter concession would help the country press. Mr. Mulock would be glad of suggestions on the matter.

Dr. McPhail, Professor of Bacteriology at Bishop's College, has been authorized by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to proceed to England to complete his researches into the matter of blackening of lobsters in the famous pathological laboratories of London.

Mr. Davies is satisfied with Dr. McPhail's discovery of the causes of blackening and the remedy therefor, but before announcing it to the public he has thought it well to encourage Dr. McPhail to prosecute his researches further.

Application has been made to the Department of Marine and Fisheries for a supply of salmon eggs to be sent to Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands. The department will accede to the request by sending a shipment from the hatchery at New Westminster. It appears there are many rivers and streams on the Hawaiian Islands where it is thought salmon would thrive well.

Since his return to Ottawa, the Minister of Militia has hardly had time to take up the Queen's Own matter. He informed your correspondent tonight that he had not reached a decision yet. Previous to his recent visit to Toronto he had about made up his mind to a certain line of action, regarding Col. Hamilton, but this had been modified by what he had learned in the Queen City. He will, however, settle the matter some time this month.

The Controller of Inland Revenue has notified the Manitoba branch of the Dominion Alliance of his decision in favor of its petition for the closing of a brewery at Neepawa by withholding the Dominion license. Sir Henri Joly has decided not only to refuse to renew the license, but also to decline in future to grant brewery licenses in any local option town.

Telegraphic assent of the Governor-General to the order-in-council, appointing Senator McClelan to be Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, has not yet been received, hence no date has been fixed for the departure of McGee, Clerk of the Privy Council, to New Brunswick, to swear in the new Governor.

Some anxiety is felt regarding Surveyor Ogilvie's long delay in reaching civilization from Alaska through the route which he undertook to explore to the coast. Last year he had to turn back, finding some twelve feet of snow and unendurable cold against him. Word of his arrival is awaited daily.

J. F. Hogan, M.P. for Mid-Tipperary, and secretary to the colonial party in the Imperial House of Commons, arrived here to-day. He had a long interview with Mr. Laurier to-night.

Enquiry at the Department of Indian Affairs elicits information to the effect that the calls for assistance from the Indians have been very few so far this season. In Labrador the agents of the Hudson Bay Company are granting relief in cases of destitution, and the Government will reimburse them for the same later on. The Government of Newfoundland is sending supplies of flour and other necessaries where they are called for.

There has been some talk of Mr. Sifton going through to the Pacific Coast before returning to Ottawa, though Hon. R. W. Scott does not anticipate that Mr. Sifton will carry out this plan at present.

Mr. Ross Owen, second son of Mr. A. W. Owen, Accountant of the Marine and Fisheries Department, and who for the last nine years has been in the employ of the C.P.R. at Montreal, has been promoted to an important position in the office of the company at Hong-Kong, China.

The Department of Agriculture has been advised of a further outbreak of hog cholera in Kent County. News comes from Essex, however, that the plague has been pretty well stamped out there.

Mr. Craig, horticulturist of the Experimental Farm, has left for Michigan to attend a meeting of the Fruit Growers' Association of that State.

Ex-Ald. Crannell, secretary of the Bronson-Weston Lumber Company, is definitely in the field for the Mayoralty. A requisition signed by over a thousand leading citizens was presented to him yesterday.

Mr. J. Clark, Clerk of Works at Regina, has been dismissed by Mr. Tarte.

The winter steamship service as arranged for some months ago, and provided for in the estimates of last session, went into effect on Saturday.

It is rumored that Mr. Lavergne, M.P. for Arthabaska, will be appointed to the bench of the Superior Court for the district of Aylmer at an early date.

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CANADA CLUB DINNER

Progress of the Dominion Dilated Upon—Mr. Dobell Gets in a Word for the United States.

London, Dec. 2.—At the Canada Club dinner this evening Sir Donald A. Smith, Canadian High Commissioner in London, who presided, dilated upon the progress made by the Dominion of Canada.

The Earl of Selborne, Parliamentary Secretary to the Colonial Office, in his remarks paid a high tribute to the great lessons which the Dominion had taught Great Britain respecting federal conventions, and hoped they would be followed by the federation of the colonies of Australia and South Africa. Mr. Dobell expressed the hope that closer commercial relations would be established between Canada and the United States, which, he declared, would be of great advantage to both Canada and Great Britain.

Mr. Jones of the Pacific Cable Commission, declared that he looked forward to the accomplishment of the great work in which he and his colleagues were engaged.

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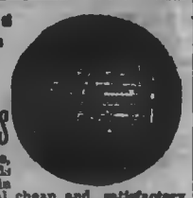

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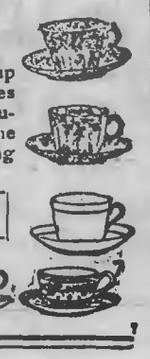

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Ice Gorge Unbroken and Everybody is at Work Saving Household Goods.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Dec. 1.—The ice gorge is unbroken, and the water is now running over the lower section of the city, and steadily rising. All hope of breaking the gorge is abandoned, and all attention is given now to saving household goods and merchandise. Every team in the city is kept busy moving people and effects to places of safety. At 9 o'clock this morning the water had crept up to the bridge and to the postoffice, two blocks from the river. The river is now 22 feet above low-water mark.

The Wisconsin Central tracks are covered with water two feet deep, and the Omaha tracks are used in the transfer of trains at Eau Claire. Duncan Creek, a tributary to the Chippewa River, here, is also doing much damage, as the water is backing up in it from the river. The Chippewa Lumber and Boom Company's mill and lumber yards are all under water. Every resident and business man on River-street has moved out.

It is thought by many that this is only the beginning, as there is no possible hope of getting a channel cut through the jam of logs and ice. The river gorge is now 23 feet high and four and a half miles long. All the farming country, five miles south, in the town of Wheaton, is under water, and the loss to farmers is enormous. Many farmers barely escaped with their lives, and in some places houses and barns were carried away. Live stock has been lost by every farmer.

The suffering by those obliged to move is terrible, as the thermometer shows from 1 to 5 degrees below zero. At 10 a.m. all hope was given up of saving the entire business portion of the city from being submerged. The ice is rapidly forming four miles below and the water is rising in the city at the rate of a foot an hour. Everybody is making preparations to move to the high grounds.

A report that another gorge is forming at Little Falls, 30 miles above here, was brought in this morning and increased the panic, as, in case of its breaking suddenly, the whole city would be swept away. A report from Durand, south of here, says 30 persons have lost their lives, and suffering from the cold is intense. This report cannot be verified and is probably greatly exaggerated.

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An Important Find by a Brockville Jeweller.

Mr. Joseph Lane, the well-known jeweller of Brockville, says: "For some years I have suffered with severe pains in my back and sides and flashes of heat between my shoulders. I had a tired, wornout felling.

"The numerous medicines that I took gave me very little relief. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills I thought I would try a box, and got one at Curry's drugstore.

"After the first two or three doses I felt much relieved, and the longer I took them the greater the change for the better in my condition. I am much better in every respect and recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to all sufferers from kidney trouble as the best remedy I know of."

Sold by James Lynch, druggist, 168 Hunter street, Peterborough.

Mr. Chas. Smith, Dawn Mills, Ont., says: "For several years I was troubled with pains in my limbs, which continued getting worse until I thought I would have to quit work. In fact the pains were so severe that I could not rest nights. I took one box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills and am perfectly cured.'

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A MILLINERY LESSON.

THE PROPER MODE OF TREATING VELVET FOLDS AND EDGES.

How to Correctly Make the Edge of the Hat—A Positive Rule That Must Never Be Put Aside—How the Stitching Must Be Done.

It is often necessary to use folds of velvet, either on top, or as is more often the case, underneath a brim. When a beginner first attempts covering a hat, the edge is her weak point, and as it frequently has to be gone over several times before a state of perfection as regards the stitch is arrived at, these folds serve to cover a very badly, used place as well as help

FIG. 2. THE UNTRIMMED HAT.

trim the hat, so I shall speak of them first.

To make one correctly, cut a bias strip of velvet one inch wide. There are occasions where three-fourths of an inch is sufficient, as, for instance, where several are to be used. Where a join in the length is required, you must always make it along the straight or selvedge of the material, and not across the bias. This is a positive rule, and must never, on any consideration, be put aside. The illustration, Fig. 3, should make the directions unmistakable; it shows the ends of two bias strips, with the end as it would appear after the strip was cut, and which must remain that way,

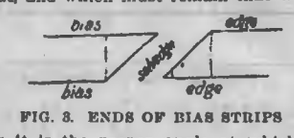

FIG. 3. ENDS OF BIAS STRIPS

as it is the proper angle at which a join must be made. The dotted lines show where the join should be made. The strip is then made into what is termed a "plain" fold; it is simple enough, but care must be taken not to draw the thread too tight; it must be firm and the edges of the material meet exactly, but not lap over each other (Fig. 4). Another important thing is, don't make your stitches too small; your needle should go in about half an inch below here you drew it out.

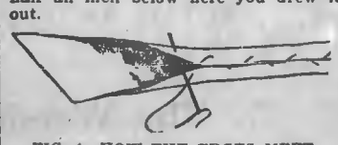

FIG. 4. HOW THE EDGES MEET.

A fold which is a little more difficult to make is what is termed the milliners' fold. In this case the bias strip should be about one and a half inches wide. The illustration, Fig. 5, should make the method of procedure plain; it shows the upper edge folded over once, and the lower edge folded twice and slip-stitched down. The lower is lapped over the upper just enough to cover it nicely and allow the stitch to be well made. Slip-stitching is always the same; when you have once accomplished it, you will be able to do it on anything. The principle is just the same for this as for the edge of a hat. When ties are to be made for a bonnet, this is the fold which is used. The end has then to be finished off neatly in a point. You must carefully remember for all slip-stitching that the stitch must be kept on a line with the folded edge.

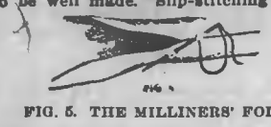

FIG. 5. THE MILLINERS' FOLD.

The hat which is shown in Fig. 1 was of golden-brown velvet, with black feathers, and, besides being a very

FIG. 1. THE TRIMMED VELVET HAT.

stylish model, is a very good sample of a plain covered hat, which requires the most careful sewing. You will notice that the upper side of the brim is in two pieces, and the outer circle has to be sewed down on the inner one without a spek to show where a stitch has been made. A back view of the hat is given, so that you can see the way it is made; the front has no trimmings except a jet ornament to fasten in the feathers; these are put where the black cross is marked on the illustration of the shape, Fig 2.—Harper's Bazar.

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The Various Committees Met and Mapped Out the Work for the Annual Meeting in June.

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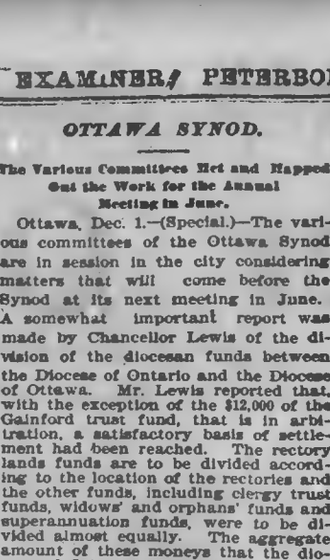

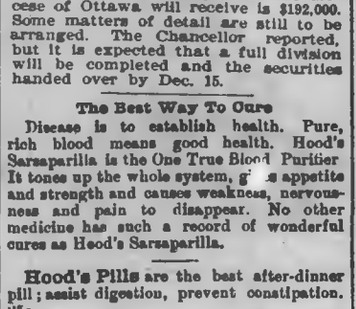

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4	Province of New Brunswick
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2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

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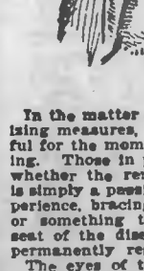

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Being a Good Hockey Player he Got a Bank Clerkship.

Mr. George McKay, the well-known bicyclist, football player and hockeyist, of Kingston, received a letter on Saturday from the secretary of the Bank of Commerce hockey team, Toronto, asking him to come to the Queen City and join this aggregation.

They offered him a position in the bank. The same day he received a telegram from the Bank of Toronto hockey team, offering him similar inducements to those held out by the first named bank.

He accepted the offer of the Bank of Toronto, and left for the Queen City Sunday to fill a position as clerk in that bank, and to play centre forward on the team. George is one of the speediest forwards in Canada.

He has the happy knack of being able to indulge in rapid rushes, and shoot with lightning speed on goal. The splendid forward which the "golden-haired lad" put up when he was on Queen's University team has won him a name among the hockey players of Canada. Besides being a good "puck chaser," he is one of the speedy wing men on the Granite football team, and played in the championship game against the Tigers of Hamilton. On the bicycle track he has been one of Kingston's fastest riders for years. He has won numerous medals and trophies, and is the champion rider of the Quinte district.

Ho! for the Grand Concert in Bradburn's Opera House to-night. Miss Mabel Chambers, Soprano; Miss Bertha Belasco, Pianiste; Mr. Thos. Dunn, Baritone. Reserved Seats on sale at Stratton's Bookstore. Admission 35 cents and 25 cents.

NORWOOD.

From an Our Own Correspondent.

H. J. Buck has decided to run the rink himself this winter.

F. D. Roxburgh, who is taking up a course at Knox College, spent Thanksgiving at his home.

A. J. Raddon, Peterborough, paid his parents here a visit this week.

Most of the scholars spent Thanksgiving at their homes.

J. D. Richardson is retiring from business and selling his stock at cost.

Miss Roxburgh, who is teaching in Keene, spent Thanksgiving at her home.

A. Steer, of Toronto, and formerly teacher in the High School here, was renewing old acquaintances in town last week.

Capt. Burke, of the London Garrison, was here renewing old acquaintances last week. Capt. Burke was the first editor of the Norwood Register.

The Thanksgiving dinner given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church, was reported a sucess.

The Model School concert is advertised for Friday evening, Dec. 11th. A very interesting programme is being arranged.

There were two false alarms of fire this week, both turning out to be of no consequence.

A new circuit for the street lights is being put in this week.

Putnam's Corn Extractor

Cures in twenty-four hours. This is the testimony of tens of thousands who have used it. Putnam's acts speedily, without pain, and removes corns in twenty-four hours.

THE TARIFF ENQUIRY.

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he had been obliged to sell Canadian canned peaches at 30 cents a dozen less than the usual price, owing to the fact that American canners had crowded the Canadian markets.

W. C. Breckinridge, manager of the Norton Manufacturing Co., requested that no change be made in the duty on raw material, or in the manufactured article in his line of the business, and P. D. Carse expressed himself as satisfied with the present duty of 100 per cent. on can labels, an expression which caused Hon. Mr. Fielding much amusement.

J. C. McKeand, in the interests of E. T. Wright & Co., wire goods manufacturers, thought the duty on tinned wire cloth, which was raw material for the factory, was too high at 30 per cent., while the duty on the goods made from the same material was only 27 1-2 per cent. He said the company would be satisfied with 20 per cent. on tinned wire cloth. He explained that the duty had been put on thus owing to a misunderstanding of the kind of material tinned wire cloth was.

The commissioners arose at 1 o'clock and repaired to the Royal Hotel for luncheon. Subsequently they visited the smelting works as per arrangement.

The Commissioners finished their inquiry in this city this evening, and tomorrow they will give Brantford people a chance to express themselves. The wholesale and retail jewelers, represented by J. E. Parker, Thomas Lees, W. R. Davis, George H. Lees, A. Levy, F. Claringbowl, W. E. Berid, E. K. Fass and E. J. Taylor, asked that the duty be retained on watch cases, and that no duty be placed on diamonds. They were satisfied with the duty of 30 per cent. on electro-plated ware, 25 per cent. on clocks and 30 per cent. on tower clocks. Instead of 16 per cent on watch springs and wheels and 25 per cent. on clock springs and wheels, 25 per cent. on watch cases, they wanted an all-round duty of 10 per cent. To show how difficult it would be to prevent the smuggling of diamonds, if they were made dutiable, A. Levy drew diamonds worth $20,000 from a small parcel in his vest pocket, and threw them down on the table to dazzle the eyes of the commissioners. The jewelers were satisfied with the present tariff generally.

S. O. Greening and C. A. Birge thought wire goods should continue protected, wire cloth at 27 1-2 per cent. and the raw material at 25 per cent. Mr. Birge also wished the tariff on screws to remain as at present, but he would prefer a specific duty thereon.

F. H. Whitton desired no change in the duty on wire, 25 per cent.; nails, $1 per hundred, and a specific duty on tacks.

John Bertram, the veteran Dundas manufacturer, was anxious that no change should be made in the duty of 27 1-2 per cent. on machinery.

D. A. Ghent and George B. Dousell were satisfied with the present duty on clothes wringers, churns, etc., but they did not like the tariff on their raw material.

G. C. Morrison asked to have the duty on the material for hot water boilers for desidences, 15 per cent., taken off. He is the first manufacturer of these goods in Canada.

S. Briggs and M. Eastwood, of the camera section of the Hamilton Association, were promised that the commissioners would see what could be done about allowing lantern slides from the American International Exchange to come free, the slides being for educational and scientific purposes.

R. W. Campbell, this city, S. F. Glass, London, and Fred Charleroft, Brantford, asked to have the present duty on crockery, fire brick, stoneware, etc., retained.

W. G. Dunn wanted the duty on American mustard, 1 per cent., increased to 6 per cent., the same as English mustards. He asked that the Adulteration Act be enforced on goods brought into the country.

J. A. Patterson, Flint, paper manufacturer, suggested a duty of 20 to 30 per cent. on flint papers, etc.

Wm. Dixon, fruit dealer, wanted the duty on malaga grapes placed on packages, so as to obviate the necessity of the packages being opened for Customs purposes. He did not agree with the fruit growers regarding the duty on fruit, stating that he favored reciprocity with the States in fruit.

F. C. Bruce and Robert Evans, seedmen, requested the Government to leave the tariff alone.

James Dunlop suggested that all corn imported should be taxed, otherwise the flour and feed dealers could not resist the temptation to sell free corn for animal food, which latter kind of corn carries a duty of 7 1-2 cents a bushel.

W. O. Sealey appeared on behalf of the farmers, and he thought if the Government could not put a duty on what farmers have to sell it could reduce the tax on what they have to buy.

R. T. Lancefield, librarian, asked that section 780 of the Customs Act be amended, so as to prohibit importation of works of which the copyright is subsisting in the United Kingdom which have also been copyrighted in Canada, but which have been printed out of the United Kingdom.

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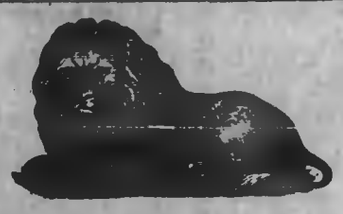
R.  F.

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We propose making December a notable month in our business. November has been a booming month, for, mind you, we laid ourselves out to boom things—not talk, not thunder, not importuning to buy, but a solid boom that brought buyers. Our idea of booming is to put out some inducements that no one can afford to neglect. You will remember our special push for November was in Carpets, Curtains and Housefurnishings. We purpose to push the going out of other lines embracing

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Ospreys, Feathers, Wings, etc. at half price.

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Stylish Mantles, were $10, now $5.
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Ribbons, worth 25c, reduced to 10c.
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FAST ATLANTIC LINE

A Vigorous Letter From Mr. James Huddart.

HE PROTESTS AGAINST THE ALLANS

Getting the Contract, and Says No, If Any One, Should be Allowed to Amend His Tender—Full Details Wanted Before an Imperial Subsidy Will be Granted.

Ottawa, Dec. 3.—(Special.)—Coincident with the visit to Ottawa of J. F. Hogan, M.P., as Mr. Huddart's representative regarding the fast Atlantic steamship contract, it may be stated that the papers presented to Parliament on this subject last session have just been issued. On July 1 Mr. Huddart wrote to the then Minister of Trade and Commerce a strong protest against the contract for the fast line being given to the Messrs. Allan without a reconsideration of the offer made by him.

In the course of his letter Mr. Huddart said: "If any person be allowed to amend their tender, I have the honor to suggest that it would not be unreasonable for me to ask to be that person. I respectfully submit that the object Mr. Chamberlain had in calling for tenders had been reached and that my position has been vindicated. You will have taken note that the offer of the Messrs. Allan is said to be £225,000, which is almost exactly the equivalent in sterling of the amount in dollars which I have asked.

"My conduct during the previous two years in seeking to establish this fast mail service is open to the criticism of Englishmen everywhere. I am informed that if the contract is given to the Messrs. Allan they will go to the public precisely in the same way that I have always proposed to do, and they are not more likely to succeed than I am. In my case there are no conflicting interests. On the contrary, interest leads us to make the greatest possible exertions to succeed on the Atlantic. There are no old ships to be taken over by the proposed new company, and the management would be in the hands of the company itself, as in the case of the Peninsular and Oriental S. S. Company, and not in the hands of other persons, who might make such an arrangement with the company as to secure the managers profitable emoluments, while the shareholders might not be receiving dividends.

"Judging from the letters of the Messrs. Allan, which appeared in The London Times about two years ago, I think it is fair to assume that their hearts are not in the work, and that they have been forced to tender for the service because they believed that if it were left in my hands I should succeed in forming in all respects a suitable company and building the most suitable steamships."

The letter of the Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, dated July 10, 1896, to the Canadian High Commissioner in London, is as follows:

"Respecting the Fast Atlantic Service, I am directed by Mr. Secretary Chamberlain to acquaint you that he is still of opinion that it would be undesirable to take any steps towards definitely accepting the tender of Messrs. Allan until the new Government of the Dominion has been formed.

"Independently of this consideration, however, it would in any case be impossible for Her Majesty's Government to come to any immediate decision on the matter, because, as intimated in my despatch to the Earl of Aberdeen of Nov. 21, 1895, Her Majesty's Government have still to consider the amount of the subsidy to be granted from the Imperial Exchequer, and for that purpose they require to be furnished with all particulars in possession of the Dominion Government, including the form of tender and copies of all tenders, and of any communications in respect to them which may have been received.

"With reference also to your interview with Mr. Chamberlain on the 9th inst., I am able to state that Mr. Chamberlain learns that some changes of an important character have been made in the tender of Messrs. Allan. If that is the case, it is quite possible that questions will arise as to the necessity of calling for fresh tenders, so that all parties may have a fair chance of competing on the altered terms. Information on this point will certainly be required by the Lords' Commissioners of the Treasury in considering the question, and you will see, therefore, that some delay is unavoidable."

The publication of the foregoing correspondence is a timely contribution to the subject, in view of the presence in Ottawa of Mr. Hogan, M.P., who is urging on the Government a reconsideration of Mr. Huddart's offer.

Messrs. Blair and Davies are making their journey out to the Pacific Coast by the Great Northern (Jim Hill's line). They will go as far as Seattle and then cross from that port by the Government steamer Quadra to Victoria. While in Washington State they will run up from Spokane to Rossland to see the wonderful British Columbia mining town. The Ministers have a touch of mining fever, as have many other Eastern men. They will return home via the C. P. R.

The Department of Marine and Fisheries was advised to-day that the crews of the lake cruisers Petrel and Dolphin have been paid off at Owen Sound and the vessels laid up for the winter. The cruiser Curlew has also been laid up at St. John.

There was a lively scrap in the Government patent office yesterday between H. H. Bailey, the examiner, and Mr. Featherstonhaugh, a patent solicitor from Toronto, who has a branch office here. The trouble ended in the representative of the Minister of Agriculture for the time being giving a knock-out blow to the limb of the law. The affair is reported to have happened in this way: Mr. Featherstonhaugh was explaining a patent to Mr. Bailey. The latter threw some doubt upon the statements of the lawyer. Mr. Featherstonhaugh assured Mr. Bailey upon his word of honor as a gentleman that the representations he was making were perfectly accurate. This did not make matters any better, for Mr. Bailey retorted that he was accustomed to hear such remarks, and afterwards they frequently turned out to be unworthy of belief. Mr. Featherstonhaugh insisted on being treated as a gentleman should be by a Government employe. The end of it was a right-hand blow from Mr. Bailey, which blackened the lawyer's face near the eye, and there the matter ended for the time being. Mr. Featherstonhaugh says he will lay the matter before Mr. Fisher.

The Welland Canal will be closed on the 15th inst.

Messrs. Henry and Borthwick have taken suit in the Exchequer Court for $15,000 for extra work in connection with the construction of a drain along the Lachine Canal.

The application of ex-Chief McVeity for a retiring allowance, referred by the City Council to the Police Commissioners, was considered by the latter body to-day. A reply will be sent to the Common Council that as the commissioners have no appropriation for the purpose the application could not be entertained.

Minister Tarte came back from Montreal to-day, and is busy on the preparation of contracts arranged during his absence.

The Sealing Commission will adjourn shortly before Christmas for two or three weeks. They will likely continue in San Francisco.

TARIFF ENQUIRY AT BRANTFORD.

Varying Views of the Business Men—Majority for Protection—Sir Richard Cartwright Not Present.

Brantford, Dec. 3.—Hon. Mr. Paterson and Hon. Mr. Fielding, two of the Tariff Commissioners, opened their inquiry at the Council Chamber this morning. Sir Richard Cartwright was detained in Toronto, and will join the commissioners at London to-morrow.

Mr. H. B. Gardner, cigarmaker, wished an increase of the duty on Havana cigars, which would materially improve the position of the Canadian cigarmaker.

Mr. M. K. Halloran considered it wrong to put a license fee of $75 upon all factories. He wished a graded list according to the number of employes.

Mr. J. E. Waterous, representing the manufacturers, wished no alteration on either raw material or finished article. Any reduction would seriously injure the business.

Mr. John Mann wanted a uniform duty on all coal other than nut.

Mr. Thomas A. Good wanted the duty of $4 per ton on raw iron removed. If they got the duty off iron, the manufacturer could produce a cheaper agricultural machine, and that would be a benefit.

At this point Sir Oliver Mowat came into the room and sat down beside Messrs. Paterson and Fielding.

Mr. Good, continuing, said if the Liberal Government didn't give tariff reform there would be a big kick.

Mr. G. W. Brown spoke for a rearrangement of the duty on slate, blackboard and roof slates. Mr. Joseph Ruddy of the Slingsby Woolen Mills thought the present duty on their goods unnecessarily high.

Mr. Wm. Buck advocated pig iron being free.

Mr. C. H. Waterous thought some discrimination should be made on mining machinery, on which there was no protection.

Messrs. H. Cockshutt and R. H. Verity showed for the plow works that raw material was highly taxed and the manufactured article only slightly protected.

The Canadian Wine Growers' Association asked that the standard of French wines should be reduced from 26 degrees to 16 degrees, the same as Canadian light wines.

The starch makers wished the duty on starch should remain as it is at present.

Mr. H. Yeigh represented the Beekeepers' Association, and asked for a few concessions.

Mr. R. M. Fullerton appeared for the Snowdrift Baking Powder Company. He asked that the duty on spices should be advanced, and that it should be about 25 per cent.

THE FRUIT GROWERS

Listen to the Minister of Agriculture at Kingston.

COLD STORAGE FOR DAIRYMEN

Promised for Next Year—Hon. Mr. Fisher is Open to Suggestions and is Anxious to Extend Trade to the Mother Country—A Very Profitable Meeting.

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 2.—The Ontario Fruit-Growers' Association began its annual session to-day. The display of fruits was choice, rich and varied. The attendance was fair, many parts of the province having representatives. President Pettit presided. Secretary Woolverton, gave the first address, recalling past history and the development of interest in fruit growing. Prof. Shortt of Queen's gave valuable facts in regard to "Gardening in Relation to Civilization." It was largely historical and regarded as an admirable addition to the knowledge possessed by fruiterers.

Prof. Hutt spoke in complimentary terms of the address, and said he was glad to see that nature had been allowed full sweep in Kingston's city park, which is a very beautiful one. More attention should be paid to landscape gardening by farmers and fruit-growers.

Prof. Fowler dwelt in an entertaining way upon "Fertilization of fruit trees and some causes of failure," and among other things remarked that the destruction of birds is a great cause of failure of fertilization. About thirty millions of birds are destroyed in Europe annually that their feathers may be used to ornament ladies' hats. Consequent upon this comes a great increase of insects, that are destructive to crops. He called for the protection of birds.

F. G. H. Pattison, Grimsby; T. H. Race, Mitchell; W. Boulter, Picton; Principal Grant, Kingston; J. L. Haycock, Kingston; discussed over planting. One said the stock of 1897 will be small, compared to that of 1898 and 1900. Another said the difficulty was in getting the stock in good shape to the needed points in Canada.

Various committees were named and the meeting adjourned.

The evening session was well attended. Mayor Elliott, on behalf of the citizens, and T. Briggs for the Kingston Horticultural Society, welcomed the delegates. President Pettit replied. The President read his annual address, advising horticulturists to devote their energies to the improvement of transportation, the opening of new markets and the extension of the field of experiment in spraying fruit trees. H. H. Groff, Simcoe, read a paper on "Cannas and Gladioli." R. B. Whyte, Ottawa, gave an address on "Sweet Peas." I. G. Johnston, Kingston, descanted on the "Amateur's Rose Garden," and Mr. Herrington, Napanee, told how his town has improved since the organization of its horticultural society. Interesting discussions followed the reading of each paper. Prof. Saunders of Ottawa Experimental Farm, R. B. Whyte, Ottawa; T. H. Race, Mitchell; O. G. Johnston, Kingston; R. T. Walkem, Q.C., Kingston; H. H. Groff, Simcoe, and others took part.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

To-day's session of the Ontario Fruit Growers' convention was the most interesting and successful yet held. The papers read were all practical and embodied hints and suggestions of value to fruit growers throughout the Dominion.

W. M. Orr of Fruitland read a paper on "The Results of Spraying," clearly demonstrating the benefit derived from this process.

J. L. Haycock, M.L.A., discoursed on "Small Fruits," specially referring to the industry in Frontenac county.

"Packing and Shipping Apples for the British Market" was the subject of an able paper by R. Wartman, Waupoos.

L. Woolverton, Grimsby, gave a thoughtful and practical address on "Picking and Packing Apples."

Hon. Sidney Fisher, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, accompanied by E. J. B. Pense, Kingston, arrived during the afternoon and addressed the gathering. Hon. Mr. Fisher said that, in his capacity as Minister of Agriculture, the question of cold storage had been repeatedly brought to his attention, and in the interests of the agricultural classes he wished to get all possible information on the subject. He was earnestly desirous of extending and improving the market for Canadian products in Britain. The question arose, in his mind, whether or not cold storage would meet the requirements of fruit-growers and fruit shippers. Next year he proposes to put in operation a system of refrigerator cars to safely convey perishable goods over long distances. He asked: "Would it be advisable to build cold storage warehouses in fruit growing centres, in which to store fruit until it is ready to send to the shipping points?"

"What would be the demands of Ontario fruit-growers in this direction?" Cold storage in the interest of dairy and butter making will be provided next year.

Can fruit-growers use this accommodation in winter, when dairymen and butter-makers do not require it? Next season freight rates will be lower than this year. Will refrigerator car service be needed in winter?

Upon all these points the Minister asked for the opinions of his hearers.

The President appointed L. Woolverton, W. M. Orr, G. E. Fisher, A. M. Pettit and E. D. Smith a committee to draw up and present to Hon. Mr. Fisher a full and complete report containing the information for which he asked.

An interesting discussion followed the address of the Minister, in the course of which it was made apparent that the fruit-growers would be content with the establishment of a refrigerator car system from fruit-growing centres till it has been shown whether or not a paying market for Canadian fruit can be established in Britain. If such a market can be created, they would ask that cold storage be provided at all railway stations in fruit-growing districts.

The officers-elect for the ensuing year are: President, W. E. Wellington, Toronto; Vice-President, W. M. Orr, Fruitland; Directors: H. Jones, Maitland; B. B. White, Ottawa; George Nicolls, Cataraqui; W. Boulter, Picton; Thomas Beall, Lindsay; R. L. Huggard, Whitby; M. Pettit, Winona; A. M. Smith, St. Catharines; J. S. Scarff, Woodstock; L. H. Race, Mitchell; G. C. Caston, Craighurst; A. McNeill, Windsor. Auditors: A. H. Pettit, Grimsby; G. E. Fisher, Burlington.

St. Catharines has asked for the meeting next year. The directors will decide.

Principal Grant of Queen's College presided at the evening session of the Fruit Growers' convention to-night, and made a brief but eloquent address to the delegates, eulogizing Hon. Messrs. Fisher and Dryden, Ministers of Agriculture, in the Dominion and Ontario Houses respectively.

Hon. John Dryden, Ontario Minister of Agriculture, spoke of the great and lasting importance of the work being done by the fruit growers of Ontario. He dwelt upon the possibilities of the fruit growing industry in Canada, and urged his hearers to leave nothing undone to develop it to the fullest perfection, and to ship only the choicest products to the British markets. Better days are coming, he said, for those in authority are realizing more and more that they must foster the interests of agriculture. He would not be satisfied until Hon. Mr. Fisher had taken steps to investigate the allegations made against employes of railway and steamship lines that they damage Canadian fruits in transportation through handling. Independent united action on the part of the producers was strongly urged. Fruit growers should strive for a good reputation in Britain for Canadian products. Canadian cheese has already such a reputation, and he would do all he could to maintain it.

Boils

It is often difficult to convince people their blood is impure, until dreadful carbuncles, abscesses, boils, scrofula or salt rheum, are painful proof of the fact. It is wisdom now, or whenever there is any indication of

Impure

blood, to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and prevent such eruptions and suffering.

"I had a dreadful carbuncle abscess, red, fiery, fierce and sore. The doctor attended me over seven weeks. When the abscess broke, the pains were terrible, and I thought I should not live through it. I heard and read so much about Hood's Sarsaparilla, that I decided to take it, and my husband, who was suffering with boils, took it also. It soon purified our

Blood

built me up and restored my health so that, although the doctor said I would not be able to work hard, I have since done the work for 20 people. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured my husband of the boils, and we regard it a wonderful medicine." MRS. ANNA PETERSON, Latimer, Kansas.

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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1896.

SIR ADOLPHE AND SIR ADOLPHE.

Sir Adolphe Caron has on more than one occasion recently given the public his opinion of the Manitoba compromise. In doing so he has left no one under any misapprehension as to his attitude toward it. He has announced his intention to do all he can to prevent it from being accepted by the French people both in Manitoba and in Quebec, but especially the latter. Personally he is without any influence in Manitoba, but he has no doubt some following left to him in his own Province, and through it he proposes to carry on his unpatriotic work of inciting a war of races and religion.

The statement has been published, and not contradicted, that Sir Adolphe Chapleau has expressed his approval of the compromise as being the best that any one could have secured for the French Catholic minority in the face of the Privy Council's judgment affirming the validity of the Manitoba School Act of 1890. Sir Adolphe is not now in political life, but he is still with a large proportion of the French Conservatives an authority on political questions. It is fortunate for Manitoba, and doubly fortunate for Quebec, that he has taken this attitude at this crisis.

Sir Adolphe Caron in adopting the line he has undertaken to follow, displays the delightful recklessness and audacity which have made him one of the most picturesque figures in Canadian political life. He makes no pretensions to either patriotism or political virtue, and he assumes that neither of them would add to his influence over his compatriots. He is in this respect unique. He imitates no predecessor and, fortunately, no successor. In spite of his charming abandon, he has all but extinguished himself, however, and it is not at all likely that his opposition to the compromise will galvanize him into life. He is virtually dead now, and he must, if he wishes to redeem himself, resort to some more effective means than a crusade against public schools in Manitoba. He will have, after the manner of Falstaff, and politically speaking, to "purge and leave sack, and live cleanly," as a statesman should do.

Sir Adolphe Chapleau has his faults, and his political career has been marred by offences against political morality, but he has always been recognized as the successor of Sir George Cartier in the leadership of the Gallican Conservatives, as Mr. Laurier is the successor of Sir Antoine Dorion in that of French Liberals. These are the two branches of the French patriotic party built up by Papineau, of whom Sir George Cartier was so ardent a partizan that a price was once set on his head as a rebel. Any co-operation of Sir Adolphe Chapleau and Mr. Laurier is likely to prove too strong to be broken up by the assaults of a discredited and played-out politician of the stamp of Sir Adolphe Caron.

The present unrepentant and defiant attitude of the latter should suffice to secure during the coming session a complete exposure of his record as a boodler. Mr. Mulock is letting light in on his maladministration of the post office; Dr. Borden is doing the same with his mismanagement of the militia. If Sir Richard cares to tell Parliament all he knows about matters coming within the scope of trade and commerce, Sir Adolphe will never again play with sectarian dynamite, as he proposes to do in the by-election in Stormont.

THE Canadian Furniture and Upholstering journal thus refers to the Tariff Commission: "Of course there are anomalies which should be adjusted, and the conference in progress with the various trades will help the ministers to a better appreciation of these. In fact, the whole procedure is a most sensible and business-like way of familiarizing those at the head of affairs with the requirements of the country."

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LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. S. Ridpath, of Kirkfield, spent Thanksgiving with his mother.

Miss K. Atwood returned home from Kingston.

Mr. W. W. Grant spent Sunday in the village.

Mr. Charles Clarin, of Toronto, spent Thanksgiving Day in the village.

Mr. C. Atwood went to Kingston to spend Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. W. Kent, of Port Hope, was here on Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Ella Bronson, of Toronto, is visiting friends.

Rev. A. R. McDonald preached his farewell sermon in the Baptist church on Sunday evening, and left here on Tuesday for Hespler, his new field of labour.

Mr. Wm. Ridpath, of Otonabee, was in the village on Tuesday.

Mr. R. W. Dixon, who spent the summer at Brandon, Manitoba, returned home this week.

Mr. William Young, who has spent the last two years at Poplar Point, Manitoba returned home last week on a visit to his mother.

Mr. L. G. Steele was in Verulam last week visiting his brother.

Mrs. J. H. Moore, of Havelock, spent this week visiting her father, Mr. S. Cox, of Douro.

Mr. Albert Jory, of Newdale, Manitoba, is home visiting his father, Mr. Jas. Jory.

Mr. W. H. Casement has signified his intention to stand as a candidate for the county council, No. 5 Division.

Mr. William Baptie, who was brought down from Rosedale last week, where he had been working on the dredge, died here on Tuesday night. He leaves a wife, who has the sympathy of the community.

Mr. James Campbell, who works in Messrs. J. F. Lillicrap & Co's planing mill, while working at the jointer had the misfortune to lose the tops of the first two fingers of his right hand. He will probably be laid up for a few weeks while his fingers are healing.

Mr. Patterson of Cornwall is foreman over a gang of men who are engaged in building a dry wall on the embankment of the canal near Katherine street.

Mr. Arthur Wood is busy getting the rink in good order for the season, and if the recent cold weather continues will likely have skating for Saturday.

The Girls' Guild of St. John's church will hold a sale of fancy work at the residence of Mrs. Tate on Thursday afternoon of next week. An admission fee of ten cents will be charged, entitling also to refreshments.

The diphtheria patients here are all doing well, the disease having been confined to two families. No new cases are reported and it is thought all danger is past owing to the prompt measures taken by the Board of Health.

The Bank of Jas. Linton & Co. have issued cards to the effect that they will be closed to the public after 4 p.m. daily.

Have you read in this issue the bargains R. Graham & Son are offering for December. They are all worthy your consideration, and they will try and suit your pockets.

Court Lakefield, No. 43, C.O.F., meets in their hall this (Thursday) evening, Dec. 3rd. It is expected there will be an initiation.

Barseford, L.O.L., No. 138, meets in the Orange Hall next Monday evening. Election of officers.

On Thursday evening of next week, Munro Camp, No. 150, S.O.S., will meet in the Orange hall. The election of officers will take place.

Clementi Lodge, A. F. and A. M., No. 313, met in their hall on Queen street on Tuesday evening, and elected the following officers:

	Bro J Edward	I P M
	" R J Munro	W M
	" Albert Hill	S W
	" W M Graham	J W
W	" R Graham	Chaplain
	" R Q Dench	Secretary
W	" W H Casement	Treasurer
	" C Boyce	I G
	" E A Tanner & J W Ridpath	Auditors
W	" F R S Barlee	Tyler

MILLBROOK.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Miss Wade, of Orillia, is visiting Miss Wood.

The Misses Melville, of Peterborough spent Thanksgiving in town, the guests of Miss May Duncan.

The Rev. N. Harris, of Beaverton, who has been lecturing in Millbrook and vicinity, and who has been the guest of Rev. N. Phelps, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. (Dr.) Burrows, Lindsay, has been visiting friends in town.

Miss Savigny, of Otonabee, is visiting Miss Anna Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Elliott, of Beaverton, are visiting the latter's father, Postmaster Vance.

Miss Ollie Richards, Port Hope, who has been visiting friends in town, returned home on Saturday.

Miss Alma McCallum, of Peterborough, spent Thanksgiving in town, the guest of the Misses Fair.

The Foresters have engaged Miss Jessie Alexander to give a recital in the town hall on the evening of Dec. 12th.

Miss Louise Mulligan, who has been visiting friends in Toronto, returned home.

The Bell Telephone Company are putting up a line between here and Bailieboro.

The Green Concert Company is giving entertainments in the town hall.

Mrs. James Clarke, of Campbellford, was in town last week, the guest of Mr. Wm. Archer.

YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The roads were in a bad condition all week, but they are getting good once more owing to so much traffic.

Thanksgiving passed off very quietly in the village here, owing to the roads being in such a bad state.

Mr. Andrew Wilson, of the Young's Point cheese factory, held an oyster supper and ball on Wednesday, December 2nd. A report of the supper will appear in next week's issue.

"Jack Frost" has come once more, as the boys are skating on the pond here. The young gentlemen of this place should organize a club and keep the snow clear of the ice for the winter. Skating is good exercise and besides would pass the evenings pleasantly.

Mr. Harry Andrews, our school teacher, spent Thanksgiving at his home, Norwood.

Mr. P. P. Young, proprietor of the steamer Mary Ellen, took his boat out of the water this week. She is in dock above the locks and Mr. Hickey, of Port Hope, is giving it a thorough overhauling.

Farmers have stopped ploughing at last, and I think it about time They ploughed here as late in the season as 28th of November.

Mr. Richard Heard, sr., of Smith, had a runaway Monday evening. His team while standing outside the blacksmith shop, became frightened and started away. The wagon was broken and left near the bridge here, the horses running to Lakefield, then out to Smith to Mr. Heard's home. He found them Tuesday morning in his own yard, but the harness was missing.

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TO-DAY WILL DECIDE

Whether Mrs. Olive A. Sternaman Shall be Send to Canada for Trial or be Set Free.

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 3.—Commissioner Fairchild, the committing magistrate, who has under consideration the extradition of Olive A. Sternaman, accused of murdering her husband, George H. Sternaman, will not render an opinion on the case further than stating whether or not he will hold the prisoner for extradition, so his decision will not be longer than one sentence. To-morrow morning at 10 o'clock he will either discharge the prisoner in so many words or else remand her for extradition and pass the papers on to Washington without further comment than that he believes it to be a proper case for the surrender of the prisoner to the Canadian Government.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

Mr. Chas. Smith, Dawn Mills, Ont., says: "For several years I was troubled with pains in my limbs, which continued getting worse until I thought I would have to quit work. In fact the pains were so severe that I could not rest nights. I took one box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills and am perfectly cured.'

Although it is nearly a year since Mr. S. took the Pills he has had no return of the pains, and feels splendid. Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, Druggist.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentry, Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. Never travel without it. Price 35c.

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LATEST CABLE NEWS

Imperial Unity Idea Discussed In London.

ITALIANS AMBUSHED AND KILLED

Great Britain Will Pay the Expenses of the Dongola Expedition—Cardinals Receive Their Red Hats From the Pope—Hamburg Strikers Decline to Arbitrate.

London, Dec. 3.—The Duke of Devonshire, in a speech before the British Empire League to-day, said that the idea of Imperial unity was progressing in some of the colonies as a practical movement, though those engaged in the movement were in some degree disappointed. Lord Salisbury and Mr. Chamberlain, he said, were in sympathy with the idea, but probably the time had not yet arrived to settle the proposals of the Ottawa conference. Still, the developments were tending toward unification.

The Duke of Devonshire, in the course of his remarks, said that the Colonial Defence Committee, consisting of representatives of the War, Colonial and Admiralty Offices, had desired him to make public to colonial citizens the principles upon which the plans of the Colonial Defence Committee were based. He proceeded to explain that the plans consisted of the maintenance of Great Britain's supremacy at sea upon the basis of a system of Imperial defence against attack from sea at all places likely to be attacked. The committee, he added, would advocate the creation of adequate fixed defences and troops sufficient to cope with any possible enemy.

Mr. R. R. Dobell moved that the meeting proceed to the election of officers of the league for the ensuing year, and the motion was carried. The Marquis of Hartington was elected president, Mr. A. J. Balfour and the Marquis of Dufferin were among the vice-presidents chosen, and R. R. Dobell, J. M. Macdonald, Sir Donald A. Smith and Sir Charles Tupper were chosen among others as members of the council. All of the elections were unanimous.

Mr. Dobell delivered a speech, in which he said that Great Britain stood in the glorious position of having discarded all attempts at a retaliatory policy. Canada, he declared, was second to none of the colonies in her loyalty to England. Canada admired the wonderful success of the United States, but had a greater admiration for the forbearance and generosity which this country has shown towards the United States for the last twenty-five years. There was great reason to hope, he said, that these sentiments had not been thrown away, and the time was coming when the United States would appreciate them.

The Duke of Devonshire said that the merchants of London might suggest the means of establishing better understanding between the Home Government and the colonies. Through the agency of the league great progress had been made in recent years for colonial defence. The colonies knew exactly what the Government would undertake in case of an attack, and also what would be expected of themselves. The Government attached the greatest importance to the renewal in some form or other of naval arrangements with Australia-Asia. He hoped that the time would soon come when another conference would be held to reconsider that arrangement, and extend it to the other colonies, and also expressed a hope that the opportunity would then be taken to reopen the discussion of the whole question of colonial defence. The Lord Mayor, who presided, said that the most fitting manner in which to celebrate the sixtieth anniversary of the reign of Queen Victoria would be to lay at the feet of the First Lady of the world a great scheme for the absolute and perfect unity of the British Empire. (Great cheering.)

Referring to Prof. Goldwin Smith's statement that the ultimate goal of Canada was its absorption by the United States, Mr. Dobell said he believed that if Imperial Federation was effected it might be possible to absorb the United States, and he continued: "I am sure that every part of the empire will welcome back the wandering child."

Sir Charles Tupper spoke of the profound belief felt in Canada and by himself in the work and aims of the league, and referring to the statement of the Duke of Devonshire that it was the duty of the colonies to provide for the adequate defence, Sir Charles declared that no people in the whole empire were readier than the Canadians to contribute to the defence of the empire.

FOURTEEN ITALIANS KILLED.

King Humbert's Consul and a Number of Officers Ambushed By Somalis.

Rome, Dec. 3.—Advices from Zanzibar tell of the massacre of Signor Cechi, the Italian Consul, and the Italian officers with him at Magadoxo, Somaliland. It is stated that fourteen Italians were killed. The caravan was attacked during the night by the Somalis. The latter were repulsed at first, but rallied later, and continually attacked the retreating caravan. The Italians and their escorts of Askaris fought desperately, but were eventually overpowered.

So soon as the news of the fighting reached Mogadoxo a detachment of sailors and a force of Askaris were sent to the assistance of the caravan, but they arrived too late to save the Italians. The rescue party recovered 27 bodies and arrested many Somali tribesmen who took part in the massacre. These prisoners were punished in an exemplary manner.

In the Chamber of Deputies to-day the Marquis Viscount Venosti, Minister of Foreign Affairs, confirmed the reports received from Zanzibar of the murder of the Italian Consul, the captain and a number of other officers of the Italian warships Volturno and Staffetta, and the wounding of a hundred or more other Italians by Somalis at Magadoxo. The men had fallen into an ambush and were caught without warning. The Government, the Minister said, would take energetic measures to punish the Somalis who were guilty of the outrage.

GOT THEIR RED HATS.

An Interesting Ceremony in the Throne Hall of the Vatican—The Consistory.

Rome, Dec. 3.—A public consistory was held in the throne hall of the Vatican to-day, the ceremonies beginning at 10 o'clock. The hall was thronged as the Pope entered, His Holiness being borne aloft in the sedia gestatoria. As he appeared in the hall the entire assembly fell upon their knees. After the Pope took his seat upon the throne a brief service was held, which was followed by the distribution of red hats to the recently appointed Cardinals. The bestowal of the hats was made by the Pope himself. Cardinal Satolli, recently papal delegate to the Catholic Church in the United States, was the first one to receive the hat, and after him came Cardinals Ferrata, Agliardi, Jacobini, Cretoni, Pierotti and Prisco.

After the ceremonies were over the new Cardinals went to the Sistine chapel, and the Pope retired from the hall in the manner in which he entered. As His Holiness was raised aloft he was saluted with cries "Viva Pope and King."

Among the appointments of new Bishops announced at the consistory was that of the Rev. Edward J. O'Dea of Portland, Ore., to be Bishop of Nasqually, Ore.

In the published announcements of the proceedings of the Papal Consistory at the Vatican to-day it is stated that Rev. E. T. Prendergast of Philadelphia has been appointed Titular Bishop of Scillio, and Mgr. Martinelli papal delegate to the United States has been confirmed in the rank and title of Archbishop of Ephesus. The vacancies in the Sacred Congregations of the Propaganda, studies, index and lauretane have been assigned to Cardinal Satolli.

BRITAIN WILL PAY THE BILL.

The Half Million Pounds Required for the Expedition to Dongola.

London, Dec. 3.—Commenting on the decision of the Alexandria Court, The Times says it thinks the decision of the Court of Appeal leaves things in statu quo, but that if Great Britain has to pay for Dongola the latter will be hers instead of Egypt's. The opposition papers to-day will attack Lord Salisbury for having muddled the Egyptian situation.

Britain Will Pay.

Cairo, Dec. 3.—As a result of the decision of the Court of Appeal at Alexandria sustaining the judgment of the Egyptian mixed tribunal declaring that the money taken from the Egyptian reserve for the purpose of the Soudan expedition must be returned, Lord Cromer, British diplomatic agent, has informed the Egyptian Government that England will repay to the commissioners of the Caisse the £500,000 advanced by them, together with such other sums to the Egyptian treasury as were required for the purposes of the Dongola expedition. The conditions of the amount of interest and the repayment of the principal are to be settled hereafter.

THE HAMBURG STRIKE.

At Bremen the Trouble is Over—Hamburgers Refuse Arbitration.

Bremen, Dec. 3.—The strikers to-day adopted an agreement concluded with the warehouse company and a committee of the strikers for the settlement of the dispute, and the strike here is over.

Hamburgers are Obstinate

Hamburg, Dec. 3.—The Employers' Association has written a long letter to Senator Hachman justifying their refusal to arbitrate on the ground that the strikers are failing to receive foreign aid and are becoming weaker, while the work at the port is being performed by foreign dockers who are continually arriving and are glad to work for the wages offered. A patched-up compromise would only lead to further disputes, "for," they said, "it is not a fight about wages, but as for supremacy." Finally, they object to an Arbitration Court comprising one representative of the employers and four representatives of the strikers.

Support From England.

London, Dec. 3.—The leaders of the London dock laborers declare they have received telegrams from Hamburg informing them that a large majority of the English non-union laborers who went to Hamburg to take the place of strikers are refusing to unload vessels and are returning to England. The London Dockmen's Union is subscribing one shilling a week per man for the support of the Hamburg strikers.

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Ladies' Underskirts.....were $2.00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts.....were $3.50, now 2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves.....were $0.75, now $ 60
Lacing Gloves.....were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Frères, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour d.....were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Frères, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and colours!.....were $1.25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves ....were $1.25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Vellings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose.....were 20c, now 20c
Higher Grades at Cost.
Heavy Wool Hose.....were 20c, now 15c
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To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Sleet or Rain.

Increasing south-east to south-west winds; mostly fair at first, then local falls of sleet or rain; rising temperature.

Card of Thanks.

The members of the D.O.E. desire to express their hearty thanks on behalf of those who so kindly contributed to the success of their entertainment, held on Nov. 19, by their singing, etc., which was very much appreciated by all present.

Farmers' Institute—East Riding.

The Farmers' Institute meeting in East Peterborough will be held in Norwood on December 18th and in Keene on the 22nd. Supplementry meetings will be held in Warsaw on Jan'y 28th and in Westwood on Jan'y 29th.

Nature's Best Gift.

Wheat is one of nature's best gifts to man. Shredded whole wheat contains every part of the wheat, therefore it is the healthiest and most digestable article of food that can be used. Try shredded whole wheat. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. 2d

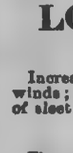
Patronize Home Manufacture.

Always ask for Calcutta Ale and Porter and keep the money in town. Sold by all first-class houses. When you spend your money in his manufacture you are sure that it will remain in town and pass around. If you drink outside manufactures the money is sent out of town and lost forever. 30d121

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5.75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 220 Charlotte street. Telephone, 208.

Otonabee Lodge I.O.O.F. Anniversary.



The annual anniversary entertainment of Otonabee Lodge, I.O.O.F., will be held in their hall, corner of George and Hunter streets, on Monday evening, Dec. 7th. An interesting programme of vocal and instrumental music by some of the best local talent will be provided, to be followed by the usual social and refreshments. 4d130

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 437 George street.

Runaway Accident.

A resident of Pontypool was in town this afternoon, and his horse became frightened at the street car on Charlotte street. It got beyond the control of its driver, and in attempting to jump up on the high sidewalk on George street, opposite the arcade, the shaft caught in the planking and completely stripped the animal of its harness. The horse was caught on the market square.

The Busy Store.

Some merchants would have the public believe that the big sale at Routley's was only a "fake" sale, and that they can sell just as cheap. I might just say here that I have always paid a hundred cents on the dollar during my twenty years of business, and that my goods have been bought, and are now being sold at less prices than others can buy them. Yet it will last only a few weeks longer, as I am positively retiring from the retail business, and would like all who owe me accounts to call and settle before January 1st, 1897. C. B. ROUTLEY.

LAST NIGHT'S CONCERT.

A Programme of Unusual Merit Presented to a Musical Audience.

A very select audience assembled at the Bradburn Opera House last evening on the occasion of the Chambers-Belasco concert. Almost all of those present were prominently identified with local musical circles and the young artists have reason to be proud of the attention which they aroused and the favourable comments which were heard on every side.

Naturally the greater interest centered around Miss Chambers on account of having lived in Peterborough prior to going abroad to study. Last evening she proved herself to be possessed of a strong, clear, well modulated voice, which in the softer high notes was infinitely pleasing, these being taken with rare accuracy and delightful ease. Her first number was a double one, being Chaminade's "Silver Ring" and Bishop's "Love has eyes." Each demanded intricate phrasing of a widely different character, but both were given in a manner indicative of the care which has been bestowed on the young artist's musical development. Haydn's difficult aria, "With Verdure Clad," was then undertaken, and though a very heavy number the cadenzas were handled with creditable ease.

Miss Bertha Belasco's pianofore numbers were characterized by a brilliancy of execution and delicacy of touch which bespoke careful study combined with great natural aptitude. Chopin's "Cradle Song," with its plaintive refrain, and Moszkowski's "The Guitar" were two selections which gave her ample opportunity of displaying her versatality.

Mr. Thos. Dunn gave Mark's rollicking sea song, "King of the Main," with a swing which carried the audience with him, his fine baritone voice being heard to particular advantage in this selection, though no less pleasing was his rendition of Ed. St. Quentin's "Conquered." One great beauty in Mr. Dunn's voice is its trueness. The most sensitive critic can never complain of the nerves being rasped by a tone falling flat, and therefore his name on a programme is always received with pleasure.

The last number on the programme was a duet by Miss Chambers and Mr. Dunn. The selection chosen was "Holy Mother Guide her Footsteps," from the opera "Mrritina," and the two voices blended most harmoniously in this grand old song.

During the evening Mrs. Dunn took the accompaniments in her usual satisfactory manner.

The fine pianoforte used on the occasion was a Williams, furnished by Mr. T. Dunn.

DEATH OF WILLIAM BAPTIE.

A Well Known Resident of Lakefield Passes Away.

The death of William Baptie, aged 54 years, took place at his residence in Lakefield on Tuesday, December 1st, and interment took place yesterday in the Lakefield cemetery.

The deceased was born deaf and dumb, but was very intelligent and industrious. He was educated in Toronto and Hamilton by the late Prof. J. B. McGann, who at one time visited Peterborough with a number of his pupils.

Mr. Baptie was well known in Lakefield and the surrounding country, as well as in Peterborough, having resided in the village nearly all his life.

He has recently been engaged working on the government dredge at Rosedale, his wife being the cook on the boat. He took ill some six weeks ago and suffered a great deal before his death, being afflicted with cirrhosis of the liver.

He leaves a widow to mourn his death. She was formerly Miss Elisabeth Barrie, of Dummer. His brothers were Peter, contractor, of Lakefield; James, farmer, of Smith; Walter, of Washington Territory, and Douglas, confectioner, of Peterborough. He also leaves one sister, Miss Agnes Baptie. The deceased owned a most comfortable home in Lakefield. He was handy at almost anything he laid his hand to, being a good carpenter and cabinetmaker. He carried on a confectionery business in Lakefield and was formerly in business in Peterborough with his brother Douglas, occupying the store next the Charlotte street rink.

He was a Presbyterian in religion and was the librarian in the Lakefield church. In politics he was a Reformer.

Genial, kind hearted Willie Baptie will be greatly missed by the entire community.

PERSONAL

Mr. G. Walter Green was in Omemee yesterday on business.

Miss Olive Beatty has returned to Omemee after visiting friends in town.

Mr. A. F. Stevenson, of Niagara Falls, is visiting his brother, Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Downie street.

Mr. Burgess, of the head office of the Ontario Bank, is relieving at local branch for a few days.

Mr. Douglas Thom, son of Rev. Mr. Thom, formerly of Ashburnham, is lying seriously ill in Toronto.

Miss Thornton, of Omemee, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Kincaid, Harvey street, has returned home.

Rev. A. T. Dykeman, the new pastor of the Baptist church, arrived in town, Wednesday, with his wife and daughter from Nova Scotia, and has moved into the residence of Mr. R. A. Hamilton, No. 39 Harvey street. Mr. Hamilton and his family have taken up their residence at No. 495 Aylmer street.

Electric Lamps.

China Hall has a full assortment—4, 6, 10, 16 and 32 candle power—at lowest prices

Madill's Compound Healing Salve for burns, scalds, frost bites, or sores of and kind.

Big cut in Single Breasted Walking Coats that Were $5 to $6.50, for $2.98 at Crafton & Co's.

Lots of Timber Still Standing.

According to a statement made by Mr. John Burns, one of the oldest and best posted men on the lumbering industries of the North Hastings district, the Rathbun Co. have still standing in the townships of Grimsthorpe and Anglesea over 200,000,000 feet of white pine lumber and 2,000,000 of hemlock as well as a large amount of cedar. He also says that at the rate at which it is now being cut, the lumber in these townships will last some sixteen years yet. Mr. Burns has spent nearly all his life lumbering in these townships and should know whereof he speaks.

The "Canadian Almanac" Jubilee Issue.

This sterling publication, regularly for the past fifty years has made its appearance, and has been recognized as a national Canadian institution. This year it comes again as a veritable cyclopædia of useful information of great value, especially for reference. Its size has been increased to 334 pages, and it has several new features, including a short history of Canada giving in chronological sequence statements of the principal events, a historical diary of the years 1896-6, and an interesting article on the "King's Loyalists." The regular departments are replete as usual with full clergy, militia, Provincial and Dominion Government lists, as well as municipal and educational lists. The usual statistics and astronomical calculations are given, and also portraits of important public personages and buildings. The same old "Canadian Almanac," only better, and at the same old price. This excellent work is published by the Copp, Clark Co., Ltd., Toronto. To be found at the Peterborough Bookstore. Price, 20 cents, paper, 25 cents cloth.

CRUSHED BY THE CARS.

Particulars Concerning the Sudden Death of Mr. John Fitzpatrick.

The following farther particulars have been learned concerning the recent death of Mr. John Fitzpatrick, brother of Rev. Father Fitzpatrick of the Cathedral clergy staff.

Mr. Fitzpatrick had been employed at Mt. Pleasant, Michigan, for nearly two years as a section foreman, and it seems that at the time of the accident he was engaged in spreading gravel in the yard, when a shunting engine unexpectedly struck a car which was standing on the track close beside him and set it in motion. In trying to get out of the way of it he caught his foot in the frog and fell lengthways with the rails and the wheels passed along his leg, crushing and lacerating the flesh horribly. The company's surgeon was summoned and did all in his power to relieve his sufferings, but held out very slight hopes of his recovery. His brother, Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, of Peterborough, left for Mount Pleasant on Sunday and on arriving there sent a message stating there was some hopes of saving his life, but on Tuesday morning the friends here received another message announcing his death.

Deceased was about 38 years of age and leaves a wife and one child, a boy about three years of age. His wife is a daughter of Mr. Edward English of Asphodel.

The remains arrived in Norwood on Wednesday and the funeral took place Thursday morning from his father's residence to the R. C. Cemetery, Asphodel.

Mass was celebrated at Norwood by Rev. Father Conway, who also preached the sermon. Rev. Father Connelly, of Hastings and Rev. Fathers Fitzpatrick and Scanlan, of Peterborough, were present.

Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family and friends.

ST. LUKE'S ANNUAL TEA.

As Usual it was Attended, last Evening, With Great Success.

The annual tea and sale of work of St. Luke's church was held in the schoolhouse last night and as usual proved a very successful event. From about 5.30 to 8.00 o'clock the tables, which were in charge of the members of the Young Women's Chapter of the Guild, were well-filled with guests who thoroughly appreciated the excellent fare set before them. The Ladies' Aid, one of the oldest institutions of the church, the Women's Auxiliary and the Young Women's Chapter all had work tables whose useful and ornamental articles found ready sale. For the children there was a candy table by Miss Gwendoline Meade, and Miss Calcutt and her allies furnished much amusement with the Jack-in-the-box. The utmost sociability prevailed throughout the evening and the following programme was given in an informal manner:

Instrumental.....Mrs Peck Reed
Song, "Boys of the Old Brigade"...Rev Baynes Reed
Song, "The Song That Reached my Heart..Mr Wesley Edwards
Mouthorgan duet....Sidney Tivey and Robert Long
Dialogue, "From Down East".....Messrs. G Pratley and V LeBar, and Misses Carter, Campbell and McLennan

The dialogue was a good one and well rendered by the performers. At its close the audience heartily united in singing "Auld Lang Syne," and "God Save the Queen."

Mr. David Spence will give his excellent lecture on "Bells" in the school house next Tuesday evening. The lecture is illustrated with models, and selections on a set of tubular chimes will be given. There will be a silver collection at the door.

SELWYN LITERARY SOCIETY.

The Usual Regular Meeting and Interesting Programme.

The regular meeting of the Selwyn Literary Society was held in the Temperance Hall on Nov. 27th. The meeting was opened at the usual hour, the President in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed, after which the following programme was rendered:

Chorus.....Glee club
Critic's paper.....Mr J Roberts
Reading.....Miss A Middleton
Solo.....Mrs F McKee
Debate..Messrs A McIlmoyle and B Manning vs A Walton and M Bell
Dialogue.....Seven boys
Reading.....Mr F McKee
Song.....Messrs Clifford and Walton
Speech.....Mr H Pearson
Song.....Mr H McConkey
Instrumental music.....J Houlihan
Paper.....Editor
Chorus.....Glee club
God save the Queen.

After the programme the election of officers for the ensuing month was held and resulted as follows:

President—Mr. E. McIlmoyl.
Vice-Pres.—Miss Middleton.
Secretary—Mrs. J. M. Roberts.
Guard—Ms. J. H. Sanderson.
Editor—Mr. W. Tindal.

Mr. Pearson was then appointed critic for the next meeting, after which the meeting was closed.

CHEESE AND BUTTER EXPORT.

An Improvement in Both Branches of These Industries.

The cheese exports from the port of Montreal for the season of 1896, show that the total shipments, reached 1,726,286 boxes, as against 1,710,756 in 1895, an increase for 1896 of 15,529 boxes. This represents a return of about $11,652,009 for this year, the prices netted being generally 75c more, or averaging $6.75 per box, equal to a surplus of about a million and a half of dollars over 1895, when the figures were $10,260,000. It is estimated again that as it costs possibly 25c per box to receive and ship cheese from Montreal, that this turnover involved a further half million dollars, and hence the disbursements on cheese this year total some $12,000,000, which, spread over the six working months of the season, gives $2,000,000 a month.

The butter exports to same date total 157,321 pkgs. as against 69,664 pkgs. in 1895, and 33,065 pkgs. in 1894, showing that this branch of produce export trade has more than doubled last year's showing, and is five times greater than the volume of 1894. The returns to the farmer from the largely increased butter business are in the neighbourhood of two million dollars, as much again as he earned in 1895, and the future looks particularly promising in view of the fact that Canadian butter can now be considered to have established itself in England, and there is a market there for quite $40,000,000 worth.

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Manicure Sets,
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All the Annuals for 1897.
All the Illustrated Christmas Papers,
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Any of the Standard Works in Sets,
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Hand, Table and Dressing Mirrors,
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NEWS NUGGETS.

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—Curling is in full swing in Lindsay.

—Henry Hanlan, a vagrant, was sent up to gaol for four months this morning. He was anxious for a home for the winter.

—The government has been asked to subsidize a line of railway, the Belleville and Nipissing, from Belleville up to Tweed, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

—Wild geese were seen flying southward last week, an evidence that the weather is getting uncomfortable for them in the northern regions. They usually take to flight about this time of the year.

—It seems to be a productive year for foxes, as a great many have been seen in this locality and hunters are living in anticipation of good sport. There is also a great number of rabbits, some swamps being overrun with them.

See the Grey Persian Lamb Caps for Boys at $1.98 at Crafton & Co's.

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TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to **Tuesday, Dec. 8th.** at 10 a. m., for the

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of W. G. Emmerson, Grocer, Ashburnham.

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The Elgin B. W. Raymond,
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10 doz White and Coloured Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, were 25c, sale price 15c.
20 doz Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, sale price 10c.

HOSIERY.

25 pair Heavy Wool Hose, sale price 15c.
25 doz pair Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Hose, sale price 25c.
Boy's Heavy Ribbed Wool Hose, sale price 25c.

UNDERWEAR.

10 doz Men's Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, sale price 50c.
10 doz Men's Heavy Wool Shirts and Drawers, sale price 75c.
5 doz Ladies' Vests and Drawers, special price 25c.
3 doz Vests. All wool, were $1.10, reduced to 75c.
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25 Night Gowns, sale price 50c.

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200 yds Tweed and Plaid Dress Goods, were 25c, reduced to 15c.
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100 yds All wool and Wool and Silk Dress Goods, were 75c, reduced to 50c.
25 per cent. off all our Dress Lengths.

SILKS.

200 yds China Silk, reduced to 20c.
200 Remnants Black and Coloured Silks for Blouses reduced.

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200 yds Double Satin Ribbon, 10c quality, sale price 5c.
300 yds 2-inch Double Satin Ribbon, sale price 3c.

GLOVES.

100 pairs Perrin's Guaranteed Gloves, were $1.25, reduced to 75c.
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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Jackson Appeal.

A meeting of the Committee of the whole Council is called for this evening to again discuss the advisability of appealing against the judgment in the case of Jackson vs. Peterborough.

Fell Off the Bridge.

Some boys found an old man named Humber floundering in the creek near the Protestant Home bridge last night. When rescued he was hardly recognizable on account of the blood which streamed from his face. He had apparently fallen from the bridge.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on and after this date the partnership heretofore existing between dyspepsia and poor groceries will be dissolved. There will be no more dyspepsia or disagreeable feeling after meals if your groceries are procured from R. Brown & Co., 304 George street, direct importers of groceries wines and liquors.

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Crossley and Hunter.

A letter from the east states that Crossley and Hunter are having their usual success in their evangelistic meetings in the Eastern Provinces. In Dartmouth, N.S., there was an extensive work, where 484 avowed decision for Christ. In Canning, N.S., the meetings were held in a large rink and hundreds thronged from the Cornwall Valley, making a congregation of from 900 to 1,800 nearly every fine night. The meetings were held for four weeks, and 462 gave their names to the secretary confessing to begin a Christian life, of whom nearly 100 more were men and boys than women and girls. The evangelists are now in the Presbyterian town of Sydney, B.C., where a good work has begun.

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The Report on the Standing of the Pupils for the Month of November, 1896.

FORM IV.

Seniors—Number of marks obtainable, 880—A. Crowley, 680; M. Sherbineau, 678; K. Driscoll, 670; E. Primeau, 652; F. Corkery, 652; M. Sullivan, 635; S. Wyer, 630; E. Kelly, 627; A. Watson, 620; T. Watson, 617; A. Picard, 615; N. Lynch, 609; A. Mercier, 600; N. Minicolo, 599; A. Sullivan, 558; M. Kelly, 506; A. Gilman, 493; L. O'Heron, 320; M. Brennan, 250.

M. Brennan and M. Kelly were both obliged to remain at home for some time on account of illness in the family.

Juniors—Number of marks obtainable, 750. V. Donoghue, 600; J. Lynch, 600; M. Butler, 594; L. Hallihan, 576; E. Labbe, 574; M. Kylie, 574; M. Collins, 572; G. McFadden, 570; M. Calnan, 568; M. Hurley, 549; M. O'Brien, 547; A. Desautel, 547; B. Costello, 533; C. Lagrandeur, 467; A. Barrette, 460; S. Cadigan, 457; M. Heenan, 448; M. Kennedy, 446, E. Brion, 440; L. Mahony, 440; K. Overend, 321; M. Burns, 0; K. Heffernan, 0.

FORM III.

Application to study—Seniors—F. Hallihan, M Carveth, M. Potter, M. Clancy, W. Brennan, H. McNeil, M. Buck, I. Sullivan, N. Simons, A. Guerin, M. Halpin, V. Clancy, N. Coughlin, M. Storts, L. Bell, A. Primeau, M. O'Brien.

Juniors—C. Halpin, E. Morrow, C. Cahill, H. Kelly, E. Drake, L. Quinlan, M. Doris N. Hobbins, E. Kane, L. Devlin, G. Ball, C. Connors, L. Stothart, L. McAuliffe, A. Galvin, L. Guerin.

Regular Attendance—Seniors—M. Potter, N. Simons, M. Halpin, M. Carveth, H. McNeil, F. Hallihan, M. Clancy, A. Guerin, M. Buck, M. Storts, W. Brennan, N. Coughlin, V. Clancy, M. Crough, I. Sullivan M. O'Brien.

Juniors—C. Cahill, L. Doris, H. Kelly, A. Galvin, L. Quinlan, L. Devlin, E. Morrow, N. Hobbins, T. Cadigan, S. Beauregard, E. Kane, M. Doris.

SECOND BOOK.

Senior second—Application to study—M. Hurley, N. Lepiante, J. Conroy, J. Storts, L. Moher, N. Hayes. M. Donovan, L. Hayes, A. Mahoney, F. Bailey, M. O'Brien, A. Kennedy.

Junior second—Application to study—C. Clancy, O. Sullivan, J. De Lane, N. Weatherhead, Laura LeGros, E. Fredenburg, K. Sharp, K. Brien, G. Primeau, Mary LaJeunesse, M. McGrath, K. Murray, B. Wyer, E. Doris, L. Overend, A. Kylie, L. Cooper, M. Bourse, E Pope, M. O'Shea, T. Ball, B. O'Brien, F. Brennan, K. O'Donnell, L. Welsh, M. Koster, L. Wall, C. Murphy.

FORM FIRST.

Part second—M. Carveth, I. Potvin, M. Geary, I. Donoghue, J. O'Brien, M. McMann, L. Gordon. M. Carson, M. Whalen, F. Galvin, M. Daigle, A. Daracher, M. Calaghan, L. Spratt, G. O'Brien, M. Shanahan, M. Flynn, K. McMann, T. Walkie, M. Sullivan.

Part first—I. Drake, A. Delaire, W. O'Brien, A. Hurley, M. Dennie, M. Murray, S. Connor, J. Potvin, N. Overend, A. Moher, A. Huppie, M. Sullivan, F. Dunn, G. Vinnette, A. O'Brien, M. E. Trombly, B. O'Hara, S. Kylie, E. Hogan, O. Lapiante, M. Morency.

PRIMARY GRADE.

C. Schappi, A. Devlin, T. Kelly, M. Shevlin, A. Clancy, E. Talbot, M. Dunn, A. Archambault, N. Brady, A. Carson, M. T. Scarborough, N. Rielly, T. Calaghan, D. Trombly, I. Sullivan.

BARNARDO HOME BRIEFS.

A Couple of Clippings From Miss Code's Department in "Ups and Downs."

In the last number of "Ups and Downs," a Barnardo Home publication, devoted largely to the interests of the boys and girls who have found their homes in Canada, we find the following paragraphs of local interest in the department, "Our Girls," presided over by Miss Bessie Code, well known in Peterborough:

"On Nov. 1st, Rev. J. C. Davidson, rector of Peterborough, invited our girls to a children's service in St. John's church on Sunday afternoon. A large number went, and besides being present at the service, had some very kind words of welcome to Canada from the rector. We think our little lassies must have very much appreciated them, for, strangers in a strange land, what can warm the heart better than a kind welcome? We, at any rate, on behalf of Dr. Barnardo's little girls, would take this opportunity of expressing our appreciation of Mr. Davidson's kindness, and the Christ-like spirit shown by the servant of One who welcomed the people when 'they came to him from every quarter.'"

"Hazel Brae is still a scene of departures, and day after day girls have been leaving us for their new homes. One little girl was called for one day by her master and mistress, and taken with them a drive of thirty-five miles to her destination, and the next day another little girl, Charlotte Cluer, went a drive of twenty miles with her master and his little girl. Just as she was ready dressed and waiting, it happened that the Rev. J. G. Potter, Presbyterian minister, of St. Andrew's church, Peterborough, and his father were calling at Hazel Brae and showed a very kindly interest in the little traveller. Mr. Potter, Sr., who may be known to many by his work among the sailors and lumbermen, gave a few earnest and kindly words to our little maiden, which we hope will indeed prove as a parting benediction to her."

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The annual meeting of the Stony Lake Dairy Company was held in the cheese factory on Saturday last when the business in connection with the factory was wound up, and the officers for the next year elected as followed:

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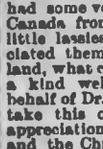

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A BRECHIN ROMANCE.

A Wandering Boy Returns With Pockets Well Lined.

There is great rejoicing in the household of old Archibald Cameron, a farmer living near Brechin, on the Midland Railway, and the cause of all the joy is to be assigned to the unexpected return of a son, Alexander, who disappeared from home over 25 years ago, and who has for the past 20 years been considered dead.

Twenty-five years ago or more this son, Alexander, then a young man of 19, started in business for himself in Brechin, and later in Beaverton, his father supplying the funds to get him started. He was so unsuccessful, however, that instead of making profits at all, debt after debt began to mount up, until at last he was compelled to announce himself a bankrupt. He felt his disgrace so keenly that one day he vanished completely, and it was never known whether he had made away with himself or had simply run away. At any rate he was considered dead and mourned as such. The years rolled by, and changes came in the Cameron home. The mother died, sons and brothers got married, but old Archie still lived and clung to his farm, though sadly beset by hard times.

Just before Thanksgiving day a stranger appeared in Brechin, and at the hotel asked if there was such a man as Archie Cameron living near there. He was told there was, and that old Mr. Cameron was even then in the blacksmith's shop close at hand. At the stranger's request he was summoned to the hotel, and, after a short conversation, in which old Mr. Cameron told of the whereabouts of his family, the new comer announced that he was none than the son Aleck. The surprise and joy of the father can be imagined, and on Thanksgiving day the fatted calf, or rather the fatted turkey, was killed for the returned prodigal.

But Cameron had not come home with his pockets empty, as when he started. On the contrary he seems to have all sorts of money. He says he has been in the mines on the Pacific coast ever since, and latterly in Washington Territory, and has evidently made more than he ever could have in the small store in Brechin.

Thanksgiving morning he started in to pay old debts, and Thanksgiving night saw a jubiliation in Brechin and Beaverton, where several of his creditors live, that must have gladened several hearts.

A peculiar incident in his return is that he had to prove his identity to his father before old Archie would credit his statements. Ten years ago an imposter came along who for three months succeeded in palming himself off as the long lost son. He was detected however by the absence of a scar, a distinguishing mark on one of the cheeks of the right man.

That Cameron at this late day should begin to pay his old debts, is a striking tribute to his integrity.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

A meeting of the Thistle curling club is called for Tuesday evening at the rink parlours. The draws will then be made for the rinks. Anyone willing to join the Thistles should notify Mr. J. H. Knapman before the date mentioned.

The curlers of Detroit want a big gathering of the followers of the great winter pastime in the City of the Straits, and are arranging a bonspiel for the 6th, 7th and 8th January. An international trophy of the value of $300 will be the chief prize, and three others of proportionate value will be added. All the Western Ontario clubs are expected to be represented, with probably also some from Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul on their way to the international match in Toronto the following week.

HOCKEY.

The Lindsay Collegiate Institute hockey club has re-organized for the coming season with the following officers:

President—Mr. J. Colling.
Vice-President—Mr. Walks.
Secretary—A. J. Matthews.
Treasurer—A. L. Campbell.
Captain—H. Knowlson.
Committee—H. A. Callaghan, W. Gross, L. Knight.

It is to be hoped that the boys will come over and give the local Collegiates a game during the winter.

A number of the Peterboroughs had a first rate practice up on Whyte's Pond yesterday, as the ice there is in capital condition.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

The grand old game of Rugby has no more fervent admirer than the Rev. O. C. S. Wallace, Chancellor of McMaster University. A player of no mean ability himself in his student days at the Acadia University, Nova Scotia, he has cherished an abiding admiration of the sport ever since. In 1882 he played on the half-back line against Dalhousie, of whose team W. A. Henry, since famous as a cricketer, was captain. Frequently in his sermons the Chancellor illustrates his remarks with some football figure of speech, and on Sunday night when discoursing in the Yonge street Methodist church, he made a reference to the Ottawa College-Varsity game, of which he was an interested spectator. As it is not uncommon for wearers of the cloth to denounce the gentle sport of Rugby football because of its brutality, it was refreshing to say the least to hear one prominent divine who holds no one-sided view of the game to which so many of the flower of the youth of the country acknowledge allegiance. The Globe interviewed Chancellor Wallace at his cosy home, 2 Sultan street, last night.

"The game is liable to abuse," he said, "and there is unusual opportunity for brutality. Without any question the game is attended with greater danger than some others of our outdoor sport, but in spite of all the disadvantages and danger I believe that football is one of the noblest sports in which our young men can engage. It teaches courage, hardihood and self-control. It is well for young men to learn how to subject themselves to the discipline which is essential to success on the football field. There are not a few young men who have been benefitted physically and morally by football, and who will be all their life more manly by reason of this exercise.

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FRUIT GROWING IN THIS DISTRICT.

James Daly, of Kingston, Reads a Paper on the Subject.

At the meeting of the Fruit Growers' Association in Kingston, "Fruit Growing in the Midland District" was the title of a paper by Mr. James Daly, of Kingston. He attributed the failure which had at one time attended the efforts of fruit growers in the Midland district to want of knowledge of the right varieties to cultivate. This trouble, however, had been overcome, and for some years the district had produced its own fruit instead of, as formerly, bringing it from the Niagara Peninsula and the United States. In apples especially the district had earned a deserved reputation, and now stood in the front rank in the Province. He had the utmost confidence in the future of fruit-growing, especially in view of the greatly-increased consumption in recent years and the fact that new markets were being constantly opened up. He strongly advised fruit growers to plant, in the future, only commercial varieties, especially in apples. The day was rapidly approaching when only first class fruit would be found profitable. He predicted that in the not distant future fruit would be put up for the market with the greatest care, and shipped by cold storage to Great Britain. In closing he regretted that an experimental station had not yet been established in the Midland district, and he hoped the Association at its present meeting would make some pronouncement in regard to the matter.

RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

A record run was recently made by a Canadian Pacific mail train from the west in order to catch the steamer at Montreal. The train had the Chinese mail, which had to reach London on a certain date under a penalty of $500 a day for every day's delay. The train was delayed first on the mountains by snow, and in Winnipeg by an accident to one of the cars. There was a delay of twenty-four hours in leaving Winnipeg, and when the train reached Fort William it was seen that the run could not be made in time with a full train; therefore a special train, consisting of an engine, a caboose and the mail car, left for Montreal. The run proved to be a phenomenal one. The roadmaster of each section rode in the engine cab, and an average speed of sixty miles an hour was maintained between Fort William and Montreal, the mail reaching Montreal with time to spare. Another fast run was made some four years ago, when the first Oriental mail was taken across Canada.

SUICIDE IN KINMOUNT.

An Old Farmer Alleged to Have Taken His Life.

A Kinmount correspondent of the Lindsay Post writes, that an old farmer named Henry Oggiestone, living near that village committed suicide on Tuesday afternoon by shooting himself through the mouth. He has been in a low state of health for some time and has met with financial reverses.

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An' oncet a year he comes to our place.
An' our little maid,
An' our little man
Ez anxious to see him soon's they can.

In the dead o' night when all's asleep
An' the cold frost snaps an' the snow es deep,
With a reindeer team an' a silver sled
He comes straight from fairyland, 'tis said.
So our little man
An' our little maid
Ez anxious to see 'im soon's they can.

But you better take keer, fer some folks say
'At ef yer naughty he'll fly away.
An' quicker'n you kin whistle—phew—
Away he's gone up the chimney flue!
So our little maid
An our little man
Ez tryin' to be jest es good's they can.

But ef yer good an 'hey yer pa
An' don't never cry an' rex yer ma,
He'll fill yer stockin's with games an' toys
An' nuts an' sweets an' all sorts o' joys.
So our little maid
An' our little man
Wants Santy to come jes' as quick's he can.

A THEATRE CHRISTMAS.

Three weeks before the holidays, and the outlook for a merry Christmas was a gloomy one, at least so far as the members of the stock company of the Jollity Theatre were concerned. Salary day had come and gone, and as yet the ghost had shown no disposition to walk, and it was because of the non-appearance of that most welcome specter of stageland that the rumor had started and was rapidly gaining ground that Messrs. Hustle and Hardup, proprietors and managers of the Jollity Theatre, were "in a hole again."

The piece which occupied the boards had proved a flat failure, and receipts at the box office had fallen in consequence to a plane never before reached in the history of the house. Moreover, no new play had as yet been put in rehearsal, and an atmosphere of unmistakable gloom and apprehension pervaded the region behind the footlights and weighed heavily on the spirits of every one there, from Pearl Livingstone, the talented emotional actress who played the leading female parts, down to little Kitty Sullivan, who was only 7 years old and was in the depths of despair because for fully three weeks she had been out of the bill. In short, every member of the company was in a condition of mingled uncertainty and curiosity in regard to the future of the playhouse and the projects of its managers, who as yet had given no sign of their intentions and had, in fact, been invisible to the members of their artistic staff ever since the last day on which salaries became due.

On this particular night, which happened to be one of storm and rain, two or three of the principal actors had gathered together for a serious talk about the situation, when Tom, the programme boy, appeared suddenly before them in an almost breathless condition and exclaimed: "Mr. Freelance is back from Chicago. He's in the office with Mr. Hustle. They've got both doors locked!"

"Mr. Freelance!" cried Miss Livingstone, her face lighting up with joy precisely as it does in her scene in the second act, where her lover comes back from India, or rather as it did light up in that scene before the business became so bad. "Are you sure it was Mr. Freelance, Tommy?"

"Sure!" rejoined Tom, with emphasis. "I seen him myself when he come in."

"Then, Tom, you be sure and see him when he comes out and tell him that I am particularly anxious to see him back here as soon as the curtain goes down on the second act. Here's a quarter for you, Tom, and you'd better keep it as a curiosity, for it's getting to be a very rare sort of bird in the Jollity Theatre preserves."

"Thank you, mum," said Tom, as he pocketed the coin with a grin.

"I fancy I see a gleam of light on the distant horizon," remarked the venerable Mr. Borders in a tone similar to that which he assumes in the great melodrama called "The Ocean Blue," in the scene in which he is discovered sitting on a raft in mid-ocean on the lookout for a passing sail. "In the meantime," he added, "I think we had better wait and hear what Billy has to say before we take any further action in the matter."

Up to that moment they had taken no action whatever in the matter, but the phrase sounded well, and so Mr. Borders employed it.

Now Mr. William Freelance, called by his intimates Billy, was and is today, one of the best known figures in the theatrical affairs of the town, and, as every member of the stock company knew, he had on more than one pre-

"MR. FREELANCE IS BACK."

vious occasion, come to the rescue of his old friends, Messrs. Hustle and Hardup, and that, too, when they were in even more deplorable financial straits than they were at the present moment.

It was his reputation as a mascot fully as much as his remarkable talents which caused the whole avant scene to brighten up at the news of his presence in the theatre, for playfolk are notoriously superstitious, and have an unbounded and childlike faith in the efficacy of a mascot as well as in the destructive qualities of a "Jonah."

Just as the curtain fell on the second act Mr. Freelance appeared behind the scenes and received the rapturous greetings of the company. Then Miss Livingstone took him by the arm, detached him from the little group which surrounded him, led him gently but firmly into her dressing room, placed him on her zinc trunk, and standing before him with folded arms said, "Billy, what's going to happen?"

"My dear," replied Mr. Freelance, persuasively, "everything is all right, and I just left Hustle for five minutes to come back here and tell you so. We are going to put on a new piece, and there's a part in it that's simply great—out of sight, in fact. We are not quite sure who'll be cast for the part, because it's a very heavy emotional one, and if we put a woman in it who didn't know how to read lines she would go all to pieces, and the bottom would drop out of the whole play. I thought I'd speak to you about it, because Hardup has caught a new 'angel' and said something to me about Kitty Bracebridge"—

"If that wolf puts her foot in this theatre"—began Miss Livingstone, but Mr. Freelance interrupted her by placing his hand over her mouth and saying "Wait for me after the curtain

HE FELT SOME ONE TUGGING AT HIS COAT.

goes down, Pearl, and I'll talk to you about it. Shadrach's waiting in the office, and I've got to give him a 'jolly' so as to get the costumes out of him, but I'll be back here after the last act."

In spite of the storm outside and the inspiriting atmosphere within, the performance given that night by the Jollity stock company was a notably brilliant one, for the news had spread that there was to be a speedy change of bill, and hope was once more in every member's breast. Mr. Freelance invited Miss Livingstone out to supper just as she was on the point of declaring that she would not go on again unless she received every cent of the back salary that was due her, and before they left the restaurant she had meekly agreed to study the great emotional role which had been intended for Miss Bracebridge and to say nothing more about back salary.

The next morning, in accordance with a call posted in the stage entrance, the company assembled to hear the new play read by the gifted Mr. Freelance, and such was that gentleman's elocutionary power that when he laid the manuscript aside expressions that ranged from mere satisfaction to rapturous enthusiasm were heard on every hand, and there was scarcely an actor or actress present that did not feel confident of a personal success in the new production.

The reading over, Mr. Freelance took Miss Livingstone, Mr. Borders and one or two other rebellious spirits aside, and, as he expressed it in a subsequent interview with Mr. Hardcastle, "stiffened their backbones" with the assurance that everything was all right and that the piece was to be done on Christmas eve in order that they might have a really merry Christmas on the prospects of its success. After that, he assured them, their back salaries would pour in upon them in a perfect avalanche.

As Mr. Freelance was leaving the theatre he felt some one tugging at his coat, and on looking down saw little Kitty Sullivan standing beside him and saying in earnest tones, and with a sad, wistful face, "Billy, isn't there any part for me in the new piece?"

The child called him by his first name because she had always heard him spoken to in that way by other members of the company, and Billy rather encouraged her in the idea, because it sounded funny to him to hear himself addressed in such familiar terms by an infant of her size.

Kitty was a veritable child of the avant scene, and had been an actress from her very earliest infancy. She was now about 7 years of age, and was just beginning to comprehend the difference between the real things of life.

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New York, Dec. 2.—Anthracite coal trade conditions, it is announced, have improved of late on account of the more seasonable weather. No change in prices is expected this year, and it is understood that the September schedule will be adhered to until 1897. During that year an era of prosperity is confidently looked for by those interested in the trade. It can be safely assumed that, although the agreement between the anthracite coal presidents nominally expires on Jan. 1, 1897, no change will be made in the conduct of the trade.

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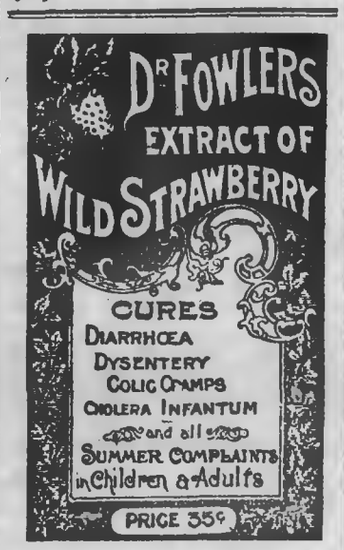

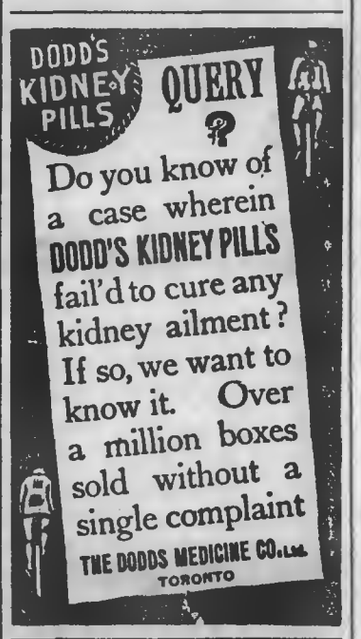
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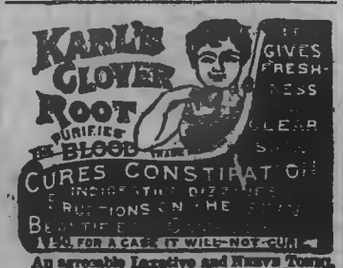

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A THEATRE CHRISTMAS.

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such as houses, trees and streets, and the painted imitations of stageland. And yet it was only two years and a half ago that she beheld the ocean for the first time, and it is related of her that on that occasion she stood with Billy's hand tightly clasped in hers, watching the waves as they broke upon the beach, and finally turned to her companion and said in her serious way, "Billy, how do they work 'em?"

And now she was here beside her old friend, with her small, pathetic face upturned, and inquiring earnestly if there was a role for her in "The Giant's Causeway."

"See here, Kitty," exclaimed Mr. Freelance, touched by the child's grief, "I'll tell you what I'll do for you, and what's more, I wouldn't do it for any one else in the company. Are you listening?"

"Yes," said Kitty, turning her head around.

"Well, I'll write in a part specially for you, and that's something that an author like Sardou or myself rarely does for anyone, except a Bernhardt or a Duse. Now run along, and be here to-morrow at 11 for rehearsal."

The child darted away, wiping the last tear from her cheek as she ran, and Barney said approvingly, "That's the best deed you'll ever do in your life, Mr. Freelance, and, mark my words, the child'll bring good luck to the house."

How Billy succeeded in persuading the economical Hardup that the piece would prove a failure unless a child were introduced into it, and how he contrived to write the part in for her that very night, are matters that had best be left to conjecture, but the very next day Kitty received the typewritten copy of her lines, and rehearsals of "The Giant's Causeway" were carried forward under Mr. Freelance's direction with the energy and spirit that mark all of that gentleman's undertakings.

The opening night, Dec. 24, found the house well filled with an audience which made a favorable impression on the venerable Mr. Borders as he looked out through the peephole in the curtain, while behind the footlights feverish excitement and anticipation prevailed.

As for Kitty, she had become so wrought up over her role—the longest one she had ever been intrusted with—that she seemed in danger of losing her lines that she had, by diligent study, crammed into her small head. She was standing in the first entrance, with her hand clasped in that of Mr. Freelance, when her cue came and as she walked out on the stage, the ideal of girlish loveliness, a murmur of delight ran through every part of the crowded house.

"They're going to foreclose the mortgage on the old mill to-morrow night, and if that child lives I am a beggar," said the polished, cigarette-smoking villain, and then a youngster in the parquet set up a pitiful howl of despair, which was followed by a general ripple of merriment that might have proved fatal to the piece, had not Kitty gone on with her lines with the coolness and gravity of the born and experienced artist, which she was displaying there by a presence of mind which won for her, on her exit, the first real applause of the evening.

Kitty Sullivan was, as the eminent dramatic critic had observed, an old hand at the business, despite the fact that she was but 7 years of age, for she had been born and brought up on the stage, and was as much at home in the presence of a great audience as an ordinary child is before a nursery. As the piece went on, she realized that she was making a hit—a far greater one than she had ever made before—and, young as she was, she was enough of an artist to appreciate the importance of keeping a restraint on herself and not overdoing her role.

She was looking forward to a certain scene in the last act—a scene which she had rehearsed with much delight, and in which she firmly expected to make great impression. Billy, who had been waiting with some anxiety for the same scene, came down and took a seat in a proscenium box, and as the child stood in the wings waiting for her cue she saw him smiling encouragement to her. The scene represented a barren, wave-washed rock near the coast of Ireland, and on this rock was standing the virtuous heroine, just where she had been left by the villain. The lights grew dim, the moon arose from beyond the scene, and the Philadelphia quartet, stationed behind the scenes, warbled plaintive Irish melodies.

"Must I die here alone?" moaned the heroine, as the tide rose higher and higher about the rock on which she stood and heavy clouds began to gather above her head. And just at this moment a rowboat, propelled by childish arms, came swiftly around the rocky point at the left of the stage, and Kitty Sullivan, throwing aside the oars, stood up in the boat with her foot on the prow and exclaimed in a clear, infantile treble, "I have come to save you for the sake of old Ireland!"

Commonplace as it was, with its old, well-worn melodramatic effects of soft

KITTY MAKES A HIT.

music and moonlight, nevertheless the situation had taken a strong hold on the audience, and the sudden appearance of the sweet-faced child, who had charmed everyone during the earlier portions of the play, sent a distinct thrill through the entire house, and then came such an outburst of spontaneous applause as had not been heard in the Jollity Theatre for many a year.

Even Billy Freelance felt a touch of a magnetic current with which the atmosphere was charged, and might have been heard to remark half audibly, "The kid's knocked 'em good this time, sure, for a thing's got to be good if it gets me."

And as the audience dispersed that night it seemed to Mr. Freelance, as he stood alert and watchful in the lobby, that there was but one name on every tongue, and that Kitty's sweet face and infantile art had made their way into the very heart of an always fickle public.

"You were right about her, Billy," said Hardup.

"I told you the young one would bring us good luck," said old Barney at the stage door.

"The idea of making such a fuss over a 7-year-old brat! That shows what art is coming to in this country!" exclaimed Miss Livingstone, as she swept through the draffy passage, leaving an odor of sealskin, tube roses and sachet powder behind her.

The members of the stock company had their Christmas dinner in the wardrobe room between the matinee and the evening performance, Messrs. Hustle and Hardup footing the bill and Mr. Freelance presiding, with Miss Pearl Livingstone on his right hand and the venerable Mr. Borders on his left. And it is a matter of record that no toast offered that evening was drunk with heartier applause than was the one proposed by Mr. Freelance to Kitty Sullivan, "the mascot of the Jollity Theatre and the founder of this feast."

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Jameson is Improving.

London, Dec. 2.—The condition of Dr. Jameson, the Transvaal raider, whose release from Holloway jail has been decided upon by the authorities on account of the state of his health, is improving.

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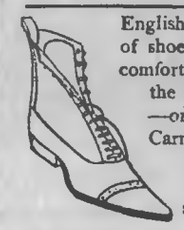

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September	1,020.67	2,465.67	184.90	-

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DEPARTMENTAL REGULATIONS.

Rules Approved by the Education Department for the Governing of Commercial Diploma Course in the High Schools of the Province.

The following regulations for the High School commercial diploma course have been approved by the Education Department of the Province:—

The course for a commercial diploma may be taken in two parts. Both parts may be taken in different years or in the same year, at the option of the candidate. Part I. shall consist of bookkeeping and writing, 200 marks; business forms and usages, 100 marks; stenography (theory) 100 marks; stenography (dictation), 100 marks. Part II shall consist of the examination papers in form II in arithmetic and mensuration, history of Great Britain and Canada, English composition, literature and algebra. The marks in these subjects shall be the same as form II. Candidates shall be required to make one-third of the marks in each subject in each part to obtain pass standing. Candidates who hold a certificate of having passed in form II, or in any part of a higher form, shall be required to write only on part I of the commercial course.

Pupils taking the course for a commercial diploma shall be required to take only the subjects of such course. Typewriters may be furnished by the Board of Trustees for the use of the pupils.

Examination fees for the commercial diploma, each part $2.

Bookkeeping — Bookkeeping shall be taken in six sets as follows:

Set I.—Shall show transactions extending over a period of two months; the transaction of the first month being done by single entry, and of the single by double entry, and showing the change from single to double entry. Books to be used—Day book, (first month), journal day book, (second month), cash book, bill book and ledger.

Set II.—The transactions shall be the same as Set I; those of the first month being done by double entry, and of the second month by single entry, and showing the change from double entry to single entry.

Books to be used—Four-column journal with special columns for merchandise purchases and sales (first month), day book (second month), cash book, bill book and ledger.

Set III—A double entry set with two patterns. Books to be used:—Journal day book, with a special column for merchandise sales, cash book, invoice book, bill book and ledger, the first three as books of orginal entry.

Set. IV—A double entry set; a continuation of set III, the posting being done in the same ledger. A third party shall be admitted, and the transactions shall include shipments and consignments. Books to be used:—Journal day book, cash book, invoice book, sales book, bill book and ledger, the first four as books of original entry.

Set. V—A doubly entry set; a continuation of set IV, the posting being done in a new ledger. A fourth partner shall be admitted, and the transactions shall include wholesale merchandising, shipment companies and companies. Books to be used:—The same as for set IV.

Set VI.—A set in manufacturing. Books to be used:—Journal day book, with a special column for merchandise sales, cash book, bill book, time book and ledger.

The cash book shall be a book of orginal entry in all of the double sets, various special colums being used in the different sets. A monthly trial balance shall be made in connection with sets III, IV and V, and of resources and of losses and gains for all the sets. The transactions in the different sets shall be different from year to year. The sets may recur triennially, and shall consist of not less than 20 pages of foolscap.

The bookkeeping sets of pupils who write at the examination for a commercial diploma shall be sent, prepaid, to the Education Department, with the examination papers, and shall be certified by the teacher to be the work of the candidate.

Business forms and usages—Negotiable paper, promissory notes, special notes, bills of exchange, acceptance; negotiation of bills, notes; cheques; collection of accounts, discharge and dishonour; special forms of due bills and orders; account, invoices and statements; interest, partnerships, receipts and releases, banking and commercial correspondence.

Stenography — At the examination in dictation in stenography, the candidate shall be required to have attained the rate of fifty words per minute. He shall also be required to transcribe his work into long hand at the rate of twelve words per minute. The dictation matter shall consist of business letters and legal documents.

The numerous cures of rheumatism by the use of the old standard blood-purifier, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, show conclusively that it is an effective remedy, if not indeed the specific for this most painful and persistant of maladies. What has cured others will cure you.

FITZ WAS ROBBED.

That is the Opinion Generally Expressed in Regard to the Referee's Decision.

Fitzsimmons lost on a steal, but he gets all the glory there is in the fight. Among the short-haired fraternity he will gain popularity, which should partly recompense him for the loss of the $10,000 purse.

The crooked referee may not injure the game of hit and get away in general, but the big fighters are bound to steer clear of Frisco.

No one's name has yet been mentioned who saw the alleged foul blow except the referee. He says it was below the belt. None of the newspaper men saw it. Jack McAuliffe, Jimmy Carroll, Johnny Herget (Young Mitchell), Lon Agnew, Eddie Greaney and scores of others declare that the decision was a plain case of robbery. Major Frank McLaughlin, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, who was probably in a better position to see the alleged foul than anybody, says the knock-out was as clean an upper-cut as he ever saw.

After the fight was over and Fitzsimmons had returned to his dressing room, Martin Julian, on the suggestion of Fitzsimmons, gave out the following statement:

"About 6.30 this evening Moss Gunst, Riley Grannan and Tom Jones came to us and said Earp was 'fixed,' and that we would not get the decision, even though we knocked Sharkey out. But, rather than have the fight fall through, we consented to Earp. And what has been the result? We have been robbed. Fitzsimmons never struck a foul blow during the fight, but Sharkey struck at least 50. I intend to stop the payment of the cheque, if possible, and will make a protest to the club against its payment."

At this point J. J. Groom, president of the club, came in, and Julian took him to task for the decision, and called upon him to stop payment of the cheque. Groom said that the club was taking legal advice as to whether a certified cheque could be stopped. If it could be, he said it would be, as he denounced the decision as an outrage. Groom also declared that during the fight he had repeatedly called to Earp about Sharkey's repeated foul blows.

Although technically bets go with the referee's decision, many stakeholders refuse to pay the money until they are further enlightened on the match. They naturally recognize the crookedness of the ruling, and know that in common justice backers of Fitzsimmons are the winners.

Julian wired Dan Stuart after the battle: "We were robbed to-night, but this outrageous decision will not make any difference in our plans. Fitzsimmons will meet both Sharkey and Corbett in the ring any time you are ready to arrange the match. Martin Julian."

There are some who may say that Corbett was in the deal to get the championship away from Fitzsimmons, but as no title went with the 10 round battle, Pompador Jim may be counted out. Yesterday Corbett telegraphed Sharkey as follows: "All very sorry of Mr. Fitzsimmons' foul tactics in your fight with him, which prevented you from getting a decision over him in a full 10-round contest. I am ready to meet you on or before Jan. 1, 1897."

Parents Must have Rest.

A president of one of our Colleges says: "We spent many sleepless nights in consequence of our children suffering from colds, but this never occurs now. We use Scott's Emulsion and it quickly relieves pulmonary troubles.

Burdock Pills do not gripe or sicken. They cure Constipation and Sick Headache.

A LADY BURNED.

Mrs. Auld of Montreal the Victim of a Lamp Explosion,—Young Man Shot Himself.

Montreal, Dec. 2.—(Special.)—The home of Mr. John Auld, proprietor of the Canadian Cork Cutting Company, 26 McGregor-street, was the scene of a fire early this morning, which resulted in the death of Mrs. Auld at the general hospital at 11 a.m. Mrs. Auld's brother, Mr. S. H. Ewing, was awakened at his residence, 100 Cotes des Neiges-road, at 2 o'clock and told that his sister's house was on fire. Going over as quickly as he could he learned that a lamp had exploded in Mrs. Auld's bedroom and that she had been much burned by the blazing oil. Her husband, who had not retired, half dragged, half carried her to the house of Mr. Joseph Learmont, 30 McGregor-street, and Drs. Roddick, Finley and Gurd were telephoned for; also the general hospital ambulance.

The lady was removed to the general hospital, where she died at 11 o'clock to-day. The house was burned.

Albert Desmarteau, son of the Governor of St. Helen's Island, shot himself to-day with a revolver. He stated to Fire Chief Benoit, who was called in, that it was an accident, but the young man was known to be despondent over a love affair. He is not expected to live.

In the police court this morning Judge Desnoyers delivered judgment in the case against Capt. John Delisle, who is charged with manslaughter. Capt. Deslisle is charged under the "Fugitive Offenders' Act," at the instance of Sir William Whiteway, Attorney-General of Newfoundland, for causing the death of 13 persons on the schooner Maggie. His Honor, after reviewing the evidence of the case at considerable length, said he felt obliged to surrender Capt. Delisle to the authorities of Newfoundland. Had the unfortunate accident happened within his jurisdiction it would have been his duty to commit the accused for trial. A writ of habeas corpus will be applied for.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand is limited, and prices rule steady. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.15 to $4.30.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged, dealers asking $8.75 west. Shorts, $9 to $10 west.

Wheat—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Offerings of white are limited, and the price firm at 86c outside. Red sold at 85c outside. No. 1 Manitoba hard is firm at 95c, Toronto freights, and No. 1 Northern at 94c, Toronto freights. No. 1 is quoted at 84c afloat, Fort William, at 92c Midland and at 90c to $1, Toronto freight, all rail.

Buckwheat—The market is steady and prices 29c to 30c west.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 1 is quoted at 34c and No. 2 at 28c to 28½c outside.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 19½c to 20c, and mixed quoted at 18½c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices easy; sales at 40c to 40½c north and west.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 36c west.

Corn—Market dull, with prices steady at 28c to 29c at outside points.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 2.—Spring wheat, 7s 0d to 7s 1d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 0½d to 7s 7½d; corn, 3s 0d; peas, 4s 7½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 20s 6d; do., light, 22s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 23s 6d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast nothing doing, on passage dull and partly 3d to 6d lower. English country markets steady. Maize on passage dull.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady; futures quiet at 6s 11¼d for Dec., Jan., Feb. and March. Maize quiet at 3s for Dec., 2s 11½d for Jan. and Feb. and 2s 11d for March.

Paris—Wheat, 22f 25c for Jan.; flour, 47f 50c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures easy at 6s 10¾d for Dec., Jan. and Feb., and 6s 11d for March. Maize dull at 2s 11¾d for Dec., 2s 11d for Jan. and Feb. and 2s 11¼d for May. Flour, 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage easier. Maize on passage rather easier.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 22f 10c for Jan. Flour, 47f 00c for Jan.

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The Annual Statistics of Fleetwood Factory.

The following are the figures of the operations of this factory for the year 1896:

Total lbs. of milk for season, 1,315,736.
Total lbs. of cheese, 122,499.
Total proceeds, $10,087.04.
Average per standard, $18, after paying all expenses.
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Mr. Bert Wood is the proprietor and Mr. G. Gillespie, cheesemaker.

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FOR 25C choice pattern Tapestry Carpets, formerly sold at 35c.

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FOR $1.75 & $2.25 your choice of our lovely stock of Scotch Muslin Curtains, former prices $2.00 and $3.00 per pair.

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We are introducing some rare Novelties suitable for Gifts, such as Silver Cups, Silver Mounted Mirrors, Silver Cased Toilet Bottles, Hand Painted Silk Doylies, Silk Handkerchiefs, Fancy Handkerchiefs, silk Scarfs and hundreds of other useful things, all as reasonable as the goods are handsome.

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Felt Shapes, were $1.25, now 95c.
Felt Shapes, were $1, now 75c.
Felt Shapes, were 75c, now 50c.
Felt shapes, were 75c, now 35c.
Trimmed Hats, were $3.75, now $2.75.
Trimmed Hats, were $2, now $1.25.
Trimmed Hats, were $1.50, now $1.
Ospreys, Feathers, Wings, etc. at half price.

Mantles to Go.

Stylish Mantles, were $10, now $5.
Stylish Mantles, were $8, now $4.50.
Stylish Mantles, were $5, now $2.95.

Ribbons, Etc., to Go.

Ribbons, worth 20c, reduced to 10c.
Ribbons, worth 25c, reduced to 15c.
Ladies' Vests, long sleeves, worth 30c, reduced to 12 1-2c.
Ringwood Gloves, worth 30c, reduced to 19c.
Black Cashmere Gloves, worth 25c, reduced to 15c

Hosiery to Go.

Ladies' Hose, all wool 25c.
Ladies' Fine Ribbed Wool Hose 25c.
Ladies' Ribbed Wool Hose, seamless 25c.

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Bright Wool Plaids 75c, now 45c.
All wool Novelty Mixtures, were 85c, now 50c.
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TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to Tuesday, Dec. 8th, at 10 a. m., for the

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WILL THE DEAL GO?

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SUMMER LINE SOO TO NEW YORK

Said to be the Plan—Talk of a Division of the Montreal Diocese—Baie des Chaleurs Road—The Unfortunate People Who Went From Montreal to Brazil.

Montreal, Dec. 4.—(Special.)—Although the rumor to the effect that the Goderich and Buffalo Railway had been leased by the Canadian Pacific is denied by the latter company, it is still believed that negotiations are going on with a view to the control of that road by the C.P.R. Those who know what they are talking about say that Sir William VanHorne and Mr. Shaughnessy are about to conclude a deal that will put them ahead of the Ottawa and Parry Sound, as far as the New York business is concerned. One thing is certain, if the Goderich and Buffalo line has been secured, it is for the purpose of providing a direct summer line from Sault Ste. Marie to New York. From Buffalo to the seaboard via the Lehigh Valley Road, the distance is about 450 miles, and an additional 160 miles will cover the distance to Goderich, from which an air steamship line can be had to the Soo. A glance at the map will show that the distance from the Sault to New York via Parry Sound, Ottawa, Coteau Landing or Prescott is a good deal greater than the combination route alleged to have been secured by the Canadian Pacific.

A very interesting case has just been settled out of court and a big estate will remain pretty nearly intact. Some time ago Mr. Joe Masson, well known to the fast set in Montreal and Paris, died, leaving an estate valued at a little less than half a million dollars. Deceased had been interdicted for some years and had a wife here, but, owing to a peculiar feature of the old Masson family wills, the bulk of the estate could not go to the widow. To the surprise, however, of relatives and friends, young Masson willed his entire estate to a Parisian lady with whom he had been on terms of intimacy while sojourning in the French capital. It comes out, however, to-day that the French lady has not been exacting, and has agreed to accept the comparatively small sum of $10,000 and call quits.

Mr. Michael, a clever French-Canadian lawyer, who is looking after the interests of the family here, has certainly made a splendid bargain with the bereaved Parisian.

There will soon be a great shaking-up in the archdiocese of Montreal. Your correspondent was told to-day, that owing to Mgr. Fabre's feeble health, Bishop Emard of Beauharnois will be transferred to Montreal with the rights of succession, and that Rev. Canon Bruchesi, a very able member of Archbishop Fabre's household, will be made Bishop of Beauharnois. This, however, is not all, as it appears that a sub-division of the archdiocese is once more on the tapis. The Counties of Joliette, Montcalm, Berthier and L'Assomption will constitute the new diocese of Joliette, and rumor adds that either by Rev. Mr. Archambault or Rev. Mr. Racicot of the Archdiocese of Montreal has already been selected as the new bishop. This, it appears, was the object of Mgr. Fabre's visit to Rome, but, as His Grace was prevented by illness from reaching the Eternal City, the views of Mgr. Fabre have been acquiesced in by the other prelates of the province and confirmed by the papal court. The new idea of selecting young men for bishops in French Canada, which was entered upon at the nomination of Bishop Emard, is generally accepted as a wise move on the part of the church.

Messrs. Ridout, Dominion Government Engineer, and Mr. Beauchemin of Sorel have returned from their inspection of the Baie des Chaleurs-road and are now preparing a report for the department, preparatory to the Government's purchase of that line. The road will be reopened next week, and it is the intention of the Department to extend the line from Caplin, the present terminus, to paspebiac, a distance of 20 miles, and when this is done Messrs. N. and M. Connolly will put a steamer on the route between this newly-acquired portion of the Intercolonial and Port Aux Basques, or Channel, on the west coast of Newfoundland, to which Mr. Reid's road from St. John's will be completed in June next. This will bring Montreal within 35 hours of St. John's, Newfoundland, and will no doubt be the means of bringing a great deal of trade to the commercial metropolis.

A letter received here to-day from Percy Lupton of the British Consulate at San Paulo says that the offers made by the steamship company had never been authorized by the Brazilian Government, which would probably return these poor people to Canada. The letter is as follows:

"Doubtless you will be surprised at getting a line from me, but I find I really must do it and protest against any further shipments of Canadians down here. I am running the British Consulate here, and I assure you that since the arrival of the Moravia I have had a very busy time. The people you shipped off here are, with few exceptions, most unsuited to the country and are utterly helpless. The language, food and customs are totally different, besides which these shipping people held out inducements that the Brazilian Government never authorized. Some few are sticking to the immigration house here till they get the promised cottage, with everything free for a year. Cruel delusion. However, the bulk of these have gone bravely out, with the intention of making the best of a bad bargain; but I fear very few of them will do any good. They will drift back here and help to swell the band of hangers-on around the Consulate. My colleague in Santos and myself are doing all we can to relieve them, and if we can we shall induce the Brazilian Government to send them back to you."

CURRAN WAS DECAPITATED.

The Awful Fate of a C. P. R. Yardman at the Foot of York-Street Last Night.

Toronto, Dec. 5.

Edward Curran, a yardman in the employ of the C.P.R., was killed by falling in front of a shunting engine at the foot of York-street last night. Just how the fatality happened no one seems to know.

Curran was riding on the footboard in front of the engine, John Finley, another yardman, was working the switch, when the engine was coming towards him. About 70 feet from him he saw Curran's lantern fall from the engine to the ground. When the engine passed he signalled the driver to stop. He thought something was wrong when he missed Curran from the footboard. On account of the glare of the headlight, he did not see him fall. The body was found lying midway between the tracks. The head was almost severed from the neck. It is the opinion of the other yardmen that Curran had placed his lamp on what is known as the front casting, and that while attempting to take hold of it he knocked it off, made an effort to catch it, and lost his balance.

The deceased is a widower, with five children. His fellow-employes knew little about his private affairs. He is supposed to have two children boarding at 1226 King-street west, a married sister living on Sackville-street, and his mother is living in that vicinity. Another married sister lives in the West End. He was about 40 years of age.

Coroner Aikins viewed the body and issued a warrant for an inquest to be held this afternoon at the undertaking establishment of W. H. Stone, 343 Yonge-street, at 2 o'clock.

THE WAR IN CUBA.

Weyler Has Been Hunting for Macco, and One Report is That He Found Him and Got Whipped.

New York, Dec. 4.—The Herald's correspondent from Guamairo, Cuba, states that Winchester Dana Osgood, the Cornell student and football player, who went to Cuba and took a commission in the Cuban army as major, was killed in the second day's fighting there.

A despatch to The Herald from Havana, via Key West, says: It is known that General Weyler has left Palacios again for the hills, but no definite report of what he has accomplished has reached here.

Maceo's friends realize the gravity of the situation, but they show no signs of uneasiness. Their confidence in him remains unshaken.

It is believed Maceo has met an expedition from Campeachy, Mexico, at Punta Barreos, which brought him fresh stores and an additional supply of dynamite.

A Times special from Tampa, Fla., says: Passengers who arrived from Havana last evening reported that a fight has taken place between the vanguard of Weyler's army and some of Maceo's men, a large force on each side being engaged. While no details are known, it was learned that the Spanish army did not come off with flying colors, and it is thought in Havana that Maceo has gained a victory, though to what extent it is impossible to say.

COBOURG P. O. CASE.

Mr Seager Will Report That the $1000 Was Really a Payment for Mr. Sykes' Resignation.

Cobourg, Dec. 4.—In the Cobourg Post-office investigation case, which was concluded here yesterday, the following decision was given out by Commissioner Charles Seager, Q.C., to-day. He will report to the Government that the $1000 transaction was a most colorable one, and really a payment for Mr. Sykes' resignation; that Mrs. Schwabe, Edwin Guillet and George Guillet were parties in the transaction, and that Mr. J. W. Bickle knew the true nature of the transaction when he endorsed the note. As to Charles Guillet, there were a number of circumstances subsequent to procuring the resignation which identified him with the matter, and he was the beneficiary. But, as to him, the report would not state as to whether he was or was not a party to the transaction with a knowledge of the whole affair.

Their Sad Bereavement

Toronto, Dec. 2.

Constable McRae and family of French Ilver have removed to Toronto for the winter. Mr. McRae has given up all hope of recovering the bodies of his two sons, who were drowned while out shooting two weeks ago, and Mrs. McRae is suffering severely from the bereavement.

PAPER WAS WELL MET

Ottawa Bankers Speak Cheerfully of the Outlook.

FRENCH PICTURES BARRED OUT.

The Customs Officials Take Action Regarding Immoral Literature—Mr. Tarte Will Return to the Northwest—Troubles of the Fisheries Department—Other News From Ottawa

Ottawa, Dec. 4.—Enquiries at the different banks to-day elicited the information that settlements were promptly met. The Bank of Commerce reports that payments showed a marked improvement during the past few months, and the proportion of payments was good.

Union Bank Manager Anderson, speaking generally, said that notes were fairly well met. Bad roads had somewhat interfered with remittances, but, with good traveling, he thought that business prospects for the future were most bright. Notes were very well met and he had every reason to believe that every note would be taken up.

Bank of Ottawa business improving. Notes were met and very few renewals.

Banque Nationale had a very heavy day. Payments were well met, and few renewals asked for.

Although a large number of grain vessels were laid up through the summer, the gross tonnage of the Soo Canal increased materially over last year. This season, from the 4th of May up to the 30th of November, there were 5080 vessels passed through, and last year, from September 9th, when the canal was opened, to Nov. 27th, the number was 1173.

The Customs Department has recently had to take action regarding the importation of certain Parisian journals into Canada. Parties who subscribed to Figaro and other papers have not been receiving them and inquiries were set afoot to see where the trouble lay. The matter has been brought to the notice of the French Government through the Imperial authorities in London, and the Government at Paris has been asked to prevent certain matter leaving France. It is not long since a number of indecent photographs, coming from France for delivery in Canada, were seized and destroyed by the customs officers, and strict care is now being exercised to keep out such class of goods. The National Council of Women, headed by Her Excellency Lady Aberdeen, have been active in the matter, and exert their influence to have all immoral literature and pictures kept out of the country.

The Fisheries Department has for years experienced trouble in enforcing the regulations in Lakes St. Louis and St Francis, and, as the outcome of the illegal fishing which has been practised, the lakes in question are seriously depleted. Three petitions have been received, advocating the total prohibition of net fishing in these waters, but on account of the poverty of many of those who engage in the fishing business, the department will allow the use of gill nets under the ice throughout the winter. Next year, seine net fishing will not be allowed.

The Dairy Commissioner has received many applications for aid for the Northwest creameries. The intention is, however, not to set in operation an unlimited number of new establishments. The parliamentary appropriation is limited and about 15 are as many as the department will be in a position to establish next season.

Representations have been made to the Customs Department in favor of placing a small revenue cutter off the Cape Breton coast between Cape North and Scatterie. Liquor smugglers of St. Pierre-Miquelon are changing their base of operations and running cargoes of contraband ashore in the secluded bays of Cape Breton. Although there are good officers of customs stationed on the island, it is utterly impossible to keep watch over the tremendous coast line without a cutter, and such will have to be procured by the department if the revenue is to be protected.

Hon. J. I. Tarte leaves again in two weeks for Manitoba. He has business connected with his department which there was not time for him to put through on his recent trip, therefore he now returns to give attention to it. Mr. Tarte left this morning for Cornwall.

The American authorities are exercising a strict watch to prohibit further shipments of ill licit cheese through Canadian ports to save payment of the high internal tax.

Prof. Prince, Commissioner of Fisheries, leaves for the Maritime Provinces next week to confer with lobster packers regarding the changes in regulations governing this fishery.

The Controller of Customs has ordered that Mount Forest be added to the list of post offices at which customs packages and parcels may be received.

A report is current that Speaker Edgar will be the next Lieut.-Governor of Ontario.

The city merchants, as a result of the recent fire, are pressing for the establishment of a salvage corps in connection with the fire brigade. Had such a body been in existence it is certain that thousands of dollars' worth of valuable goods could have been saved.

The ladies of the Aberdeen Association to-day sent out several large packages of reading matter for settlers in the Northwest.

The Irish Catholic societies of the city are talking about erecting a hall of substantial proportions wherein the different societies can meet.

Prof. Robertson has returned from his trip to Chicago. He is greatly impressed with the equipment on American railways for the transmission of perishable goods in cold storage.

Mr. J. F. Hogan, M. P., will probably remain in the city until Sir Richard Cartwright returns to Ottawa, as he is desirous of laying his views on the fast Atlantic steamship question before the Minister of Trade and Commerce.

A $50,000 Fire.

Ligonier, Pa., Dec. 4.—Fire broke out in Myers, Clifford & Co.'s store in the Vannear Block last midnight, destroying the entire block. Loss $50,000.

That

Extreme tired feeling afflicts nearly everybody at this season. The hustlers cease to push, the tireless grow weary, the energetic become e.ervated. You know just what we mean. Some men and women endeavor temporarily to overcome that

Tired

Feeling by great force of will. But this is unsafe, as it pulls powerfully upon the nervous system, which will not long stand such strain. Too many people "work on their nerves," and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous prostration," in every direction. That tired

Feel-

ing is a positive proof of thin, weak, impure blood; for, if the blood is rich, red, vitalized and vigorous, it imparts lifeand energy to every nerve, organ and tissue of the body. The necessity of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for that tired feeling is, therefore, apparent to every one, and the good it will do you is equally beyond question. Remember that

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Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

The Daily Examiner is delivered to all parts of the Town for 10c. a week 25c. a month, $2.00 for six months.

Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1896.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

WILLIAM SUGAR'S vote in the South Brant election cost Mr. Henry dearly—$4 in cash and his seat in the House.

IT was a "pagan Indian," named William Sugar that struck Billy Patterson in South Brant. It was evidently a case of malice aforethought—William versus William and Sugar versus confectionery.

THE Toronto News demands a seat for Hon. Peter White, late Speaker, on the ground that he was an ornament to the House of Commons. If that's the only reason, we have no need of Hon. Mr. White so long as we have Black Rods present to fall back upon—the acme of ornamental accessory.

THOSE familiar with the energetic methods of the Salvation Army need not feel any surprise at new manifestations of their peculiar enterprise. It came out at an inquest in England that a husband and eight children of a witness were all insured in the Salvation Army. This is enterprise indeed—insuring the lives of "soldiers" and at the same time furnishing a fire risk—in the future world.

THE Mail and Empire notices that wheat is now higher in Chicago than it is in Canada and it attributes the lower price here to uncertainty about the tariff. This absurd argument is meant to do duty in the Stormont bye-election, and is not to be taken seriously. There have been times since the upward tendency of wheat began when the price was higher in Canada than it was in the United States, and the same thing may happen again any day.

IN the EXAMINER of yesterday an article was based on the report that Sir Adolphe Chapleau, the Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, had expressed approval of the Manitoba school settlement. This report is contradicted. However the fact remains that he does approve of it, nevertheless. Of course it is to the interest of the Conservative party to strenuously deny such statements respecting a man whom the party made such desperate efforts to induce to come to its rescue at the time of the great cabinet schism.

ALTHOUGH the use of Nova Scotia coal in Quebec and Ontario has not increased to anything like the extent expected by the Fathers of Confederation, it is growing steadily year by year. In 1875 the St. Lawrence took 150,000 tons of Nova Scotia coal, while during the season of 1896, now closing, the figures reach nearly 750,000. The four great coal ports of the St. Lawrence are Montreal, Sorel, Three Rivers and Quebec. By-and-by, when the canals between Montreal and Kingston afford a uniform depth of fourteen feet, Nova Scotia coal will enter Lake Ontario, and be distributed all along the northern shore.

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report in a letter that Pyny-Pectoral cured him of a severe cold in chest and bronchial tubes, and also cured W. C. McComber of a long-standing cold.

Mr. J. H. HUNTT, Chemist,
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"As a general cough and lung syrup Pyny-Pectoral is a most invaluable preparation. It has given the utmost satisfaction to all who have tried it, many in their system, no one of the benefits derived from its use in their families. It is reputable for old or young, being pleasant to the taste. In this with me has been wonderful, and I can always recommend it as a safe and reliable cough medicine."

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MONTREAL

MR. ROBERT HENRY, who at the general election in June, defeated Hon. William Paterson by 90 votes, was unseated at the contested election trial, and a new election ordered. The Mail and Empire seems to cavil at the decision because it was based on the evidence of a pagan Indian, who was paid $4.00 for his vote. This evidence should not be considered more heathenish than the practice of securing a false popular verdict by bribing the electorate. We dont know how many instances of bribery might have been established if all of the 215 charges of bribery had been investigated. The first witness examined on the charge of bribery was sufficient, in the estimation of the judges, to void the election.

THE charge has often been brought that the Ontario Government is sacrificing our timber resources. It is stated that Tennessee whitewood can be laid down cheaper in Toronto than white pine, owing to the high prices paid for timber limits. The price paid at the Government sale in 1892, over $3,600 per mile, it is claimed, renders it almost impossible for the licensee to dispose of his product at a figure which will permit of successful competition with Southern woods, notwithstanding the distance which the latter are removed from this market. Whatever the economic effect of this condition, it certainly disposes of the charge that the Government is sacrificing our timber resources.

IN a published interview, Mr. Sifton, the new Minister of the Interior, puts his finger on the weakest spot in the policy heretofore pursued in the administration of the Northwest Territory. That great region cannot prosper until the land becomes available for settlement, and as much of it is held by absentees and corporations, some means must be devised for throwing it open to bona fide colonists. It is rather hard that the Liberals, who protested against the policy of disposing of the Crown lands to all sorts of speculators, should have to find a remedy for the resulting evils, but it is better for the country that they are in office to grapple with them. Mr. Sifton shows that he understands the situation, and his colleagues should see that he gets a chance to improve it.

LASSWADE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

On the 25th ult. we had the hardest time on record for travelling in this place. As the rain fell it formed an ice so glare that it was almost impossible for man or beast to keep their feet.

Wm. and A. McColl deborned C. N. Dingman's entire herd of cattle, which has caused the hookers to eat together as quietly as lambs. The McColl boys understand their business and can do a good job of work in short order.

Mr. Tullock, an experienced miner from the vicinity of Belleville, has been examining this section. He reports some rich finds on Mr. A. Wilson's farm. He says there is something better for this country than a butter factory.

Mr. C. N. Dingman has been improving his place, and has added a stable for his young cattle.

Mr. May and Mr. Gilchrist are holding a series of meetings at Hales' school house and the Methuen school house. They show their religion by their daily and nightly walk through all kinds of storms to preach the Gospel.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Mace were visiting at the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McColl, a few days of last week.

Mr. W. Bound has erected a new house on his farm and has moved into it. He has a stable nearly completed for his stock.

The numerous cures of rheumatism by the use of the old standard blood-purifier, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, show conclusively that it is an effective remedy, if not indeed the specific for this most painful and persistant of maladies. What has cured others will cure you.

NORTH HARVEY.

From our own Correspond[illegible]

Last Saturday night Wm. Ward met with rather an unfortunate mishap whilst returning from Bobcaygeon, where he had been doing his shopping. It appears that he did not leave the village until after dark, and everything went all right until he reached Flanigan's Lake, where his horse (at the best of times not very good to keep the road) sheered off into the ditch. The wheel of the cart passed over a log or some obstacle and threw Mr. Ward out. One of his legs caught and got a bad wrench; part of the harness and some glass was all that was broken. A neighbour happening along at the time helped to extricate him and gather up the scattered parcels. They managed to fix up the harness so that it would take him home safely, as he had not far to go. He was very thankful that he had no bones broken.

Mrs. James Beatty, who has been suffering for some time past with rheumatism, is, we are glad to say, rapidly recovering and will soon be herself again.

Mrs. Geo. Ray, of North Smith, who for the past week was here visiting friends, returned home Saturday.

The Rev. Mr. McKnight held a thanksgiving service here last Thursday night which was very well attended,

Mr. J. S. Cairnduff is having the wood out on the strip of timber that he had injured by the fire the past summer as he purposes clearing the land the coming spring for meadow.

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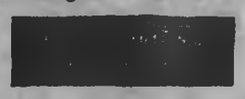

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River Drivers Often Waist Deep in Icy Waters—Pain-Racked Bodies the Frequent Outcome—Only the Most Robust Can Stand This Weary Round of Toil.

From the Ottawa Free Press.

Only those who have engaged in the arduous occupation of lumbering know how dearly earned is their livelihood, for among the many vocations of men that of lumbermen ranks among the most dangerous and difficult. There is a heavy shanty labour from earliest dawn to evening star when the toiler for half the year is remote from home and friends, and whose daily round is to eat and work and sleep, only getting an occasional glimpse of the outside world through a long looked for letter from some loved one far away.

Then the days lengthen, the frozen lake breaks up, and comes the driving of logs and hewn timber down the tortuous swift running stream, when necessity often calls the driver to wade body deep in the swift flowing icy waters. None but the strong can engage in such heavy labour, only the most robust are able to stand the ten hours of daily toil, with but a mid-day hour's respite. Such, in brief, is the life of many thousands of labourers in the Ottawa valley, and among

the many is Thos Doble of 130 Head street, Chaudiere, who for twelve long years has wrought for the great lumber king, J. R. Booth, shantying in the snowy northern forests, and lifting three inch deal during the summer heats. It is not to be wondered at that in his long experience and great exposure he should contract a severe cold that in time took permanent lodging in the region of the loins and kidneys. Like many others he thought to work it off—but in vain. Soon the pains in the region of the kidneys became so intense that labour was a torture to him, and it was only the indomitable courage, born of the knowledge that others were dependent upon him, that urged him to pursue his weary round of daily toil. Every sudden movement of his body was as a thorny goad that made him wince beneath its sting. Added to this was an unusual and excessive sweating which necessitated frequent changes of clothing, and which weakened him to such an extent that his appetite was almost entirely gone, and eventually but little food and much water was his daily fare. Many vain efforts were made by Mr. Doble to free himself from the pains which had fastened themselves upon him, and one medicine after another was used, but without effect. Life became a burden and existence a thing almost undesirable. After many fruitless efforts he was induced to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When three boxes were taken the change in his condition was marvellous, and his own words are: "When I had taken six boxes I was a new man and consider the cure worth hundreds of dollars." Mr. Doble, although completely cured, continues taking Pink Pills occasionally and is very enthusiastic in his praises of what the pills have done for him. Many of his fellow workmen seeing the great change wrought in him by these famous pills have been led to give them a trial for other ailments and are unanimous in pronouncing them superior to all other medicines.

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MORE FIERCE GALES.

English Channel and North Sea in a Turmoil.

CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE REPORTED

The Historic Chain Pier at Brighton Demolished—One of the Ostend Packets Dashed Against the Pier at Dover—The Hamburg Strike Extends—Cable News Generally.

London, Dec. 4.—A southeast gale is prevailing in the English Channel and the North Sea and a tremendous sea is running. Many casualties have been reported. The historic chain pier at Brignt, which was erected in 1823, has been demolished. The pier was damaged in a recent storm and there was some talk of taking it down. It was reported at the time that a number of Americans intended to purchase it and erect it at one of the seaside resorts in the United States. One of the Ostend packet boats was thrown violently by a heavy sea against the pier at Dover, and in the excitement occasioned by the collision narrowly escaped going on the rocks.

GERMAN AFFAIRS.

The Emperor Cautions the Military Against Antagonizing Civilians.

Berlin, Dec. 4.—The Hanover Anzeiger says that the Emperor paid a visit last evening to the Hanover Riding School, where he addressed the young officers. His Majesty in the course of his remarks deplored the act of Lieut. Baron Von Brusewitz, who a short time ago avenged an insult by running a civilian through with his sword in a cafe at Carlsruhe, and cautioned the officers against doing anything to create antagonism between the officer corps and the civilian class. Anyhow, he said, officers would better not show any feeling of antagonism towards civilians.

The Lokal Anzeiger publishes a Constantinople despatch, reporting that the Emperor and Empress of Germany will visit Jerusalem on Easter Sunday, 1897, to attend to the consecration of the Evangelical Church, built on the site given to the late Emperor Frederick by the Sultan. The despatch adds that the Emperor and Empress will then proceed to Cairo at the Khedive's invitation.

CALLED THEM ALL OUT.

Hamburg Strike Extends Now to All the Workmen in the Harbor.

Hamburg, Dec. 4.—The Strike Committee has called out all of the Hamburg Harbor workmen, irrespective of the character of their employment, in order to assist the strikers. The men called out include the engineers, bargemen and others employed by the state and city. The action was taken in response to an appeal from the strikers, as the result of the meetings held yesterday. The course of the committee was approved by a meeting of the workers, held subsequent to the issuance of the order calling the men out.

At Antwerp.

Antwerp, Dec. 4.—The dock laborers at this port are refusing to unload vessels coming from Hamburg and a general strike of dockmen is imminent.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Talk of the Queen Visiting Ireland Next Year in Connection With Celebrations.

London, Dec. 4.—According to a Dublin correspondent of The Daily News, there is talk of Queen Victoria visiting Ireland in 1897 in connection with the celebrations over her reign having reached the longest period of any English reign.

President of Liberia Dead.

London, Dec. 4.—Advices received here to-day from Liberia announce that the President of that Republic, Joseph Cheeseman, died on Nov. 11. Vice-President Coleman was inaugurated as President on Nov. 13.

Russian Students Arrested.

London, Dec. 4.—A despatch from Moscow to The Standard says that the authorities there frustrated an attempted students' demonstration in memory of the terrible Hodinsky Plain disaster last year, when hundreds of peasants were killed in the stampede at the distribution of the souvenir mugs of the Czar's coronation. Their demonstration was prevented by arresting a hundred of the ringleaders and the closing of the cemetery where the victims were buried by troops.

No Hope for Dreyfus.

Paris, Dec. 4.—The Committee of Petitions has rejected the petition of Mme. Dreyfus for a fresh trial of her husband, Captain Alfred Dreyfus, who was drummed out of the French army on conviction as a spy, and who was exiled on Isle Du Diable, off the coast of French Guiana.

Woman Punished for a Man's Crime.

London, Dec. 4.—A Vienna despatch to The Standard reports that an English woman named Annie Ilett has been sentenced to a year's imprisonment with hard labor, for forging cheques in November, 1895, on a letter of credit and a cheque book, which was stolen from a Mrs. Parsons on a voyage from New York to Gibraltar, by a man traveling with the Ilett woman. The pair afterwards traveled on the Continent, uttering forged cheques. The man has disappeared.

Bubonic Plague Spreading.

Bombay, Dec. 4.—The bubonic plague, which has been prevalent among the natives here, with fatal effect in a majority of cases, has now spread to the Europeans, several of whom have died from the disease.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

Brussels, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

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Gents,—I was in very poor health for over four years; the doctor said it was constipation. Not wanting to spend too much cash I got three bottles of B.B.B. and took it regularly, I can certify that I am now in the very best of health and feel very grateful to B.B.B.

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"I can heartily recommend the use of Paine's Celery Compound to any one suffering from the same troubles. You have my best wishes for the future success of your excellent medicine."

Mr. Allen Outhouse, Justice of the Peace, says: "I can certify that the above statement is true in every particular."

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COST

Will Not be a Barrier

to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.00, now $ 75
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.25, now 1 00
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.75, now 1 25
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $3.50, now 2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 60
Lacing Gloves..... were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourboo quality, in black and colour-d..... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1.25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves .... were $1 25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose..... were 30c, now 20c
Higher Grades at Cost.
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 20c, now 15c
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 25c, now 20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

ROBERT HALL

325 George Street, Peterborough, Telephone 171.

Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Probabilities.

Partly fair; light local falls of sleet or rain; stationary or a little higher temperature.

W. C. T. U.

The W.C.T.U. will meet at Mrs. Paton's, 222 Brock street, on Monday at 3.30 p.m. A large attendance is desired. Business of importance.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., (Box 55.) 12d132

Children's Aid Society.

The Children's Aid Society desire to acknowledge with thanks a donation of $10 to the funds of the Society. It is a pleasure to note that the work and aims of this excellent organization are receiving increasing, and what is best, practical recognition.

Nature's Best Gift.

Wheat is one of nature's best gifts to man. Shredded whole wheat contains every part of the wheat, therefore it is the healthiest and most digestable article of food that can be used. Try shredded whole wheat. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. 2d

Alleged Perjury Case.

Mr. Lou Craig was arrested last night charged with perjury in connection with the recent liquor violation case from Ashburnham. He has elected to be tried by jury and the preliminary hearing will take place on Monday afternoon at two o'clock. R. E. Wood appears for the Crown and W. A. Stratton for the defence.

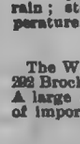
Abusive Language Case.

On the complaint of Samuel Newall a couple of young men were in court this morning charged with using abusive language towards him. The language attributed to the complainant, himself, and his sister on the occasion referred to was even worse than that used by the defendants. The case was dismissed. Mr. E. B. Stone represented the defence.

Election Petitions.

The following Dominion election petitions still remain to be tried:—North Grey, at Owen Sound, on December 17: East York, at Toronto, on January 4th; North Ontario, at Cannington, on December 14; East Durham, at Cobourg, on December 28; London, at London, on December 17; West Toronto (two petitions) at Toronto, on January 4; East Simcoe, at Barrie, on December 21.

Otonabee Lodge I.O.O.F. Anniversary.



The annual anniversary entertainment of Otonabee Lodge, I.O.O.F., will be held in their hall, corner of George and Hunter streets, on Monday evening, Dec. 7th. An interesting programme of vocal and instrumental music by some of the best local talent will be provided, to be followed by the usual social and refreshments. 4d130

Two Holidays.

Mayor Fleming, of Toronto, is circulating petitions among the Toronto business men to find out if they are willing to remain closed the day after Christmas. The proposition is being considered favourably. How would such a scheme work in Peterborough, Christmas coming on Friday? If Saturday was also a holiday clerks and those employed in offices could visit their homes or out of town friends till Saturday night or Monday morning.

The Historical Association.

Those interested in the preservation and collection of data of the early history of this country are urgently requested to keep in mind the meeting to be held on Monday afternoon at 4 p.m. in the council chamber, in connection with the formation here of a branch of the Canadian Historical Association, and to show their interest by their presence. There is now a general awakening of interest in the early history of this country, stimulated, no doubt by the near approach of the 400th anniversary of the discovery of the country by Cabot, and Peterborough should do her share in preserving facts and incidents that will add to the records of our primitive history.

A DEAD HORSE IN THE RIVER.

The Board of Health to Take Action in Regard to the Matter.

The body of the cart horse belonging to Corry & Laverdure, T. V. C. contractors, which was drowned at Nassau the other day, is still in the river, being caught at the dam. It is beginning to putrify and several complaints have been sent in to Dr. Clarke, Medical Health Officer, in regard to the matter.

Dr. Clarke has notified the firm to have the body removed but as his notification has not produced the desired effect, the Board of health purposes to take decisive action in regard to the matter, as the presence of the animal in the water from which the town is supplied is not at all desirable.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Discussions on Various Subjects Last Night but no Decisions Reached.

At a meeting of the committee of the whole council last evening nothing further was done in regard to the appeal against the judgement in the case of Jackson vs. Peterborough.

The matter of the schedule of rental for the privilege of placing poles on the streets again come up but it was decided to make no change in the provisions of the bylaw regulating the matter.

The question of the salaries of the town clerk and town treasurer was discussed at length but no decision was reached.

THE KINMOUNT SUICIDE.

Particulars as to how the Deed Was Done.

A Kinmount correspondent writes :—On Tuesday afternoon, about 2 o'clock, this community was thrown into a state of intense excitement by a rumour being brought in that Mr. Henry Ogglestone, who lives on his farm on the outskirts of the village, had shot himself.

Upon making closer enquiries it proved only too true.

The surmises are that very poor health and financial losses lately caused him to commit the rash act. When found he had been some time dead, having shot himself in the roof of the mouth.

THE SATURDAY MARKET.

Poultry Still Remains Cheap—Plump Little Turkeys Selling at 50c.

The market to-day was a good one, the excellence of the roads inducing many farmers to come into town, although the weather looked threatening.

There was a good deal of garden produce marketed and large quantities of fowl. Butter brought from 16 to 18c. per lb.; fresh eggs from 17 to 18c. per dozen; geese from 50 to 60c.; turkeys, all the way from 50c. to $1; ducks, 50 and 60c., and chickens, 30 and 40c.

P. C. I. LITERARY SOCIETY.

An Open Meeting to be held Shortly After Christmas.

The seventh regular meeting of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute Literary Society was held December 4th, with the President in the chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

It was moved by Mr. Boswell and seconded by Mr. Clark, that in the open meeting to be held shortly after Christmas, an entrance fee of ten cents be charged to the pupils, and five cents to the pupils of the lower forms.—Carried.

The following programme was then rendered :

Speech..... Miss Philp
Recitation..... Mr Denny
Instrumental solo..... Miss J Cameron
Reading..... Mr S Hall
Journal..... Editor
Speech—"The ancient conception of after life" Mr F Sowers
A story orig nally told..... Mr W Beer
Critic's report..... Mr Alex Elliott

The meeting then closed with the National Anthem.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

To-night, Gospel and song service at 7.30. Try and come.

Chorus club practice 8 30 to 9.30. It is important that all should attend.

Meeting to-morrow afternoon at 4.15 as usual. Address by Rev. J. J. Rae. Fill the hall.

Madill's Compound Healing Salve for burns, scalds, frost bites, or sores of and kind.

Big cut in Single Breasted Walking Coats that Were $5 to $6.50, for $2.98 at Grafton & Co's.

A Good Judge of Meat

Is a blessing to any household. She knows that for prime roasts, juicy steaks and chops, fresh poultry and delicious sausage, J. J. HOWDEN'S, 461 George street, is the favourite meat shop for her. Hams, bacon and lard always on hand. Telephone 39.

Evangelistic Meetings.

Mr. J. Hixon Irving, an evangelist from England, will address a meeting in the Gospel Hall, corner Brock and George streets, to-morrow night at 7 o'clock. He will probably conduct meetings each evening next week in the same place.

Patronize Home Manufacture.

Always ask for Calcutta Ale and Porter and keep the money in town. Sold by all first-class houses. When you spend your money in his manufacture you are sure that it will remain in town and pass around. If you drink outside manufactures the money is sent out of town and lost forever. 30d121

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5.75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 250 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

Christmas at Hand.

What a host of preparations to make, presents to choose, homes to decorate—and what a pleasure it will be to hosts of people. Commence early then and make your selections for gift-giving, and if you begin at the Peterborough Bookstore you need seek no further. Santa Claus is strongly entrenched all over this magnificent store with dolls, games, toys, sleighs, rocking horses, and a myraid of similar presents; also Christmas cards, holiday books, elegant and costly fancy goods. Get first choice and avoid the crowds.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

The Globe Annual Encyclopedia for 1897.

We are informed that this valuable work of reference is now ready for issue, and that the demand for it from all parts of of Canada up to the present has been very great.

The value of the work as a reliable reference, its artistic and durable make up, and the skilful treatment of the many subjects presented, contribute to increase its sale.

The price is 25 cents, postage prepaid, or it may be had from any newsdealer. It would be well for those of our readers wishing such a work to order at once, as at present indications the supply of the first edition will not more than meet the demand.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The Port Hope Hockey club is already holding practices.

—There are twenty-seven lawyers practising in Peterborough.

—Myles Coon failed to respond to his summons, this morning, in the Police Court. It was a case of assault.

—Postmasters have been notified that the only announcements allowed to be hung up in post offices are those connected directly with the postal service.

—A meeting of hunters and sportsmen will be held in the town council chamber on Thursday next, Dec. 10th, to consider amendments to the present game laws, which will be presented to the Government by a deputation.

—The Ottawa Free Press says:—On the Trent Valley Canal there will be work going on in the rock cuttings in two sections through the winter. These are the contracts held by Andrew Onderdonk and Love, Brown & Aylmer.

—Miss Gibbs, matron of the Barnardo Home, Peterborough, says the Lindsay Post, arrived in town last evening, and spent to-day driving through Ops and Mariposa visiting farmers who have Barnardo boys in their employment.

—A number of boys were requested to retire from the Police Court this morning and it would be well if the police would be well if the police would attend more closely to such matters, as whenever an unsavoury case comes up the court room is crowded with boys.

—The American authorities are exercising the very strictest watch to prohibit further shipments of filled cheese through Canadian ports to save payment of the high tax, and no new reports of any suspicious packages have been received of late.

—York County has passed a resolution to petition the legislature to prohibit the manufacture and sale of all wagons, carts and drays carrying more than a ton, with tires less than three inches in width. What will Peterborough county do in the matter? The gospel of good roads is spreading fast throughout the province. The sooner the better.

—Judge W. L. Cundiff, formerly of Lincoln, Neb., who first nominated Bryan for Congress, has become dangerously insane on the subject of politics. Cundiff is a personal friend of W. J. Bryan, and returned ten days ago from a stumping tour of Nebraska. He will be removed to the Norman Insane Asylum.

—Work has commenced on the lager beer department in connection with Calcutt's brewery. Men are engaged in digging the cellar and the work will be vigourously pushed till spring. It is Mr. Calcutt's intention to have this department in full swing next summer. Contracts have been let for the masonry and stone work.

—The educational value of newspapers has never been more conspicuously shown than during the past year or two, when important scientific discoveries have crowded so quickly upon one another. There is no reader of a good newspaper nowadays who is not thoroughly posted as to all scientific discoveries, so far as these discoveries can be made known without technical study and explanation. The information imparted in this way has not only been valuable for information's sake and in keeping readers thoroughly up to date, but it constantly stimulates inquiry and intellectual activity in their minds.

PERSONAL

Mr. Wm. Noyse, of Midland, is home on a visit to his parents, Ashburnham.

Miss L. Trollope, who has been visiting friends in Lakefield, has returned home.

Mr. R. A. Lattimer, of the Campbellford Gazette, gave the EXAMINER a call this morning.

Rev. Father Fitzpatrick has returned from Norwood where he was attending the funeral of his brother.

Mrs. W. W. Daly will sing as a solo "Consider the Lilies," in the George street church, to-morrow evening.

Miss McAllister, of Pembroke, will contribute a solo at the evening service at St. Paul's church to-morrow evening.

The many friends of Mr. Wm. Walsh, will be pained to learn that his condition, consequent upon a long illness, shows no signs of improvement.

Rev. Father Phelan and his father, Mr. Ed. Phelan, have returned from Ottawa, where they have been in attendance at the funeral of the late Richard Naegle.

At a meeting of the board of degrees in connection with the Church of England held in Toronto, Thursday of last week, Rev. Wilson McCann, B.A., of Omemee, was granted the degree of B.D.

Mr. Harry Neil left for the west last night on a business trip with a view of procuring a plant for a lager beer department in connection with Calcutt's brewery. He will also visit brewers engaged in the manufacture of lager during the trip.

Mr. J. W. T. Fairweather, who purchased the J. & J. Lugsden stock of furs in Toronto, has moved from the east to the west side of Yonge street, and may now be found occupying the store adjoining that of Ryrie Bros., jewellers.

Mr. A. H. Jory, formerly of Lakefield, is home on a holiday, after six years absence in Manitoba, where he has been engaged in the cheese and butter business in Newdale. He states that the western province is going ahead rapidly in dairying, and as the farmers are now giving the matter their attention, Ontario will soon be astonished by the results. Mr Jory will assume charge of the Provincial Dairy School at Winnipeg the first of the year.

For stomach and liver trouble use Madill's Stomach and Liver Pill; few doses will relieve.

High up again are piled the Bargain Tables of Underwear at Grafton & Co's.

Electric Lamps.

China Hall has a full assortment—4, 6, 10, 16 and 32 candle power—at lowest prices

TINTED COVERS

Really well worth the attention of the Ladies, the price being only 35c at Miss Melville's, 424 George street.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

DO YOU SMOKE? DO YOU WANT A PIPE?

Our stock is still large and of first quality. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. by buying from us now. Save it. The whole stock in trade for sale "en bloc." CLEGG'S RETIRING SALE, (Next to Stratton's Bookstore).

Windsor Salt

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

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—AT THE—

PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE

SANTA CLAUS is now strongly in evidence all over the PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE, with Dolls, Games, Toys, Sleighs, Rocking Horses, and a multitude of Playthings and Presents to choose from, together with Christmas Cards, Holiday Books, Christmas Papers, Purses, Albums, Leather Goods, Elegant Fancy Goods, and Costly Unique Novelties. The whole Store pulsates with a new life, and the Christmas Attractions discount everything ever before attempted.

Mirrors, Medallions,
Onyx Tables,
Photo Frames,
Purses, finest leathers,
Purses, sterling silver mounted
Gentlemen's Pocket Books,
Gentlemen's Letter Wallets,
Travelling Companions,
Ladies' Writing Books,
Ladies' Writing Portfolios,
Hand Painted Porcelain Placques,
Solid Brass Photo Frames,
Hand Paintings on Porcelain,
Jewel Cases,
Brush and Comb Sets,
Pin Trays,
Manicure Sets,
Smoking Sets,
Gent's Handkerchief Holders,
Gent's Necktie Holders,
Gent's Collar and Cuff Cases,
Gent's Shaving Cases,
Table and Office Bells,
Fancy Ink Stands,
Fountain Pens,
Gold Pens,
Gold Pencils,
Perfume Bottles,
Ladies' Work Baskets,
Dolls of all kinds,
Games,
Picture Books,
Toy Books of all kinds,
Children's Sets of Dishes,
Dolls Carriages,
Dolls Cradles,
Sleighs of all kinds,
Rocking Horses,
All the Annuals for 1897.
All the Illustrated Christmas Papers,
The Poets in any Bindings,
Any of the Standard Works in Sets,
Diaries for 1897,
Scrap Albums,
Photograph Albums,
Autograph Albums,
Hand, Table and Dressing Mirrors,
Hand Painted Opera and Party Fans,
Shopping Bags,
Ladies' Card Cases,
Water and Lemonade Sets,
Card Receivers,
Christmas Booklets,
Christmas Art Calendars,
Christmas Cards,
A beautiful selection of Bibles,
Common Prayers and Hymns,
Bibles and Methodist Hymns,
Catholic Prayer Books, etc.

These are only a few of the many suggestions we can offer you for Xmas and New Year Gifts. We make a specialty of supplying Presents for Xmas Trees Entertainments, and have everything you want, but we still do business on the same old plan—

Prices Always the Lowest!

A. H. STRATTON & CO., 417 George Street.

AN EXCELLENT TEST.

Grapes in Cold Storage Reach England in Prime Condition.

A test was recently made of sending some Canadian grapes to England in cold storage. They arrived there in as good condition as if they had just been picked. Cold storage offers great possibilities for Canadian producers. Established on a proper scale, not only our butter, meat and eggs would find ready sale at good prices, but our small fruits as well. The size of the crop would then make little difference in the revenue to be derived. Cold storage is not in its experimental stage. It is an undoubted success, and the Government should pay no heed to the cranks who oppose encouragement to the system. Some people will oppose anything—good, bad or indifferent.—Exchange.

Madill's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil for bronchitis or long standing cough; pleasant to take; carefully prepared.

The Busy Store.

Some merchants would have the public believe that the big sale at Routley's was only a "fake" sale, and that they can sell just as cheap. I might just say here that I have always paid a hundred cents on the dollar during my twenty years of business, and that my goods have been bought, and are now being sold at less prices than others can buy them. Yet it will last only a few weeks longer, as I am positively retiring from the retail business, and would like all who owe me accounts to call and settle before January 1st, 1897. C. B. ROUTLEY.

GILT-EDGED BUTTER.

A Limited Number of Customers Wanted for weekly supply of choice Dairy Butter. No roots fed, satisfaction guaranteed, sample order solicited. Leave your address at the "Examiner Office." 6eod130

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours made to order, perfect fit, for

$4.00.

The same Goods sell in Toronto for $8.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for .. $3.00

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

W. J. GREEN,

No. 145 Hunter Street. Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

C. P. R.

"SPECIALS"

Owing to the recent order of the C. P. R. Company to their employees to carry inspected Watches, we have this week put into stock two splendid C. P. R. "Specials":—

The Elgin B. W. Raymond,
The Waltham C.P.R. 'Special.'

The movements in both of these watches are the finest high-rating movements produced, and for accurate time-keeping cannot be excelled.

We invite C. P. R. employees as well as all others who want a thoroughly reliable time-keeper to come and inspect these two "Specials."

This is the Last Week of Our Jewelry Sale.

McClelland

The Jeweler, Peterborough.

Favourite Beverages

NOW IN STORE, full supplies of the following favourite beverages, from the Walkerville well known Brewing and Distilling Company:—

BOTT'S STOUT Especially fine for Invalids.
KAISER BEER Light and Sparkling for table use.
ST. GEORGE'S PALE ALE Equal to Bass and sold at half the price.

We are the Sole Agents in Peterborough for these fine goods.

Superior Port and Sherry Wines, Allan's Cider for Mince Meat, Gooderham's, Walker's and Seagram's Fine Whiskies and other Reliable Liquors.

CHRISTMAS FRUITS AND GROCERIES ARRIVING.

M. L. HENRY & CO.

OPPOSITE THE OPERA HOUSE, GEORGE ST.

Selling Out

OUR STOCK AT

Greatly Reduced Prices

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S.

Only three weeks until our buyer leaves for Europe, and we must have the money for him. The first week of this GREAT REALIZATION SALE has been a grand success. There are Bargains still in store for cash buyers.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

100 doz White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs 10c quality, sale price 5c.
10 doz White and Coloured Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, were 25c, sale price 15c.
20 doz Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, sale price 10c.

HOSIERY.

25 pair Heavy Wool Hose, sale price 15c.
25 doz pair Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Hose, sale price 25c.
Boy's Heavy Ribbed Wool Hose, sale price 25c.

UNDERWEAR.

10 doz Men's Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, sale price 50c.
10 doz Men's Heavy Wool Shirts and Drawers, sale price 75c.
5 doz Ladies' Vests and Drawers, special price 25c.
3 doz Vests. All wool, were $1.10, reduced to 75c.
Combinations, Tights and Vests in Health Brand reduced.
25 Night Gowns, sale price 50c.

DRESS GOODS.

200 yds Tweed and Plaid Dress Goods, were 25c, reduced to 15c.
200 Boucle Tweed Dress Goods, were 35c, reduced to 25c.
150 yds All wool Dress Goods, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
100 yds All wool and Wool and Silk Dress Goods, were 75c, reduced to 50c.
25 per cent. off all our Dress Lengths.

SILKS.

200 yds China Silk, reduced to 20c.
200 Remnants Black and Coloured Silks for Blouses reduced.

RIBBONS.

200 yds Double Satin Ribbon, 10c quality, sale price 5c.
300 yds 2-inch Double Satin Ribbon, sale price 3c.

GLOVES.

100 pairs Perrin's Guaranteed Gloves, were $1.25, reduced to 75c.
Cashmere Gloves 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 40c.

MEN'S TIES.

100 Silk Four-in-hand Ties, were 40c, sale price 25c.
100 Silk Four-in-hand Ties, were 50c, sale price 35c.
25 Boy's Silk Ties, were 40c, sale price 25c.

JACKETS AND CAPES.

The prices we quote on these goods are keeping a stir in this department.

MILLINERY.

All the prices in the buyer's favour.

FLANNELS AND BLANKETS.

In your own interest call and see our values.

CARPETS.

Large shipments to other towns from this department. Our prices must be right. Call and see.

WE KEEP THIS SWEEPER.

It Makes a Good Christmas Present.

Times will be lively at our store for the next two months if close prices will cut any figure as we are determined to turn our stock into cash. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. NO RESERVE. Money must be realized.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

NIGHT SCHOOL

How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to improve their education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the student.

Many have fitted themselves for better positions by attending our Night School. You can do the same.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings. 7 to 9 p.m.

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Perhaps You Never

Tried our Tea, if so you don't know what good Tea we sell how low in price.

Then again there is not two or three profits in our Tea, we import them and you get the advantage.

Two things to remember—we import our Teas and save for you the importer's and jobber's profit.

This month we are selling our Thirty-five cent Tea for Twenty-eight cents a pound.

Stroud Bros.,

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370 George St., Peterborough.

Also at Montreal, Kingston, Toronto and Ottawa.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Madill's Cream of Witch Hazel

Has no superior as a remedy for chapped hands or face, or any roughness of the skin.

St. Luke's Church, Ashburnham.

The second of the course of Advent sermons in St. Luke's church will be preached by Rev. H. Symonds to-morrow evening. Subject, "The preparation of the Roman world for the coming of Christ."

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Mining Notes.

The English Company who some months ago made a test of the copper deposits in the township of Chandos, Peterborough County, have arranged for the operation of their mine on a large scale and will shortly commence work.

Putnam's Corn Extractor

Cures in twenty-four hours. This is the testimony of tens of thousands who have used it. Putnam's acts speedily, without pain, and removes corns in twenty-four hours.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on and after this date the partnership heretofore existing between dyspepsia and poor groceries will be dissolved. There will be no more dyspepsia or disagreeable feeling after meals if your groceries are procured from R. Brown & Co., 394 George street, direct importers of groceries wines and liquors.

Died at Winnipeg.

Mr. Wm. Bennett, of Harvey, Buckhorn Road, sold his farm this summer to Mr. John Spence, and after having his sale of stock, removed to Manitoba in July last with his wife and six children. About two weeks ago he took sick at Winnipeg, and, after four days illness, died. Mr. Bennett was highly respected by his neighbors in Harvey, who with his other friends will regret to learn of his sudden demise. The family will return to Peterborough.

The Tramp Nuisance.

The city police, government detectives and county constables intend petitioning the Minister of Justice for certain amendments to the criminal code relating to tramps. It is claimed that the wandering Willies commit many of the burglaries in the country. One of the changes asked for is the insertion of a clause providing that every tramp who has a revolver in his possession when arrested, shall be liable to six months in jail and receive 15 lashes.

C. E. Convention.

The second convention of the Presbyterial Young People's Societies of the Presbytery of Peterborough will be held in St. Paul's church, Peterborough, on Monday, Dec. 14, 1896. Afternoon and evening sessions will be held. The names of delegates to this convention should be forwarded at once to the convener of the Billeting Committee, Miss E. Paterson, box 395, Peterborough. Upon arrival at Peterborough, delegates will kindly repair to St. Paul's church, where all information will be given.

Wood Bought on Commission.

Mr. George J. Chalmers, 542 Water street, who has had long experience in the handling of wood for fuel, is prepared to give his services, in consideration of a small commission, to those citizens who desire to purchase good wood. He will guarantee to select the quality needed, and see that it is what is wanted, and that the measurement is correct. Ladies who visit the market to buy wood are often deceived in quantity and quality. By employing Mr. Chalmers they are sure to get what they want, both in quality and quantity. Measurements of timber, logs, cedar, etc., given when desired. 6eod132

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SOME REMINISCENCES OF STIRRING EVENTS OF '37.

THE MEMORABLE AND MUDDY MARCH TO TORONTO.

How Peterborough Patriots did Their Duty—Details of the Tramp to Toronto—What Governor Head Thought of the Peterborough Warriors—Their Good Work and Ungrateful Treatment—Few Survivors of That Now Celebrated March.

In the daily Mail and Empire of a recent date Mr. Peter Shepherd, of Toronto, gives his recollections of stirring incidents in the unpleasantness of 1837. In so doing it appears that he has made some slight slips which have been detected by a resident who was also a participant in the events of that period, Mr. James Wason, 617 Rubidge street. In one paragraph of his reminiscences, Mr. Shepherd leaves the impression that the prisoners captured at the battle of the Windmill were hanged off-hand without trial or shrift. As a matter of fact Mr. Wason states, and his statement is a matter of history, that these persons received a fair and full trial. They were defended by Mr. John Macdonald, of Kingston, then a rising young lawyer, whom the reader will instantly recognize as afterwards Sir John Macdonald.

Another instance of Mr. Shepherd being "out of step." He refers to the title of "Muddy York" being applied to Toronto at the time of the visit of the 93rd, to which he was attached. Mr. Wason says the city was then known as Toronto, and the title of "Muddy York," though well deserved, was not then applied to what is now known as the "Queen City."

Mr. Wason is able to give some interesting particulars of the part the people of this district took in the rising of 1837. And he can say of the celebrated muddy march to Toronto, as Virgil made Æneas say of the events with which he loaded up Queen Dido, "et quorum pars magna fui," for Mr. Wason was "Sergeant Wason"

ON THE MEMORABLE TRAMP

of the Third Division of the "Queen's Own," and the subsequent events in Toronto and elsewhere.

The call to arms came on the 7th of December, 1837, for all men between 16 and 60. The first muster was at Warsaw, and the first night was spent in Ashburnham, where the embryo army bivouacked on the site of Mr. J. J. Lundy's present residence, which was then occupied by a pretentious building, greatly similar to the present house, and then locally known as "Thompson's Folly," on account of its being in extent and elaborate character too much for the builders' means to maintain. The force was known as the Third Division of the "Queen's Own Incorporated Militia."

The officers of the Third Division, as far as Mr. Wason remembers, were Lt. Col. Brown, Major Wigmore, Captain Thompson, Capt. Armstrong, Lieut. Carver and Ensign Boyd, popularly known as "Barney Boyd."

The first march was to what was then known as "Cavan Long Swamp," now Fraserville. But the forces countermarched to Peterborough to permit all men over 45 to return to their homes, as it was not considered that the circumstances were so urgent as to require their services in addition to those of the younger men.

As is well known the winter of 1837 was an open one and of course the mud was very much in evidence

AS THE GALLANT SOLDIERS

of the Third Division found to their sorrow, before they reached Toronto. As an example of the open nature of that winter Sergeant Wason cites the fact that the steamer Traveller plied regularly during the winter between Toronto and Kingston and that the Transit, another steamer, kept up her trips across the lake from Toronto. The bay at Toronto did not freeze over entirely during the winter.

The Third Division volunteers were not a very imposing body of warriors. Most of them had arms, but they had no uniforms and they therefore presented a very motley appearance, suggestive of gay old Falstaff's "ragged regiment."

Another start was made for the seat of war, and the first day the distance covered was 27 miles, which brought the force to "Bletcher's Corners," near Port Hope. The mud was knee-deep in places, and the fatigue of the raw recruits may be imagined when it is stated that the first day they only got two meals; but even this was an improvement over the following three days which were required to complete the journey. The commissariat, which was very indifferently organized, was in charge of one Fawcett, who at that time kept an hotel, or "tavern," as it was then called, at Graystock's, in Otonabee. Some days the one meal a day consisted of pork and whisky, varied another day by pork and potatoes. While the gallant Third Divisioners were willing to fight, they strongly objected to doing it on such limited rations, and it may be easily concluded that Commissariat Officer Fawcett did not get knighted for his services in that department. On the march the people were found very unwilling generally to supply the warriors with "grub." The sleeping accomodation on the march was no better than the food. Most of the force didn't see a bed from the time of leaving home until they reached Toronto. They slept on floors and stabled lofts and other improvised couches.

On their arrival in Toronto the Peterborough force was properly equipped and was reviewed by the Governor, Sir Francis Bond Head, who, if he was pig headed and domineering, was a good judge of a soldier. He

COMPLIMENTED THE BOYS

and told them they were as stalwart and hardy a body of men as he had seen and he gave old Peterborough thanks for such a splendid lot of volunteers.

The force was quartered in the Court House, and the "Coffee House" referred to by Mr. Shepherd in his reminiscences was the officers' mess of the Third Division.

In February of 1837 Sergt. Wasson and his companions in arms went with a detachment of the Queen's Own across the lake to take part in the demonstration against Navy Island and to drive Mackenzie from his stronghold.

After this expedition the volunteers were discharged and they had the hard fate of many others—their services were not munificently recognized by a grateful country. They were let go and cast aside like a worn shoe when it was thought their services were no longer needed, and allowed to find their way to their neglected farms and homes the best they could, as Sergt. Wason expresses it to "beat their way back" if possible; and beat their way they did. Many of the volunteers were without means to pay their way. The pay of a private soldier was the large sum of a British shilling, representing 23 cents in Halifax currency. Sergt. Wason being a non-commissioned officer, got of course a little larger pay, and he had accumulated the enormous sum of $6, with which he was able to assist some of his comrades in getting back home—from Cobourg. The journey back was made by the steamer Traveller to Cobourg. And it was on board that

THE TROUBLE AROSE.

After the steamer was well on her way a demand was made for the fares. Of course the fares were not forthcoming and the officers and crew of the steamer cornered the returing veterans, who had brought victory with them but not the spoils of victory. They were enclosed in one part of the steamer by a rope and the officers and crew arming themselves with hand spikes demanded their pay. Sergeant Wason, who had $6 as mentioned, but concealed this fact, and "stood in" with the boys, was put forward as spokesman in the palaver that ensued. He represented that the volunteers numbered 200 against a dozen of the steamer's crew, and it would be decidedly unsafe to use the hand-spikes. The upshot was that the fare was not paid, and remains with many another unsettled score of that unsettled period, especially the unsettled debt of gratitude the government owed the volunteers of the Third Division in recognition of their services.

Sergt Wason feels, as others felt, particularly, the injustice of the ungrateful treatment, the volunteers, who had sacrificed so much for their country, received at the hands of the Government, while others, he claims, who were trying to subvert the Government were rewarded. He thinks that if it had not been for the services of such men as himself and his comrades, Great Britain would have not had such a country as Canada.

Mr. Wason would like all those who took part in that terrible march to communicate with him, which they can do by leaving their names at the EXAMINER Office. There are, he thinks, not many left. All he can remember as being in this county are Mr. Fred Edwards of Douro, Mr. Robt. Banning, of Belmont (he thinks) Mr. James Girven, town, and, of course, himself.

Of course there are many living who took part (but not in the memorable march) in the work of suppressing the uprising. In the winter of 1839 there was a battalion formed in Peterborough, in command of Col. McDonald, but while he was nominally the commanding officer, the real head of the battalion was Lt. Col. Cole, a veteran of Waterloo. Capt. Fraser was also another Waterloo veteran who belonged to the battalion. Mr. W. H. Wrighton, father of our esteemed citizen, Mr. W. H. Wrighton, was paymaster of the Battalion. Sergeant Wason, and others who had seen service a couple of winters previous, were urged to join the Battalion, as the raw recruits needed to be steadied by the presence of drilled men, who in many cases were competent to drill the officers of the new Battalion. Sergeant Wason, who with others, was drilled in Toronto by Sergeant Jean of the Governor's Body Guard, was the drill sergeant of the Battalion.

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CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be two masses celebrated, the first at 8 a.m., the second at 10.30 a. m., and Vespers at 7 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate. 2nd Sunday in Advent, Dec. 6th. 10 a.m. Morning Prayer, 11 a.m., Holy Communion and Sermon; 2.45 p.m., Sunday School; 7 p.m., Evening Service and Sermon. Ushers on duty—Messrs W. C. Conway, James Mulholland, W. G. Bowden, Frank Petty.

ST. JOHN'S MISSION CHAPEL.—Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets, 2nd Sunday in Advent. Holy Communion at 8.30 a.m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon at 11 a.m.; Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p.m. Evensong and sermon at 7 p.m.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. J. Rose, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 6th.—Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Subject of evening sermon "Heaven, Where and What?" Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. H. Young, B. A., pastor. Sunday, Dec. 6th. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats. Grace church Sunday School at 2.30 p.m. During the evening service—at the offertory—Mr. W. W. Daly will sing "Consider the Lilies."

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Dec. 6th. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. conducted by pastor. Sabbath School and Bible class 3 p.m. Y. P. S. C. E. Monday at 8 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Junior C. E. on Friday afternoon at 4.15. Seats free. All cordially invited

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance D.D., pastor, Sunday, Dec. 6th. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Y.P.S. C.E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed. Monthly collections for Missions.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 6th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 2.00 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all are welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. F. Tapscott, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be cordially welcomed. Regular meeting of Young People's Society on Wednesday evening.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST—Services every Sunday at 11 a.m., in the rooms in the Bank of Commerce Block, entrance on Water street, same as Business College. Public meeting every Friday night at 8 o'clock. A welcome extended to all.

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Tweed People Talk About it.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

A largely-attended meeting of the Granite Curlers was held last night when the rinks for the season's play were made up as follows:

NO. 1.	NO. 2.
J D Collins,	J McCaig,
John Burnham,	C Fessenden,
George Giroux,	H R H Keaner,
E H D Hall,	J Jeffries,
D W Dumble, (skip.)	J H Counsal, (sk'p.)
NO. 3.	NO. 4.
E B Stone,	A C Milne,
R H Fortye,	H J Grassett,
H A. Whiton,	J Crane,
G W Hatton, (skip.)	W D Parker, (skip.)
NO. 5.	NO. 6.
R Waddell.	R E Wood.
R Stevenson,	W Manson,
G M Rogers,	T E Bradburn,
E B Edwards, (skip.)	Judge Weller, (skip.)
NO. 7.	NO. 8.
Col H C Roger,	W H Hill,
Robert Fair,	F J Roger,
W A Morrow,	A Stevenson,
T P Attrill (skip).	R M Dennistoun (skip).
NO. 9.	NO. 10.
———	Dr Chas Neill,
E Rutherford,	R C Matthews,
Geo J Horkins (skip).	W L Allen,
	H M Allen (skip).
NO. 11.	NO. 12.
F H Dobbis,	W F Nelson,
E Brown,	W McNee,
J M Irwin,	W G Morrow,
R S Davidson (skip).	Geo Edmison (skip).

NO. 13.
Geo Stevens
A C Finnemore,
J H Hudson,
G S Mat hews,
Dr Boucher (skip).

A meeting of the club is called for Friday evening next when the skips will be chosen to play the foreign matches. It has yet to be decided as to the manner in which the skips will be picked. Some of curlers think the entire membership should be asked to vote on the question, whilst others hold that the skips and vice skips should do the choosing.

HOCKEY.

This is a momentous day for the hockey men of Ontario.

The annual meeting of the association which frames the laws and governs the game in the Province was held this afternoon in the Queen's Hotel. Every club in association is sending one or two delegates, and the room in which the gathering will assemble will be taxed to its utmost to hold them all. There are a number of important matters to be discussed, as there are not a few amendments to the rules and regulations proposed by various members. The formation of an intermediate series is probably the most important of the many that will come up and the indications are that it will receive the approval of the meeting. The elections will excite much interest, as the old officers will, in all probability refuse re-election. The Globe says Mr. C. A. H. Brown may stand for the Presidency, but if he does not, Vice-President J. A. Macfadden, of Stratford, will secure promotion. For the Vice-Presidency, Mr. G. J. Horkins, of Peterborough, one of the most enthusiastic hockey men in the country, is mentioned, and he should have virtually a walk-over. For the Secretaryship Alexis Martin and A. H. Beaton are in the field, and a hot fight should ensue for the place.

THE WHEEL.

Orillia is after the C.W.A. meet next year. If Orillia waits for it until the year after, it can win it "hands down," as in '98 Peterborough will again try for it and, with the usual luck in such matters, come out at the wrong end of the horn.

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THE FRUIT GROWERS

Pass Strong Resolutions in Favor of Protection Before Finally Winding Up Their Business.

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 4.—The Fruit Growers' Association concluded its session to-day by a drive about the city and to the public institutions at the request of the mayor.

The question drawer was opened this morning and the advisability of establishing a Dominion fruit experimental station in Southern Ontario was considered. Some favored it, others disapproved. The Ontario Government, it was claimed, was admirably covering the ground.

Hon. Sydney Fisher pointed out that as the fruit growers in Southern Ontario wanted a station, fruit growers in other sections would make the same demands. If the Dominion Government started these stations, in many instances it would be duplicating the work already done, which would meet with disapprobation from the people. The question of establishing a Dominion experimental station was referred to the committee appointed to prepare answers to the questions asked by Hon. Sydney Fisher yesterday. The committee will report also on this question:

Moved by Mr. Burrell, seconded by Mr. E. H. Smith, That for the guidance of the committee appointed to appear before the Tariff Commissioners, this meeting is of the opinion that the present import duties upon fruit should be maintained as they are, with the following changes only, namely: The ad valorem duty upon pears and plums of 20 per cent. and 25 per cent. respectively be changed to a specific duty of one cent per pound, and that the duty upon imported evaporated peaches be increased to two cents per pound.

This resolution was unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. E. D. Smith, seconded by ex-President M. Pettit, That as it is extremely important to prevent the utter ruin of Canadian nurserymen by the unfair competition of United States nurserymen driven to sell their stock at a frightful loss by the enormous production of southern nurserymen, and as a consequence of such ruin of Canadian nurserymen, this country would be flooded by southern grown stock, which, though firm in appearance, is not at all suited for planting in this country, this meeting is of the opinion that the present duties should be maintained.

This resolution was endorsed by the meeting.

The usual votes of thanks were passed and the gathering adjourned to meet at Waterloo next year.

Where is Mr. Jones?

London, Ont., Dec. 4.—Robert Jones, caretaker of Duffield Hall, is missing and his wife is greatly concerned about his absence. The Joneses live on Bathurst-street, and they have one child, a pretty little girl. Thursday morning the missing caretaker left home at 6 o'clock and told his wife that he was going to "the building," meaning the Duffield Hall. But he did not go there. Before leaving home he told his wife to draw his month's salary, and this Mrs. Jones has done. The tenants of Duffield Hall have seen nothing of Jones since Tuesday.

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TALK ABOUT THE FIGHT.

Fitzsimmons Has a String on That Purse and There Will be a Big Battle in the Courts.

San Francisco, Dec 4.—All day long yesterday discussion raged as to whether Fitzsimmons fouled Sharkey in the fight Wednesday night. Everybody in town had formed an opinion and everybody was anxious to express it. A large number sided with the Cornishman and proclaimed their belief that he was the victim of a deliberate plot on the part of the National Club managers and Referee Wyatt Earp to rob him of the decision. But there are others, among whom were men of unimpeachable reputation, who declared they saw the foul and that Earp's decision was strictly just.

When the National Club made the first move in what promises to be a long-drawn-out struggle in the courts for possession of the $10,000 purse, by stopping the payment of the cheque, it was done to give Martin Julian an opportunity to prove his sensational charges of fraud. The managers determined upon quick and decisive action. Having ordered the Anglo-California Bank to refuse payment of the cheque, a consultation of physicians was ordered to decide the single critical issue in the case. Most of the doctors declared the injury was the result of a blow inflicted beyond any question during the fight with Fitzsimmons. When the decision and the individual opinions of the physicians were made known, J. J. Grom and J. D. Gibbs, managers of the National A.C., addressed a letter authorizing the bank to pay Sharkey the money. This would settle the matter if it was not for a restraining order issued by Superior Court Judge Sanderson upon the bank. Fitzsimmons asked the Superior Court to take the cheque for $10,000 into its possession until a decision could be reached on the merits of the case. In his complaint, Fits alleges, on information and belief, that Sharkey, Earp and the National Athletic Club conspired to defraud him out of a rightful decision, and that he showed greater skill and training in the contest.

Meanwhile, the Anglo-California Bank is placed in an extremely awkward position. It has issued a certificate of deposit for $10,000, payable to bearer. The bank is in the peculiar position of having refused to pay and of being enjoined from paying a certificate that it pledged its commercial standing would be honored on sight.

Wyatt Earp will have to defend himself in the police courts against the charges of carrying a concealed weapon. The weapon was delivered by Earp to Capt. Wittemore at the latter's request just after the beginning of the fight, and it has since been in Wittemore's keeping. Last evening Earp was arrested and released on furnishing $50 bail.

Fitzsimmons has formally begun suit in the Superior Court to obtain possession of the $10,000 purse offered by the National A.C., and which was awarded by Referee Earp to Sharkey last night. The action is directed against the Anglo-California Bank, which is understood to hold the certified cheque against Thomas Sharkey, John Doe and Richard Roe. After alleging that boxing matches are allowed in San Francisco by virtue of an ordinance and that the National A.C. had secured a permit to hold the exhibition, Fitzsimmons' complaint alleges corruption, collusion and fraud on the part of Sharkey, the National A.C. and Referee Earp, their purpose being to swindle the plaintiff. The Anglo-California Bank declined to cash the cheque of the National Club for $10,000 when it was presented for payment by Referee Earp and Daniel Lynch, Sharkey's manager. It was presented only a few minutes after the bank was opened, but Fitzsimmons' attorney had already taken steps to stop the payment.

During the afternoon Sharkey rallied somewhat and talked of the battle. "I was all right up to the time I was fouled," he said. "Fitzsimmons opened the round rather lively and landed three lefts, but I was growing stronger all the time, and I knew I had him going. Then he led a straight left and I tried to close in for a shortarm blow. As I did so he uppercut with his right and landed a foul. After that I have no remembrance of anything until I found myself in bed here."

At Harry Corbett's pool room the announcement was made that all bets on the Sharkey-Fitzsimmons fight would be paid to-day at 1 p.m., on the basis of Referee Earp's decision awarding the victory to Sharkey in the eighth round because of a foul.

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Flour—The demand is moderate, and prices rule steady. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.15 to $4.30, according to brand.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged, dealers asking $9.75 west. Shorts, $9 to $10 west.

Wheat—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Offerings of white are limited, and the price firm at 58c outside. Red sold at 85c outside. No. 1 Manitoba hard is firm, with sales at 95c, Toronto freights, and No. 1 Northern at 94c, Toronto freights. No. 1 is quoted at 84c afloat, Fort William, at 92c Midland and at 99c to $1, Toronto freight, all rail.

Buckwheat—The market is steady and prices 29c to 30c west.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 1 is quoted at 34c and No. 2 at 32½ to 28½c outside.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 19c high freight, and at 20c middle freight; mixed 18½c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices firmer; sales at 41c north and west.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 36c west.

Corn—Market dull, with prices steady at 23c to 20c at outside points.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 3.—Spring wheat, 6c 11½d to 7s 1d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 6d to 7s 7d; corn, 2s 11¾d; peas, 4s 7½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 29s 6d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 25s 6d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast, nothing doing; on passage, buyers and sellers apart. English country markets partly 6d dearer. Maize on passage dull.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures quiet, at 6s 10¾d for Dec., Jan. and Feb., and 6s 10⅝d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 11¼d for Dec., 2s 10⅝d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 2s 11d for May. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage dull. Maize quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat 22f 10c for Jan.; flour firm at 47f 50c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat firm at 6s 10¼d for Dec., Jan. and Feb., and 6s 10⅝d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 11¼d for Dec., 2s 10¼d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 2s 10⅝d for May. Flour 25s 6d.

Kept Suffering From Pneumonia.

London, Dec. 3.—Frederick Kist, who, with Lady Selina Scott, and two other defendants, is being prosecuted by Earl Russell. Lady Scott's son-in-law, on a charge of criminal libel, and on account of whose illness the trial was postponed on Monday for a week, is in a critical condition. He is confined in Holloway jail, where his deposition will be taken to-day. He is suffering from pneumonia.

Charles Cushman is Dead.

London, Dec. 3.—Charles Cushman, the only brother of the late Charlotte Cushman, the great American actress, died on Monday. He was 78 years of age. Charlotte Cushman and her sister Susan were both famous on the stage, Susan dying long before the great actress did. Charles was their only brother and was only two years Charlotte's junior. Charlotte Cushman died in Boston, where she was born, twenty years ago. The Cushmans were Puritan New Englanders.

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Parkersburg, W. Va., Dec. 4.—The citizens of Rockport, 18 miles from this city, are hunting for two tramps who will be lynched if caught. Last evening during the absence of Samuel Stephens, who lives near Rockport with his wife and 2-year-old child, the tramps broke into the house and assaulted Mrs. Stephens. The woman fought with desperation, but was overpowered by her assailants. The tramps threatened to murder her if she made an outcry, and when the child screamed they beat it so terribly that it may not recover. After the tramps left the woman gave the alarm. The neighbors were aroused and pursuit was begun, but the tramps had succeeded in getting into the woods. All the highways are guarded and descriptions have been sent out and it is thought the men cannot evade capture.

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One Colored Man Kills Another.

Buffalo, Dec. 4.—Edward James, colored, employed as a watchman at the waterworks tunnel, at 10.30 o'clock last night shot and mortally wounded Charles Carrington, colored, a laborer employed in the tunnel. In the scuffle James received a bullet wound in the right arm. Carrington died in the Fitch Hospital this morning.

No Revenue Legislation.

Canton, Ohio, Dec. 4.—Ex-Gov. Nelson A. Dingley of Maine, who remained over night at Major McKinley's house on account of a severe cold, is so much better that he left at 2 o'clock this afternoon for Washington. Before his departure Mr. Dingley remarked that as the complexion of the Senate had not changed, it did not seem very probable that any revenue legislation would be enacted this winter.

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MR. TARTE'S PLAIN TALK.

The Minister of Public Works Pays His Attention to the Archbishop of St. Boniface.

Montreal, Dec. 3.—(Special.)—"I presume that the attitude taken by Mgr. Langevin will surprise no one," says Hon. J. I. Tarte, over his own signature in to-day's issue of his paper, Le Cultivateur. "He is keeping up the political campaign, which he commenced at the time of the last elections with the measure of success of which all are aware. Public opinion is heartily sick of such appeals to violence as those made by this young prelate. In these days a man must have reason with him if he wishes to be listened to. In what position does Mgr. Langevin find himself to-day? He has permitted without protest that some thirty Catholic schools continue to work under the laws of 1890 and 1894. These schools receive the grant of the Provincial Government; they are inspected by the officers of the Provincial Government. Now, this same Government offers concessions the importance of which no impartial man can deny. They modify, in the paths of justice, the legislation of the last few years. The Archbishop of St. Boniface, who allows thirty Catholic schools to operate under the old law, is up in revolt against these amendments which insure for the Catholic minority most precious advantages. This single fact suffices to show that Mgr. Langevin allows himself to be carried away by pre-occupations, the nature of which it is easy to size up. Excesses of language have to be deplored, no matter where they come from, but in the present circumstances the excesses of the Archbishop of St. Boniface are of a nature to give the masses the direction which they may follow. This country is anxious for peace, work, development and concord. The peace disturbers," he proceeds, "are in a minority. This school is not keeping up the fight for the benefit of the Catholics of Manitoba. It is putting forth such efforts only to recover the political and temporal supremacy, which is fading away from it, and which belongs to the ratepayers who pay the taxes. The school question is merely the pretext; if this pretext did not exist, another one would be found. I have the profound conviction and the certainty that the great majority of Catholics and enlightened priests deplore the excesses of those who refuse to be guided by experience and the teachings of history. Hon. Mr. Prendergast, whose experience in Manitoba affairs is much more precious than that of Mgr. Langevin, has expressed the true mind of the Catholics in the striking interview published. He is aware of the painful situation occupied by our compatriots and our co-religionists of the west. He is aware that half the young generation are deprived of the benefits of education. He knows the the French-Canadians have constantly lost ground during the last fifteen years. And he is also aware that exaggerations like those of which Mgr. Langevin is guilty would tend to bring about the final extermination of the French and Catholic groups, if they were not repudiated by the true representatives of our race."

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HENRY GOES DOWN.

The South Brant Election Voided Because an Indian Was Paid Four Dollars for His Vote.

Brantford, Ont., Dec. 3.—The South Brant election trial commenced here this afternoon, Judges Street and Falconbridge presiding. The court room was crowded with spectators. B. B. Osler, Q.C., appeared for the petitioner and Wallace Nesbitt for the defendant, Mr. Henry. Witnesses examined were: Messrs. Frank, Bullock, Wilson, Taylor, Montgomery and Sugar. Sugar is an Indian. He testified he received $4 from P. Aikens for voting for Mr. Henry. P. Aikins was chairman of division 28, and one of Mr. Henry's nominators. On the strength of this the judges decided to void the election. They found no blame attached to Mr. Henry, he having done his best to have a proper election. An election was ordered. Each side pays its own costs.

JACK FROST STOPPED THEM.

Three Steamers Frozen in at Fort William, and Will Have to Remain There.

Port Arthur, Dec. 3.—Last night's frost was too much for the steamers Minois, Oglebay and Gratwick. They are solidly frozen up in the Kaministiquia at Fort William to-day, and cannot leave either way. The captains have commenced to lay up their boats and leave them here till spring. The Algonquin, which left the river yesterday, loaded at Port Arthur to-day and cleared for Prescott to-night.

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CHARLTON SAW M'KINLEY.

The Canadian M. P. Chatted With the President-Elect on Reciprocity.

Canton, Ohio, Dec. 3.—Major McKinley's first extended interview to-day was with Senator J. W. Thurston of Nebraska, who told him about the situation in the west, and discussed at some length the probable course of Congress this winter. Major McKinley then had a chat with Mr. Charlton, a member of the Canadian Parliament, who had some observations to make on the subject of reciprocity and the establishment of closer commercial relations between this country and Canada.

Britain Will Buy Erythrea.

London, Dec. 3.—The Chronicle publishes a despatch from Rome saying that the Marquis Di Rudini, the Italian Premier, intends to submit the question of the retention of Erythrea by the Italian Government to a vote at the next general election. The Corriere Di Napoli, which is sometimes inspired by Premier Di Rudini, the despatch adds, asserts that Great Britain has offered to buy Erythrea.

Killed While Stealing a Ride.

Montreal, Dec. 3.—(Special.)—A lad named St. Germain, son of a footman employed by Squire John Crawford of Verdum, was killed this evening while stealing a ride on an electric car, which was switching on the "Y" at Point St. Charles.

10 cts. Cures Constipation and Liver Ills

Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are the most perfect made, and cure like magic, Sick Headache, Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion, and all Liver ills. 10 cents. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

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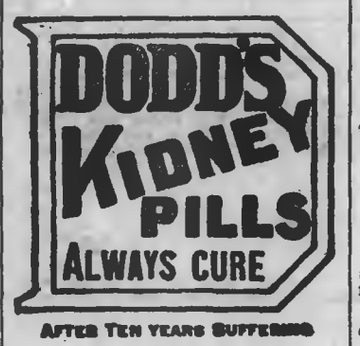

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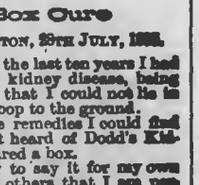

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Bicycles and Watches given each month . .	1,625
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Total given during year 1897,	$19,500

HOW TO OBTAIN THEM.

Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper—that portion containing the wording "SUNLIGHT SOAP." These (called "Coupons") are to be sent enclosed with a sheet of paper on which the competitor has written his or her full name and address, and the number of Coupons sent in, postage paid, to Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto. Marked on the Postal Wrapper (top left-hand corner), with the NUMBER of the DISTRICT Competitor lives in.

NO. OF DISTRICT	NAME OF DISTRICT
1	Western Ontario, consisting of Counties York, Simcoe & all Counties W. and S. of these
2	East'n Ontario, consisting of Counties Ontario, Muskoka & all Counties E. & N. of these
3	Province of Quebec
4	Province of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the districts, prizes will be awarded as follows:

The 5 competitors who send in the largest number of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's "Massey" Bicycle, value $100.

The 5 competitors who send in the next largest number of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Gold Watch, value $25.

2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

5. Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., will endeavor to award the prizes fairly to the best of their ability and judgment, but it is understood that all who compete agree to accept the award of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., as final.

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For the last two weeks we have been advertising good second-hand Pianos at remarkable prices, in order to clear our warerooms. Now, it is the turn of the Organs. Read through this list:—

KARN—6 Octaves; black and gold; tall case; 12 stops.....	$65 00
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BELL—6 Octaves, 11 stops, high, a magnificent instrument...	$75 00
DOHERTY—5 Octaves, 12 stops, medium height, slightly used..	$50 00
BELL—6 Octaves, 12 stops, high back, a beauty.....	$60 00
DETROIT—5 Octaves, 10 stops, high back, used a little.....	$50 00

Every instrument mentioned is worth twice the price asked for it, but we have too many of them. Call early.

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ALIVE C. LeGROS.

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For the Month of July, August and September.

	CLAIMS PAID.	ORDINARY ACCIDENT.	EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY.	EMPLOYERS' COLLECTIVE.	TICKETS
July		$5,950.36	$3,240.73	$179,65	
August		502.64	1,032.01	181.90	$4.55
September		1,020.67	2,465.67	184.90	

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—Catawaba Grapes —Bananas,
—New Lemons, —Chestnuts,
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RELISHES.

—New Canadian Club House Sauce,
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—Curtis' Rose Catsups,
—Curtis' Preserved Fruits,
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INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough with the bona fide name and address of the same, will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO COCHRANE
License Inspector West Peterborough

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CHRISTMAS IS NOT FAR OFF and this sale affords a splendid chance of buying Christmas Gifts, such as **Toys, Dolls, Games, Sleighs, Rocking Horses, Baby Carriages, Fancy Goods, Christmas Cards, Picture Books, Pocket Books, Fine Leather Goods, Ornamented Glassware, Silverware, Student and Banquet Lamps, Novelties in Fancy Cups and Saucers, High Art Pottery, China and Dresden Ware** and many other appropriate presents for old and young.

ONE THING MUST NOT BE FORGOTTEN—**ROUTLEY'S** Sale will continue in full swing until aftet the 31st December, but no longer, as after that date Mr. Routley will be no longer in business—so the goods MUST POSITIVELY BE SOLD. Although the Sale has been a remarkable success there is a great stock of attractive goods that must be sold before the end of the year, of which early buyers will have best choice.

NEW CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR 1896 just to hand. These were ordered last July before Mr. Routley thought of going out of business, but must now be closed out like the rest of the stock. Sunday School and other Teachers' Supplies at especially low rates, as has always been the rule at

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We offer Furs cheaper than Fuel:

Fur Gauntlets, ranging from $2 50 up.

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Good Fur Capes, (wide sweep) $10.

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We could fill this page with prices, but the numerous fur attractions of this store necessiate you seeing them.

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FORTNIGHTLY CLUB COLUMN.

No. LXXXI.

What the World's Great Cities are Doing to Improve the Health and Comfort of the Poor.

We are but just entering upon the age of science applied, not to the building up of gigantic fortunes, but to general improvement of the conditions of the whole mass of the people. Science itself during the present century has been engaged in accumulating a great fortune of facts. To-day it is sowing the seeds of applied knowledge and the next century will reap an abundant harvest.

The problem of sanitation in the great cities is one of the most important of our times and the efforts that are being made to solve it are profoundly interesting, as well as instructive. The 8th special report of the Commissioner of Labour in the United States, from which the facts and figures of the present articles are drawn, gives a comprehensive survey of recent experiments in the housing of the working people, not only in the cities of the United States, but in those of Great Britain, France, Germany, Sweden, Belgium and Denmark.

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It is just forty years ago since the first tenement house commission was appointed in New York, and the board of health in the same city is but thirty years old. In Great Britain and on the continent of Europe, the Commissioner frankly reports that there has been more comprehensive work accomplished than in the United States. The health of the people is now fully recognized as a matter of first rate importance to the state. Lord Beaconsfield, generally regarded rather as the architect of an empire, rather than of tenement houses, nevertheless in opening some new blocks of improved tenements in 1877, spoke as follows: "I have touched upon the health of the people, and I know there are many who look upon that as an amicable but merely philanthropic subject to dwell upon; but the truth is that the question is much deeper than it appears upon the surface. The health of the people is really the foundation upon which all their happiness and all their power as a state depend. It is quite possible for a kingdom to be inhabited by an able, active population; you may have skilled manufacturers, and you may have a productive agriculture; the arts may flourish, architecture may cover your lands with temples and palaces, you may have even material power to defend and support all these acquisitions, but if the population of that country is stationary or yearly diminishes, if, while it diminishes in number it diminishes also in stature and strength, that country is ultimately doomed. And speaking to those who I hope are proud of the Empire to which they belong, I recommend to them by all means in their power to assist the movement now prevalent for improving the condition of the people by ameliorating the dwellings in which they live. The health of the people is, in my opinion, the first duty of a statesman."

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Before referring to what is being done, we will consider (1st) the existing need for action, and (2nd) the results of what has been attempted. Sir James Paget says that the statistics of friendly societies and other similar bodies favour the belief that the whole population of England between the ages of 15 and 65 years, in each year, work 20,000,000 weeks less than they might were it not for sickness. The financial loss he puts at $55,000,000 per annum. He further reckons the preventable proportion of this sickness at one-fourth. Some years ago the London Board of Health instituted enquiries in the low parts of London to see what was the amount labour lost in the year, not by illness, but by sheer exhaustion and inability to work. It was found that upon the lowest average every workingman or working-woman lost about twenty days in the year from simple exhaustion. In 1867 there were about 18,582 tenement houses in New York, of which 15,600 were in a bad sanitary condition. Overcrowding and bad sanitary conditions lead to vice. Of the working-class families living in Brussels 48—54 per cent., nearly one-half, live in single rooms. In Glasgow families aggregating 150,000 souls occupy but one room. One scarcely knows whether to laugh or to weep when told that very frequently boarders are accommodated by those families. In one of the police divisions of the city of Brussels, out of 462 families living in one room, in 116 instances the whole family had but one bed.

It is known that whilst drunkenness is sometimes the cause, it is oftener the effect of poor housing. Physical exhaustion, nervous depression, want of nutritious food, stimulate alcoholic indulgence. And the worse the district the thicker are the saloons. The moral of all this is that sanitary homes and healthy bodies, are an indispensible pre-requisite of a contented, sober and virtuous people.

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Turn we for a moment to statistics. In 1866 the death rate in New York was 34.92. In 1892 it was 24.58 per 1000. In London, England, from 1841-1850 the average was 24.8. From 1860 90 it was 20.5. In Edinburgh from 1865 1874 it was 26 26. From 1885 to 1890 it was 17.51. In Glasgow in 1871 it was 32.00; in 1892 it was 22.8. Of the children who die in Glasgow before they complete their 5th year 32 per cent. die in one room dwellings, and not 2 per cent. in tenements of five rooms and upwards. The statistical tables of Berlin and other German cities enter into greater detail, and show that the death rate steadily rises as room accommodation diminishes. The results, then, of the careful tabulation of statistics shows how much has been accomplished, and, at the same time, hold out high hopes for the future. These results, exhibited on the large scale of population found in modern cities, are not without their use for individuals in smaller cities. The virtues of a sufficiency of fresh air, and of cleanliness, are clearly demonstrated. Here, in conclusion, is one very significant fact: "In New York the population of the poor Jewish quarter is very dense, namely 533 to the acre. The death rate, however, is comparatively low, a fact most probably due to the cleaning up every Friday.

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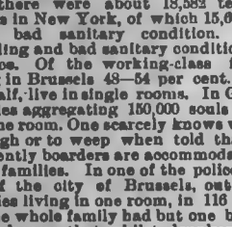

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HINTS TO CURLERS.

A Few Pointers for the Knights of the "Stone."

At the beginning of this season, which promises to be an unusually active one, it is hoped the curlers, young and old, will not take it out of place if some hints are given regarding curling etiquete. The following are those offered by a Lindsay veteran: All players should be on hand and ready to play at the time appointed; if a player cannot come at all, or cannot come on time, he should notify his skip, so that the game will not be delayed. While the game is being played give your whole attention to your own game—don't watch that of some rink playing on the ice next you; this is one of the things that tends to make a skip angry. Carefully watch your time for playing, and have your stones ready when your turn comes. It is annoying and tends to make the game go "slow" if the players have to hunt up their stones after they are asked to play. Obey your skip without any question—don't suggest to him some other shot, and don't tell him that some different ice, or the other turn, will do better. Your one aim should be to play the shot you are asked to the best of your ability, and leave the result to the skip. When delivering your stone keep your eye constantly on the skip's broom. On no account stand around the ring and give your skip suggestions; nothing so much tends to "rattle" a skip as to have his men constantly helping him to run his end of the game. The tee has a great fascination for players and possibly for the younger players more than the older ones. Lindsay club has has great numbers of players who have sinned greatly in this respect during past years. Nothing scarcely that a curler can do during the game shows as much that his early training in curling has been sadly neglected as this does. The place for the players to be is away down the ice; the two skips can look after the tee, and it will make the game more interesting to all when each does his own work, and does it well. It is the work of the players to watch the progress of the stone delivered by one of his own side from the time it leaves the player's hand until it comes to the rink. Be ready to sweep; according to the rules you cannot sweep until after a stone has crossed the centre line, but in the local games this rule is not adhered to. When sweeping you must sweep across the ice at right angles to the course of the stone—never with the stone.

Always play the game quietly and gentlemanly. Curling is essentially a friendly game, and competing rinks should leave the ice the loser equally with the winner satisfied that an enjoyable game has been played. It is not fair to an opponent, either local or foreign, nor is it sportsmanlike, to take advantage of some peculiarity of his to "rattle" him. If you know that shouting or noise is apt to "rattle" your opponent, it is expected of you as curlers that you will play a quiet game, so that the game may be won or lost on its merits. As one of the most successful skips has said more than once publicly, it is no credit to a rink to beat another when it is played on uneven terms; use your opponents as you would like them to use you.

One or two "don'ts" for our old curlers especially: When not playing don't suggest shots to the skips playing; don't give them hints as to the ice unless it is done openly; don't whisper to your neighbor that such and such is a better shot than the one given. All of these things are very annoying; they are generally given in good part, but a club skip has told us that he very nearly lost a game against Peterborough by just such friendly hints as the above—they annoyed him so much that he could scarcely control himself.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

South American Rheumatic Cure, for Rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Cholera, Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus and all summer complaints and fluxes of the bowels in children or adults.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer 'Saved my Life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels Price 75c. Sold by John Nugent 399 George Street.

THE TARIFF INQUIRY.

London, Ont., Dec. 4.—Hon. Messrs. Fielding and Paterson and Sir Richard Cartwright of the Tariff Commission took evidence here to-day.

Mr. John McClary, spokesman for a deputation of iron men, said he needed all the present protection to enable him to send goods to distant parts of Canada. Any reduction would be disastrous to his business.

Mr. A. White (George White & Sons) wished an equitable change in the duties of the raw material and the finished article.

Mr. William Yates (London Tool Company) was satisfied with the present tariff.

Mr. W. H. Wortman, maker of pumps and churns, said if the duty were decreased they would be shut out of the Manitoba market.

Thomas Bryan, brush manufacturer, advocated the retention of his raw material, bristles, hairs and fibres, on the free list, and the 25 per cent. duty on the manufactured article. He said very large quantities of toilet brushes were imported, so that it would appear that the 25 per cent. duty on this line was not sufficient to induce capitalists to venture into the manufacture of that line.

John Forrestal of the London and Petrolea Barrel Company said he would not like to have the present tariff reduced. They did not suffer at all in Ontario and Quebec, but in Manitoba and the Northwest the high freight prevented them holding their own. Mr. Forrestal complained that English ale hogsheads sent out to troops in the West Indies were returned empty to Canada and sold on the Halifax market at $1.50 each, when they were worth $4.25 and $4.50.

James I. Anderson, D. A. McDermid and John Mills represented the book dealers and stationers. Mr. J. I. Anderson was spokesman of the book trade. He complained about allowing mechanics' institutes and free libraries to import books free of duty. He also complained that fashion plates and magazines, if subscribed for by individuals, were admitted free, but if ordered by booksellers in quantities they had to pay the duty.

J. H. McMechan of the London Soap Company and Fred Richards of Woodstock represented the soap interests. Mr. McMechan said their raw materials were free, except tallow, on which there was a duty of one cent a pound. There was also a 10 per cent. duty on perfumes and on packages, which he did not think exactly right. While there was a tariff of a cent a pound on laundry soap and 35 per cent. on toilet soap, the recent treaty with France permitted undue competition from that source. Mr. McMechan also thought that the 20 per cent. on cotton seed oil should be reduced. He thought toilet soaps should be put at five cents a pound and 10 per cent.

A. Keenleyside & Co., manufacturers of lard oil, said raw material was admitted free, but they objected to the duty of eight cents on the barrels. He also favored a higher tariff on the manufactured product.

George Burns of Burns & Lewis exhibited a sample of blue serge, which cost 22c in England. To this was added a duty of five cents a pound and a further duty of 25 per cent., making a total duty of 50 per cent. The same class of goods, made in Montreal, sold at 40c a pound, and the factory had not paid a dividend for ten years. Mr. Burns thought the duty of five cents a pound should be stricken off.

Andrew Pattullo, M. L. A., and President White of the Woodstock Board of Trade are in the city endeavoring to get the Ministers to include Woodstock in their tour.

FOR THE PUBLIC GOOD.

Mrs. Liscumbe Makes a Statement for the Benefit of Others.

Mrs. Liscumbe is well known in Havelock and this is how she spoke to our representative:—

"I have been troubled for some time with severe pains in the side and back. I took many medicines of various kinds, but got no relief.

"The box of Doan's Kidney Pills which I got at W. H. Jeff & Co's. drugstore gave me wonderful relief from the start. The improvement in my general health is not the least of the benefits which I have derived from the use of this remarkable kidney remedy.

"I can recommend them very highly to anyone troubled with any form of kidney disease."

For sale by James Lynch, druggist, 168 Hunter Street, Peterborough.

One Every Night.

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—AT—

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We propose making December a notable month in our business. November has been a booming month, for, mind you, we laid ourselves out to boom things—not talk, not thunder, not importuning to buy, but a solid boom that brought buyers. Our idea of booming is to put out some inducements that no one can afford to neglect. You will remember our special push for November was in Carpets, Curtains and Housefurnishings. We purpose to push the going out of other lines embracing

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Stylish Mantles, were $4, now $2.95.

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Ribbons, worth 20c, reduced to 10c.
Ribbons, worth 25c, reduced to 15c.
Ladies' Vests, long sleeves, worth 20c, reduced to 12 1-2c.
Rinewood Gloves, worth 20c, reduced to 12c.
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Ladies' Hose, all wool 20c.
Ladies' Fine Ribbed Wool Hose 20c.
Ladies' Ribbed Wool Hose, seamless 25c.

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BREVET PROMOTIONS

Still Being Made a Cause of Complaint.

CANADIAN APPLES TAKE THE LEAD

They are Crowding the Michigan Fruit Out of the Chicago Market and the Wolverines are Asking for a Higher Tariff—General Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Dec. 6. — (Special.) — The Minister of Militia is still receiving representations from the militia regarding the recent brevet promotions in the permanent corps, but nothing will be considered by the Minister unless some definite and specific statements are made to him. Dr. Borden, while in Quebec, received a deputation of officers on this question. In reply he handed them a memorandum marked "Confidential," which pointed out that there had been no ante-dating of commissions, as charged, and that rule 73 had been strictly complied with. It also pointed out that officers from other corps, upon entering the permanent corps, lost all rank, and had to begin to win their rank again. In conclusion the Minister asked the officers present to present a similar memorandum has statement of the case for submission to his officers on the staff at Ottawa. In addition to this, an invitation to presen a similar memorandum has been sent to the officers at Toronto.

Mr. John Craig, horticulturist of the Experimental Farm, returned to-day after attending the meeting of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association at Kingston, and that of the Michigan State Horticultural Society, which latter was held at Grand Rapids Dec. 1, 2, 3. The cry of the Michigan producer of apples and peaches was this year overproduction, faulty distribution and apparent under-consumption. The crop of apples in Michigan, as elsewhere, was excessive. Only the best keepers of the finest quality and appearance were handled with profit. Vast quantities of summer and fall apples were evaporated, fed to cattle or rotted on the ground. It was remarkable to find, in the face of these conditions, that Canadian apples competed successfully in the Chicago and St. Louis markets, with the American-grown product, handicapped, though they are with a 30 per cent. (ad valorem duty). The superior flavor and keeping qualities of the Northern-grown apple were becoming more fully recognized each succeeding season. Michigan fruit growers are feeling that in Ontario they have a dangerous competitor, and are asking for an increase in the tariff. There is little doubt that there will always be a market for our high-class apples in the large cities of the central and Southern States. Michigan peach growers are progressing rapidly in the science of producing fine fruit at the lowest possible cost. It was stated that during the height of the season 185 trains assisted each day in carrying fruit to and from Chicago. A considerable quantity of Michigan peaches found their way to the Toronto markets, in spite of a duty of 40 cents per bushel. In the return struggle for possession of the markets in the world, the fittest will survive. It behooves Canada, then, to ascertain what fruits reach their highest state of perfection within her borders, and where within these borders they may be produced with the greatest advantage, and having learned these lessons to gather up all her energy and ability, and use it for a fixed and definite purpose. An illustrated address given by Mr. Craig upon the fruit resources of Canada, together with two papers upon technical subjects, were well received by the audience.

Feeding experiments with steers will be commenced at the Experimental Farm this week. A very successful series of experiments at feeding hogs has just been concluded. Prof. Saunders is recording the results of the crops grown at the farm during the past summer.

Letters patent of incorporation have been granted to the Northern Elevator Co., increasing their capital stock from $250,000 to $500,000. The Beatty Gold Dredging and Mining Co., to do business on the Fraser River, is also incorporated, with a capitalization of $50,000; the Boston Rubber Co., with $200 000 capital stock; the Croil and McCullough Dairy Co., with $150,000 capital stock; the Thomas Mfg. Co., to take over the Lozier Co. Bicycle works at Toronto, and carry on business, with $500,000 capital stock.

The Methodist Trust Fire Insurance Company will apply next session for the power to carry on the business of fire insurance in all its branches. The Commercial Travelers Association will also seek increased powers. The Niagara Grand Island Bridge Company will seek an extension of time for the commencement and completion of their undertaking. The River St. Clair Railway, Bridge and Tunnel Company also desire an extension of time for carrying out their work, and the Canada Southern Railway Company wants the same for the completion of their unconstructed lines and branches.

Not long ago it was announced that Lieut.-Col. John Gray, Inspector of Military Stores at Toronto, would be transferred to Ottawa. Instead of this, however, the present Minister has just lopped off the Colonel's head on the ground that the office was a sinecure, and Mr. Borden does not propose to fill it.

The Masonic fraternity of Ottawa have just received messages of sympathy from all parts of Canada at their recent loss by fire. Among those sending sympathetic greetings are Wm. Gibson, M.P., Grand Master; E. T. Malone, D.G.M., and Rehoboam Lodge, No. 65.

Major Bliss, Assistant Adjutant-General, is hard at work on the new militia list, and hopes to have it out promptly on time.

Major Borthwick has decided that at the council meeting to-morrow night he will recommend that an inquiry be made before the proper tribunal as to the manner in which the recent fire was handled; whether there is need of more appliances, and if so, what kind would be the most servicable.

Mr. Laurier, at the invitation of J. R. Booth, took a trip over the Parry Sound Railway yesterday. Others on board were Sir Henri Joly, W. C. Edwards, M.P., A. W. Fleck, secretary-treasurer and E. J. Chamberlain, general manager of the line.

Whidden Graham, a Maritime Province newspaper man, who is representing Harry Furniss, the well-known artist of Punch, left for Toronto to-night after a pleasant stay in the city.

The Citizens' Brewing and Distilling Co. of Maisonneuve, Que., are applying for Dominion incorporation with a capitalization of $300,000. Hon. Alphonse Desjardins and Mr. R. Prefontaine, M.P., are among the promoters.

GOOD NEWS FROM REGINA.

General Wilkinson Arrives at Rat Portage Bringing Two Gold Bricks, the Result of Two Weeks' Run.

Rat Portage, Ont., Dec. 6.—(Special.)—General Wilkinson, managing director of the Regina Gold Mining Company, Whitefish Bay, Lake of the Woods, arrived in town from the mine this evening. A rich strike was made on his mine on Thursday in the third level. The assay showed a value of $92 to the ton, and the indications are that the vein will widen and assay even higher as the work of development progresses. The main shaft has reached a depth of 207 feet, and the vein has widened to six feet. The new cyanide plant for the treatment of concentrates has just been brought into operation, and the work of developing the Regina is being pushed. The General brought with him two gold bricks, the result of two weeks' work. The whole efforts of the management of the Regina are being given to development, and the output in gold is merely the result of crushing the quarts taken out in the course of development.

TWO TRAMPS ARRESTED.

They are Supposed to be Cockney Sam and New York Slim, Wanted Down East for Burglary.

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 6.—Capt. John Cornelius, aged 66 years, died last night. He was formerly for a long time resident here, and lately ran a schooner on the lake, doing trade between bay ports.

On Friday last, two tramps, giving the names of Samuel Clarke and Joseph Ellis, were arrested for the larceny of an overcoat and a pair of gloves from a house on Bagot-street. They were remanded by Police Magistrate Duff on Saturday morning for a week for sentence. The prisoners closely correspond in every respect to two men wanted in Nova Scotia for burglary and postoffice robbery, and one of whom is known as Samuel Clarke, alias "Cockney Sam," his chum being known as "New York Slim." Chief Horsey received a request on Nov. 20 last from Thomas Skeffington, Chief of the Nova Scotia Bureau of Police, and T. Wasson, detective of Toronto, asking that a lookout for the men be kept. Chief Horsey has written to Chief Skeffington for fuller details.

TAKEN OUT OF COURT.

The Consolidated Light and Tram Co at Vancouver Withdraws Its Case Against Mr. P. N. Smith.

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 6.—(Special.)—The case of the Consolidated Light and Tram Co. v. P. N. Smith, for alleged misappropriation of funds, has been taken out of court. It is reported that Golden Cache stock is selling for 220 at Toronto. It is selling here at 170.

CANCER OF THE LIVER.

That is the Malady From Which Archbishop Fabre Suffers and He Cannot Live Long.

Montreal, Dec. 6.—(Special.)—After hoping against hope, the Archbishop's physicians have given up all idea of being able to restore Mgr. Fabre to health. Yesterday His Grace received the last rites of the Roman Catholic Church, and amongst those who witnessed the ceremony was Madame Fabre, aged 87, who is only 16 years older than her son, the dying Archbishop. The fatal disease is cancer of the liver.

HE SHOT ANNIE SIMS

And Then Turned the Revolver Upon Himself.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY AT MONTREAL

Young Howell Had Become Mentally Weak and the Girl's Parents Had the Engagement Broken Off—The Girl's Wound is Very Serious, but She May Recover.

Montreal, Dec. 6.—(Special.)—John Howell shot Annie Sims this morning at her home, and then emptied his 38-calibre revolver into his own brain, dropping dead instantly. Three or four years ago Howell, who is about 27 years of age, became engaged to Miss Sims, aged 23, daughter of James Sims, postoffice clerk, and living at 234 St. Martin-street, or about three doors from the residence of her lover's father. Two years ago the young man contracted malarial fever in New Mexico, and his mind has been so considerably weakened since that the young lady's family strongly objected to her marriage under the circumstances. Howell, who was a moulder by trade, had been for some months in New Haven, Conn., and it appears that Miss Sims wrote him a letter not long ago telling him that he must consider the engagement broken off, as she had decided that she could not become his wife. Howell did not reply, but this morning he arrived in Montreal by the Boston train, and proceeded to his father's house. He sent word to the Sims household that he wanted to see Annie. She, however, refused to obey the summons, and at 9 o'clock, as the members of the family were about to go down to breakfast, the discarded lover entered, and while the family went downstairs the young couple entered the parlor and began conversing together. All at once three shots were fired in quick succession, and, going up to the room, Howell was found lifeless on the floor, and Miss Sims in what was supposed to be a dying condition. The desperate man had fired two shots at the lady and then killed himself instantly by firing into his brain. When taken to the General Hospital, it was found that, although one of the bullets had passed in near the eye, and the other lodged in her head, Miss Sims was still alive. She remained unconscious all day, although the medical attendants say there is a slim chance for her recovery.

It is believed that Howell came to Montreal on purpose to kill Miss Sims. She was a lady much esteemed and an active Sunday School worker in the First Baptist Church.

THE NEWS IN TORONTO.

Mr. P. H. Sims of Jarvis-Street Hears of the Terrible Tragedy.

Toronto, Dec. 7.

Mr. P. H. Sims of 340 Jarvis-street, an uncle of the wounded girl, Annie Sims, last evening received the following telegraph message from another relative:

"Montreal, Dec. 6.

"Howell, after few minutes interview with Annie this morning, shot her; then himself. Annie very critical. Howell dead.

"(Signed) W. B. Gilmour."

When seen at his Jarvis-street boarding house by The World last evening, Mr. Sims was very much worried over the affair. He had recently visited the afflicted home at 234 St. Martin-street, Montreal, where his niece lived with her father, Mr. C. Sims, who has for 30 years been an official in the postoffice there.

Howell, who killed himself after shooting the girl, was an old Montreal boy, and for some time past had been working as a machinist at Syracuse, N.Y.

Mr. Sims is unable to name a motive for Howell's deed. Howell and Miss Sims had been keeping company for four or five years, and their marriage had been several times postponed.

When Mr. Sims was in Montreal the other day his niece asked his advice about breaking off the engagement, and it is probable that she later did so, and thereby drove Howell to his desperate dede. Mr. Sims asserts that there was no other man in the case.

BLAZE AT CAYUGA.

The Farrell House and Stables Destroyed Early Yesterday Morning—Other Damage Done.

Cayuga, Ont., Dec. 6.—The Farrel House Hotel and stables, belonging to Mr. Robert McLean, were burned to the ground at 3 o'clock this morning. There was a strong west wind blowing at the time and for a short time all of the town east of the hotel was in imminent danger, but the fire was confined to the hotel. The windows in the hardware store of Mr. M. McConnell were badly broken, but the building was kept wet by a stream from the engine. The fire originated in the stable, where a veterinary surgeon was attending a sick horse. He had gone to get some hay for the horse, and when he returned the place where a lantern had stood was in a mass of flames and beyond his control. The fire spread so rapidly that very little of the furniture was removed, and some of the occupants lost most of their clothes. The property was insured in the Gore Mutual Company for $1200. About three weeks ago the hotel caught fire from a stovepipe upstairs, but was soon extinguished.

FREIGHT THROUGH CANADA.

That Treasury Commission on Customs Matters Has Concluded Its Labors—Mr. Comstock in Montreal.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The special commission to adjust customs differences recently held in New York has returned to New York. Mr. Comstock, a member of the commission, has gone to Montreal, Can., to pursue the same line of investigation conducted in New York. On his return the commission will make a report incorporating their recommendations, which will be submitted to Secretary Carlisle for such action as he deems proper to take.

The commission has perfected arrangements with the Michigan Central, New York Central and West Shore Railroads, by which they will furnish the weight of packages, and package contents, and final destination thereof, of all merchandise passing over their line through Canada from one port in the United States to another. This arrangement has been sought to be made for some time and its accomplishment now will result in giving the Treasury valuable statistics as to the volume of this class of business.

Gave Him a Gold Watch.

London, Ont., Dec. 5.—Mr. James Gilmour, member of the House of Commons for East Middlesex, and the representative of North Dorchester in the Middlesex County Council, was very pleasantly surprised by his fellow-members this morning. Mr. Gilmour has decided, much to the regret of his constituents (who have 13 times chosen him Reeve by acclamation), not to consent to re-election. He was presented with an address and a handsome gold watch.

Scrofula

Infests the blood of humanity. It appears in varied forms, but is forced to yield to Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies and vitalizes the blood and cures all such diseases. Read this:

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A Sore

two inches across formed and in walking to favor it I sprained my ankle. The sore became worse; I could not put my boot on and I thought I should have to give up at every step. I could not get any relief and had to stop work. I read of a cure of a similar case by Hood's Sarsaparilla and concluded to try it. Before I had taken all of two bottles the sore had healed and the swelling had gone down. My

Foot

is now well and I have been greatly benefited otherwise. I have increased in weight and am in better health. I cannot say enough in praise of Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. H. BLAKE, So. Berwick, Me.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE logical way to criticise free trade says the New York Post, "is to ask, has England prospered under it? If she has, the failure of other nations to adopt it simply tends to prove that other nations are foolish. As an argument it resembles the failure of a number of drunkards to imitate a man who had taken the pledge. "You see," they say, "Nobody but you has done it. What do you think of your temperance now?"

THE Hamilton Herald says: "This same inconsistency,' which is charged against Mr. Tarte is his best claim to honour. It is a sign of progress and development. To charge him with inconsistency because he now has larger and more patriotic views than he had two years ago, is very much like charging a youth with inconsistency because he takes no more interest in the toys which amused him two years ago, and like saying that a caterpillar is inconsistent when it bursts its chrysalis leaves in old life, and emerges into a freer life as a butterfly."

THE great Northwest was more than neglected by the late government, while the older portions of Canada have received the most attention. Now the Northwest needs attention and the new government is prepared to give it. A vigorous policy in the direction of facilitating proper settlement and providing population is to be pursued. All the reports of Mr. Tarte's utterances during his Northwest tour, and since his return from it, concur in representing the Minister of Public Works as optimistic, even to jubilation, over the magnificent country and its resources. While it is necessary to be on guard against wastefulness in expenditure —and Mr. Tarte and his colleagues will be so—it is a good sign the Brantford Expositor thinks, to see a minister of energy and penetration thoroughly impressed with the magnitude of the country's resources. There is hope of making something of the Northwest in the fact that most of the members of the Cabinet are personally familiar with that part of Canada. Sir Richard Cartwright has long been so. Mr. Laurier saw it a year ago. Mr. Tarte has just returned from it. Mr. Blair and Mr. Davies are there now. No doubt they will concur in the view that by some means or other more people must be settled there.

A FARMER IN TROUBLE.

A Grenville County Man Speaks his Mind—Feels Like a New Man—Cured by Four Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Cardinal, Dec. 7 (Special)—Mr. Robert McIntosh, a farmer widely known in this county, and living near this village, has been in a painful and dangerous condition as the result of kidney disease affecting the bladder. When called upon he said:

"During three years, until quite recently cured by using four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease which kept going from bad to worse though I was doctoring all the time."

Under advice I began using Dodd's Kidney Pills, at once realizing great help. I now feel like a new man and am perfectly cured of kidney trouble in any form.

FLEETWOOD.

Annual Meeting of the Cheese Factory.

The annual meeting of the patrons of Fleetwood cheese factory was held on Friday, Nov. 28th. The president, Mr. W. Hanna, was in the chair. Mr. Hanna read the report of the season's business done by him, which was highly satisfactory. Mr. Hanna said he had no trouble to sell the Fleetwood cheese as it was always No. 1, and spoke highly of Mr. Wood, proprietor of the factory. He also urged the patrons to be careful not to feed rape or turnips, and to send the milk to the factory as pure as possible. A statement of the business was given in last issue.

Others have found health, vigor and vitality in Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it surely has power to help you also. Why not try it?

LIEUT.-COL. GRAY, INSPECTOR OF MILITIA STORES, DISMISSED

An Office With Nothing to do—The Way the Money Went Under the Late Government.

Ottawa, Dec. 4—(Special)—Lieut.-Col. John Gray, Inspector of stores for the Militia Department, has been dismissed. He was some years ago transferred to Montreal, where he had, it was said at the time, nothing to do, as the stores had been removed out of his district. Be this as it may, he pined for his native shire of West Work and his pretty suburban village of Parkdale. The Hon. J. C. Patterson therefore appointed him inspector of stores and located him at Toronto, where he had certainly nothing to do—literally nothing. He was in fact a fine example of the "spoils" system in operation for the last eighteen years, and which is now held up as something the Liberals are trying to introduce. Well, the answer to all this is that Col. Gray, erstwhile President of the West York Conservative Association and a stalwart worker in the party campaigns, is dismissed from a sinecure, the "spoils" of $1,500 a year kept from him, and put in the public treasury, and the position will not be filled, even if there are the number of applicants for office conjured up by the funny men of the opposition press. Col. Gray had a salary of $1,200 a year and a "lodging allowance" of one dollar a day. The "lodging allowance" sounds quite military, but was really a device to cover up the full size of the salary.

EIGHTEEN THOUSAND WORDS.

President Cleveland's Final Message to Congress Will be a Very Bulky Affair.

Washington, Dec. 5.—President Cleveland completed the preparation of his message to Congress to-day. He had a consultation with Secretary Olney in the morning in relation to the treatment of foreign relations. This portion of the message is always left open till the last, inasmuch as the Secretary of State is the only Cabinet officer who has not the right of making a report directly to Congress, and at the final moment there is always liable to be a change in the attitude of our relations with other governments which may necessitate a change in the text of the message. The present message is understood to make nearly 18,000 words.

BEHRING SEA CLAIMS.

Dan H. Dickinson and Mr. Peters Have Another Spirited Discussion in the Court at Victoria.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 6.—In the Behring Sea Claims Commission yesterday morning Daniel Warner, shipwright, testified that the Carolina was worth $3800 or $4000. On cross-examination by Mr. Dickinson as to vessels being brought around the Horn in 1886, Mr. Peters raised the objection that the matter was new and the witness had already said he could not fix dates. Mr. Dickinson said the objection was highly technical, and a somewhat animated debate followed between senior counsel for the respective Governments. Finally, Judge Putnam said they had not thought well to stand to strict rules, and Judge King said the same, but added that counsel must keep the case within the limits of the pleadings.

The next witness was Capt. Sabiston, who said that in 1884 as good a vessel as the Carolina could not be built for less than $6000. John Clark, a well-known sealing man, also gave evidence as to the price of the building of schooners in 1891 and 1892, and the Commission adjourned until Monday.

THREE BARNARDO BOYS

Who Had a Very Interesting Time Trying to Sneak Across Into Uncle Sam's Territory.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Dec. 6.—(Special.)—Three young tramps, hailing from Dr. Barnardo's Home, and placed in the care of a farmer near Belleville, have been battling against the world and the officers of the law about Niagara Falls for the past two days. Yesterday they succeeded in getting across the border, and spent the day looking for work. Failing into the hands of the police about dusk, they were locked up for the night. This morning the Immigrant Inspector sent them back to Canada, but the boys seemed determined to stay in the United States. After an unsuccessful attempt at sneaking across the Suspension Bridge, they descended the cliff at the sewer tunnel works, and climbed up on the foundations of the Cantilever Bridge to the bottom cover, and proceeded to crawl along a narrow plank fastened to the frame work of the bridge. When about half way across, directly over the rushing waters of the Whirlpool Rapids, 210 feet below, the trio lost their nerve, and after a hurried but determined consultation retreated to the Canadian side. As they reached the top of the cliff the officers took them in charge.

UNCLE SAM'S NAVY.

Congress Will be Asked for an Appropriation for Battleships and Torpedo Boats and to Arm Lake Tugs.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Secretary Herbert in his annual report asks Congress at the coming session to authorize three light-draft battleships and 12 torpedo boats. He recommends that these ships be planned for an extreme deep load draught or not more than 23 feet and suggests that considerations of strategy uupon our Atlantic and gulf coasts render this an essential to the success of naval campaigns.

Attention is again called to the necessity for some legislation by Congress which will enable the department to make use in case of an emergency of the tugs, yachts and vessels engaged in the fishing fleets and coast-wise and lake trade, and to call into the service of the navy the sailors and officers necessary to command and fit such ships in case of threatened or actual war. He recommends an additional appropriation for the purpose of supplying guns and ammunition with which to arm vessels to be called into service from our merchant marine.

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TONS OF TURKEYS.

Twenty-Five Tons Were Bought in the Neighborhood of Cobourg for the Old Country.

Cobourg, Dec. 4.—Twenty-five tons of turkeys were bought here to-day from the farmers for shipment to English markets for Christmas.

SCHOONER PICTON MISSING.

The schooner Picton, loaded with a cargo of 160 tons of coal for George Plunkett, Cobourg, left Oswego Wednesday morning at 9.30 for this port. Up to 8 o'clock tonight no tidings have been received regarding the whereabouts of the boat. It is feared she foundered during the heavy gale of Wednesday evening or Thursday morning. Capt. James Terry has charge of the schooner, while James Kansly, John Lavis, Owen Markey, William Terry and two other hands composed the crew. The Picton is owned by a Cobourg syndicate.

A MESSAGE TO MEN.

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I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble, Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. Geo. G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich.

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THE BRITISH RIDERS

Made a Rather Poor Showing in New York City.

WEINIG BEAT THEM IN THE MILE

Champion Said, Starting From Scratch, Was Third at the Finish in the Handicap—An Enormous Crowd at Madison Square Garden—Other Sporting News.

New York, Dec. 5.—About 5000 enthusiastic spectators, a large portion of whom were the fair sex, witnessed the bicycle races that were held in Madison-square Garden to-night. The meeting was the commencement of a big six days' international race which starts at five minutes after midnight to-night. Some of the foreign riders made their debut to-night, but were unsuccessful. Sam Linton of Wales and J. D. Lumsden of Scotland started in the third heat of a mile scratch professional, but failed to qualify in the first or second places. The heat was won by Jay Eaton of *Elizabeth*, N.J. Sam Linton hurt himself during the practice in the afternoon. The foreigners made some complaints about the banking, and spills were frequent during the evening.

The special features of the evening were a match race between Jay Eaton of Elizabeth and Teddy Goodman, beat two out of three heats, and an exhibition mile by E. C. Bald, paced by a tandem. Bald fell at the first turn, but remounted and went on a couple of laps and stopped. Later on he gave a half-mile exhibition. The summary follows:

Half-mile scratch, amateur—Final heat won by A. J. Ingham, Saratoga; W H Owen, South Brooklyn, 2; C S Henshaw, New York, 3. Time 1.10 1-5.

Mile, professional, scratch—Final heat won by A Weinig, Buffalo; C Hadfield, Newark, N.J., 2; J F Starbuck, Philadelphia, 3. Time 2.25 1-5. Murphy and Eaton fell. Murphy and Hadfield penalized 10 yards for false start.

Match race, best two out of three heats—Jay Eaton, Elizabeth, N.J., defeated T. F. Goodman, New York. Eaton won first heat by 10 lengths in 2.27 2-5, and the second by five lengths in 2.29 4-5.

Half-mile handicap, professional—Final heat won by Major Taylor, South Brooklyn (35 yards); A C Meixwell, Philadelphia (30 yards), 2; E C *Bald, Buffalo (scr.)*, 3. Time 1.08 1-5. In the second heat, Sam Linton (50 yards) fell. J D Lumsden, Scotland (20 yards), started in third heat, but was unplaced.

Mile handicap, amateur—Final heat won by Schwenslener; E C Lease, South Brooklyn (30 yards), 2; W C Roome, Newark, N.J. (scr.), 3. Time 2.22 2-5.

THE SIX DAYS' RACE.

New York, Dec. 7.—The six-day bicycle race at Madison-square Garden was started shortly after midnight in the presence of a big crowd of spectators. Starter A. A. Zimmerman got the riders under control, as follows: Albert Schock, New York; Frank Waller, Germany; Tom Linton, Wales; William Lumsden, Scotland; C Chapple, England; Jules Dubois, France; Teddy Hale, Ireland; Peter Golden and H H Maddox, America; A A *Hansen*, Denmark; George Cartwright, England; E J Flynn, America; Fred Forster, Germany; E C Moore, Albert Hosmer, George Van Emburgh, D M Macleod, J W Conklin and Ned Reading, America; Ed Von Stock, Germany; Burns W Pierce, Canada; S L Cassidy, Taylor and J S Rice, America; J Wilson, England; J R Gannon, E C Smith, C W Ashinger and A C Meixell, America; W A Elkes, England; J A Glick, America.

THE HOCKEY LEAGUE.

A Large and Enthusiastic Meeting in Toronto on Saturday.

Toronto, Dec. 7.

The Ontario Hockey Association held their annual meeting in the Queen's Hotel on Saturday afternoon. President C. A. B. Brown was in the chair, and there were present delegates from the following cities: Sarnia, Perboro, Norwood, St. Mary's, Stratford, Berlin, Galt, Petrolia, Ayr, Victoria Colts, Toronto, Victoria, Port Hope, Brampton, Varsity, Osgoode Hall, T.A.C., Listowel, London, Guelph, Frontenac, Junior Crystal, Kingston, Junior Victorias (Hamilton), Wellingtons, Trinity, U.C.C. and Lindsay.

On motion of J. A. McFadden of Stratford it was decided to form an intermediate series. It was also resolved that each team should be permitted to state which series they desired to enter, but the Executive Committee is given power to rule as to which series they shall enter.

The winners of the junior series are henceforth to be entitled to play in the following year in the intermediate series, and the winners of the intermediate series will be likewise given the option of competing in the senior.

It was decided to award a permanent trophy, to cost not more than $30, to the winners of each series every year.

Delegate Fitzgibbon of Varsity moved, seconded by Delegate Barr, also of Varsity, that the rule regarding the decision in games which are tied at the end of the allotted time shall be changed to read as follows: "That if at the end of time the game is a draw, the ends shall be changed, and it shall be continued for 10 minutes, 5 minutes' play each way, with an intervening rest of 5 minutes, and if neither side then scores, the referee shall order similar periods of 10 minutes to be played until one club shall have scored a majority of points."

The treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of $236.

The officers for the ensuing year were then elected. Following is the list: James A. McFadden, Stratford, president; G. J. Hoskins, Peterboro, and Mr. Martin, Toronto, vice-presidents; A. H. Beaton, Queen's, secretary; A. Creelman, Toronto, treasurer; R. G. Fitzgibbon, D. F. Campbell, J. B. Noble, T. L. Morison, H. C. Beecher, E. P. Brown, executive.

A fitting testimonial will be presented the retiring president, Mr. C. A. B. Brown, and $75 will be given Secretary Tiffin for his services to the Association.

SHARKEY AND THE CHEQUE.

San Francisco, Dec. 6.—Bob Fitzsimmons had a bout yesterday in Justice Groesinger's court with a collector holding a judgment against the Australian for $950 in favor of Jimmy Carroll. Sharkey's manager, Dan Lynch, was summoned as a witness, but when he appeared he was immediately placed on the stand in his own defence, an old debtor having garnisheed the $10,000 purse for a claim against Lynch of $1400. Nothing was done in the Fitzsimmons case, but Mr. Lynch was cross-examined until he had tied himself up very neatly. He first declared that he had no interest in the purse. Then he stated that, in obedience to a request by Sharkey, he had placed the $10,000 cheque in the hands of a gentleman from Montana for safe-keeping.

The court quickly adjourned to Sharkey's sick chamber, where the sailor's deposition was taken. Sharkey declared under oath that Lynch still held the cheque, and that he (Sharkey) knew nobody from Montana.

Up to the hour of adjournment no trace of the much-wanted document could be found. Sharkey is improving rapidly, and will be on the street within three days. Julian claims to be accumulating evidence of crooked work, and promises to uncover a rascally job to throw down the Australian and his backers.

Incidentally, it is suspected that Fitzsimmons wagered a considerable sum that Sharkey would last six rounds, and, judging from the fight he put up, this seems quite problematical. All the sports agree that the sailor was practically a goner in the first round, and that Fitz had to be careful in order to avoid knocking him out in the fifth.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Union Pacific and B. & O. Were the Only Securities That Held Their Ground on Saturday.

New York, Dec. 5.—The Evening Post's financial article says: It was the bond market in which the only business worthy of notice was done to-day. This has been true throughout the week, the real buying not extending much beyond the better class of bonds and the high-priced dividend-paying shares. The Reading bonds led in to-day's moderate activity. On the stock market there were no developments of interest, except the usual sales by board room speculators, as soon as the further increase in the bank reserve was known. Most of the active stocks closed with net declines. The two exceptions were Union Pacific, which moved up, as it does annually, when a Government report says a good word for the funding bill, and Baltimore & Ohio, which recovered all its loss yesterday. Since there was no reason why the stock should decline, Mr. Little's expert statement of yesterday, the upward reaction was inevitable. The week's statements of foreign trade are once more interesting. Imports of merchandise trade are against this port for the first time in the present season, but the change is almost wholly due to slackening export movement. Importations do not at present exceed the record of the last weeks of October, but exports are at least $1,000,000 less than recent averages. In the main, this decrease is attributable to the slower movement of grain from our farms to the distributing centres, and thence to the foreign markets. The reason for this check to grain deliveries is known to everybody. It may prove to be somewhat temporary if the price of wheat advances suddenly. Meantime, however, this phase of the international trade situation plays its part in the sterling market.

The bank statement was pretty much what had been expected. The net week's increase in the cash holdings was $5,905,700. About $3,000,000 of this sum came from interior remittances and sub-Treasury disbursements; the balance doubtless represents situation re deposits such as have influenced the returns throughout this month. Outstanding loans are again expanded heavily in the face of the slack demand for regular accommodations; the net increase this week is $8,631,300, against $8,856,200 increase last Saturday and $9,533,400 for the week ending Nov. 21. The continuance of this movement of *expansion* is again connected with the sterling rate and the course of London discounts. A net decrease in specie holdings of the banks, for the first time since the closing week of August, when the gold imports began, was a noticeable feature of to-day's returns. Last week's statements showed the specie holdings of the New York banks to have increased net since Aug. 29 no less than $29,816,000. But the actual gross gain was, of course, very much larger; at least 50 per cent. of the amount just named was paid by the banks into the sub-treasury for legal tenders deliverable at interior points. This week's decrease in specie had a similar cause, but the interesting fact is the large percentage of assay office cheques turned over by the banks, which means that the American gold product is now moving into the Treasury.

MOTHER AND CHILDREN KILLED.

Winner Murdered His Wife While Nelson Killed Her Babies.

Richmond, Mo., Dec. 5.—Six weeks ago this little place was startled by the discovery of the dead bodies of Mrs. Jessie Winner and her two little children in their cabin on the outskirts of the town. Suspicion attached to the husband as the murderer and he was arrested. To-day Maggie Catron, a woman with whom he was intimate, made this confession:

"On the night of the murder Winner, *Con Lackey* and *Jim Nelson* took a buggy belonging to Mr. Hubbell and drove to the Winner home. Lackey held the horse while Winner killed his wife and Nelson killed the children."

The feeling is very strong against Winner and he may be lynched.

Germany's Protest Received.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The formal protest of the German Government against the *proclamation of the President, re-imposing* the tonnage tax on German vessels in American ports, has been received at the Department of State. The President's reply to the protest, and his re-assertion of the grounds on which the United States' action has been taken will probably be laid before *Congress* in the message on Monday next.

Lost 62 Cattle.

London, Dec. 5.—The British steamer Lake Ontario, Captain Campbell, at Liverpool from Montreal, lost 62 head of cattle during the voyage.

The German barque Meteor, Captain Niemann, from Shedias Sept. 10 for Runcorn, has again been re-insured, 80 guineas premium being paid.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is very dull. Straight *rollers* are quoted at $4 to $4.15, Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market is quiet, with offerings large and prices reduced at country points. White wheat sold at 84c west, and red at 83c. No. 1 hard is easier, with sales at 95c, grinding in transit, and 94c, Toronto freights.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 20c.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 1 is quoted at 31c and No. 2 at 28c outside, and feed barley at 20c to 21c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 19c to 20c, and mixed at 18c to 18½c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices unchanged; sales at 41c, north and west.

Rye—The market is firm, with sales at 37c east.

Corn—Old corn sold to-day at 27½c west, and new is *offering* at 25c.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 5.—Spring wheat, 6s 11½d to 7s 0½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1d to 7s 6d; corn, 2s 11¾d; peas, 4s 6d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 28s 6d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 28s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat quiet; futures firm at 6s 10d for Dec., 6s 10¼d for Jan. and Feb., and 6s 10¼d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 11¾d; futures firm at 2s 11½d for Dec., 2s 10¼d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 2s 10¾d for May. Flour 23s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage dull and 3d lower. Maize on passage quiet.

Paris—Close—Wheat easy at 22f 10c for Jan. Flour 47f 60c for Jan.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

DISEASE AMONG CATTLE.

German Consuls are Making Inquiries Which Appear Rather Ominous.

Indianapolis, Dec. 4.—C. P. Sollier, German Consul at Cincinnati, has written the Governor of Indiana, asking what rules the state has for quarantine against the spread of disease among cattle. Many such communications come from German Consuls in different parts of the United States, all bearing indirectly upon the purity of American meat. Dr. Hurty, Secretary of the State Board of Health, is of the opinion that the facts are being gathered by the Government for the purpose of excluding American meats from that country, and he would not be surprised to hear of such action being taken any day. The frequency of these inquiries from the German Consuls of late seems to point towards a thorough investigation of the sanitary condition of American live stock.

Quebec Sawmill Burnt.

Drummondville, Que., Dec. 4.—The Drummond Lumber Company's sawmill at Forestdale, Que., was burned down this morning at 4 o'clock. The fire originated in the oil room. Loss, about $30,000, mostly covered by insurance.

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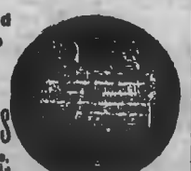

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Lacing Gloves.....were $1.00, now 75
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Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.20, now 12½c
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Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.35, now 0 25
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LOCAL NEWS.

Probabilities.

Moderate winds, fair weather, lower temperature.

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Fortnightly Club.

The Tuesday evening meeting of the Fortnightly Club has been postponed until further notice.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., (Box 55.) 12d132

The G. T. R. Ghost.

Beginning with the first of the year the Grand Trunk Railway will, so it is reported, pay by cheque on the first of each month, instead of on the 15th, as is now done.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

The Case Dismissed.

Mr. J. W. Carey was charged this morning with violating the bylaw regarding the closing of stores at seven o'clock. He was discharged for want of evidence to prove the case against him.

Adam's Fall

Was on account of what he ate. But they didn't have as fine a stock of Xmas fruits to choose from as we have. We handle the best of fruits for Xmas trade and make it an object for those who handle good goods to deal with us. Prices, when quality is considered, are the lowest. —MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street.

St. Luke's School House To-morrow Night.

Mr. D. Spence will deliver his lecture on "Bells" in St. Luke's school house to-morrow night. The lecture will be illustrated with numerous models and selections on a set of tubular chimes will be played by Mr. Marks. Miss Byah will recite "The Belfry of Bruges," and appropriate music will be rendered. Silver collection at the door.

Poor April Fool.

April Fool is dead. Poor little April Fool! He was the intelligent little black cocker spaniel owned by Mr. Myles Henry, and was born on April 1st, 1895—hence the name. Everybody knew him. April Fool had fleas, and the boys rubbed tobacco juice into him to get rid of them, but the solution was so strong it killed April Fool as well as the fleas, and he is no more.

Trent Valley Canal.

Last week there were about 200 men and teams in proportion employed on the Corry-Laverdure section of the Trent Valley Canal. This week there will not be so many employed as the weather is not favourable to excavate. The earth can be taken out well enough, but is impossible with the earth frozen in lumps to make a good embankment. There is considerable activity on rock work excavation on the Nassau end. The rock is of varying depths and works out to nothing at about 1700 feet south of Nassau.

We've Got Window Shows

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PUT OUT IN THE WORLD.

The Sad Story Which a Little English Lad Tells.

The Children's Aid Society put a young English boy in the Protestant Home on Saturday until full inquiries can be made respecting the story he tells of being driven out into the highway by the farmer with whom he was placed by the Barnardo Home in Toronto.

He says that without any cause, so far as he knows, the farmer told him he did not want him any longer and told him to go.

The society has written to Toronto and is sending an officer into the township to make full inquiries. The boy says that he went to a neighbours' and that they were kind to him and placed him in charge of a man who was coming into town. He is badly in need of clothes, and seems to be an honest sort of lad.

OBITUARY.

The Late James Goodfellow.

On Sunday, December 6th, 1896, Mr. James Goodfellow died at his residence, 245 Stewart street, at the age of 71 years. The deceased gentleman was a native of North Monaghan, and was of Scotch parentage, his father, the late Andrew Goodfellow, having come to Canada from Roxburg, Scotland. The deceased was a farmer by occupation but three years ago removed to town. Twenty years ago he was united in marriage to Mrs. Armstrong (nee Annie Taylor), Cavan. Mrs. Goodfellow leaves a widow and four children, three boys and a girl, to mourn his loss, besides two brothers, Andrew and George. In religion he was a Presbyterian. The funeral takes place from the family residence, 245 Stewart street, to-morrow, at 11 o'clock, to the Fraserville cemetery.

JUBILEE LODGE, SMITH.

Successful Annual Meeting—Election of Officers.

There was a large attendance at the annual meeting of Jubilee Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 178, 4th line Smith. Samuel Stenson, Worshipful Master, was in the chair. After the routine business and the various reports had been received for the year, which showed the lodge to be in a most flourishing condition, both numerically and financially, the election of officers for the ensuing year was proceeded with and resulted as follows :

William Graham	W Master
Wm Jinkinson	D Master
Alexander Morrison	Chaplain
Joseph Archer	Rec Sec
Robert Bell	Fin Sec
Joseph Elliott	Treasurer
David Mahood	D of C
Wm J Taylor	Lecturer
John Montgomery	1st Committeeman
Vincent Paul	2nd "
Andrew Young	3rd "
Frank Deacon	4th "
Isaac Millburn	5th "
Joseph Archer, Samuel Stinson	Auditors

The newly elected officers were duly installed by W. Bro. John Mahood, Past Master of L.O.L., No. 41, Emily, after which refreshments were served, followed by songs, speeches, etc.

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Christmas at Hand.

What a host of preparations to make, presents to choose, homes to decorate—and what a pleasure it will be to hosts of people. Commence early then and make your selections for gift-giving, and if you begin at the Peterborough Bookstore you need seek no further. Santa Claus is strongly entrenched all over this magnificent store with dolls, games, toys, sleighs, rocking horses, and a myraid of similar presents; also Christmas cards, holiday books, elegant and costly fancy goods. Get first choice and avoid the crowds.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Frank Yeigh's Picture Travel Talk.

A most attractive programme was offered to a very large audience last evening in Association Hall by Mr. Frank Yeigh, who delivered a new picture travel talk on the British Empire, (such as he will give in the George street Methodist church on Dec. 11th), illustrated with a large number of really beautiful stereopticon views, and a series of suggestive and humourous cartoons depicting John Bull in Egypt, Africa and South America. The story of Westminster Abbey, with organ accompaniment to the views and description, was most effective, as was the orchestral accompaniment to the series of scenes telling of Nelson and the Victory. The Canadian views won hearty applause. The fact that yesterday was the anniversary of Queenston Heights was appropriately referred to, and "The Maple Leaf" was sung with hearty enthusiasm by Mr. Britton and the audience as the new Canadian flag was shown. An eloquent ending was made in connection with views of the citadels of Quebec and Halifax. The subject was an excellent one for rich pictorial illustration. Starting with the Queen and her Royal homes, the Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey and Tower of London, the lecturer then included Balmoral, Edinboro and Holyrood Castles, and some striking Irish scenes. These, with the Nelson series, completed the first part of the programme so far as it related to the British Isles. Next came Britain's Keys of the Empire in Gibraltar, Malta and Cyprus, the English occupation of Egypt, with several pictures depicting the recent march to Dongola, and a particularly fine series of Indian, Australian and South African illustrations. St. Helena suggested a graphic outline of Napoleon's rise and fall, with views of the ballroom in Brussels, the Lion Mound and the death of the Emperor. The Venezuelan question was touched upon, the West Indies visited, and as has been said, Canada was included as an ending to what proved to be an exceptionally entertaining, instructive and attractive travel talk, the best, we think, Mr. Yeigh has yet done on this line, and one which won for him frequent outbursts of appreciative applause.—The Globe.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

The time has arrived when the ratepayers are confronted with the duty of selecting their representatives to serve them for the coming year in the town council, and upon the wisdom of their choice depends the good government of the town or the reverse. The probability is that there will be no dearth of candidates.

The present representatives of No. 1 ward will, it is understood, again appeal to the people and the decision of other possible candidates has not yet been made.

In No. 2 Ward the three present councillors will again be candidates, and there is a possibility of others entering the field.

In No. 3 Ward it is stated that the three representatives with possibly one exception will enter the lists. New candidates in the persons of Messrs. G. M. Roger, A. Dawson and J. H. Cobb, all old councillors, are mentioned.

The candidates in No. 4 Ward will, very probably, consist of the present representatives, with the addition, it is said, of Mr W. H. Meldrum, Mr. Frank Mason and others.

In regard to the mayoralty, Mr. Yelland, who has given a year of good service to the town, as mayor, has again announced himself as a candidate, and he naturally feels that in this election he should receive the benefit of the practice that has prevailed for some years of allowing a mayor, at least a second unopposed term after a contest, and therefore he is seeking re-election for 1897. Mr. Yelland has been diligent and attentive in the discharge of the various duties of his office and has endeavoured, to the best of his ability to promote the interests of the town.

Mr. Councillor Moore's friends are, it is said, pressing his claims to the mayoralty candidature. At the same time this is being done in disregard of the unwritten law that has obtained in our municipal contests, that a mayor is entitled to a second term without opposition. Whether they consider themselves bound by such a condition is for the ratepayers to decide. It is stated that a requisition in favour of Mr. Moore is being circulated.

SACRED CONCERT

In St. Paul's Church on Thursday Evening.

A sacred concert will take place in St. Paul's church on Thursday evening next, when a programme of unusual merit will be given by the choir assisted by Mr. W. H. Dingle, solo organist, and Mr. Frank Eaton, baritone. A silver collection will be taken up at the door.

THE PROGRAMME.

1—Recit. and chorus—"I am He that liveth"... *Simper*
Mr Frank Eaton and choir.
2—Organ—"Andante in D," known as the clock movement....*Haydn*
Mr W H Dingle.
3—Aria—"Why do the Nations Rage?" (Messiah) *Handel*
Mr Frank E ton.
4—Solo and chorus—"Lead Kindly Light"..*Buck*
Miss Vair and choir.
5—Organ—(a) "Offertoire on Two Christmas Themes," (b) "Nuptial March"....*Guilmant*
Mr W H Dingle.
6—Chorus—"Thou Wilt Keep Him in Perfect Peace".....*Buck*
7—Song—"Night of Nights".....*Vander Water*
Mr Frank Eaton.
8—"Fantasia in E Minor," introducing a storm *Lemmens*
Mr W H Dingle.
9—Solo—Selected.....
Miss Vair.
10—Song—"Fear Not, Ye, O, Israel".....*Buck*
Mr Frank Eaton.
11—Chorus—"The Souls of the Righteous .....*Woodward*
12—Organ—"Overture to Maraniello.....*Auber*
Mr W H Dingle.

God Save the Queen.

OTONABEE LODGE, I.O.O.F., ANNIVERSARY.

The annual anniversary entertainment of Otonabee Lodge, I.O.O.F., will be held in their hall, corner of George and Hunter Sts., this evening. An interesting programme will be provided, to be followed by the usual social and refreshments.

CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION NOTES.

The Big Debate on the 5th of January Next.

Arrangements have been made with the Catholic Literary Union, of Toronto, for a debate with the local Catholic Association on the 5th of January next. The subject of debate will be, resolved "That the Canadian Senate should be abolished." Messrs. L. R. Keogh and Ozias de Leplante will represent the local Association, and the Toronto representatives will be Messrs. Kenny and Thompson, the latter a son of the late Sir John Thompson. An active committee has the matter in hand, and an intellectual treat is promised.

The ladies' library in connection with the Association has been fitted up during the past week, and now presents a neat and cosy appearance. This library, it is understood, is for lady members only, and every lady joining the Association is entitled to the use of this room.

The directors of the Association have very kindly given the Sisters of St. Joseph the use of the rooms for their Christmas entertainment on Dec. 22nd and 23rd.

AN EXPLANATION.

To the Editor of the Examiner :

DEAR SIR,—I wish to make an explanation in contradiction of the rumour that the lack of smoothness in the singing of "With Verdure Clad," by Miss Chambers, in the concert on Thursday night last, was due to a mistake of mine. The fact is the singer omitted several lines and as I strictly followed the score, trouble naturally ensued. I would not have troubled you with this explanation had not an attempt been made to place the responsibility upon me by interested parties.

Yours truly,
AGNES (MRS. T.) DUNN.

Dec. 7th.

Madill's Cream of Witch Hazel

Has no superior as a remedy for chapped hands or face, or any roughness of the skin.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

DO YOU SMOKE? DO YOU WANT A PIPE?

Our stock is still large and of first quality. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. by buying from us now. Save it. The whole stock in trade for sale "en bloc." OLEGG'S RETIRING SALE, (Next to Stratton's Bookstore).

SANTA CLAUS

—AT THE—

PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE

SANTA CLAUS is now strongly in evidence all over the PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE, with Dolls, Games, Toys, Sleighs, Rocking Horses, and a multitude of Playthings and Presents to choose from, together with Christmas Cards, Holiday Books, Christmas Papers, Purses, Albums, Leather Goods, Elegant Fancy Goods, and Costly Unique Novelties. The whole Store pulsates with a new life, and the Christmas Attractions discount everything ever before attempted.

Mirrors, Medallions,
Onyx Tables,
Photo Frames,
Purses, finest leathers,
Purses, sterling silver mounted
Gentlemen's Pocket Books,
Gentlemen's Letter Wallets,
Travelling Companions,
Ladies' Writing Books,
Ladies' Writing Portfolios,
Hand Painted Porcelain Plaques,
Solid Brass Photo Frames,
Hand Paintings on Porcelain,
Jewel Cases,
Brush and Comb Sets,
Pin Trays,
Manicure Sets,
Smoking Sets,
Gent's Handkerchief Holders,
Gent's Necktie Holders,
Gent's Collar and Cuff Cases,
Gent's Shaving Cases,
Table and Office Bells,
Fancy Ink Stands,
Fountain Pens,
Gold Pens,
Gold Pencils,
Perfume Bottles,
Ladies' Work Baskets,
Dolls of all kinds,
Games,
Picture Books,
Toy Books of all kinds,
Children's Sets of Dishes,
Dolls Carriages,
Dolls Cradles,
Sleighs of all kinds,
Rocking Horses,
All the Annuals for 1897.
All the Illustrated Christmas Papers,
The Poets in any Bindings,
Any of the Standard Works in Sets,
Diaries for 1897,
Scrap Albums,
Photograph Albums,
Autograph Albums,
Hand, Table and Dressing Mirrors,
Hand Painted Opera and Party Fans,
Shopping Bags,
Ladies' Card Cases,
Water and Lemonade Sets,
Card Receivers,
Christmas Booklets,
Christmas Art Calendars,
Christmas Cards,
A beautiful selection of Bibles,
Common Prayers and Hymns,
Bibles and Methodist Hymns,
Catholic Prayer Books, etc.

These are only a few of the many suggestions we can offer you for Xmas and New Year Gifts. We make a specialty of supplying Presents for Xmas Trees Entertainments, and have everything you want, but we still do business on the same old plan—

Prices Always the Lowest!

A. H. STRATTON & CO., 417 George Street.

It's time now for
GENTLEMEN'S
FULL DRESS SUITS.

We claim to make as good Tailored Clothing as can be had in Canada—we prove it every day—nothing clumsy or primitive looking, but everything the pink of perfection in the minutest detail, and just about half the cost of much that's made, no better.

Leave your measure soon for Suits for the Festival season. Skillful hands, supplemented with our very fine stock of WORSTEDS, and the newest ideas of the fashion plates, will be your guarantee that everything is finished to perfection that comes from—

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Peterboro's Popular Tailors and Dressers.

Have a look at our Fall Dress Linen Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and Neckwear.

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KNOW THEY CAN GET FROM .....

BALL & Co

Merchant Tailors, Water St.

The Best Fit, the Latest English Styles, the Best Goods at the Lowest Prices; they give you all the Style you desire, and a perfect fit guaranteed. Try the Experienced Practical Tailors and have no trouble getting the Style in Cut and Fit. Remember this store is in the New Bank Block, water Street.

C. P. R. "SPECIALS"

Owing to the recent order of the C. P. R. Company to their employees to carry inspected Watches, we have this week put into stock two splendid C. P. R. "Specials":—

The Elgin B. W. Raymond,
The Waltham C.P.R. 'Special.'

The movements in both of these watches are the finest high-rating movements produced, and for accurate time-keeping cannot be excelled.

We invite C. P. R. employees as well as all others who want a thoroughly reliable time-keeper to come and inspect these two "Specials."

This is the Last Week of Our Jewelry Sale.

McClelland

The Jeweler, Peterborough.

Favourite Beverages

NOW IN STORE, full supplies of the following favourite beverages, from the Walkerville well known Brewing and Distilling Company:—

BOTT'S STOUT Especially fine for Invalids.
KAISER BEER Light and Sparkling, for table use.
ST. GEORGE'S PALE ALE Equal to Bass and sold at half the price.

We are the Sole Agents in Peterborough for these fine goods.

Superior Port and Sherry Wines, Allan's Cider for Mince Meat, Gooderham's, Walker's and Seagram's Fine Whiskies and other Reliable Liquors.

CHRISTMAS FRUITS AND GROCERIES ARRIVING.

M. L. HENRY & CO.

OPPOSITE THE OPERA HOUSE, GEORGE ST.

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'Y.

$3 THREE DOLLARS $3

We will make
ALL-WOOL
DRESSES
From now till Stock Taking for the sum of
Three Dollars

The work turned out of our Dress-making Department has always been acknowledged to be the best. The styles have always been the latest—and the finish and workmanship all that could be desired. In order to boom our Dress Goods Department for thirty days we have decided to give the above advantage to Ladies who want new dresses. This substantial reduction will no doubt be taken advantage of by many.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

A Gold Mine

of health and good cooking for every household where they use the purest and best Cream of Tartar Baking Powder.

It makes the most delicious cakes and doughnuts, and makes light, delicious flaky pastry.

PURE GOLD Baking Powder.

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Stroud's Tea...

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PETERBOROUGH

Also at Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston and Toronto.

To the person who will send us the greatest number of words of more than two letters formed from the the letters contained in "Stroud's Tea," using no letter more times than it occurs in "Stroud's Tea." The letters may be taken backward or forward, but must form complete, English words, for example, start, eat, star, etc. For the second largest number of words, $5.00; for the third, $3.00; for the fourth, $2.00, and for the next five $1.00 each will be rewarded. This contest is open to all. The only condition governing the contest is that you shall satisfy us that you have bought five lbs. of our Tea during this month. If you are good at word-making this is your opportunity to procure a New Year's gift for a little effort. This generous offer is made to introduce "Our Celebrated Tea" and give the young folks a chance to earn some money. The contest will close at noon, January 1st, 1897. Each list of words must be numbered and written in alphabetical order, on only one side of the paper with name and address written plainly. To be in a sealed envelope, addressed to W. R. Stroud, 370 George street. Remember this is a bona fide offer made by a bona fide firm. We do this simply as a method of advertising i.e. to bring us more prominently before the Peterborough public. Our Teas and Coffee are, without exception, the best sold in Canada.

$25 in Cash Prizes.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER , 1896.

PERSONAL

Mr. Bob Hicks spent Sunday in town.

The $10 recorded as received by the Children's Aid Society on Saturday, was the gift of Mr. J. J. McBain.

Mr. D. A. McCallum, a third year student of Trinity Medical College, spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mr. John McKee, druggist.

Miss Katie Lynch, Ashburnham, left on the 8.20 express, this morning, to make an extended visit with her brother, who lives in Kearney, Ont.

Mrs. Fred English and daughters, Misses Bessie and Addie, and Master George, of Ottawa, spent part of last week in town with Mrs. G. Learmouth, on their way to Keene and vicinity, where they will visit friends during the holidays.

Mr. R. J. Stewart, District Organizer of the Canadian Order of Foresters, was in town on Saturday, and will return again on Tuesday next to spend the remainder of the week here for the purpose of enlarging the membership of Court Forest Queen.

Miss I. Martyn, who, for a number of years has held a responsible position with the Singer Manufacturing Co. here, left this morning for Kingston, where she has accepted a more lucrative position with the same company of that city. Miss Martyn will be greatly missed among her large circle of friends here, who will wish her every success.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The Butler case was enlarged for another week at the police court this morning.

—The McGill Glee and Banjo Club are going to make a tour through Eastern Ontario during the Christmas holidays. They purpose giving a concert in Peterborough on the evening of January the first.

Madill's Cough Syrup

For coughs, colds or sore throats. Cure guaranteed.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 26 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

CHURCH CHIMES.

St. Paul's choir sang "Christ, Our Passover," with full chorus, most harmoniously at last evening's service.

Miss Lulu McAllister, of Pembroke, sister of Mr. C. B. McAllister, town, contributed a solo at the evening service in St. Paul's church, last night. She chose Goetze's "O Happy Day," and her clear, firm notes could be heard distinctly in every portion of the large edifice. Miss McAllister's voice has great possibilities, its range and smoothness being most pleasing to note.

The services in the George street Methodist church on Sunday night were unusually impressive. The spacious edifice was filled throughout. Mr. Young's sermon, founded on James iv, 14, "For what is your life? It is even a vapour," was very ingenious in its construction, and though all might not agree in every particular with his exposition of the figure of the vapour, none could deny the beauty and pathos of many of his passages. All who know anything about preaching are aware of the great difficulty of dealing satisfactorily with allegorical subjects. Mr. Young was determined to make it go on the lines of thought he had adopted, and to say that he succeeded would be equivalent to paying him a high compliment. Taking it all in all it would undoubted be regarded as one of his best efforts. The choir was very large and the rendering of the solo, "Consider the Lilies how they Grow," by Mrs. W. W. Daly, could hardly fail to touch and delight all present. Her articulation was perfect, the naturalness and simplicity of her style truly refreshing, on the middle and lower notes it would be difficult to conceive of anything purer and sweeter. It is to be hoped that Mrs. Daly may have other opportunities of appearing in the same capacity.

Elephant Given Away.

You can get one if you like. We have made arrangements with Kabba Rega Umjora, Africa, to supply us with as many as required. All you have to do is to answer this question:—"On what page and how often does the word "Turkey" appear in Webster's unabridged dictionary? Cut this ad. out and forward your answer, with stamps enough to pay express charges on the elephant, to R. BROWN & Co., 394 George street, direct importers of best groceries, also finest wines, ales and stout.

Marks Bros. commence two week's engagement at the Opera House to-night in the 4 Act Comedy Drama, "The Jail Bird." Prices 10 and 15c.

Chase and Sanborn's Coffee

The *quality* of the *Coffee* we sell under our *trade mark* is our best advertisement.

This Seal is our trade mark, and guarantees perfection of quality, strength and flavor.

BOSTON. MONTREAL. CHICAGO.

THE OBJECT OF THE HOLY SCRIPTURES.

THEY WERE WRITTEN FOR OUR SPIRITUAL LEARNING.

A Strong Sermon by the New Pastor of the Murray Street Baptist Church—He Creates a Most Favourable Impression.

Rev. A. T. Dykeman, the new pastor of the Murray street Baptist church, preached to very large congregations at both the morning and evening services yesterday. Mr. Dykeman is a clear and lucid reasoner, and his illustrations are apt and to the point. Fluency and great earnestness also characterize his delivery and those in attendance at the Murray street church were greatly pleased with the impression which they received of the new pastor, yesterday.

In the evening he spoke from the text Romans xv, and 4th verse: "For whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning that we through patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope."

This the speaker thought was a beautiful text, being as full as possible of the

MEAT OF THE SCRIPTURES.

The Bible was undoubtedly the book of the ages. It treated these wonderfully profound subjects in such a masterly manner, yet in such a simple way as to be understood by all. Compare it with the writings of man and mark the disparity, said he. Take the deeper works. For instance those on such subjects as transcendentalism. The common mind cannot understand the language used. Man cannot handle a difficult subject without using such technical terms as make his writings incomprehensible to the layman. Yet the word of God is so plainly written as to stamp it with the seal of Divinity and it bears the mark from Genesis to Revelations.

This grand old book has stood the test of time and the test of criticism all down through the centuries, and is even now subject to the latter. It has stood the test of human expression in all climes and the opposition of the world, the flesh and the devil in their multifarious forms and stands to-day as the book most read in the world, and of which more are sold than any other volume, its wonderful strength having successfully withstood all the attacks of man and the devil.

IN THIS WORLD

of change and advancement not a single fundamental doctrine of this old book has been altered. It stands like an impregnable rock in the ocean, that raises its proud head in defiance of the waves and says to them "Thus far shalt thou come and no further." Criticism has knocked the moss of superstition off it, but the rock of God's birth, death and resurrection is there yet.

The Bible was not written to tell everything about everything, or something about everything, or everything about something. It would be too cumbersome.

My subject, therefore, to-night, said the speaker, is to explain the object of the Scriptures: to tell why this wonderful book was given us. We are told in the text that it was written for our learning and so we see that our Heavenly Father is interested in our spiritual learning as our earthly parents are in our education in material subjects.

The scholars of the day ask why the Bible does not settle all the difficult problems in science, which are puzzling the world to-day, but it was not written for that purpose, although in the 38th chapter of Job, is to be found the first

LESSON IN ASTRONOMY,

of which there is any record. Then we are also told of the "Sun of Righteousness, and the "bright and morning star" of Jesus Christ, which shines when all the others have disappeared in the darkness.

It was not written to teach us mathematics, although we are told to number our days, and in it have a lesson in profit and loss in the words "What profit is man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul."

It is not a work on materia medica, but in it we are taught to diagnose that most fell of diseases—sin, and we are told of the healing properties of the balm of Gilead.

It was not written as a work of history, but through it we hear of the Rose of Sharon and the Lily of the Valley.

It was not written as a work on biology, yet it tells us more of the true origin of life than all the biologists of the day.

So much for the negative side of the question.

The learning which the book was written to impart is of a purely spiritual nature—a knowledge of the life which is to come.

Man comes into the world ignorant of this life and

KNOWING NOTHING WHATEVER

of the world to come. The Bible comes in to answer the question: "Is life all of this world?" It tells of the power that can elevate the intellect of man and purify his mind so that he can come to know God and trust Him. It gives information of such a character as to transform the life of man, dead in sin; and teaches him to become a new man and lead a new life.

The particular object of learning in the Scriptures, as specified in the text, is Hope.

What is Hope?

It is a compound emotion composed of desire and expectation. Desire without expectation cannot be called hope anymore than can expectation without desire be characterized as such. Both

The hope of a child of God is made up of a strong desire to reach heaven and, associated with it, is a corresponding strong expectation of spending eternity there. This hope must be based on the strong rock of the atonement. The certainty of this hope comes through a

KNOWLEDGE OF THE SCRIPTURES.

The heathen does not possess this hope but the Christian's hope is an anchor of the soul because it is founded on the one impregnable rock.

A good strong hope of heaven is the grand desiderstum of a good man's life. Apart from the word of God there is no means of the soul of man knowing whether its desire will be realized or not except through the inferential theory, the theory which leads us to reason that if the grass and trees can die and come to life again in the spring, that man, the noblest creation of God, would not be stricken down and have no hereafter.

Hope is the word that steadies us in the hour of tribulation. It is the precious pearl in sorrow's cup. Let your hope rest on the shoulders of the living word and then, bye and bye, when your earthly tabernacle is destroyed you will have a home eternal in the heavens.

The Busy Store.

Some merchants would have the public believe that the big sale at Rowley's was only a "fake" sale, and that they can sell just as cheap. I might just say here that I have always paid a hundred cents on the dollar during my twenty years of business, and that my goods have been bought, and are now being sold at less prices than others can buy them. Yet it will last only a few weeks longer, as I am positively retiring from the retail business, and would like all who owe me accounts to call and settle before January 1st, 1897. C. B. ROWLEY.

High up again are piled the Bargain Tables of Underwear at Grafton & Co's.

Starts WEDNESDAY, Dec. 9th

And Continues During the Whole of December.

A MEMORABLE MONTH AT R. H. KELLS & CO'S.

We have planned to make the last month of 1896 a memorable one. Starting on **WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 9th,** we inaugurate an END-OF-THE-YEAR SALE that will unquestionably be the opportunity of the season to purchase **High-Grade Dress Goods, Mantles, Linens, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, &c.,** at prices that have had no parallel in Peterborough. In all our experience we never have had so successful a year's business. While others have been constantly complaining of dull times, R. H. Kells & Co's Sales have steadily advanced month after month.

With Christmas trade under way, holiday displays ready to see, and the entire store from stem to stern ready for business beyond precedent, this sale becomes doubly attractive to present day shoppers.

500 Dress Patterns,

German and French stuffs—no two alike—imported direct for the very best trade—and bought under conditions more favourable than come often to the shrewdest buying. These and all Dress Stuffs must positively be cleared out before the New Year; even if we have to accept far below their true value.

Memorable Mantle Selling

Because we have sold more Mantles this year than ever, we can well afford to sell the balance at prices that will ensure their being quickly turned into cash.

Memorable Selling of Pure Irish Linens

Cutting 25 per cent. or one-quarter off regular prices, will surely dispose of all these beautiful goods—such as Table Covers, Doylies, Tray Covers, Shams, Five O'clocks.

EVERYTHING GOES!

We want the cash that's locked up—you need the goods. Now its PROFITS TO THE WINDS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER! You have the broadest Kells' guarantee that there is not a yard of unworthy goods in the store.

MARKING DOWN THE GOODS AND PREPARING FOR THIS SALE WILL GO ON UNTIL WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Madill's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil for bronchitis or long standing cough; pleasant to take; carefully prepared.

Electric Lamps.

China Hall has a full assortment—4, 6, 10, 16 and 32 candle power—at lowest prices

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Really well worth the attention of the Ladies, the price being only 35c at Miss Melville's, 424 George street.

Protect Your Horses, etc.

Nothing is more needed for horses at this inclement season of the year than a waterproof horse cover. I make them to order and keep them in stock as well. Hoods, heads, backs and breasts in black waterproof, impervious to water, soft and pliable. Any kind or style of ordered goods required. Lap rugs, strictly waterproof. Also cheese covers as requested by members of the Cheese Board, and for covering all kinds of goods liable to damage from wet. A. KINGSCOTTE, Tent, Sail and Awning manufacturer, 344 Water street opposite market

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—Fresh Novelties from the Cities Personally Selected—

These are days of increasing brightness and beauty all over our store. New and attractive novelties for Winter Wear as well as for appropriate Holiday Gifts constantly arriving, such as:—

—Pretty Lace and Chiffon Collars, —the very newest.
—New Lace Handkerchiefs
—New Embroidered Handkerchiefs
—New Lawn Handkerchiefs
—New Handkerchief and Veil Cases
—Newest Veiling just in.
—New Flowers—Roses and Violets.
—New Feathers and Tips
—New Ribbons—newest shades.
—New Dress Kid Gloves
—New Ringwool Gloves in white, and black and white—"everlasting wear."
—Newly Trimmed Hats and Bonnets
—Children's Silk and Wool Hoods, etc., etc.

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Clearing Sale of Millinery.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

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which will be sold much below cost. A number of PATTERN HATS and BONNETS to be sold at half price. This is a rare chance for Ladies' to get the newest and most stylish goods at half the regular price. Come early and secure bargains as the goods must be sold.

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BIG DISCOUNT SALE

The Big Discount Sale will continue for a short time longer.

Save money in buying your Enameled Ware, Tin and Small-wares NOW

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CONNOISSEURS

Of Fruit will find it to their advantage to purchase their Fruits here; the holidays coming on you want the best material with which to do your baking. We call your attention to our lines and guarantee that you will be well pleased.

Arguimbeans Finest Selected Raisins at the same price that others will ask you for a poorer quality.
Choice Atlas and Perfectos Currants.
New Season's Lemon, Orange and Citron Peel.
New Season's Choice Eleme Figs.
New Season's Dates. Prices right, quality A1 and all sold upon their merits.

Try our splendid Home-made Mince Meat as good as mother used to make. This store is the trading centre up-to-date and everything essential to good housekeeping is found here.

GEO. CARTON'S

A. G. CHAMBERS Manager. Table Supply House

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CHRISTMAS OPENING OF FANCY GOODS

Continues all week. All are cordially invited.

The display includes choice articles in Fancy Work in lines suitable for Christmas Presents.

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THE SAINT CAME.

"If you please, sir"—

"Eh? What now?"

The crusty old gentleman turned suddenly and sharply and glared from beneath his shaggy eyebrows at the little figure beside him. The figure was that of a girl 8 years old perhaps, but small and frail. She wore an enormous sunbonnet that might have been made for the wife of the giant Blunderbore, so out of proportion was it to the diminutive wearer, and out of its depths peered a thin little face, with big, frightened brown eyes. Her clothing was so clean and neat that one scarcely noticed how very poor it was, and as she stared up into the terrible face above her one of the little feet wriggled uneasily in the depths of the costly rug.

"If you please, sir, mother said to tell you that she couldn't come up to-day because she's sick."

The childish treble was a little shaken this time, for the shaggy eyebrows were very close to her, and they gave the old gentleman a look that was terrible beyond belief.

He was in a dreadful temper, this crusty old gentleman, and nothing made him angrier than for poor people to get into his house. He hated the sight of poverty, and all his servants had special orders to guard the doors and the gates and to see that no moan of want or woe ever reached his ears. And yet, after all, this little beggar had slipped past the bolts and bars into his very study, where his own servants scarcely dared to enter.

I don't know what dreadful thing might have happened if it had not been for that one little word "mother" in the child's fluttering speech. Children so seldom speak the mord nowadays that it gave a little shock of surprise. Instantly he found himself looking beyond the child, at an old, long-forgotten scene—a little cabin, with a white country road winding past it and an awkward boy going down the road, stopping at the last curve to wave his hand to his mother, who stood in the door watching him go out into the world.

Then he remembered himself, and asked sharply:

"And who is your mother, pray, and why should she come here?"

Please sir, said the quavering little voice, "mother's the dust woman."

"The what!" ejaculated the old gentleman, with another dreadful frown.

"She comes up once a week and dusts the bric-a-brac," explained the child. "The housekeeper hired her. She says she doesn't feel equal to it herself, and mother does it so nicely."

"Aha!" muttered the old gentleman

"IF YOU PLEASE, SIR."

with an angry gleam in the eyes under those fearful brows. "So Mrs. Murray brings outsiders into the house when my back is turned, does she? They're all alike, a pack of cheats and robbers! I'll teach her to violate my confidence and fill my house with irresponsible people! You may stay in this room till Mrs. Murray comes. Do you hear? And then I shall have a message to send to your mother."

He rang the bell violently and ordered that Mrs. Murray be sent to him as soon as she returned. Having made this satisfactory arrangement, he took up his paper again and ignored the little figure in the sunbonnet.

But before he had read a dozen lines there was a light touch on his arm, and the brown eyes were looking up into his.

"Please, sir, may I look out of the window while we're waiting?"

He was so astonished that he could not reply for a moment, but he did finally give a scornful grunt of assent.

There was silence in the room for a long time. Not a clock ticked, for old Mr. Roberts could not endure the ticking of clocks. Not a leaf stirred, not a cricket chirped. The stillness disturbed him at last, and he looked up. The child was out on the little balcony, leaning on the stone balustrade. Her bonnet had fallen off, and the sunlight falling on the mass of brown hair, wove it full of gleams of gold.

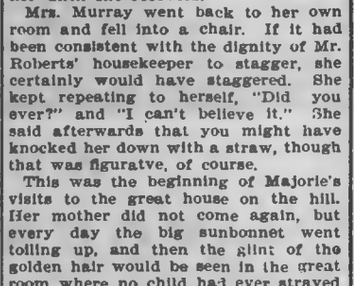
Another touch on his arm—there she was again. Her hand—such a little morsel of a hand—trembled with some new emotion, and her eyes shone with a strange light.

"It must be nice to live on a hill!" was what she said.

The old gentleman in the arm chair had never been more astounded in his life. He stared at her and forgot to say anything.

"I have always wanted to live on a hill," she went on. "Our house is away down yonder, and you can't see anything but the houses across the street. But up here you can look so far, and the sky's so close to you. Don't you think people can be better when they live on a hill?"

The newspaper fell to the floor unheeded, and the crusty old gentleman and the little girl looked at one another. After awhile the old gentleman went to the balcony and looked down on the roofs of the crowded houses in the narrow streets below and then away to the far horizon. This beautiful home of his crowned the summit of this purple hill, and was uplifted so far above the noise and dust and wretchedness of the city that lay below. Truly it was a pleasant thing to live on a hill. He had never thought of it before, but all at once he fancied himself down among those miserable tenements, looking up at this beautiful home and



HOME CROWNED THE SUMMIT OF THIS PURPLE HILL.

thinking how near to heaven it reached.

There was a hurried tap at the door, and Mrs. Murray presented herself. Her comfortable figure was attired still in the neat dress that she had worn in the street. Her round face was wreathed with smiles, but she was obviously fluttered and quaking with fear.

"Did you leave word that you wanted to see me, sir?" she asked, and then waited for the blow to fall.

"Mrs. Murray," said the old gentleman in his stiffest and most formal manner, "am I to understand that you have employed a woman to come here once a week and dust the bric-a-brac?"

"Yes, sir. Mrs. Holmes her name is, and she's very careful, sir: I couldn't do better myself."

She glanced up anxiously at the wooden countenance before her. What terrible thing was he going to say next?

"Mrs. Murray, the woman has sent this child to say that she is too ill to come. That will do. You will excuse her until she recovers."

Mrs. Murray went back to her own room and fell into a chair. If it had been consistent with the dignity of Mr. Roberts' housekeeper to stagger, she certainly would have staggered. She kept repeating to herself, "Did you ever?" and "I can't believe it." She said afterwards that you might have knocked her down with a straw, though that was figurative, of course.

This was the beginning of Majorie's visits to the great house on the hill. Her mother did not come again, but every day the big sunbonnet went tolling up, and then the glint of the golden hair would be seen in the great room where no child had ever strayed before. Not that she was boisterous or laughing, or childlike in any way. She would sit in Mrs. Murray's room for hours, with her hands folded on her lap, watching the lady at her work and sometimes talking softly, or she would follow her from room to room, gazing wth rapt delght at every beautiful object.

Mr. Roberts knew that she was in the house, but he said nothing. He was conscious sometimes that the child stopped near him and stood with her hands behind her, regarding him with grave scrutiny, but he did not drive her away, as he might have been expected to do a few weeks before.

He was in his study one morning when he heard Mrs. Murray come into the adjoining room. The door was ajar, and, softly as she spoke, her words came to him distinctly:

"That was a present from my son last Christmas," she said. "Dear boy! He never fails to send me something every Christmas and every birthday."

Then came a small voice, full of wistful meaning:

"Mrs. Murray," it said, "do you like Christmas?"

"Why, Marjorie!" was the shocked reply. "Why, of course I do! Everybody likes Christmas!"

"I don't," said the small voice—such a desolate little voice it seemed. "I had rather leave Christmas out of the year."

"Marjorie!" No words could express the horror and amazement in Mrs. Murray's tone.

"I would!" The small voice had grown thinner and higher in its painful intensity. "What's the use of a Christmas that never gets to some people at all? There was little lame Peter Franks who lived in the room opposite to our, and oh, he wanted a Christmas so much, Mrs. Murray, so much, his stocking up every year, every single year, and he always thought there'd be something in it next morning, but there never was anything—not a single—and now poor Peter's dead, and he never had a Christmas in all his life!"

"My dear! My dear!"

The old gentleman in the study heard the exclamation, and he knew that the voice that uttered it was full of tears. He rose hastily and slipped out of the study, and then ordered his carriage and went driving.

The day following was Christmas eve. Carriers from town were busy all day bringing in the presents that he had bought for the servants, and there was great happiness in the servants' hall, with much confusion and many awkward attempts to thank the master, who waved off every such attempt with an air of lofty patronage. Outside of this family of servants he had never given anyone a present in all his life. He had never contributed to charities, public or private. He had never helped the poor—indeed he had never listened to their appeals.

He had important business in another city which would keep him away all through Christmas week, he explained

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THE SAINT CAME.

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to Mrs. Murray, and he must leave that evening. In the afternoon he muffled himself in greatcoat and furs and drove away, and as soon as the carriage was half way down the hill the servants relaxed from their usual stiff propriety and began to enjoy themselves in their own way.

A telegram was handed to Mr. Roberts at the station, as he was about to buy his ticket. What little things sometimes change the whole course of a life! The information thus received made the trip unneccessary, and after loitering about the city for awhile he returned home on foot and entered his house quietly by a side door.

Sounds of boisterous merriment came from the servants' quarters, and the owner of the house frowned ominously. So this was the way they took advantage of his absence?

He made his way to his study, unseen by anyone, and shut himself in—a lonely, selfish, desolate old man. Even the fire, which still burned in the grate, annoyed him, and he withdrew behind a screen and threw himself into an easy chair. He heard Mrs. Murray come in after a while, but she only moved about softly and decorously, setting things in order, and he did not speak. She was just passing into the sitting room when she gave a little cry of alarm, followed by the exclamation:

"Mercy, me, child! How you frightened me!"

"Mrs. Murray," said a thin little voice—a voice that Mr. Roberts had heard before—"I've come up here to stay all night!"

The listener behind the screen heard Mrs. Murray fall into a chair and again she cried, "Mercy me!"

"I just had to come!" the eager voice went on. "Mother's very, very sick—and she needs things, Mrs. Murray—and maybe Santa Claus might bring 'em if he knew—and how is he to know when he never comes there But I knew if I went to some fine house he'd come and find me, and so I came here."

"Poor child! Poor child!"

Mrs. Murray had gathered the little waif to her bosom and was rocking her

WITH AN AIR OF LOFTY PATRONAGE.

softly to and fro. The old gentleman behind the screen could see that by the shadow on the floor. He could see, too, that the housekeeper was furtively wiping her eyes.

Presently she rallied and said cheerfully:

"I'll tel lyou what we'll do, Marjorie, I'll go right down and see your mother, and you shall go with me, and, who knows, maybe Santa Claus will come there, after all."

"Oh, no, he won't!" replied the child with sorrowful conviction. "You don't know that place! Santa Claus has never heard of it! He goes to rich people's houses, and so I've come here, and I must see him to-night—oh, I must, Mrs. Murray! I don't care for any other Christmas after this, but I must see him to-night, on mother's account, you know."

There was a dismayed silence on Mrs. Murray's part, but presently she said:

"Well, come along into Mr. Roberts' study—thank goodness he's away from home—and sit here before the fire till I come back. I'll take John and go down and see your mother."

In another minute the sound of her retreating footsteps had died away, and the old gentleman, peeping from behind the screen, saw a little figure sitting before the fire, gazing intently into the glowing coals.

Dusk was settling down over the city. He had not been conscious of it until the electric burner above his table flashed into sudden radiance. The flash startled the child, and he heard her moving softly about. What was she doing? Preparing to steal something probably. These children from the tenement districts were all thieves.

But, no! When he ventured to look again, she was at the study table—his table—writing. She had his sacred pen, which no other mortal had ever dared to touch, and she was writing slowly and laboriously. Could presumption go farther than that? What would these people be trying to do next?

It took her a long time to write the letter, but at last it was finished, and she laid the pen down with a weary sigh. Then she unrolled a little burden that had been lying beside her eyes?—a stocking, a poor, forlorn, ragged little stocking! Now, what could she want with that?

She stood on tiptoe and peered around the corners of the mantel for a place to hang it. Finally something struck her fancy as suitable, and she began pushing a heavy chair toward the mantel. When it was near enough, she climbed upon it and hung the stocking upon the "brave caduceus" of the bronze Mercury that he had bought last year in Rome and for which he had paid such a price!

Presently she had jumped down and was surveying the stocking with the greatest pride. Then the note was carefully folded, and she pinned the folded paper to the toe so conspicuously that the winged Mercury seemed to stand there for no other purpose than to hold up a ragged stocking for all the world to see.

And then—why, then she was lying down upon the rug with her thin cheek on her thin little hand, and the listener heard a tired sigh.

After a long while the old gentleman behind the screen ventured to move slightly. After a little longer he moved again and so gradually came out of his hiding place.

Was that old Mr. Roberts tiptoeing across the room to keep from startling the poor little waif sleeping on his hearth rug? Was that the sordid old man whom even his friends had come to call a mere money machine, that an whose hands trebled as he unpinned the little note and spread it out before him?

"Dear Santa Clause.—When you come to-night pleas look at me. I'll lie down on the rug. Yeuve never sen me before. You needent give me anything, but pleas fill the stocking with things for mother shes sick. I tied up the toe so they wouldent drop out. The docter says wine and things and housrent.

"MARJORIE HOLMES."

For a long time the old man sat in the chair before the fire. Something within him was breaking the cold and selfish crust that years had helped to form. He sat there looking from the

WAS THAT OLD MR. ROBERTS TIPTOEING?

sleeping child to the forlorn little stocking and from the stocking to the child. It was the first time a stocking had ever been hung up in his house—the first time!

Suddenly the old gentleman rose. He lifted the child gently and laid her on a couch which had always been sacred to his own use and covered her with rugs. Then he went softly out and astonished the unsuspecting servants by appearing among them and ordering the carriage.

Could this be old Theodore Roberts, the money machine, the selfish, brusque, irritable old man, this man who went from store to store, ordering and buying and spending money as he had never spent it before? Could this be the Mr. Roberts that Mrs. Murray knew, this man who went into that sickroom, followed by a great hamper filled with "wine and things and house rent?" Was this the man that all the charitable organizations shunned, this man who drove about half the night, leaving behind him a trail of Christmas rejoicing, mingled with such blessings as he had never heard before?

And who was it that drove up the hill at last under the silent stars, with a carriage full of bundles and with a strange, soft feeling tugging at his heartstrings? He smiled as he went, and yet he had to keep wiping his eyes. He was glad it was dark, so that no one could see.

And what strange figure was this in the study afterward, this figure that moved so steadily and that was so busy stuffing the stocking until it was ready to burst, and pinning things all over the outside of it until the bronze Mercury seemed almost to stagger under his burden? What had come over the old gentleman whom so many people envied and whom nobody loved?

Just before day Mrs. Murray, coming softly in, found him sitting by the fire, watching the sleeping child.

"It'll be a sad time for her," she said. "Her mother's gone, and whatever's to become of the little thing, I don't know."

"I don't see why the child shouldn't stay here, Mrs. Murray," said the old gentleman, with his face turned the other way. "It would be some extra trouble for you, but I dare say you would not mind it."

"S-sir!" Mrs. Murray managed to articulate.

Then the old gentleman turned around, and she saw what was shining on his cheek.

"Do you see that stocking, Mrs. Murray?" he cried, in a voice that she had never heard before. "That's the first stocking that was ever hung up in my

THE OLD GENTLEMAN BESIDE HER GATHERED HER UP IN HIS ARMS.

house. It looks homelike, doesn't it? I have decided that we'll have stockings hung up every year. And here's a child that needs a home, and, thank heaven, I've a home to give her."

The child sighed and stirred and then suddenly sat up.

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HOCKEY.

The Ontario Hockey Association went on a ramage at the annual meeting held at Toronto on Saturday afternoon and eradicated some troublesome things which had been like thorns in the flesh of the O. H. A. The Bank Leaguers of Toronto were dealt a deadly blow, from the effects of which they will be a longer time recovering that did Sharkey after Fitz. had "thrown that whizzing left into him." Mr. MacFadden, of Stratford, was the chief conspirator, and so cunningly warded was the motion which did the mischief that there was not a dissenting voice raised when an expression of opinion was asked for. The motion, which defined exactly what a recognised hockey association is, effectually debars any players who are members of Bank League teams from competing with any other, and as there are numbers of skilled puck chasers in Toronto association who lend their services to the Victorias and T. A. C., this will weaken both clubs and will in all probability force the former out of the business. The formation of an intermediate series was a happy move, and will undoubtedly be bountiful in good results, as there have been in the past seasons many clubs in the senior series which were altogether too weak to compete with the "upper ten," just as there were teams in junior division which outclassed the others. These were the salient points of Saturday's meeting, which was as enthusiastic a one as ever gathered in the Queen's.

When President C. A. B. Brown intimated to the swarm of well-dressed young men who were standing in knots of three and four around the room talking and laughing that a start had to be made some time, and that that particular moment had arrived.

The Peterborough delegates were Messrs. Walter Phelan and W. A. Buchanan. Dr. Clarry Piper looked after Norwood's interests and Charlie Bradburn was up for Port Hope.

President Brown thought that the association was to be congratulated on the rapid progress it had made since its formation. No other sporting organization in the country of a similar kind could boast of a larger bank account. As an evidence of the advancement of the association he pointed out that the membership had been increased by one-third more than it was at last meeting. He suggested that the surplus amount of $40 be expended in buying suitable souvenirs for the members of the clubs winning the championship, which was acted upon by the meeting later. He eulogized the various committees that had assisted him during his two years' term of office, and then announced his retirement. Secretary Alexis Martin then presented the sub-committee's report as follows:—"The season of 1894-5 was marked by one or two incidents that had not occurred in other years in the playing off of the championship ties in the senior series. One of these was that a Toronto team was not represented in the finals, and the other that a club west of Toronto namely Stratford, competed against Queen's for the O.H.A. Cup, which is good evidence that in the western part of the Province, if not in Toronto, the class of hockey is improving. Eleven clubs had team entered in the senior series, and sixteen in the junior last year. Queen's won the senior finals from Stratford in Mutual street rink on Feb. 26th by 12 to 3. The junior championship was played at the Granite rink between the Granites and Peterborough, and was won by the former by 7 to 3."

Treasurer Creelman's report was eminently satisfactory, showing a balance of $236.07. The receipts from all sources amounted to $330.47, and the disbursements totalled $114.40.

J. A. Macfadden spoke to his motion, which was shelved at the last meeting, regarding the formation of an intermediate series. His main argument was that there were clubs in the senior and junior series which were either too weak or too strong for the teams opposed to them, and on that account an additional series was an absolute necessity. A. F. R. Martin supported his contention. In his opinion there were a great many clubs of unknown ability in the two series, and it was desirable an intermediate division be formed. As to which series the clubs should play in, he thought advisable that is should be left to the discretion of the Executive Committee to decide. H. G. Wills, of the Victoria Colts, disagreed with the speaker. There was not the same necessity for a triple division in the O. H. A. as in the Football Union, as weight and age does not play so important a part. A committee would not be in a position to judge of the merits of the teams, and the clubs, for that reason, if the suggestion was adopted, should decide which series they would enter.

"An intermediate series is what we want," declared G. E. Goldie, of Ayr, "as there are clubs in the senior class that have no chance in the world of winning." He was followed by G. J. Horkins of Peterborough, who asserted that if an intermediate series was not formed, Peterborough, with its plethora of hockey material would have a hard row to hoe to keep up the enthusiasm among the younger players who would be frozen out of the game entirely. They would enter three teams and make a fight in every division. It was then moved by J. A. McFadden, seconded by A. F. Martin, "That an intermediate series be established by this Association; that each team in affiliation with the Association be notified of the intention to establish the series, and that they be requested to state which series they desire to play in, but it be understood that the Executive Committee have power to place the teams in whatever series they may deem to be in the best interests of the Association, and the clubs in affiliation with it; it being understood that the winners of the junior series shall be entitled to compete the following year in the intermediate, and the winners of the intermediate series shall be entitled to play in the senior series." The motion was discussed clause by clause, and after much additional talk, was passed without alteration. It was suggested that an age limit be adopted, but this did not meet with much favour.

It was pointed out by J. A. McFadden that it was imperative that a definition should be made of what shall constitute a recognised hockey association, and this motion was submitted and carried. "A recognised hockey association is defined to be an association or league that meets and elects officers and draws up a schedule for the playing of games in that association or league." It was added as clause L in the rules.

An amendment was made to the rules of the game, which should find favor in the eyes of all hockeyists. The suggestion emanated from R. G. Fitzgibbon, of Varsity, and this winter it will be necessary for a club to score a majority of goals in ten minute halves, five minutes each way, if at the expiration of full time the game is a draw. The referee will have power to order additional periods to be played if no result is arrived at in that time. Before the election of officers, A. F. R. Martin was entrusted with the task of securing the incorporation of the association. These officers were elected: President, J. A. Macfadden, Stratford; Vice-Presidents, A. F. R. Martin, Toronto, and G. J. Horkins, Peterborough, Secretary, A. H. Beaton, Toronto; Treasurer, A. R. Creelman, Toronto; Executive Committee, J. S. Noble, Petrolia, R. G. Fitzgibbons, of Varsity, — Beecher, London, E. P. Brown, of Upper Canada College, A. F. Campbell, of Trinity, and T. D. Morrison of the Wellingtons. A donation of $75 was voted Secretary F. W. Tiffin, who refused to stand for re-election, although pressed to do so, because of his approaching departure for Vancouver, B.C. He has been an earnest, hard-working official, and fully deserved the praise that was poured on him. Three cheers was enthusiastically given for ex-President C. A. B. Brown, and it was unanimously decided to present him with a testimonial as an evidence of the appreciation of the association for the great services that he has rendered it during his two years' occupation of the Presidential chair.

After the general meeting the Executive met and named ex-President C. A. B. Brown, A. H. Beaton and R. G. Fitzgibbons to compose the sub-committee. The changes in the constitution and several other matters were discussed, after which the Executive adjourned till Tuesday, December 15.

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We propose making December a notable month in our business. November has been a booming month, for, mind you, we laid ourselves out to boom things—not talk, not thunder, not importuning to buy, but a solid boom that brought buyers. Our idea of booming is to put out some inducements that no one can afford to neglect. You will remember our special push for November was in Carpets, Curtains and Housefurnishings. We purpose to push the going out of other lines embracing

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FOR $4.25 Ladies' Cloth Jackets, formerly sold at $6.00.

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FOR $3.50 Ladies' Trimmed Hats and Bonnets, worth $6.00 and $6.00.

FOR 25C your choice of a large collection of Sailors, worth $1 00.

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20 Per Cent. of all our Dress Costumes.

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FOR 25C the yard 10 pieces Elder Down Flannels, handsome patterns, worth 35c and 40c per yard.

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FOR $1.00 per yard best 5-frame Brussels Carpets, latest designs.

FOR $1.75 & $2.25 your choice of our lovely stock of Scotch Muslin Curtains, former prices $3.00 and $4.00 per pair.

We have about 20 pairs of Swiss Curtains left to be cleared at our November Sale Prices.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES

We are introducing some rare Novelties suitable for Gifts, such as Silver Cups, Silver Mounted Mirrors, Silver Cased Toilet Bottles, Hand Painted Silk Doylies, Silk Handkerchiefs, Fancy Handkerchiefs, Silk Scarfs and hundreds of other useful things, all at prices as attractive as the goods are handsome.

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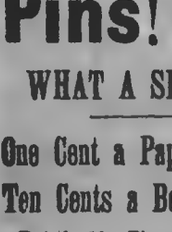
CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES



We have secured some rare Novelties suitable for gifts, such as Silver Mounted Mirrors, Silver-Cased Toilet Bottles, Hand-Painted Silk Doylies, Silk Handkerchiefs, Fancy Handkerchiefs, Silk Scarfs. We have the largest and finest display of Infants' Wear in town, such as Baby White Wool Jackets, Bootees, Infantees, Fine Veils, Fur Boas, Silk and Wool Hoods, Wool Mittens, Tams, Touques, and hundreds of other useful things, all at prices as attractive as the goods are handsome.

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HIS LAST MESSAGE.

Mr. Cleveland's Deliverance to the 54th Congress.

AT PEACE WITH ALL THE NATIONS

The Cuban Insurgents Have Not Yet Earned the Right to Recognition as Belligerents—The President Stands to His Guns on the Tariff Question.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Congress reassembled to-day under "most favored nation" conditions, with bright sunshine, a generally bracing air, a temperature running from 40 to 55 degrees and both halls of assembly ventilated in a manner more nearly conforming to hygienic requirements than has ever before been attempted. Mr. Crisp's desk was draped in mourning.

The Senate Chamber was gay with baskets of flowers, the largest bedecking the desk of Senator Vest of Missouri. On the Republican side the display was strikingly large and handsome.

Sir Julian Pauncefote, the English Ambassador, and M. Patrenotre, the French Ambassador, were the most conspicuous persons in the diplomatic gallery. The public galleries were crowded. Punctually at noon the Senate was called to order by Vice-President Stevenson, and prayer was offered by the blind chaplain, Rev. Mr. Millburn. In the House of Representatives 271 members were present.

The President's message was read, as follows:

To the Congress of the United States,—As representatives of the people in the Legislative branch of their Government, you have assembled at a time when the strength and excellence of our free institutions and the fitness of our citizens to enjoy popular rule have been again made manifest. A political contest involving momentous consequences, fraught with feverish apprehension, and creating aggressiveness so intense as to approach bitterness and passion, has been waged throughout our land, and determined by the decree of free and independent suffrage, without disturbance of our tranquility or the least sign of weakness in our national structure.

When we consider these incidents and contemplate the peaceful obedience and meek submission which have succeeded a heated clash of political opinions, we discover abundant evidence of a determination on the part of our countrymen to abide by every verdict of the popular will and to be controlled at all times by an abiding faith in the agencies established for the direction of the affairs of their Government.

IN REGARD TO CUBA.

The Insurgents Have Not Yet Earned the Right to Recognition

The insurrection in Cuba still continues with all its perplexities. It is difficult to perceive that any progress has thus far been made towards the pacification of the island, or that the situation of affairs as depicted in my last annual message has in the least improved.

If Spain still holds Havana and the seaports and all the considerable towns, the insurgents still roam at will over at least two-thirds of the inland country. If the determination of Spain to put down the insurrection seems but to strengthen with the lapse of time, and is evinced by her unhesitating devotion of largely increased military and naval forces to the task, there is much reason to believe that the insurgents have gained in point of numbers and character and resources, and are none the less inflexible to their resolve not to succumb without practically securing the great objects for which they took up arms.

If Spain has not yet re-established her authority, neither have the insurgents yet made good their title to be regarded as an independent State.

The spectacle of utter ruin of an adjoining country, by nature one of the most fertile and charming on the globe, would engage the serious attention of the Government and people of the United States in any circumstance. In point of fact, they have a concern with it which is by no means of a wholly sentimental or philanthropic character. It lies so near to us as to be hardly separated from our territory. Our actual pecuniary interests in it are second only to those of the people and Government of Spain. It is reasonably estimated that at least stop the conflict which is now consuming the resources of the island and making it worthless for whichever party may ultimately prevail. It would keep intact the possessions of Spain without touching her honor. It has been objected on the one side that Spain should not promise autonomy until her insurgent subjects lay down their arms; on the other side, that promised autonomy, however liberal, is insufficient, because without assurance of the promise being fulfilled. Facing such circumstances, to withhold the proffer of needed reforms until the parties demanding them put themselves at mercy by throwing down their arms, has the appearance of neglecting the gravest of perils and inviting suspicion as to the sincerity of the professed willingness to grant reforms. The objection on behalf of the insurgents, that promised reforms cannot be relied upon, must, of course, be considered.

Nevertheless, realizing that suspicions and precautions on the part of the weaker of two combatants are always natural and not always unjustifiable, being sincerely desirous in the interest of both, as well as on its own account, that the Cuban problem should be solved with the least possible delay, it was intimated by this from $30,000,000 to $50,000,000 of American capital is invested in railroad, mining and other business enterprises on the island. The outcome of trade between the United States and Cuba, which in 1889 amounted to about $64,000,000, rose in 1893 to about $103,000,000. Besides this large pecuniary stake in the fortunes of Cuba, the United States finds itself inextricably involved in the present contest in other ways, both vexatious and costly.

The inevitable entanglements of the United States with the rebellion in Cuba, the large American property interests affected, and considerations of philanthropy and humanity in general, have led to a vehement demand in various quarters for some sort of positive intervention on the part of the United States.

It was at first proposed that belligerent rights should be accorded to the insurgents—a proposition no longer urged, because untimely, and in practical operation clearly perilous and injurious to our own interests.

It has since been and is now sometimes contended that the independence of the insurgents should be recognized. But imperfect and restricted as the Spanish government of the island may be, no other exists there. It is now also suggested that the United States should buy the island—a suggestion worthy of consideration if there were any evidence of a desire or willingness on the part of Spain to entertain such a proposition.

It is urged, finally, that all other methods failing, the existing internecine strife existing in Cuba should be terminated by our own intervention, even at the cost of a war between the United States and Spain—a war which its advocates confidently prophesy could be neither large in its proportions nor doubtful in its issue.

It would seem that if Spain should offer to Cuba general autonomy—a measure of home rule, which, while preserving the sovereignty of Spain, would satisfy all national requirements of her Spanish subjects—there should be no just reason why the pacification of the island might not be effected on this basis. Such a result would appear to be in the true interest of all concerned.

Whatever circumstances may arise, our policy and our interests would constrain us to object to the acquisition of the island or an interference with its control by any other power.

The Venezuelan boundary question ence between Great Britain and the United States, their respective Governments having agreed upon the substantial provisions of a treaty between Great Britain and Venezuela submitting the whole controversy to arbitration. The provisions of the treaty are so eminently just and fair that the assent of Venezuela thereto may confidently be anticipated.

Negotiations for a treaty of general arbitration for all differences between Great Britain and the United States are far advanced and promise to reach a successful consummation at an early date.

I desire to repeat the recommendation contained in my last annual message in favor of providing at public expense official residences for our ambassadors and ministers at foreign capitals.

We have during the last year labored faithfully and against unfavorable conditions to secure better preservation of seal life in Behring Sea. Both the United States and Great Britain have lately despatched commissioners to these waters to study the habits and condition of the seal herd and the causes of their rapid decrease. Upon the reports of these commissioners, soon to be submitted, and with the exercise of patience and good sense on the part of all interested parties, it is earnestly hoped that hearty co-operation may be secured for the protection against threatened extinction of seal life in the Northern Pacific and Behring Sea.

THE MONEY QUESTION.

A Deficit of Over $25,000,000 Reported for the Past Year.

The Secretary of the Treasury reports that during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1896, the receipts of the Government from all sources amounted to $409,475,408.73. During the same period its expenditures were $434,678,654.48, th

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NEWS FROM OTTAWA

Inland Revenue Department on Adulteration.

JAMS AND JELLIES THE WORST.

On the Whole Tradespeople Have Been Fairly Honest—Maple Syrup Found to be Mixed With Glucose The Shoddy Blankets Scandal—Personal and Other Notes.

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—(Special)—The annual report of the Inland Revenue Department regarding the adulteration of food has been published and was distributed to-day. Out of 1295 samples analysed only 105, or barely 9 per cent. of the whole have been found to be adulterated. Jams and jellies were the worst adulterated of all the samples examined. Out of 155 examined, 25 were adulterated. The attention of the department was for some years directed solely to the inspection of foods and drugs.

The area of the operations was subsequently extended to take in fertilizers and articles of commerce largely used by the farmers of the country. Later paris green was an important item, inasmuch as if not pure the agriculturist in using was frequently undeceived only by the loss of a valuable crop. The results of the past year's operations demonstrated that nearly 90 per cent. complied with the requirements of the act. A similar improvement may be noted in all classes of food excepting maple syrup, which was analyzed for the first time and has found to be in many cases adulterated with glucose.

Mr. Robertson of Hamilton is in the Capital to-day to meet the Minister of Militia regarding the shoddy blankets scandal. The Minister states that he is determined to get to the bottom of the matter and Mr. Robertson, as an expert in the manufacture of such goods, will assist him.

A very fine specimen of blue sodality has just been placed in the Geological Museum after being polished. It was found in Hastings County by Mr. Barlow, and is the largest and most perfect specimens of this formation ever seen here.

Mr. Leferrier, secretary of the Hull School Board, wrote to-day to the British Consul of Brazil, making enquiry about his son and daughter-in-law, who left with the French-Canadian emigrants on the Moravia a few months ago. He has never received a letter and is very anxious as to their position.

The city bakers have decided to charge more for their bread, and to-day four-pound loaves went up one cent, making ordinary bread 11 cents and white 12 cents per loaf.

The commissioner appointed to investigate the conduct of John Crowe, Indian agent on the Saugeen Reserve, Bruce County, Ontario, has made his report to the Government. Mr. Crowe is shown by evidence to have been a very active political agent, and to have relieved the Indians from paying timber dues in return for their support in the election. It is said that Mr. Crowe will be dismissed.

Mr. Lavergne, M. P., the Premier's law partner, will shortly resign from the Commons and be appointed to the Supreme Court judgeship in the Ottawa and Pontiac district, now held by Judge Mathiot, who is to be superannuated on account of failing eyesight.

A report is current that all new appointments to the civil service are being made subject to the provisions of the Civil Service and Superannuation Amending Acts of next session. One of the Ministers, on being asked about the report to-night, while not admitting its accuracy, said there was much to commend it.

Hon. Sydney Fisher was in Cornwall to-day. He will be in Guelph to-morrow and will remain there three days.

Mr. Sifton will not reach here until about Christmas. He has been invited to a banquet in Toronto on the 15th inst., but he will be unable to accept. It is likely that it will be postponed to a later date.

Lieut.-Col. Harry Smith, Sergeant-at-Arms, is in the city.

Mr. Hugh O'Leary, Q. C., Lindsay, Ont., has been appointed the commissioner to investigate certain charges against the Indian agent on the Rama Reserve, Duncan J. McPhee. In the meantime Mr. McPhee has been suspended by the Acting Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs.

Hon. R. W. Scott, Secretary of State, will address a meeting in Cornwall and Stormont at St. Andrew's this evening and at Northfield to-morrow.

Messrs. Choquette, Poulliot and Carroll, M. P.'s, arrived in the city to-day.

Hon. Mr. Foster leaves for New Brunswick to-morrow to attend the funeral of his brother, who died at Moncton yesterday.

BROWN HAD A TIME.

Stole a Horse and Got it Killed, But Escaped Himself and Took to the Woods—He Was Caught.

Niagara Falls, N.Y., Dec. 7.—William Brown, an escaped prisoner from Toronto, Ont., came here this afternoon and stole a horse and buggy belonging to Dr. Scott. He drove the rig on to a bridge at Gill Creek, where a trolley car struck it, killing the horse and making kindling wood out of the wagon. The convict was unhurt and he took to the woods after an exciting run for two hours, in which Chief Dinan, Sergt. Maloney and several policemen took part. The thief was arrested by Officer Batts. He is now in a cell at Police Headquarters.

THE TERMS AGREEABLE.

Venezuela Accepts the Treaty of Arbitration and the Trouble is Over.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Venezuela has accepted the arbitration as agreed upon by Secretary Olney and Sir Julian Pauncefote. Secretary Olney has received a telegram from Minister Andrade at Caracas, stating that the memorandum between Great Britain and the United States for the settlement of the boundary question is accepted by the Venezuelan Government; that the memorandum will be published at Caracas this afternoon, and that an extra session of the Venezuelan Congress will be called as soon as possible, in order that the memorandum may be carried into effect by the necessary treaty between Great Britain and Venezuela.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1896.

COBOURG CUSTOMS HOUSE CHARGES.

An Alleged Deal by Which the Collector of Customs at Cobourg was Induced to Resign for a Consideration—To Make Room for one of Mr. Guillet's Friends An Investigation Ordered.

At Cobourg on Friday last an investigation into a peculiar deal in relation to the Collectorship of Custome was opened before Mr. Charles Saeger, but the full hearing was postponed. The charges to be investigated are as follows:

"On a report dated 25th Nov. 1896. from the president of the Privy Council, stating that he has been informed that C. E. Ewing is now and has been collector of customs at Cobourg since the year 1865; that David McAllister is now and has been landing waiter at Cobourg since or before the year 1862; that shortly after the general elections held in June, 1867, and before the resignation of the late government, George Guillet, member for the West Riding of Northumberland, attended upon the said Ewing, and requested him to resign his office of collector of customs; that Ewing did not desire to resign, but signed a conditional resignation, such condition being that a certain number of years should be added to his service, whereby he might be superannuated at a higher rate, and that such resignation was delivered to the said George Guillet, and by him taken or transmitted to the Government.

"The Minister further states that he is informed that on or about the 4th of July last Mr. George Guillett again attended upon Ewing and requested an absolute, unconditional resignation, which Ewing refused to give; that Ewing finally agreed to give an unconditional resignation if he were indemnified to the extent of the difference in amount of superannuation allowance at which he could then be superannuated, and what his superannuation allowance would be if he had been in the service long enough to be superannuated on a full allowance, which difference would amount to about $90 a year; that in order to indemnify Ewing a bond was prepared by a solicitor in Cobourg, made by David McAllister with two sureties, in which it was agreed that Ewing should be paid annually the sum of $90, so long as he should live; that the bond was delivered to George Guillet, M.P., for delivery by him to Ewing, and Mr. Guillet did personally hand to Ewing the bond, and received an unconditional resignation; that Guillet took the unconditional resignation to the Government of Ottawa, and submitted it there to a member of that Government.

"The Minister further states that he is informed that the matter then went before the Treasury Board and was passed upon, and an order in Council was prepared and submitted to his Excellency in Council in respect thereto; that one John Hagerman was at the time of the said resignation, and still is, preventive officer in her Majesty's customs at Cobourg, and it is alleged that it was the intention to promote the said Hagerman in the event of such resignation taking place, and other changes consequent thereon, as aforesaid."

In consequence of this, the Minister recommended that an enquiry be held into these circumstances, under chapter 14 of the revised statutes. The commission is in accordance with this recommendation. We shall in all probability have, through the investigation, another evidence of the manner in which the Government administered the "spoils" system.

IT WAS BOUGHT.

Guillet, M.P., Found to Have Assisted to Purchase a Postmastership.

That the now well known loan of $1,000 which was made to Mrs. Schwabe, daughter of Postmaster Sykes of Cobourg, by Mr. George Guillet, M.P., and Mr. Edwin Guillet, was a colourable transaction was the decision which Mr. Charles Sager, the commissioner appointed to investigate the transaction, announced on Saturday. The decision was a full and important declaration, which was very carefully and calmly delivered.

Mr. Seager, after observing that the negotiations regarding the resignation and the raising of the $1,000 were contemporaneous transactions, went very fully into the question of the loan, deciding that the circumstances attending the loan were such as to exclude the supposition that it was really a loan. Instead of that it was a pretence, designed to cover the purchase of the resignation. Mrs. Schwabe and Mr. Edwin Guillett he regarded as the two principal parties in the transaction.

Mr. George Guillet, M.P., Mr. Seager adjudged to have been aware of the transaction and to have raised the money for it. Mr. Charles Guillet, Mr. Seager looked upon as appearing as the beneficiary of an illegal action, though he came into the affair only when he endorsed the note. In his case he would report the facts to the Post Office Department, and leave them to form their own conclusions. This concluded the case.

THE HARVEY SCHOOL QUESTION

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—I wish through the columns of your paper to make a true statement concerning our school question. Had the matter been allowed to drop I would not have interfered, but I see a garbled account of the affair in your paper, sent by one of the interested parties, which tends to mislead your readers, as I always think that half a truth is more misleading than a whole falsehood.

Miss Down has been our teacher during this year, and though young, has performed her duties well, and her excellent teaching and uniform kindness to all her pupils have made her a general favourite. One day one of the trustees called at the school and enquired of her if she was willing to engage to teach the school for the coming year, and intimated that they were well pleased with her. She replied that she liked the school well, and was willing to remain, but thought they might increase her salary a little. There was to be a meeting of the school board soon, and the secretary told Miss Down that he would inform her when the meeting was going to take place, and they would discuss the subject of salary. Instead of notifying her of the meeting they sent her a dismissal, without stating any reason for changing their minds. Then it came out that for private reasons—in no no way relating to the school—the trustees had engaged the services of Miss Strachan, a young lady from a distance, who was visiting her sister, who is sister-in-law to one of the trustees, and an intimate friend of the family of another. Miss Strachan was engaged at an increase of salary of $35 above that which Miss Down is receiving. Finding she would be obliged to look for another school if she wished to teach, Miss Down requested the secretary of the school board to give her a copy of the Inspector's report for September, thinking it would be a good recommendation. The Secretary sent her a copy, but not a complete one. Miss Down had seen the report when Inspector Brown was making it out, and knew that for some reason part had been withheld, so demanded a complete copy, which was at length given to her. The first copy read as follows:

October 2nd, 1896.

"To whom it may concern:

I do hereby certify that Miss Jennie Down has been our teacher in said section for the year 1896, and will continue to complete the year; and that she is faithful and diligent as a teacher, and that the Inspector (J. Coyle Brown) reported on September as follows:

Progress of pupils, fair; order in school, excellent.

J. S. CAIRNDUFF,
Sec.-Treas.

The latter copy read:

Dated 29th September, 1896:

INSPECTOR BROWN:

"Standing of pupils examined, fair. State of discipline, order and management in school, excellent."

This is a true copy of Inspector's report to trustees.

Harvey, Oct. 28th, 1896.

J. S. CAIRNDUFF,
Sec.-Treas.

One can easily see how the value of the report is lowered by the leaving out of those two very important things in any school, namely, discipline and management. The parents were greatly incensed by the whole affair, and one of them sent a petition, signed by almost everyone who had children attending school, and many who had not, to Inspector Brown, and two of the parents wrote to him as well, enquiring into the truth of some things which had been alleged concerning the Inspectore's share in the engagement of Miss Strachan. It had been said by some who were interested in Miss Down's removal that it was by his recommendation that the engagement was made, and all were well pleased at receiving a denial and an avowal that he knew nothing of the engagement until he received those letters and that his opinion of Miss Down's teaching was embodied in his report, which upon enquiry, proved to be as we have stated. Then came the removal of Mr. Gerrard from the section and the necessity for choosing another trustee. The people annoyed at betrayal of the people's trust by their trustees determined to choose if possible one who would not let private friendship or personal interest rule his actions, chose Mr. Walter Ventress and the other side wishing to get one chosen who would not interfere with their actions, chose Mr. Raglan Richmond, who lives nearly four miles by the road from the school house and who has no children attending school. Mr. Ventress, without any strennous effort, received twenty-eight votes, sixteen of which were votes from men who had children attending school from their homes and twelve who had not. Mr. Richmond received thirty-three votes, only seven of which were from those having children attending from their homes, two of which were trustees, one the secretary of the school board and two who were actuated by personal spite towards the person with whom Miss Down boarded. The remaining twenty-six ware people with no interest in the school and were driven to the school meeting, many of them a long distance, in order to swell Mr. Richmond's list. One person brought for that purpose voted for Mr. Ventress. This may be one of those demurred at by your correspondent. Mr. Richmond, after most extraordinary efforts, was elected by a majority of five and was indeed carried out by the people, but it is a small victory to be elected and carried out by uninterested people. It is something like having Canadian members of parliament elected by the ratepayers of England. The supporters of Mr. Ventress consider that they have indeed won a victory, as it shows that the people have now awakened from their lethargy and are determined to assert their rights, which, judging from the past, is much needed. The people of the neighbourhood were astonished to hear that Mr. Richmond's bugler was dead and buried as no one had heard of the funeral until they heard him blowing his own trumpet. This is a true statement obtained by careful gathering together of facts. Thanking you for the large amount of space so kindly given in your valuable paper, I am

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HIS LAST MESSAGE.

(Continued From First Page.)

excess of expenditures over receipts thus amounting to $25,203,245.70. The ordinary expenditures during the year were $4,015,852.21 less than during the preceding fiscal year.

Of the receipts mentioned, there was derived from customs the sum of $160,021,751.67, and from internal revenue $148,820,615.66. The receipts from customs show an increase of $7,863,134.22 over those from the same source for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1895, and the receipts from internal revenue an increase of $3,584,530.91.

The value of our imported dutiable merchandise during the last fiscal year was $369,757,470, and the value of free goods imported $409,967,470, being an increase of $6,523,675 in the value of dutiable goods and $41,231,034 in the value of free goods over the preceding year.

Our exports of merchandise, foreign and domestic, amounted in value to $882,060,938, being an increase over the preceding year of $75,068,773. The average ad valorem duty paid on dutiable goods imported during the year was 39.94 per cent.

The total amount of gold exported during the last fiscal year was $112,403,947 and of silver $60,541,670, being an increase of $45,941,466 of gold and $13,246,334 of silver over the exportations of the preceding fiscal year. The imports of gold were $33,525,065 and of silver $28,777,186, being $2,859,695 less of gold and $8,566,007 more of silver than during the preceding year.

The total stock of metallic money in the United States at the close of the last fiscal year, which ended on June 30, 1896, was $1,228,326,035, of which $599,597,964 was in gold and $528,728,071 in silver.

Of the first day of November, 1896, the total stock of money of all kinds in the country was $2,285,310,590, and the amount in circulation, not including that of the Treasury holdings, was $1,637,055,641, being $22.63 per capita upon an estimated population of 71,502,000.

The total coinage at the mints of the United States during the fiscal year, which ended June 30, 1896, amounted to $71,183,468.52, of which $58,873,490 was in gold coins and $12,309 978.52 in standard silver dollars, subsidiary coins and minor coins.

The number of national banks organized from the time the law authorizing their creation was passed up to Oct. 31, 1896, was 5051, and of this number 3679 were at the date last mentioned in active operation, having authorized capital stock of $659,041 895.

The total outstanding circulating notes of all national banks on Oct. 31, 1896, amounted to $234,553,807, including unredeemed, but fully secured, notes of banks insolvent and in process of liquidation. The increase in national bank circulation during the year ending on that day was $21,039,420. On Oct. 6 1896, when the condition of national banks was last reported, the total resources of the 3679 active institutions was $3,263,685,313.83, which included $1,893,268,839.31 in loans and discounts and $362,165,733.35 in money of all kinds on hand. The number of existing banks organized under State laws is 5708.

The number of immigrants arriving in the United States during the fiscal year was 343,267, of whom 340,463 were permitted to land, and 2799 were debarred.

The report of the Secretary of War exhibits satisfactory conditions in the several branches of the public service intrusted to his charge.

The organized militia numbers 112,679 men.

POSTAL MATTERS.

Deficit Less Than Last Year—Reforms in the Service Recommended.

Our Postoffice Department is in good condition and the exhibit made of its operations during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1896, if allowance is made for imperfections in the laws applicable to it, is very satisfactory. The total receipts during the year were $82,499,268.40. The total expenditures were $ 0,656,096.84, inclusive of $1,5.9,858 27, which was earned by the Pacific Railroad for transportation, and credited on their debt to the Government. There was an increase of receipts over the previous year of $5,516,980.21, or 7 per cent., and an increase of expenditures of $1,836,124.02, or 4.42 per cent.

Experience and observation have demonstrated that certain improvements in the organization of the Postoffice Department must be secured before we can gain the full benefit of the immense sums expended in its administration. This involves the following reforms, which I earnestly recommended: There should be a small addition to the existing inspector service, to be employed in the supervision of the carrier force, which now numbers 13,000 men, and performs its service practically without the surveillance exercised over all other branches of the postal or public service. There should also be appointed a few inspectors who could assist the central offices.

I especially recommend such a reenacting of the appropriations by Congress for the Postoffice Department as will permit the Postmaster-General to proceed with the work of consolidating postoffices.

The President refers to the Navy and the Interior Department, the pension roll and Civil Service reform, and then takes up the tariff:

THE TARIFF LAW.

Mr. Cleveland Stands by the Existing Bill as a Revenue Producer.

I desire to recur to the statement elsewhere made concerning the Government's receipts and expenditures for the purpose of venturing upon some suggestions touching our present tariff law and its operation. This statute law took effect on Aug. 28, 1894. Whatever may be its shortcomings, as a complete measure of freer and greater exchange of commodities between us and other countries, it has furnished a wider market for our products and manufactures.

The only entire fiscal year during which this law has been in force ended on June 30, 1896. In that year our imports increased over those of the previous year more than $6,500,000, while the value of the domestic products we exported, and which found markets abroad, was nearly $70,000,000 more than during the preceding year. I believe our present tariff law, if allowed a fair opportunity, will, in the near future, yield a revenue which, with reasonably economical expenditures, will overcome all deficiencies. In the meantime no deficit that has occurred or may occur need excite or disturb us. To meet any such deficit we have in the Treasury, in addition to a gold reserve of one hundred millions, a surplus of more than one hundred and twenty-eight millions of dollars applicable to the payment of the expenses of the Government and which must, unless expended for that purpose, remain a useless hoard, or, if not extravagantly wasted, must in any event, be perverted from the purpose of its exaction from our people. The payment, therefore, of any deficiency in the revenue from this fund, is nothing more than its proper and legitimate use.

This reference to the condition and prospects of our revenues naturally suggests an allusion to the weakness and vices of our financial methods. They have been frequently pressed upon the attention of Congress in previous Executive communications, and the inevitable danger of their continued toleration pointed out. Without now repeating these details, I cannot refrain from again earnestly presenting the necessity of the prompt reform of a system opposed to every rule of sound finance, and shown by experience to be fraught with the gravest peril and perplexity. I am more convinced than ever that we can have no assured financial peace and safety until the Government currency obligations upon which gold may be demanded from the Treasury are withdrawn from circulation and cancelled.

This plan of issuing bonds for the purpose of redemption certainly appears to be the most effective and direct path to the needed reform. In default of this, however, it would be a step in the right direction if currency obligations redeemable in gold, whenever so redeemed, should be cancelled instead of being re-issued. National banks should redeem their own notes. They should be allowed to issue circulation to the par value of bonds deposited as security for its redemption and the tax on their circulation should be reduced to one-fourth of 1 per cent. In considering projects for the retirement of U. S. notes and Treasury notes issued under the law of 1890, I am of the opinion that we have placed too much stress upon the danger of contracting the currency and have calculated too little upon the gold that would be added to our circulation or invited to us by better and safer financial methods. It is not so much a contraction of our currency that should be avoided as its unequal distribution.

Another topic in which our people rightfully take a deep interest may be here briefly considered. I refer to the existence of trusts and other huge aggregations of capital, the object of which is to secure the monopoly of some particular branch of trade, industry or commerce, and to stifle wholesome competition. When these are defended it is usually on the ground that, though they increase profits, they also reduce prices, and thus may benefit the public. Such occasional results fall far short of compensating the palpable evils charged to the account of trusts and monopolies. Their tendency is to crush out individual independence and to hinder or prevent the free use of human faculties and the full development of human character. Through them the farmer, the artisan and the small trader is in danger of dislodgment from the position of being his own master.

In concluding this communication its last words shall be an appeal to Congress for the most rigid economy in the expenditure of the money it holds in trust for the people. The way to perplexing extravagance is easy, but a return to frugality is difficult. When, however, it is considered that those who bear the burdens of taxation have no guaranty of honest care serving the fidelity of the public service, the duty of all possible retrenchment is plainly manifest. When our differences are forgotten, and our contests of political opinion are no longer remembered, nothing in the retrospect of our public service will be as fortunate and comforting as the recollection of official duty well performed and the memory of a constant devotion to the interests of our confiding fellow-countrymen.

Grover Cleveland.

Washington, Dec. 7.

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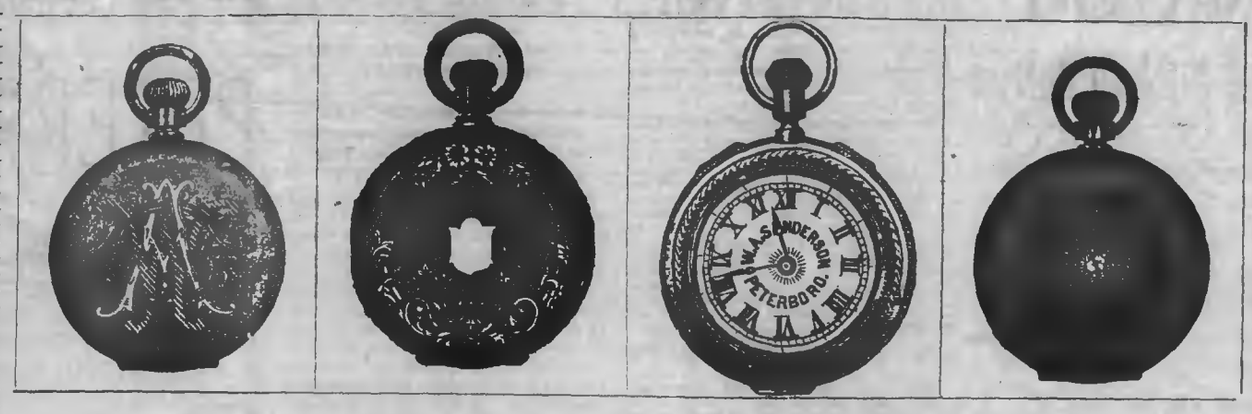

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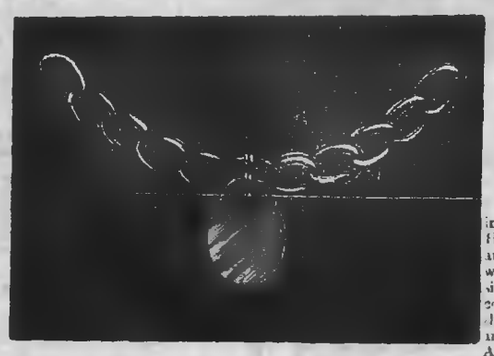

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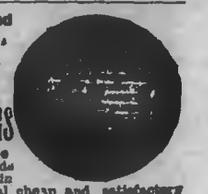

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There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.00, now $ 75
Ladies' Underskirts.....were $1.25, now 1 00
Ladies' Underskirts.....were $1.75, now 1 25
Ladies' Underskirts.....were $2.00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts.....were $3.50, now 2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves.....were $0.75, now $ 60
Lacing Gloves.....were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and coloured.....were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves, in black and coloured.....were $1.25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves ....were $1 25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose.....were 30c, now 20c
Higher Grades at Cost.
Heavy Wool Hose.....were 20c, now 15c
Heavy Wool Hose.....were 25c, now 20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

ROBERT HALL

385 George Street, Peterborough,
Telephone 171.

Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Probabilities.

Partly fair; occasional rain; little change in temperature.

For stomach and liver trouble use Madill's Stomach and Liver Pill; few doses will relieve.

Civic Matters.

There will be a meeting of the Street and Bridge and Finance Committees tomorrow night and on Thursday night a special meeting of the town council.

Another "Evans" Sold.

Peterborough piano men are doing a thriving business in Campbellford. Last week Mr. W. E. Green, the energetic representative for the Evans piano, made a good sale of one of these high grade instruments to Mr. W. O. Barrett, of that town.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., (Box 55.) 12d132

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

Clothing for the Poor.

The cold weather has developed a great need of clothing, and the Woman's Christian Temperance Union call upon the public for contributions of clothing which may be left with Mrs. Bacon, Bonsecord street, or at Mrs. Alexander's, corner of King and Reid streets.

Grand Opening.

China Hall will hold a grand Christmas opening in a few days. Watch for the date and be sure and attend. It will be on a scale never attempted before and well worth visiting. In addition to the finest stock of new Christmas goods ever shown the store will be illuminated for the occasion.

Adam's Fall

Was on account of what he ate. But they didn't have as fine a stock of Xmas fruits to choose from as we have. We handle the best of fruits for Xmas trade and make it an object for those who handle good goods to deal with us. Prices, when quality is considered, are the lowest. —MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street.

Obituary.

The death of Mr. Patrick Hanlon took place yesterday at his residence, No. 454 Park street. The funeral will be held at nine o'clock to-morrow morning to St. Peter's Cathedral and thence to the Roman Catholic Cemetery. The deceased was an old British Army pensioner and was well known to almost everyone. He leaves three daughters, Misses Julia, Kate and Maggie.

An Interesting Lecture.

The Rev. E. Hooper, M.D., of the Beverly street Baptist church, Toronto, who was for some time Superintendent of the Kingston General Hospital, purposes giving a lecture in Peterborough on Thursday evening next, Dec. 17th, at 8 o'clock, on a subject of great interest, "Popular Modern Cures. Dr. Hooper deals with all the notions of the day, embraced under titles such as faith cure, mind cure, Christian Science, etc. The lecture has been spoken of by the press in a very complimentary way.

Window Dressing.

The show windows in our stores are putting on their holiday attire. Stocks generally are being arranged with all the skill and attractiveness that can be introduced and the window dresser feels the impetus that may be given to business by his effective display of goods. He realizes that his work must go further than bringing the probable purchaser to the front of the window. He must also bring him into the store. The Peterborough Bookstore has put in two very effective windows, and the pretty arrangement of articles with their attractive surroundings harmonize and blend well together. The window dresser has aimed at putting in two profitable as well as effective display windows.

Catarrh is a constitutional disease and requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies the blood.

FOURTEENTH ANNIVERSARY.

Otonabee Lodge of Oddfellows and Their Friends Celebrate the Occasion.

Last night the elegant and capacious rooms of Otonabee Lodge of Oddfellows, No. 13, was well filled with ladies and gentleman assembled to assist the brethren in celebrating the fourteenth anniversary of the resuscitation of the lodge.

Mr. John Nugent occupied the chair and in a few opening remarks very cordially, on be half of Otonabee Lodge, welcomed the guests on the occasion of the celebration of the fourteenth anniversary of the resuscitation of the lodge. He was glad to say that the lodge was in a prosperous condition and that since the last anniversary the membership had been increased by between twenty-five and thirty. He then introduced an excellent programme. Misses Ethel Wrighton and Edith Hall contributed a sparkling pianoforte solo with a finish and brilliancy that greatly delighted the audience. This was followed by a well sung vocal solo by Mrs. Stapleton. Mr. J. T. Richardson gave a pathetic recitation, "Smiting the Rock," in such an excellent and realistic manner that he was obliged to respond to a recall which he did with a humourous story. Messrs. Talbot and Roper contributed a rattling guitar duet, which was rewarded with a recall. The next number was a vocal quartette by Misses Annie Belleghem and McAllister and Messrs. Miller and Skitch, entitled "Fairy Moonlight," given with excellent balance and harmony. Miss Kittie Hurley gave a pianoforte solo in an artistic and finished style.

Rev. Bro. J. G. Potter gave a brief and pleasantly playful address, punctuated, however, with weighty references to the benefits of Oddfellowship, which he declared was the noblest institution compiled by man. He closed his address by congratulating the local lodges on their numerical prosperity and justifying the wisdom of their association by virtue of its being the ideal humane society.

Miss Aggie Patterson gave a humorous recitation, "Songs in the Night," and she was so warmly recalled that she was compelled to give another selection of a similar character.

Miss Clara Belleghem gave a charming vocal solo, which was very heartily applauded.

Messrs Talbot and Roper appeared in another banjo and guitar selection so favourably that they had to repeat their performance.

A male quartette composed of Messrs. Brown, Miller, Harvey and Edgecombe sang with great spirit a breezy sea song, and with so much success that they responded to an encore call.

This concluded the musical programme, and the company repaired to the dining halls, where tables were temptingly spread with excellent refreshments. The luncheon was all the more to be commended as it was of bachelor origin, no ladies whatever contributing to its preparation. If the "new woman" insists on her encroachment upon the domain of the sterner sex, the members of Otonabee Lodge, by the success of their little banquet last night, showed that they are able to compete successfully with women in the culinary sphere, even to the prosaic department of "dish-washing."

After the refreshments had been enjoyed, the younger members of the gathering took the programme in hand, and the recreation parlours were the scene of an hour or two's delightfully informal dance, the pianoforte furnishing the only music, but under the capable hands of the Misses Hurley, it was as satisfactory as an orchestra.

The number "13" may be an unlucky one for a dinner party, but it seems to be lucky for the lodge, which seems to be prospering finely, and the brethren have every reason to be proud of the success in every way of the celebration of their fourteenth anniversary. All the numerous guests departed, carrying away with them the pleasantest recollections of the graceful and cordial hospitality of Otonabee Lodge.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Marks Bros. Co.

Packed from pit to dome was Bradburn's opera house, when the above company opened their two week's engagement last night in the sensational four act drama "The Jail Bird." With Tom Marks in the title role, his every appearance was the signal for bursts of laughter; his support was excellent. Miss May A. Bell heads a long list of specialty artists, the specialties were all encored and went with a smoothness that was pleasant to see. This is the best Vaudeville and Dramatic Company seen here in years. The performances is continuous, and we predict large audiences during the engagement. To-night the play is "Cruiskeen Lawn."

McGill College Banjo and Glee Club.

McGill University is well known as an educational institution in the matter of liberal arts, and it appears that more æsthetic art of music is not neglected. The McGill Glee and Banjo Club, though not very well known in Western Ontario, they have won laurels in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. Now they propose a western tour upon which it is likely that they will receive as warm a welcome and score as great success as they have done in the former places. The banjo club is under the instruction of Mr. John H. Parker, recognized in Canada and the Eastern States as one of the best banjoists on the continent. The Glee Club is directed by Mr. Edward Brown, who was conductor of the Welsh choir, which won first prize at the World's Fair. The club numbers 30 or 35 members, among whom are Mr. F. W. J. McKibbon and Mr. Will Connal, students of the department of applied science at McGill, both well known Peterborough boys. The programmes of the club are composed of club selections, quartettes, duets and solos by both clubs, besides elocutionary numbers. We believe it is the intention of the club to make a date in Peterborough, and a warm welcome is bespoken this galaxy of collegiate troubadours. The entertainment they present is certainly unique and fetching.

The Best on the Road.

Marks Bros. musical dramatic company opened a two week's engagement in the Opera House last evening and presented the comedy drama "The Jail Bird," to a packed house. Marks Bros. have achieved a reputation for producing crisp, clean and up-to-date entertainments, but last evening's presentation added fresh laurels to those already won. It is without doubt the best company that has visited Peterborough this year, and in last night's play an opportunity was presented for each member of the troupe to distinguish himself or herself. The inimitable Tom Marks, as Indigo McWherrill, "the jail bird," kept the house in roars of laughter until the curtain fell. Mr. James Field was very fatherly in his part, which is saying a good deal, and Chas. McKinley and Alex. Marks, as his step-son and son, gave an exceedingly faithful presentation of these parts. But Miss May Bell, as Ruth Glyndon, their mother, proved herself to be an actress of more than ordinary merit. She also took the part of Ned, the cabin boy, and her acting throughout the evening was one of the strongest features of the entertainment. She is without doubt the star of the troupe. The caste also sustained their parts well. The specialties between acts were rich and sparkling, the singing of May Bell and the other artists, as well as the clever dancing, are worth the admission price alone. The scenic effects of the play are worthy of especial notice. Marks Bros. have with them a clever company of artists, and to-night's presentation of "Cruiskeen Lawn" should place standing room at a premium.

FORMATION OF AN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION.

A LOCAL BRANCH WAS ORGANIZED YESTERDAY.

It is to be in Affiliation With the Pioneer and Historical Association of the Province of Ontario—Election of Officers.

A meeting was called yesterday afternoon in the town council chamber for the purpose of taking some action in regard to the formation of a local Historical Association.

Those present were Mayor Yelland and Messrs. Wm. Clurton, H. C. Rogers, J. M. Irwin, Hampden Burnham, T. A. Hay, Dr. Bell, W. D. Parker, John Carlon, C. Fessenden, E. B. Edwards, Mrs. Catharine Parr Traill, Mrs. Dunlop, Mrs. Greenwood, Mrs. Aylmer, Mrs. Arthur Stevenson, Miss Halliday, Miss Archer, Miss Lundy, Miss Clementi, Miss Hall, Miss Spilsbury, Miss Dunlop, Miss Weller and the Misses Barlee.

Col. H. C. Rogers was voted to the chair and made a few brief remarks explanatory of the object of the meeting and the aims of the Historical Societies. Peterboroough, he thought, should boast of a good society, being on historic ground. As the history of Canada was as yet unwritten, local statistics should be prepared and memorials of the past collected. There was no part of Canada more interesting nor prolific of relics than the Trent Valley District. Already interesting discoveries had been made regarding prehistoric times at Rice Lake which would doubtless lead to many more similarly interesting facts being brought to light. He believed the serpent and egg mound of the Lake was the only one in Canada. He read from the hand book of the Pioneer and Historical Association of the Province of Ontario showing that its objects were to unite the various Pioneer and Historical Societies of the Province in one central head or organization, thereby the better to promote intercourse and union of all such societies for the better promotion of historical and other records and memorials of the Province, for the forming of new societies and such purposes, and for promoting and extending the influence and benefits thereof. Also, this Association shall publish an annual report, containing the names of all the members of each and every affiliated society, with such other matters as may be required, each such affiliating society to receive copies thereof." He believed the local society proposed affiliating with this Association.

Mr. Hampden Burnham explained that the main object of the Associations was to preserve the records of the country. The societies were binding themselves together for the preservation of the more recent records—records of events since Canada finally passed from the hands of the French into those of the English. The present histories were good but referred more particularly to political events. The ladies were taking a great interest in the way of preserving the records of old battlefields, etc. Quebec was far ahead of Ontario in such matters as these. Such gentlemen as Sir Henri Joly de Lothbiniere had succeeded in instilling their enthusiasm into the people.

The local society would have to collect the particulars and details of the early history of Peterborough. These would have to be collected from amongst the people themselves. It was necessary to aid and assist in every way possible those who had taken the initiative in the preservation of these incidents and Peterborough should not be behind in exhibiting the same public spirit which had actuated these people.

Miss Fitzgibbon and Mr. David Boyle had both written to him urging him to take some action in Peterborough in regard to forming such a society as that proposed, but up to the present he was sorry to say he had neglected to take the necessary steps. The subject was not a particularly entertaining one at the outset and it would be found necessary for all to cultivate in themselves the spirit of the antiquarian.

On motion of Messrs. Burnham and Irwin it was resolved that those present now form themselves into an historical society to be known as the Town and County of Peterborough Historical Society to be in affiliation with the Provincial and Dominion Historical Association.

Officers were then elected as follows:

Honourary President—Mrs. Catherine Parr Traill.

President—Col. H. C. Rogers.

1st Vice-President—Mrs. Dunlop.

2nd Vice-President — Mr. Hampden Burnham.

3rd Vice-President—Mr. Wm Clurton.

Secretary—Mr. T. A. Hay.

Treasurer—Miss Halliday.

Executive Committee—Mr. J. M. Irwin, Col. Bell, Miss Lundy, Mrs. Aylmer, C. Fessenden, E. B. Edwards and Mrs. Greenwood.

It was decided to leave the selection of a delegate to attend the annual meeting of the Pioneer and Historical Association of the Province of Ontario until some future date.

Before the meeting adjourned the chairman took occasion to remark upon the pleasure afforded all by the presence of Mrs. Catharine Parr Traill, the aged authoress of "Pearls and Pebbles" and other volumes of great local historical interest. Mrs. Traill gave her closest attention to the proceedings and evidenced her pleasure when chosen to fill the position of first honorary president of the Association.

Mrs. Traill is well deserving of the honour. She is the oldest living representative of the early pioneers. She was born in London on Jan. 9th, 1802, according to the biographical sketch, prefacing "Pearls and Pebbles," written by Miss Mary Agnes Fitzgibbon, a niece of Mrs. Traill. She will, therefore, if she lives till January 9th, next, have reached the advanced age of 95 years. She came to Canada in 1830, three years later than her old and faithful friend, Mrs. A. Dunlop, who came to the country in 1827. Mrs. Traill possesses her intellectual faculties unimpaired, and her physical strength remarkably, considering her years.

It is the intention of the Society to complete the honour roll, which was opened by the selection of Mrs. Traill as honorary president, by appointing honorary vice-presidents and members from among those who have been most prominent in the history of the county, as Rev. Vincent Clementi, B.A., Mr. H. T. Strickland and a few others.

Elephant Given Away.

You can get one if you like. We have made arrangements with Kabba Rega Umjora, Africa, to supply us with as many as required. All you have to do is to answer this question:—"On what page and how often does the word "Turkey" appear in Webster's unabridged dictionary? Cut this ad. out and forward your answer, with stamps enough to pay express charges on the elephant, to E. BROWN & Co., 394 George street, direct importers of best groceries, also finest wines, ales and stout.

Ask your grocer for

Windsor Salt

For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best

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—AT THE—

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SANTA CLAUS is now strongly in evidence all over the PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE, with Dolls, Games, Toys, Sleighs, Rocking Horses, and a multitude of Playthings and Presents to choose from, together with Christmas Cards, Holiday Books, Christmas Papers, Purses, Albums, Leather Goods, Elegant Fancy Goods, and Costly Unique Novelties. The whole Store pulsates with a new life, and the Christmas Attractions discount everything ever before attempted.

Mirrors, Medallions,
Onyx Tables,
Photo Frames,
Purses, finest leathers,
Purses, sterling silver mounted
Gentlemen's Pocket Books,
Gentlemen's Letter Wallets,
Travelling Companions,
Ladies' Writing Books,
Ladies' Writing Portfolios,
Hand Painted Porcelain Plaques,
Solid Brass Photo Frames,
Hand Paintings on Porcelain,
Jewel Cases,
Brush and Comb Sets,

Pin Trays,
Manicure Sets,
Smoking Sets,
Gent's Handkerchief Holders,
Gent's Necktie Holders,
Gent's Collar and Cuff Cases,
Gent's Shaving Cases,
Table and Office Bells,
Fancy Ink Stands,
Fountain Pens,
Gold Pens,
Gold Pencils,
Perfume Bottles,
Ladies' Work Baskets,
Dolls of all kinds,
Games,

Picture Books,
Toy Books of all kinds,
Children's Sets of Dishes,
Dolls Carriages,
Dolls Cradles,
Sleighs of all kinds,
Rocking Horses,
All the Annuals for 1897.
All the Illustrated Christmas Papers,
The Poets in any Bindings,
Any of the Standard Works in Sets,
Diaries for 1897,
Scrap Albums,
Photograph Albums,

Autograph Albums,
Hand, Table and Dressing Mirrors,
Hand Painted Opera and Party Fans,
Shopping Bags,
Ladies' Card Cases,
Water and Lemonade Sets,
Card Receivers,
Christmas Booklets,
Christmas Art Calendars,
Christmas Cards,
A beautiful selection of Bibles,
Common Prayers and Hymns,
Bibles and Methodist Hymns,
Catholic Prayer Books, etc.

These are only a few of the many suggestions we can offer you for Xmas and New Year Gifts. We make a specialty of supplying Presents for Xmas Trees Entertainments, and have everything you want, but we still do business on the same old plan—

Prices Always the Lowest!

A. H. STRATTON & CO., 417 George Street.

SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS.

Thirteen Added to the List Yesterday—Mr. H. P. Kennedy's Flock Worried.

Mr. H. P. Kennedy's twelve dead sheep—done to death by dogs—add another dozen to the long list of valuable animals destroyed by worthless curs. He had a flock of one hundred sheep on his father's farm, River Road, Otonabee. Yesterday he shipped eighty-seven to Buffalo, reserving thirteen selected animals for the home market. On his return from the station to the farm, he found that in his absence of two or three hours dogs had destroyed twelve, one being saved by the timely arrival of Mr. Kennedy. The dog nuisance takes rank with the Turkish question in the great problems of the day. The authorities should devise some means of protecting valuable property from destruction by brutes that, ten to one, never paid a cent of taxes.

St. Luke's School House To morrow Night.

Mr. D. Spence will deliver his lecture on "Bells" in St. Luke's school house to-night. The lecture will be illustrated with numerous models and selections on a set of tubular chimes will be played by Mr. Marks. Miss Byeh will recite "The Belfry of Bruges," and appropriate music will be rendered. Miss Burnham will sing. Silver collection at the door.

Christmas at Hand.

What a host of preparations to make, presents to choose, homes to decorate—and what a pleasure it will be to hosts of people. Commence early then and make your selections for gift-giving, and if you begin at the Peterborough Bookstore you need seek no further. Santa Claus is strongly entrenched all over this magnificent store with dolls, games, toys, sleighs, rocking horses, and a myraid of similar presents; also Christmas cards, holiday books, elegant and costly fancy goods. Get first choice and avoid the crowds.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

McCLELLAND

To parties who may intend purchasing a WATCH for Christmas we cheerfully invite your inspection of the

Only Time-Tested Watch Case

in the market. These goods contain only the best movements, and will be a special inducement to buyers.

We also show this week a line of Canadian Enamelled Spoons and Pins which are quite national, and will make a pleasant Souvenir.

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398 GEORGE STREET.

GILT-EDGED BUTTER.

A Limited Number of Customers Wanted for weekly supply of choice Dairy Butter. No roots fed, satisfaction guaranteed, sample order solicited. Leave your address at the "Examiner Office." 6eod130

Favourite Beverages

NOW IN STORE, full supplies of the following favourite beverages, from the Walkerville well known Brewing and Distilling Company:—

BOTT'S STOUT Especially fine for Invalids.

KAISER BEER Light and Sparkling for table use.

ST. GEORGE'S PALE ALE Equal to Bass and sold at half the price.

We are the Sole Agents in Peterborough for these fine goods.

Superior Port and Sherry Wines, Allan's Cider for Mince Meat, Gooderham's, Walker's and Seagram's Fine Whiskies and other Reliable Liquors.

CHRISTMAS FRUITS AND GROCERIES ARRIVING.

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OPPOSITE THE OPERA HOUSE, GEORGE ST.

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'Y.

$3 THREE DOLLARS $3

We will make

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From now till Stock Taking for the sum of

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The work turned out of our Dress-making Department has always been acknowledged to be the best. The styles have always been the latest—and the finish and workmanship all that could be desired. In order to boom our Dress Goods Department for thirty days we have decided to give the above advantage to Ladies who want new dresses. This substantial reduction will no doubt be taken advantage of by many.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

Starts To-Morrow Morning, Dec. 9th,

And Continues During the Whole of December.

A Memorable Month

AT

R. H. KELLS & CO'S.

We have planned to make the last month of 1896 a memorable one. Starting on **WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 9th,** we inaugurate an END-OF-THE-YEAR SALE that will unquestionably be the opportunity of the season to purchase **High-Grade Dress Goods, Mantles, Linens, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, &c.,** at prices that have had no parallel in Peterborough. In all our experience we never have had so successful a year's business. While others have been constantly complaining of dull times, R. H. Kells & Co's Sales have steadily advanced month after month.

With Christmas trade under way, holiday displays ready to see, and the entire store from stem to stern ready for business beyond precedent, this sale becomes doubly attractive to present day shoppers.

50 Dress Patterns,

German and French stuffs—no two alike—imported direct for the very best trade—and bought under conditions more favourable than come often to the shrewdest buying. These and all Dress Stuffs must positively be cleared out before the New Year; even if we have to accept far below their true value.

Memorable Mantle Selling

Because we have sold more Mantles this year than ever, we can well afford to sell the balance at prices that will ensure their being quickly turned into cash.

Memorable Selling of Pure Irish Linens

Cutting 25 per cent. or one-quarter off regular prices, will surely dispose of all these beautiful goods—such as Table Covers, Doylies, Tray Covers, Shams, Five O'clocks.

EVERYTHING GOES!

We want the cash that's locked up—you need the goods. Now its PROFITS TO THE WINDS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER! You have the broadest Kells' guarantee that there is not a yard of unworthy goods in the store.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1896.

A LONG SESSION OF THE COUNCIL.

A Tremendous Batch of Communications.

THE RENTAL ON POLES AND WIRES WILL STAND.

Passage of the Bylaw Authorizing the Execution of the Contract with the Light and Power Company—A Midnight Session of the Council—Various Petitions Received, etc.

There was a big budget of business for the town council to discuss last night.

The members present at the meeting were the Mayor and Councillors Best, White, Hughes, Denne, Mills, Weir, Sawers, Moore, Langford, Graham and White.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and disposed of as follows:

From Rebecca Hartley, asking for a remission of taxes on premises at No. 406 George street, as the store had been unoccupied for two years—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From P. J. McNamara, complaining of a mistake in assessment—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From A. E. Dixon, reminding the council that the conditions contained in the deed of trust of the Dixon Park had not been complied with, nothing having been spent on the park in three years.—Referred to the Property Committee to report at the meeting of the council on Dec. 15th.

From the Catholic Literary Association, asking for remission of taxation—Granted on motion of Councillors Moore and W. H. White.

From M. A. Johnston, asking for remission of taxation on account of the illness of her husband—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Walter Kerr, asking for a free pedler's license. Referred to the License Committee.

From Ellen Rogers and her son, asking for remission of taxation—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From T. Fitzgerald, asking permission to erect a coal bin on his premises.

Mr. Fitzgerald was heard in regard to his request, and explained that he was willing to sheet the shed with iron and lay the shingles in mortar.

The matter was referred to the Fire, Water and Light Committee and the Inspector, with power to act.

From T. Parrington, asking for $13, being amount of fees on thirteen tax warrants, in cases where the taxes were remitted—Referred to the Finance Committee.

From Mrs. Mary Ann Robinson asking for the remission of her taxes—Referred to the Court of Revision.

A statutory declaration from Thos. Hickey stating that he was assessed for a bitch which he did not own.—Remission of tax granted.

From R. H. Nesbitt, asking for compensation for loss whilst the sewers were being constructed—Referred to the Finance Committee.

From James Nevin stating that the council had granted him remission of taxes on certain properties but that he had received a tax bill for the amount due.

—The grievance was ordered to be remedied.

From Geo. H. Duncan asking remission of statute labour tax.—Granted.

From John Sawyer stating that he is assessed for a dog which he does not own. Remission granted.

From Arthur Sherwood asking for remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From John Kelly complaining of excessive taxation for drain on lot 15, Sherbrooke street.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From John C. Baker asking to have his taxes stand over until April 1st.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From the Ontario Agricultural College, enclosing premium list of the Ontario Province Fat Stock and Dairy Show.—Referred to the Finance Committee.

From the town solicitor advising deferring the passing of the Plumbers' Bylaw until the city of London passed one, which is supposed to contain many good features.—Received.

From Myers Bros. asking for the transfer of an auctioneer's license to E. D. Smith to themselves.—Referred to the License Committee with power to act.

From St. Andrew's church, asking that an electric light be placed at the corner of Rubidge and Brock streets.—Received.

From W. H. Roberts, complaining of costs being attached to his tax bill, when he paid his taxes into the collector without other than the usual notice.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Emma C. Rush, asking for a rebate in license fee.—Granted.

From Mrs. Vase, asking for remission of dog tax.—Granted.

From Charlotte Scott, asking for remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Wm. C. Jewett, asking for remission of dog tax.—Granted.

From the town treasurer, showing the payments of the month to be $7,855.75, as against receipts of $4,263 86. The town account with the Ontario Bank was overdrawn $22,496 04 on November 30th.—Referred to the Finance Committee.

From Robert Redmond, asking for remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Meldrum & McAllister, asking that a proportionate remission of taxes be granted them from the date of the destruction of their mill by fire.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From W. J. McCallum, stating that he is not liable for the taxes of the town property which he occupies. A cheque was ordered to be issued for the amount of the town's taxes in the matter.

From Mark Lockington, asking remission of statute labour tax.—Granted.

From Jas. O'Brien, stating that he is asked to pay the taxes for 1895 on property belonging to him, which was rented at that time by Geo. Blackstock, who was assessed, but was granted time in which to pay the taxes by the council.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Peter Corbett, asking for a rebate in his peddler's license.—Granted.

The recent presentment of the Grand Jury re the establishment of a poor house was then brought up. Mr. Griffin, who was present, was heard in reference to the matter. He presented a petition signed by Henry Denne, J. R. Stratton, M. P. P., and a great number of citizens, asking that the erection of a home of refuge for the poor be considered. He strongly urged that the matter be taken up for discussion and brought forcibly to the attention of the council the urgency of removing the aged and poor from association with criminals in the county gaol.

The matter was referred to the Joint Committee.

From Dennis Hurley, asking remission of dog tax—Granted.

From E. B. Edwards re. the case of Jackson vs. Peterborough.

Councillor Moore remarked that the case had been tried before the ablest judge in the province on municipal matters. He briefly reviewed the judge's remarks on the case, as stated before, and announced his inability to support any motion for an appeal.

Councillors Moore and J. H. White moved that no further proceeding be taken in the matter.

Councillor Langford thought that it would set a bad precedent if the case was not appealed. It would not do to allow persons bringing suits to win their cases too easily. He moved in amendment that an appeal be made.

The motion of Councillors Moore and White was carried.

From W. J. English complaining of the condition of the sidewalk on Sherbrooke street, between George and Water streets. This sidewalk has been removed.

From the Barnardo Home, asking for the remission of taxes—Granted.

From the Auburn Light and Power Co., asking permission to erect poles and string wires on the streets, and that the same privileges be given them as other companies—Received.

Mr. W. H. Meldrum was heard on the subject, and stated that his company had made arrangements to string their wires on the poles of the Peterborough Light and Power Company, and on those of the G.N.W. Telegraph Co.

From Edmison & Dixon, notifying the council of the injury of Mrs. Elizabeth Chatten, by falling from an alleged imperfect sidewalk—Referred to the Street and Bridge Committee.

From S. Oliver, asking for a remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

THE STREET INSPECTOR'S

report was received as follows:

Gravel and broken stone—Geo street	$223 01
" " — Perry and Crescent streets	34 00
" and repairs generally	76 00
Nine block and five plank crossings	95 00
Sidewalks on Geo and Murray streets	50 00
Sidewalk on Charlotte street	17 00
Taking up old sidewalk on Monaghan Road and laying 250 ft on Elm street, 120 feet on Sherbrooke and 35 feet on Argyle, with the old planks	88 00
Cleaning out waterways	42 00
Cleaning crossings	11 00
Repairing sidewalks	136 00
	$763 00

PETITIONS

were received and dealt with as below:

From H. Jackson, C. Halpin and seven others petitioning that John C. Quinn be exempted from taxation, being not able to pay the same.—Granted on motion of Councillors Sawers and W. H. White.

A numerously signed petition was presented by the citizens asking that the bylaw be amended by a clause, allowing wheelmen to use the sidewalks between the hours of seven and eight in the morning and after ten in the evening, provided their speed does not exceed eight miles an hour.—Referred to the Street and Bridge Committee.

Councillors Moore and Sawers moved that the bicyclists be allowed to ride on the sidewalks after ten o'clock p. m. and before eight o'clock in the morning, but it was lost on the following division:

Yeas—Councillors Moore and Sawers—2.

Nays—Nays—Councillors Best, White, Hughes, Denne, Mills, Weir, Langford, Graham and White.—9.

From Stratton & Hall and others asking for the construction of a sidewalk on Stewart street, between Wolfe and Dalhousie street.—Referred to the Street and Bridge Committee with power to act.

THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNTS

were referred to the Finance Committee:

J W Moore	$ 4 00
J and W Metheral	2 00
T J Michiel	16 10
Chas C Gunsolls	4 00
W Datcher	3 00
EXAMINER	88 75
Mrs Wainright	4 00
T Williams	75
Sea Edge ombe	9 60
J E Reggart	75
Salsbury & Co	1 80
Geo Carton	2 50
T Fitzgerald	1 00
T Fitzgerald	9 00
Hall, Gilchrist & Co	76 00
Bell Telephone Co	50
R Duncan	7 00
Jas Job	5 00
H Wills	5 25
Diokwon Co	186 34
Peterborough Protestant Home	11 00
T E Boddy	75
Light and Power Co	20 50
T E Boddy	6 65
Savigny bros	3 25
J H Yelland	3 15
Kingan & Allen	43 40
W Bradshaw	68 50
R C Braund	2 00
Mrs Wainright	2 00
H Regan	16 25
J C Craig	1 25
North Monaghan	5 80
A Peters	1 00
J W Briabin	3 51

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COUNTY COURT.

It Opened at Noon To-day Before Judge Weller.

The County Court opened at one o'clock o'clock this afternoon before Judge Weller. The Grand Jury was composed as follows:—Messrs. Geo. S. Ames, Peterborough; Edwin Brissett, Anstruther; G. K. Galvin, Ennismore; Geo. Kirk, Dummer; J. W. Kidd, Dummer; Jno. K. Moore, Monaghan; Geo. Stethem, Peterborough; Rufus Stevenson, Peterborough; Geo. Webber, Monaghan; John M. White, Peterborough.

Mr. John M. White was chosen foreman.

Judge Weller in charging the Grand Jury, said he was glad to say their duties would be light, as there would be only one criminal case on the list—that of Mark Lockington, charged with burglary. The Judge explained the meaning of the charge under which Lockington was committed for trial, and also spoke of the fact that previous juries had recommended some improvement in the way of caring for the aged.

The first case on the docket was that of Anthony vs. Grand Trunk Railway, in which Frank Anthony sues to recover $150 damages and costs against the Railway Company, alleging that 100 boxes of lemons, 5 barrels of cucumbers, 10 boxes of pears and 20 bunches of bananas, which were given them in good condition for him, arrived here in a damaged condition.

Mr. E. B. Stone is conducting the case for the plaintiff, and Mr. Wallace Nesbitt for the Grand Trunk.

PERSONAL

Mr. Campion of Belleville, is in town for a day or two on business.

Mr. George W. Sherry, solicitor, Norwood, was in town to-day.

Dr. Gillespie of Lindsay is the guest of his brother, Mr. J. B. Gillespie, Ashburnham.

Miss C. O'Keefe, Water street, and Miss G. Sullivan, George streets, are visiting friends in Campbellford for a few days.

Miss Aggie Breckenridge, who has been visiting friends in town for the past six weeks, has returned to her home, Owen Sound.

Mr. Walter Stocker is able to be out again after spending a week in the house recovering from the effects of a strained foot.

Mr. Harry Burrell of the "Mac" Machine Co., Belleville, was in town to-day trying to make a deal with Curry & Lavendure to sell them some rock drills.

DON'T FORGET

St. Paul's Choir Sacred Concert on Thursday evening next in the church. Silver collection at the door. Don't forget.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Skating is over for the present.

—Meeting of Mount Hebron Encampment No. 50, I.O.O.F. to-night.

—Everyone is asking for sleighing, as the roads are in bad shape.

—The county council meets to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock; the last session under the present system.

—Messrs. J. J. Turner & Son have received from Mr. W. Archer, Millbrook, accompanying a cheque in payment for an awning, the universal comment in connection with the goods of the firm—"I am well pleased with awning."

—The charge of perjury against Mr. Lou Craig, of Ashburnham, came up before the magistrate yesterday, and was dismissed, the prisoner being thoroughly exonerated, there being no evidence to substantiate the charge.

A Great Book Free!

When Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N.Y., published the first edition of his great work, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, he announced that after 680,000 copies had been sold at the regular price, $1.50 per copy, the profit on which would repay him for the great amount of labour and money expended in producing it, he would distribute the next half million free. As this number of copies has already been sold, he is now giving away, absolutely free, 500,000 copies of this most complete, interesting and valuable common sense medical work ever published—the recipient only being required to mail to him, at above address, 31 one-cent stamps, to cover cost of mailing only, and the book will be sent post paid. It is a veritable medical library, complete in one volume. Contains 1008 pages, profusely illustrated. The Free Edition is precisely the same as that sold at $1.50, except only that the books are in strong manilla paper covers instead of cloth. Send NOW before all are given away.

Fine Fruits.

Extra quality Currants and Raisins. Every pound is cleaned by patent fruit cleaner. The finest groceries for Xmas and very lowest prices at

ALEX. ELLIOTT'S
Palace Grocery.

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5 75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 230 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

DO YOU SMOKE? DO YOU WANT A PIPE?

Our stock is still large and of first quality. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. by buying from us now. Save it. The whole stock in trade for sale "en bloc." CLEGG'S RETIRING SALE, (Next to Stratton's Bookstore).

$10 in Gold

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Stroud's Tea...

WORD CONTEST

370 GEORGE STREET

PETERBOROUGH

Also at Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston and Toronto.

To the person who will send us the greatest number of words of more than two letters formed from the the letters contained in "Stroud's Tea," using no letter more times than it occurs in "Stroud's Tea." The letters may be taken backward or forward, but must form complete, English words, for example, start, eat, star, etc. For the second largest number of words, $5.00; for the third, $3.00; for the fourth, $2.00, and for the next five $1.00 each will be rewarded. This contest is open to all. The only condition governing the contest is that you shall satisfy us that you have bought five lbs. of our Tea during this month. If you are good at word-making this is your opportunity to procure a New Year's gift for a little effort. This generous offer is made to introduce "Our Celebrated Tea" and give the young folks a chance to earn some money. The contest will close at noon, January 1st, 1897. Each list of words must be numbered and written in alphabetical order, on only one side of the paper with name and address written plainly. To be in a sealed envelope, addressed to W. R. Stroud, 370 George street. Remember this is a bona fide offer made by a bona fide firm. We do this simply as a method of advertising i.e. to bring us more prominently before the Peterborough public. Our Teas and Coffee are, without exception, the best sold in Canada.

$25 in Cash Prizes.

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Spare Ribs at 3 cts. lb, or 4 lb. for 10c.
Back Bones 1 ct. lb.
Pigs' Heads 5 cts. each.
Pigs' Feet 10 cts. a dozen.
Chopped Suet, 10c a lb. or 3 lbs. for 25c.
Pure Leaf Lard 10 cts. a lb.
Pork by quarter 5 and 6c.
Shoulder Roasts 5 and 6c.
Sausages 10 cts. or 3 for 25c.
Ox Tongues 25c or 2 for 40c.
Mince Meat 10 cts or 3 lb. for 25c.

EGGS WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

KENNEDY & NELSON.

Medill's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil for bronchitis or long standing cough; pleasant to take; carefully prepared.

TINTED COVERS

Really well worth the attention of the Ladies, the price being only 35c at Miss Melville's, 424 George street.

Protect Your Horses, etc.

Nothing is more needed for horses at this inclement season of the year than a waterproof horse cover. I make them to order and keep them in stock as well. Hoods, heads, backs and breasts in black waterproof, impervious to water, soft and pliable. Any kind or style of ordered goods required. Lap rugs, strictly waterproof. Also cheese covers as requested by members of the Cheese Board, and for covering all kinds of goods liable to damage from wet. A. KINGSCOTTE, Tent, Sail and Awning manufacturer, 344 Water street opposite market

It's time now for

GENTLEMEN'S FULL DRESS SUITS.

We claim to make as good Tailored Clothing as can be had in Canada—we prove it every day—nothing clumsy or primitive looking, but everything the pink of perfection in the minutest detail, and just about half the cost of much that's made, no better.

Leave your measure soon for Suits for the Festival season. Skillful hands, supplemented with our very fine stock of WORSTEDS, and the newest ideas of the fashion plates, will be your guarantee that everything is finished to perfection that comes from—

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Peterboro's Popular Tailors and Dressers.

Have a look at our Fall Dress Linen Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and Neckwear.

Folding Card or Work Tables.

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Until Dec. 31st, 1896.

J. J. Turner & Sons,

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CONGER'S FAIR

Closing-Out Sale

Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enamelledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc

Store Can Be Secured.

Conger's Fair

Dressy Dressers

KNOW THEY CAN GET FROM .....

BALL & CO

Merchant Tailors, Water St.

The Best Fit, the Latest English Styles, the Best Goods at the Lowest Prices; they give you all the Style you desire, and a perfect fit guaranteed. Try the Experienced Practical Tailors and have no trouble getting the Stylish Cut and Fit. Remember this store is in the New Bank Block, Water Street.

Retiring From Business

Clearing Sale of Millinery.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

CHILDREN'S BONNETS, FANCY HOODS, CAPS AND MUFFS.

which will be sold much below cost. A number of PATTERN HATS and BONNETS to be sold at half price. This is a rare chance for Ladies' to get the newest and most stylish goods at half the regular price. Come early and secure bargains as the goods must be sold.

MRS. CASSIDY

423 George Street.

Two Doors north of Examiner Office.

We've Got Window Shows

OF THE LATEST LONDON NECKWEAR FINE UNDERWEAR, GLOVES AND OTHER HIGH-CLASS REQUISITES FOR GENTLEMEN'S TOILET. WE WANT YOU TO COME IN AND SEE THAT THEY ARE AS GOOD AS THEY LOOK. THERE IS NO BETTER MADE. THE BEST POSSIBLE IS WHAT WE ALL THE TIME AIM AT.

Mercer's

CONNOISSEURS

Of Fruit will find it to their advantage to purchase their Fruits here; the holidays coming on you want the best material with which to do your baking. We call your attention to our lines and guarantee that you will be well pleased.

Arguimbeans Finest Selected Raisins at the same price that others will ask you for a poorer quality.
Choice Atlas and Perfectos Currants.
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New Season's Dates. Prices right, quality A1 and all sold upon their merits.

Try our splendid Home-made Mince Meat as good as mother used to make. This store is the trading centre up-to-date and everything essential to good housekeeping is found here.

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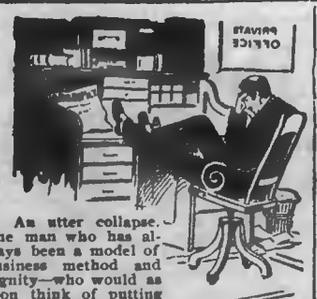

An utter collapse. The man who has always been a model of business method and dignity—who would as soon think of putting his feet on the piano at home as on the desk at his office—finally goes to pieces all at once. Bankruptcy—with it has come an utter loss of ambition, dignity, and health. Ill-health is at the bottom of it all. Bankruptcy stares in the face every business man who neglects his health. A man cannot work on forever if he is suffering from brain fag, nervous exhaustion, and debility. All these can come to the man who neglects to keep his digestion perfect, his bowels regular and his blood pure.

Business men everywhere have come to recognize Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery as an invaluable remedy. It makes the digestion perfect, invigorates the liver, restores the appetite, regulates the bowels, purifies and builds up the blood, makes the flesh and muscles firm, and tones up the nerves. It is a business man's medicine.

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Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser has had a larger sale than any other book of this class ever offered the public. This book of 1,008 pages with 300 illustrations, is full, from cover to cover, of practical advice on health matters. This great book, in heavy manilla covers, is now offered FREE to whoever will send 21 one-cent stamps to pay for customs and mailing *only*. If an elegant French cloth binding is desired, send 50 stamps. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

HARRY FOSTER KILLED.

A Brother of the Ex-Minister of Finance Fell Downstairs at a Hotel in Moncton and is Dead.

Moncton, N. B., Dec. 6.—A very sad fatality occurred here to-night, the victim being Harry Foster, brother of Hon. G. E. Foster, ex-Minister of Finance. It appears that Mr. Foster called at the Brunswick Hotel this afternoon shortly after 1 o'clock and called at the room of two friends. He remained there an hour or so and, leaving his companions, descended the stairs leading to the office. When about four steps from the bottom he slipped and fell to the floor. He was picked up by the proprietor, carried into the private office and medical aid summoned. It was found that the skull was fractured. Five hours after the accident he died in the presence of his family. It is understood that deceased had $5000 insurance on his life in favor of his wife.

YOUNG AGAIN.

Do you Wish to Avoid the Infirmities of Old Age?

Paine's Celery Compound an Invigorator and Life-Giver for the Old.

Old people seem to grow weaker as the months go by. They are troubled with constipation, flatulence, drowsiness, rheumatism, indigestion and neuralgia. They have had one or more of these troubles for years. Their diseases are truly all of nervous origin.

Paine's Celery Compound is the world's great specific for all the difficulties that beset old people. Its regulating influence on the kidneys, bowels and liver removes the disorders that old people suffer from. Paine's Celery Compound is recommended by the best medical practitioners as a grand stimulant to the vital powers, productive of appetite, and a wonderful promoter of digestion.

When you are old use Paine's Celery Compound; it will strengthen and build you up, and add years of comfort and peace to your life.

In the past, multitudes of people, reduced in vitality and strength, and on the road to becoming life-long invalids, have been made hale, hearty and strong by using nature's life-giving medicine.

See that you get "Paine's," the kind that makes old people feel young, and that always makes the sick well.

TRUE LOVE WON THE DAY.

Sweethearts Separated in Europe United Again, the Girl Walking Day and Night to Reach Him—Now a Wedding.

Morristown, N.J., Dec. 7.—Frank Cuttle is an expert cyclist and a dealer in bicycles in Morristown. When he came to America three years ago he left behind him in an Italian city Rosa Girardi, a playmate of his childhood. Their separation was that of youthful lovers who covenanted to cement their affections by marriage. But before Cuttle became located in America, Rosa's parents came across the Atlantic and went to live in Bridgeport, Conn. In this way the couple lost trace of each other.

Cuttle has taken part in many of the cycle races and has achieved several victories. One of these was recorded in a New York paper a few weeks ago, and, while reading the paper one day the report of the race and her lover's victory caught the eyes of the young damsel in Bridgeport.

Rosa, who is but 16 years of age, said nothing to her parents, but gathered a few things in a little bag and came to Morristown, determined to find her lover. According to her story, the girl had considerable difficulty in getting here, being over a week en route. She walked a great deal of the way, sometimes at night, and was at times assisted by farmers.

The meeting between the lovers indicated that neither had allowed the love formed years ago to abate. Rosa explained to Frank the circumstances of her leaving home to seek him, and the young man then wrote to the girl's father, explaining the situation, and placed his sweetheart in the custody of a woman relative.

Wednesday Cuttle received a letter from Rosa's father, in which he said he entertained no ill feeling toward his daughter, and accepted Cuttle's invitation to be present with his wife at the wedding, which will take place to-morrow night in this city.

Shiloh's Cure

Is sold on a guarantee. It cures Incipient Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure Only one cent a dose. 25 cts., 50 cts., and $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 360 George street.

REFORMS IN TURKEY

Britain and Russia Have Come to Terms

AND WILL LOOK AFTER THE SULTAN

A Conference of Ambassadors Has Been Called to Arrange Details—The Queen's Cattle Take Prizes at Smithfield Fair—Hamburg Strike Not Settled.

Constantinople, Dec. 7.—Husni Pasha, Turkish Ambassador to Russia, has telegraphed to the Porte informing the Turkish Government of the existence of a complete understanding between Russia and Great Britain in regard to the enforcement of reforms in Turkey. This information has created a sensation in the Sultan's circle. M. Nelidoff, Russian Ambassador to Turkey, who is now on his way to Constantinople from a visit to St. Petersburg, will, it is understood, call a conference of the ambassadors immediately upon his return to his post, to discuss the questions of financial and other reforms in Turkey and the opening of the Dardanelles.

THE GERMAN EDITORS.

Major Von Tausch Arrested for Perjury on the Evidence of Editor Levysohn.

Berlin, Dec. 7.—The trial of the five editors, Baron Von Luetzow and Herren Plotez, Berger, Foellmar and Leckert, for libelling Baron Marschal Von Bieberstein, Count August Von Eilenburg and Prince Alexander Von Hohenlohe, was resumed this morning. The court room was crowded with privileged persons expectant that additional sensations were imminent and in this expectation they were not disappointed. Herr Levysohn, a member of the editorial staff of The Berlin Tageblatt, was called to the stand, and testified that a certain article published in The Tageblatt casting serious reflections upon Baron Marschal Von Bieberstein had been personally inspired by Major Von Tausch, the chief of the political police. Upon the strength of this testimony the judge ordered the arrest of Tausch, who was in court, upon a charge of perjury, and he was taken into custody at once and conveyed to jail.

A motion was made by the public prosecutor that, in view of the conviction of Baron Luetzow, in which he stated that Herr Leckert supplied the material for the article against Count Botho Von Eulenberg, Leckert alleging that Baron Marschal Von Bieberstein, Minister of Foreign Affairs, inspired the article, Baron Von Luetzow and Herr Leckert be declared guilty and sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment each. The court retired to consider the motion.

HAMBURG STRIKE.

Contributions are Liberal—Employers Refuse to Accept Arbitration.

Hamburg, Dec. 7.—Numerous meetings of the strikers were held in this city to-day. The largest of these was a mass meeting, at which Herr Molkenbuhr, Socialist member of the Reichstag for Hamburg, announced that the subscriptions to the fund for the support of the strikers had so increased that the distribution of the fund would be enabled to raise the weekly grants to unmarried men by one mark a week and to give to married men an additional allowance according to the number of children in their families.

The employers have held another meeting, at which their refusal to submit the dispute between the striking dockmen and themselves to an arbitration tribunal was re-affirmed. This action of the employers is due to the fact that a guarantee fund amounting to $250,000 has been signed for the protection and aid of the smaller employers.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

The Queen's Herefords Take First Prize at Smithfield Cattle Fair.

London, Dec. 7.—At the annual Smithfield Cattle Show the Queen wins the first prize for Herefords, and receives several medals for cattle of other classes. Baron de Rothschild wins the first prize for short-horned steers, and Lord Rosebery gets the first prize for short-horned heifers.

Death of a Noted Chemist.

Stuttgart, Dec. 7.—Emil Wolffe, professor of chemistry, died here to-day. He was the author of a number of works on the application of science to agriculture.

Britain's Trade.

London, Dec. 7.—The returns issued by the Board of Trade for November show an increase in imports of £3,500,000 and a decrease in exports of £1,000,000 during that month, as compared with those for November 1895.

They Gave Over $1300.

Bowmanville, Ont., Dec. 6.—The annual thank-offering towards the reduction of the debt on the Methodist Church took place here to-day with great success. The handsome sum of $1000 11 was placed upon the plates. Rev. E. Roberts of Belleville, a former pastor of the Old E.C. Church here, preached two very able sermons.

Convicted of Counterfeiting.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 5.—Frank and George Kingston, brothers, of Ionia, were convicted in the United States Court this afternoon of counterfeiting. A box containing a complete counterfeiting outfit, press and all, was found in their possession, but both swore they were entirely ignorant of its contents, and that it was a job put on them.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

As Well as Ever

Dear Sirs,—After suffering for two years from acute indigestion I tried B.B.B. I took only three bottles, which made me as well as ever I was. I highly recommend B. B.B. to all dyspeptics.

Mrs. John White, Austin, Man

Sick Headache and Constipation are promptly cured by Burdock Pills. Easy to take, sure in effect.

TOOK PARIS GREEN.

Mrs. Richard Hawke of Shallow Lake Killed Herself While Mentally Unsound.

Owen Sound, Dec. 6.—(Special.)—On Wednesday evening last Mrs. Richard Hawke of Shallow Lake, 10 miles from here, wife of a shingle miller of that village, took a large dose of paris green, from the effects of which she died on Thursday. The unfortunate woman was in an unsound mental condition when she administered to herself the drug, and had been known to be so for some time back. Drs. Machell of Owen Sound and Campbell of Hepworth were called in as soon as possible after the fact was known, but were unable to do anything to save her life. She was about 45 years old, and leaves a family.

Man Found Dead.

Mount Vernon, N.Y., Dec. 5.—The dead body of a man apparently about 40 years old was found this afternoon in the room of a tenement house at 9 North Railroad-avenue. The house is occupied by Italians, and Coroner Fanning, who has taken charge of the case, says he believes it is a case of foul play. The body is badly decomposed and has evidently been lying where it was found for several days.

It Was John Haggarty.

Tecumseh, Ont., Dec. 6.—The unknown man found dead on the track one mile east of Tecumseh on Dec. 2 has been identified by his parents as John Haggarty of Detroit, his mother giving full description of his clothing and articles found upon him. Coroner Reaume made no hesitation in handing articles over to his mother as the belongings of her son.

As an emergency medicine, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral takes the lead of all other remedies. For the relief and cure of croup, whooping-cough, sore throat, and the dangerous pulmonary troubles to which the young are so liable, it is invaluable, being prompt to act, sure to cure.

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We have the finest mince meat made and put it up in all sizes of packages.

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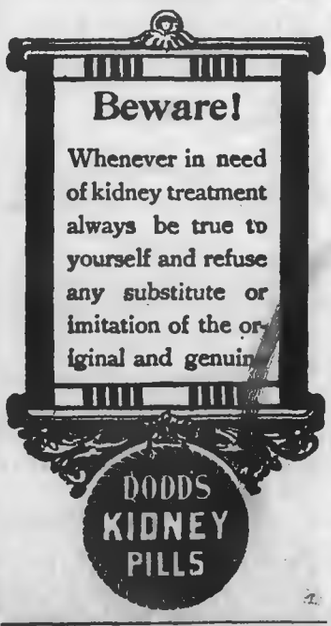
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Whenever in need of kidney treatment always be true to yourself and refuse any substitute or imitation of the original and genuine
DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

CURE THAT COUGH WITH SHILOH'S CURE
TAKE THE BEST
25cts., 50cts. and $1.00 Bottle.
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SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY.
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	12
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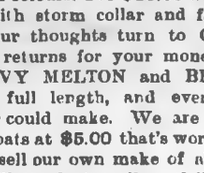
HOW TO OBTAIN THEM.

Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper—that portion containing the heading "SUNLIGHT SOAP." These (called "Coupons") are to be sent enclosed with a sheet of paper on which the competitor has written his or her full name and address, and the number of Coupons sent, postage paid, to Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto, marked on the Postal Wrapper (top left-hand corner), with the NUMBER of the DISTRICT Competitor lives in.



NO. OF DISTRICT	NAME OF DISTRICT
1	Western Ontario, consisting of Counties York, Simcoe & all Counties W. and S. of these
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3	Province of Quebec
4	Province of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the 5 districts, prizes will be awarded as follows:

The 2 competitors who send in the largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Gold Watch, value $25.

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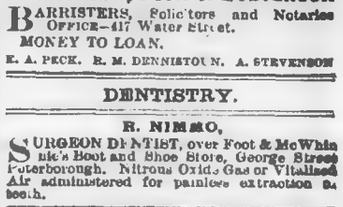

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HOW TO KEEP CHRISTMAS.

Lessons From the English Poets on the Holiday's Observance.

HRISTMAS, in its true spirit, may be sensed better than in any other fashion by turning to the English poets, old and new.

England was my England when
Old Christmas brought its sports again,

says Sir Walter Scott, and, instead of giving one little day to this festival, our motherland devoted 12 days to its commemoration.

So now has come the joyfulest feast;
Let every man be jolly;
Each room with ivy leaves be drest
And every post with holly.
Without the door let sorrow lie,
And if for cold it hap to die,
We'll bury it in a Christmas pie
And evermore be merry.

writes George Wither, a poet of the seventeenth century.

On every Christmas eve the bells of old Cambridge ring out this ancient carol:

God bless you, merry gentlemen;
Let nothing you dismay,
For Jesus Christ, our Saviour,
Was born this happy day.

As the song runs on, its burden is that the holy tide of Christmas must efface all evil memories and unite men in the bond of love and brotherhood.

Thackeray thus conveys the lesson of Christmas:

Come wealth or want, come good or ill,
Let young and old accept their part,
And bow before the awful will,
And bear it with an honest heart.
Who misses or who wins the prize
Go, lose or conquer as you can,
But if you fall or if you rise
Be each, pray God, a gentleman.

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My song save this is little worth,
I lay the weary pen aside
And wish you health, and love and mirth
As fits the solemn Christmastide,
As fits the holy Christmas birth.
Be this, good friends, our carol still—
Be peace on earth, be peace on earth,
To men of gentle will.

Charles Mackay's "Under the Holly Bough" breathes the true Christmas spirit by saying to all who have scorned or injured one another:

Let sinned against and sinning
Forget their strife's beginning
And join in friendship now.
Be links no longer broken,
Be sweet forgiveness spoken
Under the holly bough.

Tennyson sums up the teachings of scores of Christmas poets when in verses addressed to the bells he sings:

Ring out old shapes of foul disease,
Ring out the narrowing lust of gold,
Ring out the thousand wars of old,
Ring in the thousand years of peace.

Ring in the valiant man and free,
The larger heart, the kindlier hand,
Ring out the darkness of the land,
Ring in the Christ that is to be.

Howells' Happiest Christmas.

The merriest Christmas I have ever known in my life is the first one that I can remember. The question of who experiences the greater happiness and sense of triumph, the child who has received a new and much coveted toy on Christmas morning or the military hero who has captured a great city, has often been discussed, but never satisfactorily decided.—W. D. Howells in New York World.

Fatal Result of Delay.

Sickness generally follows in the path of neglect. Don't be reckless but promptly take a few doses of Scott's Emulsion immediately following exposure to cold. It will save you many painful days and sleepless nights.

INSURGENTS ACTIVE.

Daring Horsemen Manage to Keep Weyler's Troops Busy and Terrify the People of Havana.

New York, Dec. 5.—Among the passengers on the steamship Vigilance, which arrived yesterday from Havana, was a young American who has been engaged in business in Havana for several years. Just before the steamer sailed, he says, rumors were spread about the city to the effect that the insurgents were displaying unusual activity in the provinces of Pinar Del Rio and Santa Clara. A body of daring horsemen dashed up within six miles of Havana, burned a plantation and escaped before the squadron of cavalry sent out to meet them got to the scene. Such incidents are alarmingly frequent. They produce the double effect of demoralizing the Spanish soldiery and shaking the belief of residents of the city in the ability of Weyler to keep the insurgents away from Havana. Outwardly the city is quiet, but under the surface there is much disappointment at the mismanagement of the Spaniards in both military and civil departments. A third of the inhabitants are friends of the revolution and many others sympathize with it. The rest are with the Spanish. Gomez is now investing the town of Santa Clara. He has shut off the garrison from all communication with the outside world, and unless the relief comes soon the town will surely fall into his hands. His cavalry has been particularly active in cutting off foraging parties. The hopes of the patriots in Havana have been greatly heightened by these exploits. They think it is only a question of time when Gomez will be under the walls of Havana itself. The Americans in Havana believe that if Gomez and Maceo hold out until President-Elect McKinley is inaugurated and the new Congress is in session, when American intervention is expected, they will win.

An incident occurred the other day which painfully illustrates the discredit into which American citizens have fallen. An American bookseller named Wilson had a sign out before his store which read: "The American Bookstore." In one of the outbursts of Spanish wrath following the Newcastle, Del, flag incident, a crowd collected about the store and threatened to loot it. Wilson became frightened, and changed the sign to read: "The English Bookstore." There were no more threats made.

COLLECTED $3500.

Methodists in Hamilton Whacked Up in Great Shape to Pay the Cost of Building a Church.

Hamilton, Dec. 6.—(Special.)—The new Methodist Church in Emerald-street was formally opened to-day. Rev. Dr. Williamson of Toronto conducted the morning service and at the conclusion of an impressive sermon made an appeal for special contributions to help to defray the debt incurred in building the church. Sir Mackenzie Bowell, who is at present the guest of Senator Sanford, was in the church, accompanied by the latter, and these gentlemen donated $100 each. The pastor of the church, Rev. A. L. Gee, agreed to give $100, and a score of others in the large congregation gave sums varying from $100 to $25. This special collection amounted to $1,506. Services were held this afternoon and this evening, and the large gatherings at each of these responded to the call for financial assistance most liberally.

The total collections at the three services will amount to over $3500. This was all that was required to clear the cost of the new edifice.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand is limited. A car of straight roller sold at $4 here.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices easy. Bran is quoted at $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market is quiet, with prices inclined to weakness, owing to depression in leading markets. White wheat sold at 85c west and red at 84c. No. 1 hard is firm, with sales at 90c, grinding in transit, and 95c, Toronto freight. More offers at these prices.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 28c.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 1 is quoted at 31c and No. 2 at 28c outside.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 19c high freight, and at 20c, middle freight; mixed 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices firmer; sales at 41c north and west.

Rye—The market is firm, with sales at 37c east.

Corn—Old corn sold to-day at 27½c west, and new is offering at 25c.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The receipts of live stock to-day were 33 carloads. The demand for export cattle is fair, with choice worth 3¾c, and exceptionally fine lots at 4c per lb. Bulls for export 3c to 3¼c per lb. Butchers' cattle unchanged. The best sold at 3c to 3½c. Medium cattle bring 2½c to 2¾c and inferior 2c to 2¼c. Milch cows sell at $25 to $40 each and calves at $3 to $6 each.

Sheep and lambs in limited supply and prices somewhat firmer. Export sheep sold at 3c to 3¼c per lb., and bucks at 2½c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3½c to 3¾c per lb.

Hogs in fair offer and prices unchanged. The best sold at 3¾c to 3¾c lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c to 3½c, light weights at 3½c, sows at 2¾c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 4.—Spring wheat, 7s 0d to 7s 1d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 5½d to 7s 6½d; corn, 2s 11¾d; peas, 4s 7½d; pork, 48s 0d; lard, 21s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 29s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 25s 6d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat on passage 3d to 6d higher. English country markets in some cases 1s cheaper. Maize on passage steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady; futures steady at 6s 10¾d for Dec., Jan. and Feb., and 6s 11d for March. Maize steady at 2s 11¾d for Dec., 2s 10¾d for Jan., Feb. and March and 2s 10¾d for May. Flour, 25s 6d.

Paris—Wheat, 22f 25c for Jan.; flour, 47f 85c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures easy at 6s 10d for Dec., 6s 10¼d for Jan. and Feb. and 6s 10¾d for March. Maize steady at 2s 10¾d for Jan., Feb. and March and 2s 10¾d for May. Flour, 25s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage dull. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 22f 30c for Jan.; flour, 48f 10c for Dec. and Jan.

MR. ENOS SCOTT, Van Horn, Ont., says: "My heart caused me great uneasiness. My appetite failed, and I became very weak and discouraged. Miller's Compound Iron Pills made me all right; I feel well and strong." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

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M'KINLEY'S TRIALS.

The Office Hunter Makes a "Social Call" and an Illinois Man Talks on Reciprocity.

Canton, O., Dec. 5.—The President-elect had another active day. Congressmen were numerous and office-seekers were present to make "social calls."

Representative Albert Hopkins of the Eighth Illinois district was an early caller and had a long talk with Major McKinley. Mr. Hopkins is chairman of the Ways and Means Committee on Reciprocity, and it was on reciprocity legislation he came to talk. He found the President-elect a willing listener, and carried away the impression that Major McKinley would gladly support any legislation designed to give effect and redeem the promises of the Republican National platform on the subject of reciprocity.

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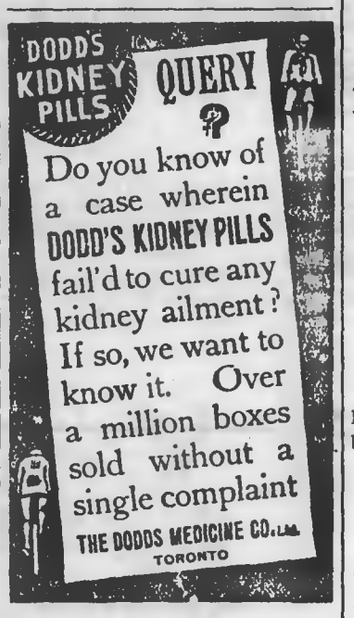
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" The Canada Life	4.58
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A LONG SESSION OF THE COUNCIL.

(Continued from Fifth Page)

F J R Mitchell	$4 00
T Williams	50
A Peters	1 00
Light & Power Co.	3 75
"	1 00
Geo Laing	4 80
Jos Britten	12 80
A B Nesbitt	4 60
Mrs Burns	7 00
W J Ingram	50
A Clegg	7 60
Ed Green	4 00
J J Lynch	2 00
R H Leary	3 00
Curtis Bros	27 00
McDonald & Mercier	10 10
J. P. Hurley	0 70
J W Brisbin	11 25
Gutta Percha Rubber Co.	361 30
Thos Tomlinson & Son	94 66
Light & Power Co.	4 03
J P Hurley	95
Micks & Cox	42 40
John Nugent	2 20
Fowler & Co	2 00
Harper Pig Co	15 00
Duncan & Gray	60
Fowler & Co	2 00

The accounts of Messrs. James Job. H. Mills, Robert Duncan and James Haggart were ordered to be paid.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

through its chairman, Councillor Moore, recommended:

1. That $300 be accepted from the Village of Ashburnham in full for fire protection furnished by the town to the village up to December 31st, 1895 the village council having agreed to pay that sum provided it is paid at once.

2. That the following accounts be paid:

W H Halpin	$ 12 50
J Smith	2 00
A J Wayne	7 00
Mrs Reid	3 00
B Shortly	7 95
T Williams	1 25
Harper Painting Co.	11 00
Joseph H Yelland	29 50
Y M C A	401 40
Wilson & Co	3 33
Mrs Mark Wainwright	5 00
W Detcher	1 50
Peterborough Hardware Co.	134 57
O N Brown	1 00
Lock Mfg. Co	50
Wm Buller	11 84
W E Metcalf	38 35
Brown & Co	2 00

Adopted.

THE STREET AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE

through its chairman, Councillor Langford, reported

That they had asked for tenders for snow ploughing, and recommended that the committee have authority to award the contracts, and that the Mayor and clerk be authorized to execute the contracts on behalf of the town with the persons to whom they are awarded by the committee.—Adopted.

THE FIRE, WATER AND LIGHT COMMITTEE

through its chairman, Councillor Mills, recommended:

1. That the Peterborough Light and Power Company be instructed to place electric lights at the following places: One at Cedar street, at the corner of Cross street; one at Barnardo Avenue, at the corner of Conger street; one on Smith street, at the corner of Harvey street; one on Dalhousie street, west of the bridge, over the creek, and one on Weller street, at the corner of Walton street.

2. A team of horses has been purchased to take the place of the team sold, in the fire hall. The price was $250, which has been paid. The horses were carefully examined and tested before being purchased.

3. That 400 feet of hose ordered to be purchased, has been delivered, and your committee recommend that a cheque for $361.30 therefor be issued to the Gutta Percha and Rubber Mfg. Co.

4. That another incandescent light be placed in the tax collector's office.

Councillors Weir and Denne moved that the report be adopted and that lights be placed in front of St. Andrew's and St. John's churches.—Carried.

Councillors Hughes and W. H. White moved in amendment that these two lights be considered by the Fire, Water and Light Committee.—Lost.

SOME BY-LAWS.

The by-law regarding the fixing of a rental for the erection of poles and wires for the transmission of electricity on the streets was introduced by Councillor Langford. The figures were those published previously.

Ex-Mayor Kendry spoke strongly against the imposition of a rental, which he considered a hindrance to the advancement of the town, as it would naturally tend to increase the cost of power to any manufacturer intending to locate in Peterborough.

After an unusually long discussion the by-law was passed.

The bylaw authorizing the execution of the contract for street lighting with the Light & Power Company then received its several readings and was passed.

RESOLUTIONS.

Councillors Sawers and Moore moved that tenders be asked for 200 cords of stone to be broken up during the winter, as usual, in order to provide work for the workingmen.

Councillors Langford and Best moved in amendment that the matter be referred to the Street and Bridge Committee, to report at the next meeting.

Councillor Langford's amendment was carried on the following division:

Nays—Sawers and Moore—2.

Yeas—Councillors Best, White, Hughes, Denne, Mills, Weir, Langford, Graham and White—9.

The usual grant was made to the reporters.

The by-law was then passed providing for the appointment of places for the nomination and election of mayor, councillors and members of the Board of Education:

Ward 1. Wm. Vanevery's shop, corner of Rubidge and Dalhousie. Joseph Lundy, deputy returning officer.

Ward 2. Market Hall. Chas. Cameron, deputy returning officer.

Ward 3. Metheral's shop, Aylmer street. John Irwin, deputy returning officer.

Ward 4. Wm. Lee's shop, Smith street. Geo. W. Powell, deputy returning officer.

Councillors Best and White moved that the town engineer be granted $150 re sewer—Carried.

The mayor mentioned that a great many of the citizens were anxious to have the matter of the addition of 5 per cent. to the taxes, postponed until about the 10th of January.

The matter was referred to the Finance Committee with power to act, the understanding being that if the action is legal the time extended to January 15th.

The council then adjourned to meet again this evening.

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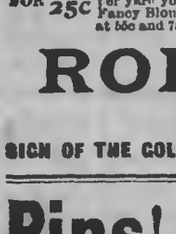

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TO EXTEND TRADE

Is One of the First Objects of Sir Richard Cartwright.

MANY VALUABLE SUGGESTIONS

Received in Reply to Circulars Which the Minister Sent Out to Boards of Trade —The Appointment of Sir Henry Strong to the Judicial Committee—Ottawa News

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 8.—Special.)—One of the first official acts of Sir Richard Cartwright as Minister of Trade and Commerce was to cause circulars to be sent to the several Boards of Trade throughout the country, inviting expressions of opinion on the best methods of extending the trade of Canada. Many replies have been received at the department, some of them containing valuable suggestions. In numerous cases advantage was taken of the opportunity to lay purely local considerations before the Government. For instance the Board of Trade of Thorold has sent a reply urging the advisability of leasing water power privileges on the Welland Canal, of using native cement in the construction of public works, and building a wharf for fruit growers of the Welland district. The board also suggests, for general advantage, the deepening of the canal system to 21 feet, the establishment of a fast Atlantic steamship service, the adoption of 2-cent letter postage, the enforcement of a 2-cent-per-mile railway passenger rate, and lower freight rates, and the passage of an alien labor law. Another suggestion is the following in regard to pulpwood: "That it would be in the interest of the country if an export duty should be placed on pulpwood, so that the pulp industry might be retained for our own people. That under the present tariff, we are reliably informed, a cord of pulp wood delivered at the United States border is worth about six dollars, but if manufactured in Canada is worth about eighteen dollars at the place of manufacture, the difference in price being almost all in labor. That about two thousand cords are exported from Canada every day in the year, and that if an export duty on pulp wood were exacted of, say three dollars per cord, it would yield a revenue of about two million dollars a year to Canada."

A reference to the record of cases which have been appealed to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council in London during the past twenty years show that there is less force in the objection that Sir Henry Strong in London will be reviewing judgments which he had delivered at Ottawa than was at first supposed. During the period mentioned there have been 112 appeals from Canada to the Judicial Committee, and of these 75 per cent. went from courts of appeal in the several provinces direct to London. It therefore appears that only about one quarter of the cases heard in London actually passed through the Supreme Court.

Representatives of fish and game clubs in Ottawa, which lease waters in the Counties of Ottawa and Pontiac, are to hold a meeting to-morrow for the purpose of devising measures to secure a change in the Quebec laws, imposing a heavy hunting tax upon persons not domiciled in that province, but who may wish to hunt in the wilds of Quebec. Members of the Quebec Government have been approached, and it is not unlikely that they will consider favorably a proposition to reduce the tax.

The Superintendent of the Government Telegraphic Service is engaged in preparing for the extension of telegraph lines from Esquimaux Point, the present easterly terminus of the line on the north shore of the gulf, to Belle Isle. In the course of the next year it is expected to add about 80 miles of line, which will carry the wires as far as Natishquan, 666 miles below Quebec.

As a result of this year's geological survey explorations there has been a splendid addition of specimens to the museum. Owing to insufficient accommodation, however, much that would be interesting to the public cannot be placed on exhibition. In many cases specimens are crowded together to too great an extent.

There is good reason to believe that there will be few if any superannuations before the superannuation and civil acts have next session been either abolished, and new acts passed, or else very materially altered. The Government has for some time past been quietly making enquiries into the working of the superannuation act, with a view to either amending or abolishing it at the next session of Parliament, and until this is done it is not at all probable that any important changes will be made in the civil service, although advantage will no doubt be taken from time to time of chances for dispensing with the services of extra employes.

This was a dies non in the public departments, Conception Day being a statutory holiday. Few of the Ministers were at their offices or civil servants at work.

Prof. Prince, Commissioner of Fisheries, left for the Maritime Provinces to-day.

Sir Richard Cartwright has returned to the city.

Hon. L. H. Davies expects to be back in Ottawa in about a fortnight.

James Robertson of Hamilton has been appointed Inspector of Militia Stores at Ottawa. It is said the appointment was necessary because Mr. Watson, the present inspector, owing to failing eyesight, has been unable to keep up with the work.

The City Council has decided to present a gold watch to the Collegiate Institute boy, Douglas Lyon, for his gallant attempt to save life in Ottawa last week.

The Supreme Court will hold a special session to-morrow for the delivery of judgments.

Mr. Julius Lay, the newly-appointed American Consul at Windsor, was entertained at dinner by members of the Polo Club last evening. Mr. Lay leaves for his new post to-morrow.

BIG FIRE IN MONTREAL.

About Half a Million Dollars of a Loss in the Heart of the City Caused in Two Hours.

Montreal, Dec. 8.—One of the most disastrous fires that Montreal has experienced for a long time broke out shortly before 8 o'clock this evening. The fire apparently started in one of the upper storey in the centre of the Barron Block, a long stone block on St. James-street, extending from St. John-street to St. Francois Xavier-street, and nearly facing the St. Lawrence Hall. The fire was in a most dangerous locality in the very heart of the city, in the immediate vicinity being the Temple building, the Standard building, postoffice, Carsley's, Canada Life building, and other great business structures.

The top storey of the block were occupied by offices of various kinds, while the ground floors were occupied by Fulton & Richards, Freeman's Restaurant, A. W. Ross & Co., Gibb & Co., Central Vermont and Intercolonial ticket offices and other smaller offices.

The fire spread with alarming rapidity and when the brigade reached the scene, the flames were shooting out of the heart of the block, while dense clouds of sparks rose and fell on the St. Lawrence Hall, postoffice and other structures, placing them in imminent danger of catching fire. The whole brigade was called out and the firemen made desperate efforts to stop the progress of the flames. The water towers and other apparatus were brought into requisition, but at first the volume of water did not seem to have much effect and the flames rose with increasing fury, creating a lurid reflection, which lit up the whole city and attracted thousands of people to the scene. St. James-street was almost completely blocked with people.

The fire spread into the old Bank of Toronto building, on the corner of St. John and St. James-streets, and it was soon a mass of flames. While the firemen were working on this building the corner of the wall fell out, sending a wave of flames across the street. It was a brilliant scene, but was fraught with the destruction of thundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of the most valuable property in the city.

After burning for over two hours with terrible fury, the fire was got under control by 10 o'clock.

The Barron Block, which is valued at $300,000, is a complete wreck.

Amongst those who occupied offices in the burnt block and who will lose all their effects, are: D R McCord, Advocate, Union Mutual Life Insurance Company; James L. Wiseman, engraver A H Burton, manufacturers' agent; Montreal and Western Railway; H J Beemer; James Hunter, electrician; Commercial Gazette; Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway; Ottawa and Gatineau Railway office; Dominion Alliance offices; Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company, Manufacturers' Guarantee, Accident Insurance Company, the Ward Commercial Agency, Armstrong & Co., real estate; Mutual Investment, Freehold Company, and a number of smaller offices. The premises of John Parslow, stationer, Freeman's Restaurant and Fulton & Richards, publishers, on the ground floor, are also totally wrecked.

The loss, it is expected, will amount to nearly half a million dollars.

DURRANT'S GREAT LUCK.

The Alleged Slayer of Blanche Lamont Will be Allowed to Live for Some Time Yet.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 8.—The Supreme Court has given Theodore Durrant, the slayer of Blanche Lamont, another respite. His attorneys asked the court to withdraw its recent order preventing them from filing their brief on appeal, and the court continued the whole matter for two weeks, when the request will probably be granted. It was agreed that, on the filing of the Attorney-General's brief, ten days' additional time should be given the defence to file a reply. When the case finally comes before the court a long time will be taken for its consideration, so that many months will elapse before it will be known whether Durrant is to be re-tried.

THE BEST IN AMERICA

Provincial Fat Stock and Dairy Show

HELD IN THE CITY OF GUELPH.

All the Leading Cattle Breeders are on Hand With Choice Specimens—A Committee Appointed to Meet the Tariff Commissioners—Resolution as to Diseases.

Guelph, Dec. 8.—(Special.)—The thirteenth Provincial Fat Stock and Dairy Show opened in Victoria Rink to-day. The spacious rink, main building and annex, was completely filled by noon, by which time all the stock was brought in. Upstairs, in the curlers' room, a neat display of fine turkeys, geese and poultry carefully dressed, is on exhibition. The cattle, sheep and pigs are of uniform high quality. The entries in all classes are materially ahead of last year, totaling 569 to last year's 450. This show will undoubtedly be one of the finest exhibitions ever held on the Continent of America. All the morning the judges were working on the dairy cattle.

All the principal stock breeders throughout the province are on hand with their fat animals. Among them are A and G Rice, Currie's Crossing; J H Smith & Son, Highfield; B H Bull & Son, Brampton; A Hoover, Emery; W M & J C Smith, Fairfield Plains; W T Thompson, Rockton; Jas Grieve, Jas Hurley, Guelph; T H Dent, Woodstock; Jas Oke & Son, Alvinston; H & W Smith, Hay P O; J & P Crerar, Shakespeare; Jas Fried, Blenheim; W Rutherford, Roseville; W H Nicholls, Hamilton; Jackson & Son, Abingdon; Mr Simenton, Blackheath; Mr Whitelaw, Guelph; Mr Douglas, Galt; Mr Scott, Aberfoyle; J Kelly, Shakespeare; Gibson & Walker, Denfield; Mr Campbell, Woodville; Mr Bowman, Guelph; Peter Arkell, Teeswater; Smith Evans, Gourock; Mr Harding, London; Park & Son, Burgessville; W E Wright, Glanworth; D G Hanmer, Mt. Vernon, besides all the leading breeders in the County of Wellington.

The annual meeting of the Dominion Cattle Breeders' Association was held in the City Hall last night, at which about thirty breeders were present. Mr. John I. Hobson, president, occupied the chair, and delivered a short address, in which he referred to the question of better legislation in reference to matters pertaining to the association, and the advisability of modifying the quarantine regulations.

A letter was read from the Dominion Minister of Agriculture in reference to a revision of the tariff. After a few suggestions the following resolution was put and carried: Moved by D. McCrae, seconded by A. W. Smith, "That Messrs. Hobson, Snell, Johnston and McCrae arrange to deal with the whole work and meet the commissioners."

Considerable discussion then took place on transportation, quarantine and records, and a committee was appointed to look into the matter and report as soon as possible.

In reference to the cattle trade in the Northwest, the following resolution was put and carried: Moved by Messrs. J. C. Snell and Arthur Johnston, "That, believing that contagious pleuro-pneumonia is not at present existing in either the United States or Canada, this association is of opinion that so long as these countries are free from contagious diseases, cattle of all kinds should be admitted to either country without quarantine, but after careful and efficient veterinary inspection, under such regulations as may be mutually agreed upon between the two countries; that the Government also urge on the United States Secretary of Agriculture the necessity of doing away with the present rule of the Customs Department not acknowledging pedigrees recorded in the Canadian Herd Book, as the standard is equal to and in some cases higher than the American one."

The officers were re-elected with some minor changes, Mr. Hobson being president, and Mr. Hodson secretary.

The following gentlemen were then appointed to represent the association at Fair Boards: Messrs. A. Johnston and G. E. Day, Toronto Exhibition; Messrs. Joseph Yuill and J. G. Clarke, Ottawa; Messrs. R. Gibson and Capt. Robson, London.

The meeting adjourned until the first week in February to meet in Toronto, when the Executive and Program Committee, Winter Show Committee and Transportation and Quarantine Committees will be appointed and other business transacted.

SEALS WERE PLENTIFUL

When the Carolina Was Seized in 1886—Mr. Peters and Dan Dickinson Again Argue.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 8.—A. Milne, C.M.G., Collector of Customs for Victoria, yesterday furnished the Behring Sea Claims Commission with a list of the vessels that cleared for sealing in 1886. Mr. Peters, for the purpose of showing that seals were plentiful in the Behring Sea in August, 1886, which was the month the Carolina was seized, began to read an affidavit presented by the United States at the Paris Tribunal, stating that there was a migration of seals to the Behring Sea in June of that year, and that there were plenty of them in the sea during the month of July.

Mr. Dickinson objected to this affidavit being used as competent testimony in the present case, and said that, whereas the affidavit in question stated that the seals then in Behring Sea were mostly female, he could bring affidavits presented by the British representatives at Paris to show that they were all males and pups.

Mr. Peters replied that the object was to show, not the sex, but to prove by the affidavits used by the representatives of the United States at Paris that seals were plentiful at the time the Carolina was seized. He says he wanted to show this, and also that the Carolina would have made a good haul if she had not been prevented by the seizure. Mr. Dickinson held that, even if there were plenty of seals, it does not follow that the Carolina could have caught them. Other elements must be taken into consideration, such as the ability of the Carolina's crew. The commissioners then took the point under consideration.

Mothers

Anxiously watch declining health of their daughters. So many are cut off by consumption in early years that there is real cause for anxiety. In the early stages, when not beyond the reach of medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla will restore the quality and quantity of the blood and thus give good health. Read the following letter:

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Cough

and nothing seemed to do her any good. I happened to read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and had her give it a trial. From the very first dose she began to get better. After taking a few bottles she was completely cured and her health has been the best ever since." MRS. ADDIE PECK, 12 Railroad Place, Amsterdam, N. Y.

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INGERSOLL'S OBJECT LESSON.

A Hint to Other Municipalities who Want Good Streets.

(Woodstock Sentinel-Review.)

The people of Ingersoll have now had time to see the advantage of a good bit of roadway. As our readers are aware, the town council of that progressive town recently decided to put down a block of macadam street as a sort of a model. It was done by the council themselves under the direction of a man of experience from St. Thomas, who had done similar work work there under the direction of Mr. Campbell, city engineer, now provincial instructor in roadmaking. This street has been laid under conditions that will subject it to the severest test possible. It is on Thames street, between the C. P. R. track and the bridge in front of the Noxon works. A good foundation and perfect drainage had to be secured, and this to be done in such a way as to withstand the effects of frost and water in the fall and spring especially. The street has now been in use some weeks, and is giving the most perfect satisfaction. It has been described as a thoroughly good job by the Provincial Instructor in Roadmaking. If we were to offer any criticisms of the work, it would be that there might have been a few inches more crown, that nothing but fine broken metal should have been used in the surfacing, and that traffic should have been kept off the street until it was thoroughly dry. But as it is, the street is standing, and will stand the test of time. While the other streets of the town are in a deplorable condition, it is clean and dry—perfectly so, except for mud which is carried on it from adjoining roadways made in the old style.

It is safe to predict that the intelligent and progressive men in Ingersoll's town council, to whom the town owes this interesting and valuable experiment, will not turn back now that they have put their hand to the plough. They now know, and the people of the town can see, how streets ought to be made. It is safe to predict that in a few years Ingersoll will have as good streets as any town in Canada. She has roadmaking machinery now, men of brains to direct her policy, unlimited supplies of material close at hand at a nominal cost, and much less area of street than most towns of the same population—in a word, grand opportunities for having all her main streets properly made and maintained. It will be interesting to watch the effect of this year's experiment, and the progress of street improvement in Ingersoll during next season and succeeding years.

WARSAW.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Good skating on the pond.

Herb Kidd spent Saturday in Norwood.

Rev. Mr. Robinson returned from the city on Saturday.

Mr. Morgan has a large gang of men at work at his new hotel. The foundation will be completed in a few days.

Mr. Bert Ried has secured a situation at Gananoque, and will leave on Tuesday.

Rev. Mr. Weaver, of Toronto, conducted the services in the Baptist church on Sunday last.

Mr. S. R. Payne, who has been ill for some time past, is able to be out again.

While returning on horseback from a neighbour's on Wednesday evening, Mr. Arthur Edwards met with a serious accident. While coming down the English line the horse slipped on the ice and fell, throwing its rider in the ditch, where he was found about an hour afterwards and carried home in an unconscious condition having a deep cut in head and his leg sprained.

A farmer living south of the village lost one of his sheep some time ago, and lately he got word that his animal was on a farm near the village. Driving over one evening he found his sheep and was preparing to take it home when the farmer came out and demanded *fifty cents* damages. This was refused and a "scrap" followed during which the sheep escaped and no trace of it has since been found.

About 1.30 a.m. Thursday morning fire was discovered in the front part of Harry Clemens' blacksmith shop. The fire was first noticed by Thomas Clemens, who gave the alarm, but the flames were beyond control before sufficient help arrived. How the fire started is a mystery, as Mr. Clemens was not working in the shop in the afternoon. There was no insurance.

Taking advantage of the cold weather a few days ago one of the residents of Dummer transferred his winter's supply of pork from the pen to the cellar, and being out of salt at the time he drove to Lakefield the next morning to lay in a stock. He purchased the salt and was starting for home when he met one of his neighbours, and, together they drove down to Mr. Craig's and went in to get warm, leaving their horses tied at the door. In their absence one of the horses got uneasy and attempted to pull up the tie post. It failed in this but managed to smash the bridle and the owner was compelled to fasten his rig behind his neighbour's for the return trip. They got home all right, but the salt didn't. The family was formed into a searching party and set out the next morning to look for the salt, but after walking a couple of miles from home and getting chased back by a bear, they gave it up as a bad job, and now he has come to the conclusion that some one was mean enough to steal a ride and the salt into the bargain.

YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Andrew Wilson's oyster supper in connection with the Young's Point cheese factory on the 2nd inst., was a success. Mr. Wilson deserves credit for the grand spread, for not only were the oysters but everything that was served, was of the finest quality. After supper was served the young folks tripped the light fantastic toe until midnight. The factory has done a good business this season, and the report is as follows:

Total amount of milk, 522,403 lbs.
Expenses, $63.25.
Making cheese, $667.46.
To the patrons, $4,012.58.

Mr. A. Wilson, cheesemaker, W. J. Young, salesman, and P. A. Kearney, secretary.

Mr. J. Crow, of Campbellford, is the guest of his uncle, Mr. C. Young.

Mr. A. Fobert, of Chemong, is visiting the Point for a few days.

J. S. Moynes, agent for the Thos. Stevenson Co., of Cannington, Ont., spent Sunday at the Lake View House.

Mr. Frank McPherson, of Peterborough, has returned home, after spending a few days here.

V. Rev. Father Brown, of Douro, conducted services in St. Mary's R. C. church on Tuesday, the 8th inst., it being the feast of the Immaculate Conception.

A number of the young ladies and gentlemen of this place intend giving a concert on Christmas night. Will give particulars in next week's issue.

If you are anxious to find the most reliable blood-purifier, read in Ayer's Almanac the testimonials of those who have been cured of such terrible diseases as catarrh, rheumatism, and scrofula, by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Then govern yourself accordingly.

Burns Died Penniless.

When Robert Burns died the following obituary appeared in The Edinburgh Advertiser of July 26, 1796, says the New York Press: "On the 21st inst., died at Dumfries, after a lingering illness, the celebrated Robert Burns. His poetical compositions, distinguished equally by the force of native humor, by the warmth and tenderness of passion and by the glowing touches of a descriptive pencil, will remain a lasting monument of the vigor and versatility of a mind guided only by the lights of nature and by the inspiration of genius. The public to whose amusement he has so largely contributed will learn with regret that his extraordinary endowments were accompanied with frailties which rendered them useless to himself and his family. The last months of his short life were spent in sickness and indigence, and his widow, with five children, and in the hourly expectation of a sixth, is now left without any resource but what she may hope from the regard due to the memory of her husband.

"The public are respectfully informed that contributions for the wife and family of the late Robert Burns (who are left in circumstances of extreme distress) will be received at the houses of Sir William Forbes & Co., of Messrs. Mansfield, Ramsay & Co., and at the shops of the Edinburgh booksellers. It is proposed to publish some time hence a posthumous volume of the poetical remains of Robert Burns for the benefit of the author's family; his friends and acquaintances are requested to transmit such poems and letters as may happen to be in their possession to Alexander Cunningham, Writer, George-street, Edinburgh; or to John Syme, Esq., Ryedale, Dumfries. It is hoped that, in the meantime, none of his original productions will be communicated to the public through the channels of newspapers or magazines, so as to injure the sale of the intended publication."

TWEED TOPICS.

Mrs. James Davenport Makes a Statement for the Benefit of Others.

Mrs. Davenport is well-known in Tweed, and this is how she spoke to our representative concerning Doan's Kidney Pills. Said Mrs. Davenport:—

"I have suffered for some years from dizziness puffing under the eyes, pains in the side and back, sleeplessness, poor appetite, and in fact, was in a bad state generally.

"I took two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills which I got at P. K. Newton's drugstore, and experienced immediate relief from their use.

"I am now very much better indeed; appetite improved, pain almost disappeared and I feel stronger and healthier in every particular.

"I heartily recommend them to all sufferers from kidney trouble."

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DOURO DOINGS.

From an Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Gertie McKlever gave a pleasant party to her friends Monday evening.

Mr. G. and H. Walsh, of Hastings, are visiting their uncle, Mr. J. Walsh.

Mr. David Miller has returned from Manitoba, where he spent the summer. He says he enjoyed his trip.

Mr. P. Malloy, of Emily, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. P. Murray.

Mr. J. Quinn, Keene, honoured us with his presence Sunday. He was accompanied by his friend Mr. D. J. Ritchie.

No more marriages until after Christmas.

A FARMER IN TROUBLE.

A Grenville County Man Speaks his Mind—Feels Like a New Man—Cured by Four Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Cardinal, Dec. 7 (Special)—Mr. Robert McIntosh, a farmer widely known in this county, and living near this village, has been in a painful and dangerous condition as the result of kidney disease affecting the bladder. When called upon he said:

"During three years, until quite recently cured by using four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease which kept going from bad to worse though I was doctoring all the time."

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License Inspector West Peterborough

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BASEBALL IN CANADA.

An Official of the Hamilton Club Says the Outlook for a Provincial Circuit is Good.

Toronto, Dec. 9.

Herbert E. Moore, the popular treasurer and one of the four stockholders of the Hamilton Baseball Club, was in the city yesterday. He is of the opinion that there is a bright outlook for professional baseball in Ontario, and all that is wanted is a compactly formed league.

The annual meeting of the Canadian Association is constitutionally fixed for Good Friday, but the officers have decided to convene at an earlier date, as the business of the League requires attention long before the spring. Secretary Cal Davis will shortly issue the call, and then the most important item, the making of a circuit, will be attended to.

The Hamilton club favors six clubs, Mr. Moore announced. They are Toronto, Hamilton, Guelph, Loudon, St. Thomas and Port Huron. His own opinion is that Toronto, Hamilton, Guelph and London would be the correct thing, and some Western Ontario baseballists would put a team in Toronto regardless of the Eastern League's decision, that is if the enthusiasts in this city would take hold of the club in opposition to the International aggregation.

Hamilton benefited by many experiments last season. They lost money, but will profit by the experience, and hope to not only have a stronger team but to come out ahead in '97. Guelph and London expect to work wonders, too, the coming season. St. Thomas and Port Huron say they can aggregate strong combinations and command good patronage, so they may be admitted.

It is likely that the office of president and secretary will be combined, and of course Cal Davis will get it.

The Canadian League will apply for National protection, and there will be no jumping of contracts, and signed men can be held by their clubs.

Jimmy Dean made a great hit in Hamilton last year, and they are anxious to have him back again. Jack Counsell, who will manage and captain the Varsity team, will endeavor to secure him to coach the college club, and Mr. Moore says this would be agreeable to Hamilton. Dean, too, has great respect for the students, for they batted out a victory with him in the box for the Hams last spring, but it was early, and Jimmy's arm was hardly in shape.

Some great duels should be fought out in the spring between Varsity and St. Michael's. With McDermott and Fitzgerald, S.M.C. should give Counsell's nine a race all the way. When not in the box for St. Michael's McDermott will officiate for Varsity.

IRELAND STILL AHEAD.

Teddy Hale Leads the Long Distance Wheelmen at Madison Square—New Indoor Records.

New York, Dec. 8.—Of the 27 men who were despatched on their journey at 12.00 on Monday morning by Starter E. C. Bald, 10 passed the starting line when the second 24 hours of the six-day international bike race at Madison Square Garden was completed six minutes after midnight to-night. Teddy Hale, the Irish champion, still held the lead, which he acquired at 8 o'clock last night. The Irishman again broke all the hourly records for the second day of a contest of this kind, and with four hours' rest since the start looked fairly fresh. Reading, whose wonderful endurance kept him in second place for so long, was ousted to-day by Rice, but Reading was steadily regaining the time lost in taking a much needed rest, and was in fourth place at the 40th hour. Schock, the winner in '93, by steady plodding worked up into third position, thereby brightening the hopes of many who think he can repeat the victory. Forster kept close on Reading, and of the next division Moore, Taylor, Smith and Pierce were fighting for position.

There were between 5000 and 6000 persons present this evening when a match race and exhibitions enlivened the six days' performance. Tom Linton made a five mile exhibition in 12.04 4-5, which is a new world's indoor record, unpaced. E. C. Bald did a half mile in 1.09 3-5, paced by a quad.

A. J. Latham of Saratoga easily defeated W. C. Ilsome of the New Jersey A.C. in two out of three one-mile heats. The first heat was done in 2.42 4-5 and the second in 2.35 1-5.

The 10 o'clock score (40th hour) was as follows: Hale 734, 2; Rice 715, 3; Schock 697, 8; Reading 684, 6; Forster 682, 3; Moore 671, 0; Taylor 666, 6; Smith 651, 5; Pierce 640, 0; Elkes 599, 1; Ashinger 588, 0; Gilick 592, 6; Maddox 589, 1; Cassidy 571, 9; Calnen 531, 2; McLeod 450, 0.

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THE NEWS BY CABLE

Sir Charles Tupper on Preferential Trade.

HE SAYS MR. LAURIER FAVORS IT

Speech by the Ex-High Commissioner at a Luncheon Given to Him by the United Empire League in London—Monster Combine in Manufacture of Thread.

London, Dec. 8.—The United Empire Trade League gave a luncheon to-day to Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. John Lowles, M.P. The Right Hon. James Lowther, M.P., presided. Sir Charles Tupper delivered a speech, in which he said the policy of the league promised in no slight degree to draw closer together England and the colonies. If the Trade League succeeded in its efforts, Sir Charles declared, it would place both the home and the outlying portions of the empire in more favorable positions as regarded each other, while it would also destroy the competition of other countries. Preferential trade relations he regarded as a solution of the matter. Right Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian Premier, Sir Charles said, had declared himself as emphatically in favor of preferential trade relations between the Mother Country and the colonies, and had promised to send a commission to wait upon Lord Salisbury in connection with the subject, and he (Sir Charles) had no doubt that the Premier's pledge would be honorably redeemed. Both parties in Canada were united, and, whatever doubt might remain, he could assure the league of the support of Premier Laurier on his policy in this direction.

AN IMMENSE COMBINE.

The Great Thread Monopoly in Britain Extending Its Grapplers.

London, Dec. 8.—The Coats Threads Co., which last summer became amalgamated with the Clark Company, Jonas, Brooks & Brothers, and James Chadwick & Brothers, and announced that the company would raise its total nominal capital from £5,750,000 to £7,500,000, has made known that the Coats concern has absorbed the Thread Mills of Finlayson, Bousefields & Co., Scotland, and that it is also negotiating with the Knoxes for their factories in Scotland and America.

AN UNEASY FEELING

Because Von Tausch Promises Some Sensational Exposures in Berlin.

London, Dec. 8.—The Berlin correspondent of The Daily News says: "An uneasy feeling still exists that there must be some high personage behind Von Tausch, the commissioner of detectives, who was convicted in connection with the journalists here. Many names are mentioned, but it would not be fair to repeat them. The trial has therefore failed to attain its chief object. But it has been a political and personal success for Baron Marschal, who has suddenly gained a place in the forefront of Germany's eminent statesmen. He has perforated the political atmosphere, and has swept the Augean stable of the political police."

The Daily Telegraph's Berlin correspondent says: "A report is current that while Von Tausch was on his way to prison he exclaimed: "When I speak out there will be a trial in comparison with which this is mere child's play."

STRIKE ON THE CLYDE

Seamen and Firemen Went Out Against the Anchor and Allan Liners.

Glasgow, Dec. 8.—The Clyde seamen and firemen have gone out on strike and are endeavoring to prevent the sailing of the Anchor and Allan Line steamers. The shipping federation professes to be in readiness to supply the entire crews necessary to the prompt departure of these vessels at the regular rates of wages paid by the employers.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Sir H. H. Kitchener Allowed to Accept a Turkish Decoration.

London, Dec. 8.—It is officially stated that the Queen has granted permission to General Sir H.H. Kitchener, Commander in Chief of the Egyptian Army, to accept from the Sultan the decoration of the Order of Osmanieh, for the services rendered by him to Egypt.

Money Made Dearer.

Calcutta, Dec. 8.—The Bank of Bengal has increased its rate of discount from 8 to 9 per cent.

It Was the Teutonia.

London, Dec. 8.—The report of the steamer Teutonic passing Kinsale on the 7th was an error. The despatch should have read steamer Teutonia.

Death of Herr Engel.

Berlin, Dec. 8.—Herr Ernest Engel, the German statistician, died to-day. He was born at Dresden in 1821, became director of the Bureau of Statistics in 1860, and retired in 1882. He was the author of a number of works on statistics, etc.

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Mr. Joseph Lane, the well-known jeweller of Brockville, says: "For some years I have suffered with severe pains in my back and sides and flashes of heat between my shoulders. I had a tired, wornout feeling.

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I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble. Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. Geo. G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich.

To Stain Wood:

It is a fact not universally known that almost any dry pigment, mixed with spirits of turpentine, will stain wood. It should be applied until the desired shade is obtained. Strong ammonia applied to wood will give it an aged appearance. The best finish for carved work is beeswax or linseed oil.

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Cashmere Gloves	were $0.30, now	0 20
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ROBERT HALL

385 George Street, Peterborough, Telephone 171.

Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Probabilities.

Fresh westerly winds; fair; continued mild, preceded by light rain.

For stomach and liver trouble use Madill's Stomach and Liver Pill; few doses will relieve.

Children's Aid Society.

The Children's Aid Society gratefully acknowledges the receipt of two large bundles of clothing from Mr. Jno. S. Boswell.

Prof. Clark's Lecture on Burns.

Lecture by Rev. Prof. Clark, of Trinity College, Toronto, to be given under the auspices of the Fortnightly Club, is postponed until Monday, Dec. 21st, when it will be delivered in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, commencing at eight o'clock.

Marks Bros'. Company.

Another packed house greeted this company at the Opera House last night. The "Cruiskeen Lawn" was well acted and staged, and the strong specialties between the acts were encored again and again. To-night, "In North Carolina."

Grand Opening.

China Hall will hold a grand Christmas opening in a few days. Watch for the date and be sure and attend. It will be on a scale never attempted before and well worth visiting. In addition to the finest stock of new Christmas goods ever shown the store will be illuminated for the occasion.

The Chimes.

By kind permission Frank Yeigh's entertainment Friday night at the George street church, will be enriched by good music from the orchestra, and the beautiful chimes from the new model tubular bells will add their silvery tones to make the occasion a success.

Christmas Day.

Otonabee Lodge is making arrangements to bring those princes of merrymakers, Ramsay and Rich, to town on Christmas day, for a matinee and evening performance. Everyone has heard of Ramsay and Rich, and they should draw bumper houses. Their humour is of a high grade, and fun runs riot when they are around.

County Council Chamber Adornments.

Mr. Reeve Finlay and Mr. Anderson, of Belmont, are well pleased with the result of the motions passed last January and June to place a picture of Her Majesty and the British Arms on the walls of the council chamber. Now a beautiful steel plate of the Queen is over the Warden's chair, and a splendid representation in oil of the Arms of the Empire adorns the opposite wall. This is the work of Mr. D. A. Shaw, town, and while allegorical in its character, is indeed a fine work of art besides.

Lecture at St. Luke's Church.

Mr. David Spence delivered his lecture on "Bells" to a good audience at St. Luke's school house last night. The lecture has already been reported, so it is not necessary to say more than that it was well received. Mr. Mark gave some pleasing changes on a set of tubular chimes, varied with familiar tunes. Mrs. Peck presided at the piano, and Miss Burnham sang "Little Boy Blue" and "The Gift." At the close of the entertainment Mr. John Burnham warmly expressed the thanks of the audience to Mr. Spence and Mr. Mark for their evening's entertainment.

Dressing Gowns, Smoking Jackets.

TO LADIES DESIROUS OF BESTOWING A CHRISTMAS REMEMBRANCE ON THEIR GENTLEMEN FRIENDS, WE RESPECTFULLY SUGGEST AN EARLY INSPECTION OF OUR ELEGANT STOCK OF DRESSING GOWNS AND SMOKING JACKETS—ALWAYS SO HIGHLY APPRECIATED BY THE GENTLEMEN. SELECTIONS CAN BE LAID ASIDE FOR FUTURE DELIVERY.

Mercer's

THE FIRST OF THE KIND IN TOWN.

An Alleged Fraud in Connection With an Electric Light Metre.

The first case of alleged fraud with electric light metres was brought to the attention of Mr. Johnson, the Divisional Inspector of Electric Light, while in town yesterday. The metre in question had been so tampered with that it did not register, and hence the light was used without the amount of electricity consumed being recorded, and therefore with no means of ascertaining the amount that should be paid.

The penalty for an offence of this kind is a fine of from $50 to $100.

Mr. Johnson has the facts before him and will decide as to what is the best course of action to pursue in the matter.

THE POLICE INTERFERE.

Fairweather & Co's. Bicycle Drawing Would be Unlawful.

The Chief of Police called on the firm of Fairweather & Co. this morning and notified them that the conditions on which they were offering a bicycle was unlawful under Section 205, of the Criminal Code, which reads as follows :

"Everyone is guilty of an indictable offence and liable to two years imprisonment and to a fine not exceeding two thousand dollars, who (a) makes, prints, advertises or publishes, or causes or procures to be made, printed, advertised or published, any proposal, scheme or plan for advancing, lending, giving, selling or in any way disposing of any property, by lots, cards, tickets, or in any mode of chance whatever."

Messrs. Fairweather & Co. will make an explanation concerning the matter in their advertisement to-morrow, when they will make arradgements for the satisfactory settlement of the matter and the disposition of the bicycle.

COUNTY COURT.

The Grand Jury Bring in a True Bill Against Mark Lockington.

The jury in the case of Anthony vs. the Grand Trunk Railway, last evening, brought in a verdict of $50 damages for the plaintiff. Judge Weller has, however, withheld judgment in the matter for the present.

The case of Doran vs. Young, in which the plaintiff claims $200 from the defendant for trespass in entering on his land and cutting wood, is still on. W. H. Moore for plaintiff, and Edmison & Dixon for defendant.

The grand jury brought in a true bill against Mark Lockington for burglary, and his trial will probably take place to-morrow.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Catholic Mutual Benefit Association.

The members of Branch No. 30, of the C.M.B.A., held a large and enthusiastic meeting last night and elected the following officers :

Ven Archdeacon Casey	Spiritual Adviser.
M H Quinlan	Chancellor
John Coughlin	President
E Trombly	1st Vice-President
A J Gough	2nd "
T J Doris	Recording Secretary
A J Gough	Assistant "
W J Devlin	Financial "
H Carveth	Treasurer
John McCormack	Marshal
Jno Cronin	Guard

Trustees—Messrs D Hobbins, John Kelly, Jas Bogue, W Rudkins and P J Hickey.

Christmas Ale and Porter.

Special brewings of Cristmas stock now ready at reduced prices to private families during the holidays. Kegs, $1.25; quarter, $1.75; one-third, $2 50. Bottles, 13 to doz, $1.00 Terms Cash. H. CALCUTT, brewer and malster. Telephone 98.

A Shaving Machine.

The new shaving machine, which has not yet been patented, and which, as yet, only exists in the active imagination of most people, is of no importance, compared with the obtaining of the Christmas groceries, the best of which are obtained at E. Brown & Co's, importers of wines and liquors.

Crowded to the Doors.

Marks Bros. are drawing as of yore. Last night dozens had to stand, although chairs were brought out and placed in the rear for those ladies who could not obtain a seat. That fine old comedy drama, "The Cruiskeen Lawn," was presented in the able manner which characterises all of the company's productions. Miss May Bell's songs were greatly appreciated, as were the other specialities, which coming in between the acts are a pleasing innovation. Petite Gracie took the house by storm. The company is certainly deserving of the liberal patronage which it is receiving.

The Busy Store.

Some merchants would have the public believe that the big sale at Routley's was only a "fake" sale, and that they can sell just as cheap. I might just say here that I have always paid a hundred cents on the dollar during my twenty years of business, and that my goods have been bought, and are now being sold at less prices than others can buy them. Yet it will last only a few weeks longer, as I am positively retiring from the retail business, and would like all who owe me accounts to call and settle before January 1st, 1897. C. B. ROUTLEY.

Frank Yeigh's Picture Travel Talk.

A most attractive programme was offered to a very large audience last evening in Association Hall by Mr. Frank Yeigh, who delivered a new picture travel talk on the British Empire, (such as he will give in the George street Methodist church on Dec. 11th), illustrated with a large number of really beautiful stereopticon views, and a series of suggestive and humourous cartoons depicting John Bull in Egypt, Africa and South America. The story of Westminster Abbey, with organ accompaniment to the views and description, was most effective, as was the orchestral accompaniment to the series of scenes telling of Nelson and the Victory. The Canadian views won hearty applause. The fact that yesterday was the anniversary of Queenston Heights was appropriately referred to, and "The Maple Leaf" was sung with hearty enthusiasm by Mr. Britton and the audience as the new Canadian flag was shown. An eloquent ending was made in connection with views of the citadels of Quebec and Halifax. The subject was an excellent one for rich pictorial illustration. Starting with the Queen and her Royal homes, the Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey and Tower of London, the lecturer then included Balmoral, Edinboro and Holyrood Castles, and some striking Irish scenes. These, with the Nelson series, completed the first part of the programme so far as it related to the British Isles. Next came Britain's Keys of the Empire in Gibraltar, Malta and Cyprus, the English occupation of Egypt, with several pictures depicting the recent march to Dongola, and a particularly fine series of Indian, Australian and South African illustrations. St. Helena suggested a graphic outline of Napoleon's rise and fall, with views of the ballroom in Brussels, the Lion Mound and the death of the Emperor. The Venezuelan question was touched upon, the West Indies visited, and as has been said, Canada was included as an ending to what proved to be an exceptionally entertaining, instructive and attractive travel talk, the best, we think, Mr. Yeigh has yet done on this line, and one which won for him frequent outbursts of appreciative applause.—The Globe.

To remove worms of all kinds from children or adults Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe and sure remedy.

COUNTY COUNCILS IN PETERBOROUGH.

THE THREE FORMS THAT HAVE PREVAILED.

The Predecessors of the New Regime—District Councils—The Present County Council—List of Wardens Since 1850—The New System in Operation Next Year.

"The days of the County Council are few, but they have been many."—*Junius.*

The "days of the county council" to which the great satirist refers are a little over a half century—55 years. Before the year 1840 Ontario had no county councils. They are a development from the primitive form that previously existed. Municipal government was conducted by the magistrates, the quarter sessions and the township councils then composed of three commissioners or "town wardens." In 1840 this system had out-grown its usefulness and something more in touch with popular demand was introduced into Upper Canada.

The province was divided into districts, and the Governor determined the number of councillors and appointed the warden. This system had been in use in Lower Canada but was not sufficient for the more fully developed aspirations for popular institutions of Upper Canada. It served one good purpose—it furnished the basis of the Municipal Act of 1841, which provided district councils, to be composed of one or two members, elected in each township, to hold office three years, retiring in rotation. The warden, treasurer and clerk were appointed by the Governor-in-Council, and the first order on the assembling of a new district council was the reading of the warden's commission. All bylaws were submitted to the Governor for approval. The first district council for this district—the Colborne district—was held in Peterborough in 1842, meeting in the present Court House, which had been completed in the previous year, with George Arundel Hill, Dummer, Warden, and John Darcus, clerk, and the following members : Thos. Harper, North Monaghan ; Stephen Nicholls, Smith ; Switten D. Gibbs, Douro ; Thos. Carr and Jas. Doris, Otonabee ; D. Costello, Ennismore ; W. Cottingham and Josiah L. Hughes, Emily ; Francis Kelly, Ops ; John Langton, (afterwards M. P., and later Auditor-General) Verulam ; Thos. Nead, Harvey ; Daniel Costello, Ennismore ; S. Davidson, Mariposa ; A. Campbell, Eldon ; and Alex. Kidd, Dummer. The minutes of the first meeting contain this note thus written—"Obadiah roger absent."

This form of municipal government continued eight years, till 1850, when the present municipal system and the present system of county councils was introduced. The first council for the united counties of Peterborough and Victoria, consisted of but twelve members as follows ; Messrs. Langton, Benson, Short, Baubell, Bell, McDonnell, Clarke, Cottingham, Fortye, Jacobs, Ferguson and Forsythe. The minutes do not contain any information as to the townships these councillors represented. The seal of the county, which is still in use, was adopted January 31st, 1850 ; an impression of it on pink paper adorns the page of the minutes where the resolution adopting it is recorded.

On January 27th, 1863, the division of the previously united counties of Peterborough and Victoria took place. The first strictly Peterborough county council was composed of the following fourteen members : P. M. Grover, reeve, and Richard Birdsall, deputy-reeve, Asphodel ; Peter Pearce, Belmont and Methuen ; Francis Crow, Dummer and Burleigh ; Geo. Clarke, Douro ; Evans Ingram, reeve, and Andrew Nelson, deputy-reeve, Otonabee ; R. D. Rogers, Ashburnham ; Geo. Locker, North Monaghan ; Wm. Gainer, Minden and Stanhope and Robt. Richie, Snowden.

In perusing the following list of elected Wardens those who have attended the annual inauguration meetings of county councils can form some idea of the lively contests that are represented by the choice of the forty-seven Wardens that have occupied the chair from 1850 down to the present time. The following is the list :

Date.	*Warden.*	*Reeve of*
1850	John Langton	Verulam
1851	Thomas Short	Otonabee
1852	W Cottingham	Emily
1853	W Cottingham	Emily
1854	W Cottingham	Emily
1855	W Cottingham	Emily
1856	W Cottingham	Emily
1857	W Cottingham	Emily
1858	W Cottingham	Emily
1859	W S Conger	Peterborough
1860	Wm Lang	Otonabee
1861	M S Dean	Smith and Harvey
1862	M S Dean	Smith and Harvey
1863	Peter Pearce	Belmont and Methuen
1864	Peter Pearce	Belmont and Methuen
1865	R D Rogers	Ashburnham
1866	Evans Ingram	Otonabee
1867	P M Grover	Asphodel
1868	P M Grover	Asphodel
1869	S S Peck	Minden and Stanhope
1870	S S Peck	Minden and Stanhope
1871	R D Rogers	Ashburnham
1872	John Walton	Smith
1873	Jas Miller	Otonabee
1874	Isaac Garbutt	Smith
1875	R. E. Birdsall	Asphodel
1876	R. E. Birdsall	Asphodel
1877	John Burnham	Ashburnham
1878	John Burnham	Ashburnham
1879	John Burnham	Ashburnham
1880	M. Sanderson	Smith
1881	M. Sanderson	Smith
1882	Henry Collins	North Monaghan
1883	John Moloney	Douro
1884	John Lang	Otonabee
1885	R. C. Strickland	Lakefield
1886	A. R. Kidd	Dummer
1887	George Stewart	Otonabee
1888	John Walsh	Asphodel
1889	John Brown	Belmont and Methuen
1890	W. H. Casement	Lakefield
1891	Francis Kimhirst	Burleigh, etc
1892	Joseph Forster	North Monaghan
1893	Wm. Anderson	Otonabee
1894	Robt Shaw	Harvey
1895	J. B. Pearce	Norwood
1896	Jas. Middleton	Smith

Mr. Edg. Pearse has been Clerk and Treasurer of the county for nearly thirty years, he having been appointed in January, 1867. His predecessor in the office of clerk was Mr. Walter Sheridan.

ANOTHER CHANGE.

As the population of the county increased, increasing village population led to the formation of village and other municipalities, and in many county councils the voting power of the smaller municipalities did not bear a true relation to their tax-paying liability, which circumstance led to some degree of friction with the larger municipalities. And county councils had grown till in some counties the number of the members increased to unwieldly proportions, some county councils having a larger number of representatives than some of the Provincial Legislatures. The question of overcoming this difficulty, as well as inequality in representation was one that engaged the serious attention of the government for years. There were numerous petitions presented from county councils, Grange and Patron lodges in favour of the reduction of the number of representatives and their adjustment on a more equitable basis.

The means adopted is embodied in the "County Council's Act of 1896," which has been previously described in these columns. By this the county is made into five divisions, each electing two members. Thus the new county council of Peterborough, which will meet in January next, will consist of ten members, two less than the membership of the first county council, and four less than the present council, which meets for the last time to-day, and is composed of twenty-three representatives. The new county council will be quite independent of the township and village councils, and each county councillor will hold office for two years. Under the circumstances there will likely be a pretty lively fight in the several divisions for the honour of being first representative under the new system, which is the third form of county council and the fourth or fifth form of local government employed in Ontario since the beginning.

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Christmas at Hand.

What a host of preparations to make, presents to choose, homes to decorate—and what a pleasure it will be to hosts of people. Commence early then and make your selections for gift-giving, and if you begin at the Peterborough Bookstore you need seek no further. Santa Claus is strongly entrenched all over this magnificent store with dolls, games, toys, sleighs, rocking horses, and a myraid of similar presents ; also Christmas cards, holiday books, elegant and costly fancy goods. Get first choice and avoid the crowds.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

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Your Christmas buying will be done best where stocks are fullest and most varied. Few stores in Canada begin to make the holiday displays that we have here every year—this year greater and grander than ever.

The holiday impulse is strong in all stocks, and useful things of every sort will continue to go for gifts. Many striking novelties are here in wood, metal, leather, brass and china. Many goods here are totally different to anything you'll see outside, and prices are positively below anything you'll find anywhere. For the next three weeks the province of this store news will be to suggest suitable gifts and emphasize earlier shopping.

The choicest things will go first as a matter of course, and sensible people will buy early, before the rush.

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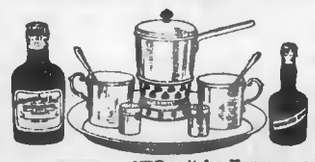

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1896.

SACRED CONCERT

In St. Paul's Church on Thursday Evening.

A sacred concert will take place in St. Paul's church on Thursday evening next, when a programme of unusual merit will be given by the choir assisted by Mr. W. H. Dingle, solo organist, and Mr. Frank Eaton, baritone. A silver collection will be taken up at the door.

THE PROGRAMME.

1—Recit. and chorus—"I am He that liveth"... *Simper*
Mr Frank Eaton and choir.
2—Organ—"Andante in D," known as the clock movement.....*Haydn*
Mr W H Dingle.
3—Aria—"Why do the Nations Rage?"(Messiah) *Handel*
Mr Frank Eaton.
4—Solo and chorus—"Lead Kindly Light". *Buck*
Miss Vair and choir.
5—Organ—(*a*) "Offertoire on Two Christmas Themes," (*b*) "Nuptial March"....*Guilmant*
Mr W H Dingle.
6—Chorus—"Thou Wilt Keep Him in Perfect Peace".....*Buck*
7—Song—"Night of Nights".....*Vander Water*
Mr Frank Eaton.
8—"Fantasia in E Minor," introducing a storm *Lemmens*
Mr W H Dingle.
9—Solo—"Angel's Serenade,".....*Braga*
Violin obligato, Mr. McCaig.
Miss Vair.
10—Song—"Fear Not, Ye O, Israel".....*Buck*
Mr Frank Eaton.
10—Chorus—"The Souls of the Righteous ..... *Woodward*
12—Organ—"Overture to Masaniello.....Auber
Mr W H Dingle.

God Save the Queen.

HARD UP FOR A DRINK.

Two Young Men Force Their Way Into the Brewery.

Sunday evening between the hours of six and seven o'clock, while those engaged in and about the Calcutt's brewery were at supper, two young men, thoroughly knowing the "ins" and "outs" of the brewery and knowing where the front door key was kept, effected an entrance into the brewery.

They also carried several keys, one of which opens the "tap" room, another the "ton" room, where they thought they might make an other addition to their already well filled tanks, but they were detected in the act, not, however, before the lock of the tap room had been sprung. The intruders were promptly ordered from the premises. If they persist in loitering around the brewery hereafter, it is Mr. Calcutt's intention to make things most interesting for them, as they have on several previous occasions been notified to make themselves scarce.

AN HISTORICAL CHAT WITH THE CHILDREN.

Mr. Hampden Burnham Talks of Canadian History.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Hampden Burnham addressed the pupils of the third classes of the George street public school on Canadian history, and held the undivided attention of the youngsters for an hour and a half—a pretty certain evidence that a prosaic and naturally dry subject like history, was made particularly interesting.

Mr. Burnham took up the origin of the Indian tribes, dealing with the districts occupied by the different aboriginal peoples, which was amply illustrated by use of maps. His description of the dress, habits and customs in peace and war, religious beliefs and practices, rivetted the attention of the pupils, who were delighted with the graphic manner in which the subject was presented. Attention was then given to the early explorers, and details of great interest were given in connection. The French occupation, with its romantic features was strikingly dealt with, as was also the end of the French regime and the taking of Quebec by the English.

The address was distinguished especially for the apt moral lessons drawn from the incidents dealt with, and the patriotic appeal to the girls and boys of Canada, with which it was concluded, seemed to set the heather on fire in the hearts of the little auditors, who were told in simple but forcible terms the points of superiority of Canadian institutions over those of other countries.

The moral value of such addresses cannot be over estimated. The more we know of Canada's past, the more we shall value our present great privileges, and the deeper our love becomes, the greater will be the efforts of young and old to unitedly promote its advancement. Canada is the best country on earth, in the infinite variety of its resources of field, forest and mine, in its climate, in its political and civil institutions, in its educational advantages, and most of all, in the sturdy, steady, self-reliant, manly character of its people. Our past is not a long one, but it is one to be proud of, not only only on account of what it has been, but on account of the earnest it gives of a great future, which will be all the greater the more the people are aroused to a just and full appreciation of our past achievements, our present potentialities and our possible future.

OUTLINE OF THE TRAVEL TALK ON "OUR EMPIRE."

To be Given in George Street Methodist Church, Friday Night, Dec. 11th.

As its title indicates, this pictured Travel Talk is intended to convey a graphic idea of the British Empire as it exists to-day in its world-wide extent; England's forty millions controlling the destinies of three hundred and fifty millions of human beings. The Victorian will be measured by the Elisabethan period, and the evolution of the England of the Tudor Queen into the Great Britain of Victoria will be traced.

Music by the orchestra.

The Map Maker's picture of the Empire.

The Queen and her royal homes—Windsor, Balmoral, Osborne, etc.

Houses of Parliament and the men they have produced—Salisbury and Hatfield; Gladstone and Hawarden; Rosebery, Harcourt, Balfour, etc.

Cartoons and Silhouettes depicting British Statesmen and politics.

Westminster Abbey and its tombs of monarchs and heroes, with organ accompaniment.

The Crimean war recalled.

The Tower of London—The Tragedy of the two Princes.

Edinburg, Holyrood and Queen Mary.

The British Navy: "Where are warriors found if not on martial Britain's ground?"

The story of Horatio Nelson, illustrated, from Norfolk home to his London grave.

Britain's keys of Empire: Gibraltar, Malta, Cyprus, Hong-kong, etc.

Egypt's Pharaoh and England's Queen. Victoria succeeds Rameses.

The Indian Empire; its cities, palaces, temples, mountains, tombs, caves, etc.

The Australian colonies: Sidney, Melbourne, Adelaide and Hobart.

New Zealand; the Fiji Islands.

St. Helena and its Corsican prisoner; Waterloo and its mound; the Death of Napoleon.

South Africa: England's appetite for African territory; the Transvaal Problem; our Zulu brothers.

The Pacific Isles and the West Indies.

Canada, England's grown up daughter, completing "the circle of an Empire whose morning drum-beat, following the sun and keeping company with the hours, encircles the globe with an unbroken chain of martial airs." Canadian scenery; Canadian cities and Canadian citadels. (Special series depicting Rossland mines.)

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., (Box 55.) 12d139

THE LAST SESSION OF THE OLD REGIME.

FORTY-FIFTH AND LAST YEAR OF THE PRESENT COUNCIL SYSTEM.

The Warden's Address—The Compliments of the Season—The County Bridges—Clearing up the Slate.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 9th.

A special session of the County Council opened at the Chambers in the Court House to-day. The following members were present. Messrs. Burnham, Casement, Finlay, Brown, Hales, Mansfield, Johnston, Lancaster, Crowe, Hawthorne, Anderson, Peoples, Shaw, Crough, Anderson, Buck, Moloney, Leeson, Andrews, Forster and Armstrong, Mr. Joyce, of Havelock, being absent.

THE WARDEN'S ADDRESS.

After routine

The Warden, Mr. Jas. Middleton, in the chair, addressed the council as follows:

To the Members of the County Council of Peterborough:

GENTLEMEN,—In compliance with the wish expressed by you when last in session I have called this meeting for the purpose of finishing (as far as the same can be done) the business of the year.

Sale of Debentures—In conjunction with your clerk I have issued a circular asking for tenders for the purchase of the ten thousand dollar debentures about to be issued, and I have no doubt you will receive satisfactory offers for the purchase of the same.

Little Bob Bridge—This bridge has been so thoroughly repaired that it is now as good as a new bridge. Some repairs have been made to the other Bobcaygeon bridges, refloording, pointing the stone work, etc. A statement of the expenditure, as passed by the Council of Victoria, will be submitted for your approval.

Steel's Bridge—Nothing has been done in the matter of building a bridge in lieu of the present Steel's bridge, the special Bridge Committee and the Township Council of Asphodel not having been able to arrive at a satisfactory agreement.

Kinmount Bridge—As the plaintiffs in the suit, Somerville vs. Peterborough, have paid the taxed costs, I assume that we may consider this matter settled. Sundry accounts and other matters will be submitted for your consideration and approval.

As this is the last meeting of the present County Council, I avail myself of the opportunity thus offered to thank you for the valuable assistance which you have rendered me in the discharge of my duties as Warden, and at the same time to express the wish that you may all enjoy a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

JAMES MIDDLETON,
Warden.

County Council Chamber,
Peterborough, Dec. 9th, 1896.

On motion of Mr. Finlay, seconded by Mr. Mansfield, the Warden's address was referred to the following committee: Messrs. Burnham, Buck, Andrews, Peoples, Anderson (R.), and the mover and seconder.

NOT FROM THE BARNARDO HOME.

The Ill-treated Lad Little Lad From the County Goes To Toronto.

The Agent of the Children's Aid Society left this afternoon for Toronto with the little boy who came into town a few days ago with the pitiable tale of being put out of doors by the farmer who had agreed to provide for him. The lad is not a Barnardo Home boy, but is from the Greenway Fegan Home in Toronto. A telegram was received from that institution this morning asking for the boy to be sent on and agreeing to pay all expenses. The greatest care is always exercised in connection with the placing out of Barnardo Home children and therefore the rumour that the lad was from that institution was received with surprise and it is with pleasure that the EXAMINER contradicts the first statement of the facts.

PERSONAL

Mrs. W. Cumming, of Charlotte street, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Brignall, in Belleville.

Mr. John Craig, of Ashburnham, Chief of Police, is dangerously ill with an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. James Alexander, one of the most popular drug travellers on the road, is in town for a day or so.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Muddy crossings.

—No police court this morning.

—Council meeting to-morrow evening.

—Social events are coming on with a rush before Christmas.

—The Finance and Street and Bridge Committees meet to-night.

—Several rinks from Winnipeg will be present at the big Lindsay bonspeil.

—The rise in temperature is playing havoc with the ice in the skating rink.

—Belmont council sat all day Monday and up to one o'clock Tuesday morning.

—The Ashburnham snow plough made its first appearance this morning, and cleared the sidewalks of slush.

—The merchants are taking advantage of the soft spell to give their windows a last rub down before winter sets in.

—The Chief of Police picked up a lady's kid mit on George street, between Brock and Hunter to-day. He wants an owner for it.

—Miss Vair will sing Braga's "Angel's Serenade" at St. Paul's church concert to-morrow evening, when Mr. McCaig will take the violin obligato.

—Freight rates on the I.B. & O.R.R. for wood have been doubled. Heretofore the charge was 50c. a cord for 17 miles—now it is a dollar, and it is said that contracts for 3 000 cords have been cancelled by Toronto parties.

—In order to prevent delays by snow blockades on this division, the Grand Trunk management have leased strips of land at all the worst points, and are having the fences moved back a considerable distance.

—A rubber goods factory is in course of erection in Bowmanville, and the work of construction is being rushed, over 100 men being now employed. The projectors promise that the factory, which will turn out druggists' novelties, will add considerably to the population of the town, inasmuch as expert hands will have to be employed.

—Warden Wade, of Durham and Northumberland, will inaugurate a diversion this year by way of entertaining members of the counties' council. The time-honoured custom has been for the Warden to devote a portion of his annual grant to entertaining the council, either at dinner, or in some other way. This year the Warden will introduce an innovation by holding a smoking concert, or a "Smoker," as it is usually called, at the Balmoral Hotel on the evening of Thursday or Friday of next week. An orchestra will provide good music, a comic programme will be presented, a farce or two put on by funny people, to wind up with a go-as-you-please social time, which will be new to most of the councillors. The "Smoker" is an up-to-date entertainment, and Warden Wade is keeping right in line in introducing it.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

R. H. KELLS & CO'S.

Memorable December Sale

Has started and we intend to make it a Record Breaker from start to finish. This Sale includes everything in the Store, and while the Reductions in Prices will be general throughout, some lines will suffer greater cuts than others. Owing to the uncertainty about the tariff, we don't intend to be caught with heavy stocks on hand.

Our trade from Jan. 1st till now is of larger volume than for the whole of last year. We can, therefore, afford to do business for the balance of the year for our customers' benefit.

PRICES LIKE THESE

Should crowd our Store Every Day until New Year's.

Silks for Christmas.

To combine good economy with ornament A length of Silk for a waist is a most acceptable holiday gift. Here are four lots, all beauties. They are not expensive, when you take style and quality into consideration:

24-inch Sable Silks, in Creams, Helio, Pink, Buttercup, Nile .... ..Sale Price 35c
27-inch Japanese Washing Silks, in White, Cream, Nile, Sky, Helio, Gold, Buttercup, Maize, Black .....Sale Price 45c

Xmas Glove Selling.

We've planned for it this year as never before. Our Kid Glove Stock is now at its best—sizes, styles, colours and prices all as they should be. Your every desire in this important matter carefully catered to:

5-hook Lacing Gloves, Black and Colours, guaranteed..... Sale Price 90c
4 Pearl Buttons, "La Salle," Black and Colours, guaranteed..Sale Price $1.20
7-Hook Lacing "Bretagne," Black and Colours ....Sale Price $1 15

Umbrellas for Xmas.

Dainty and nice Natural Wood, Silver or Gold Mounted, tight rolling, with silk or leather covers, something nicer than you've seen.... .....$3, $4, $4.50

Handkerchiefs.

Hundreds of dozens of them to fit your your every wish, from dainty Hem-stitch or Lace Edge to the Finest Silk.

Hand-Made Irish Linens.

Made by Irish women and girls who have been educated to the work through the goodness of Lady Aberdeen:

7 x 7 Doylies, Embroidered and Drawn Work..... 19c
9 x 9 Doylies..... ..... 23c
12 x 12 Doylies.... ..... 30c
Tray Covers, 21 x 30, Embroidered and Drawn Work..... ..... 94c
Centre Pieces, 18 x 18, Embroidered and Hem-stitched..... ..... 57c

Pillow Shams, Embroidered and Hem-stitched $2.25, $3, and $4.50 pair
Hemstitched only..... $1
Tea Covers, 40 x 40, Embroidered and Drawn Work. $1.45 and $1.60 each
Damask Table Covers and Napkins to match
Cloth 2 x 2½ yards ¾ Napkins.. $4.00
Cloth 2 x 3 yards ¾ Napkins.. $5.20

Dress Stuffs.

It is the woman of the house who does the catering and contriving and economizing for the family, but, with prices like these, she can make her allowance go a long way:

24-inch Plaids in bright, rich, fast colours, to make a nice dress for the child or a gown for yourself..... 9c
44-inch Wool Serge, in Black, Navy, Brown, Green, Fawn.....Sale Price 36c
46-inch Cashmere Serge, very fine and smooth, in Black, Navy, Brown, Green, Fawn, Bluette .....Sale Price 41c
42-inch All-wool Tweeds, Blue Mixtures, Brown Mixtures, and Green Mixtures .....Sale Price 50c

EARLY CHRISTMAS has a two-fold advantage—one is more apt to get precisely what is wanted and can make purchases with much greater comfort and satisfaction, owing to the absence of the crowds.

R. H. KELLS & CO.,

George Street, Peterborough. - - - - - Telephone 338

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

There was a rousing meeting of the Thistle curlers last night, the rink parlours being crowded to the doors. The skips chose their first and second stones and the rinks are now composed for the season as follows:—

NO. 1.	NO. 2.
A McCallum,	Dr Carmichael,
J S Knapman,	W H Meredith,
Geo Brown,	A St A Smith,
R H Kells (skip).	John McClelland (skip).
NO. 3.	**NO. 4.**
W E Lech,	Alf Terrill,
J Baptie,	R Kerr,
J Stanger,	Gus Hay,
S Ray (skip).	J B Pentland (skip).
NO. 5.	**NO. 6.**
H Snowden,	W Stocker,
A Blade,	R Neill,
C Rutherford,	Geo Fitzgerald,
T Rutherford (skip).	D Bellegham (skip).
NO. 7.	**NO. 8.**
F D McKay,	R Hay,
Dr Greer,	C L'Brun,
W J Thompson,	E Rutherford,
John McKee (skip).	Geo J Horkins (skip).
NO. 9.	**NO. 10.**
O Shortly,	R H Ross,
G Ames,	C N Brown,
T Connal,	D Davidson,
R B McKee, (skip).	W G Ferguson (skip).
NO. 11.	**NO. 12.**
C LeGros,	Gus Gough,
Dr Caldwell,	J A Cameron,
W H Robertson,	E Brown,
A McNeil,	H LeBrun (skip).
S Clegg (skip).	

The election of skips for the Ontario Tankard and Dryden Cup competition was then taken up, resulting as follows:

Tankard—Messrs. Sam Ray and W. G. Ferguson.

Dryden Cup—Messrs. J. B. Pentland and R. H. Kells.

The selection of skips for the Lindsay bonspiel and the Lindsay-Peterborough cup was left over until a later date.

It was decided that arrangements be made by the committee for the inter-rink matches.

Madill's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil for bronchitis or long standing cough; pleasant to take; carefully prepared.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5 50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

TINTED COVERS

Really well worth the attention of the Ladies, the price being only 35c at Miss Melville's, 424 George street.

Protect Your Horses, etc.

Nothing is more needed for horses at this inclement season of the year than a waterproof horse cover. I make them to order and keep them in stock as well. Hoods, heads, backs and breasts in black waterproof, impervious to water, soft and pliable. Any kind or style of ordered goods required. Lap rugs, strictly waterproof. Also cheese covers as requested by members of the Cheese Board, and for covering all kinds of goods liable to damage from wet. A. KINGSCOTTE, Tent, Sail and Awning manufacturer, 344 Water street opposite market

$10 in Gold

WILL BE AWARDED

Stroud's Tea...

WORD CONTEST

870 GEORGE STREET

PETERBOROUGH

Also at Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston and Toronto.

To the person who will send us the greatest number of words of more than two letters formed from the the letters contained in "Stroud's Tea," using no letter more times than it occurs in "Stroud's Tea." The letters may be taken backward or forward, but must form complete, English words, for example, start, eat, star, etc. For the second largest number of words, $5.00; for the third, $3.00; for the fourth, $2.00, and for the next five $1.00 each will be rewarded. This contest is open to all. The only condition governing the contest is that you shall satisfy us that you have bought five lbs. of our Tea during this month. If you are good at word-making this is your opportunity to procure a New Year's gift for a little effort. This generous offer is made to introduce "Our Celebrated Tea" and give the young folks a chance to earn some money. The contest will close at noon, January 1st, 1897. Each list of words must be numbered and written in alphabetical order, on only one side of the paper with name and address written plainly. To be in a sealed envelope, addressed to W. R. Stroud, 370 George street. Remember this is a bona fide offer made by a bona fide firm. We do this simply as a method of advertising i.e. to bring us more prominently before the Peterborough public. Our Teas and Coffee are, without exception, the best sold in Canada.

$25 in Cash Prizes.

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $8.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for -- **$3.00**

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

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May be consulted at Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, Saturday, Dec. 26.

CONGER'S FAIR

Closing-Out Sale

Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enameledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc
Store Can Be Secured.

Conger's Fair

Chase and Sanborn's Coffee

The *quality* of the *Coffee* we sell under our *trade mark* is our best advertisement.

This Seal is our trade mark, and guarantees perfection of quality, strength and flavor.

BOSTON. MONTREAL. CHICAGO.

NO EXAGGERATION

When we say we have the choicest selection of HOLIDAY FRUITS in town, both in variety and quality:—

Cleaned Currants,
Selected Raisins,
Finest Imported Peels,
&c., &c., &c.

Shelled Almonds,
Choice Eleine Figs,
New Dates,
Delicious Table Raisins.

And Confections to make your mouth water. Make your selection early and call often.

SPECIAL—4 cans of Corn, Peas or Tomatoes 25c.
3 lb. Choice Mince Meat for 25c.

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A. C. CHAMBERS Manager. Table Supply House

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The happiest moment in a woman's life is when she feels for the first time the clinging caress of her own baby's fingers. How many thousands of women miss this greatest, womanliest happiness and live out dreary, babeless, loveless lives, because of ill health. Every woman should realize the supreme importance of healthy vigor and strength of the organs distinctly feminine. Unless a woman is willing to be that least envied of her sex, a childless woman, she cannot afford to neglect this feature of her health.

The best known and most successful medicine for the cure of all diseases and weaknesses of the female reproductive organs is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Hundreds of homes that for years remained childless now ring with childish laughter as a result of the beneficial effects of the "Favorite Prescription." It is the prescription of an eminent and skillful specialist, Dr. R. V. Pierce. For years it has been used by Dr. Pierce in his daily practice in the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., the greatest institution of the kind in the world. It has relieved thousands of women from suffering and pain and prepared thousands for the successful performance of the duties of maternity.

W. R. Malcolm, of Knobel, Clay County, Arkansas, writes: "Since I last wrote you we have had a baby girl born to us. My wife took your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and also your 'Favorite Prescription' all during the expectant period and until confinement, and she had no trouble to mention. A stouter, heartier child was never born. Our child will be one year of age the 8th inst. and she has not been sick a day. Has not had so much as the colic. It is a fact, sir, and we have not had to be up with her as often as twice at night since her birth. My wife had not even a fever for the two or three days after the child was born, although the attending physician told us that such would be the case. Our neighbors remarked to me that they thought my wife the stoutest *little* woman they ever knew. We think our good health due to the use of your family medicines."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. One "Pellet" is a gentle laxative, and two a mild cathartic. Druggists sell them.

THE HUMAN BACILLUS.

"Man Himself Is a Curable Contagious Disease."

That "man is a curable contagious disease" is the contention of a witty contributor to the current number of The New Review. He has discovered that the world is alive—is a strange, gelatinous creature, pulsating imperceptibly throughout every acre of its surface; and, with the aid of a seismograph, he has found that these pulsations or earth-waves, long and short, are the symbols of a language far transcending all spoken languages in directness and simplicity. His new language "can be learned in an hour"; and the earth's soliloquies have been overheard, and its thoughts and reflections caught, as a perfect physiologist might catch the thoughts of a man if the skull vibrated with the movements of the living brain. Unanswerable evidence has thus been secured that the whole generation of men is regarded by the earth with heart-felt loathing and contempt; that our annihilation is the object of the big creature's most fervent wishes; for it (or perhaps we should say he) has been heard to express its aversion in the following terms: "They crawl on me, they burrow into me....They are soft and filmy and small, but they bore into my rocky skin. In the bath of light where I, the orderly one, the crown and joy of myself, turn my exquisitely punctual somersaults, they hatch uncleanlinesses and kill them and gorge their pulpy little bodies with death. They gather together in nests, and where their nests are, my skin is furrowed and polluted, and the air wherein I wrap myself is blackened. I, the orderly one, the solitary roller on the path of perfection, am diseased with vermin! When I turn them to the light, they push themselves hither and thither, and prop themselves on their protuberances; when I turn them away from the light, they fall against me in millions, and sleep, touching me." Such being the earth's unfriendly disposition, the conclusion is obvious—that he "may one day wrinkle his back and shake himself, as a dog shakes his ears, and send us tumbling to a thousand surprising deaths." The mood of disdain for all the concerns of human society can no further go.

This is the mood of disappointment and of failure. Beneath the humor in the expression lies a pessimism that in this country at this time will hardly be understood. But it is a mood which we have just escaped. If the great problems which our people have faced this year had been decided not for the right, but for the wrong, there would to-day be sympathetic American auditors for one who should entertainingly discourse of human bacilli.—Harper's Weekly.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

Sick Headache and Constipation are promptly cured by Burdock Pills. Easy to take, sure in effect.

Break Up a Cold in Time
BY USING
PYNY-PECTORAL
The Quick Cure for COUGHS, COLDS, CROUP, BRONCHITIS, HOARSENESS, etc.

Mrs. JOSEPH NORWICK, of 68 Sorauren Ave., Toronto, writes: "Pyny-Pectoral has never failed to cure my children of croup after a few doses. It cured myself of a long-standing cough after several other remedies had failed. It has also proved an excellent cough cure for my family. I prefer it to any other medicine for coughs, croup or hoarseness."

H. O. BARBOUR, of Little Rocher, N.B., writes: "As a cure for coughs Pyny-Pectoral is the best selling medicine I have. My customers will have no other."

Large Bottle, 25 Cts.

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FIGHTING FOR MRS. STERNAMAN.

The Buffalo Woman's Case to Come Under Review of Judge Coxe in Syracuse on Habeas Corpus Writs.

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 7.—The legal war intended by her attorneys to prevent the Canadian authorities from securing the person of Mrs. Olive Sternaman, accused of poisoning her husband, is not ended. The attorneys say it has just begun. The case is set down for review before Judge Coxe, in Syracuse, to-morrow on writs on habeas corpus and certiorari issued Saturday. It is possible that the hearing will be deferred, as the papers in the proceedings before United States Commissioner Fairchild, who determined to hold Mrs. Sternaman, pending the application of the Canadian authorities to the Secretary of State for her extradition, will hardly be ready in time. As soon as the papers can be prepared, however, the review of the case will be had before Judge Coxe.

"On what ground did the writs issue?" Mr. Thayer, of Duckwitz, Thayer & Jackson, Mrs. Sternaman's lawyer, was asked.

"On the ground that there was not a particle of evidence to warrant the United States Commissioner in holding her," was the response.

"Mrs. Sternaman will be taken to Syracuse?"

"No. We will waive that right. The writ of habeas corpus orders her production there, but we will waive that formality."

Mr. Thayer expressed himself as confident that the result of the new move would be Mrs. Sternaman's release.

Mrs. Sternaman spends her time in the jail in a seemingly happy frame of mind. She denies herself to all callers save her relatives, and says she is certain of ultimate acquittal.

"She is a model prisoner," said Mrs. Halliday, the matron. "She is happy and cheerful and no cares seem to trouble her. She is firm in her declaration of innocence, and says she is not afraid to go to Canada or anywhere else the authorities wish to take her. The legal fight now being made for her, she says, is on the advice of her lawyer. Yes, she helps us with our work, taking care of her own room and working with the rest of us in the corridors. When there is any washing or ironing to be done she assists in that, too. She always goes about everything she does smilingly and happily. Mrs. Sternaman has a large number of relatives here, you know, and they all come to see her from time to time."

TEDDY HALE AHEAD.

The Irish Rider's Long Lead in the Six Days' Race at New York—Fast Indoor Wheeling.

New York, Dec. 7.—The feature of the first day of the six-day international bicycle race at Madison Square Garden was the battle for the leadership in the nineteenth and twentieth hours between Teddy Hale, the Irish rider, and Reading of Omaha. Hale retired for about 45 minutes at 12 o'clock, being then in the lead at 230 miles eight laps. Reading, who had been following close on the Irishman's heels, then assumed the lead and held it until 8 o'clock. Hale had been gaining steadily and a desperate sprinting match between the pair set in at 7 o'clock, when Hale was a trifle under two miles behind the Omaha man. The Irishman had the speed of the Yank, and shortly before 8 o'clock he wrestled the lead away from him. Reading distinguished himself during the early hours by his endurance riding. He remained in the saddle without change until he had accomplished 200 miles in 14 hours 10 minutes, establishing a world's record for endurance in a bicycle contest of any kind. The value of his contest was further enhanced by the fact that he only dismounted to change his saddle. He divided the honors of leadership with Hale throughout the afternoon and was close up at midnight. All previous records at this style of racing, unpaced, six-days, indoor, were surpassed every hour by the leaders. Waller, who was badly shaken up in a collision with Van Emburg in the early morning, was forced to retire during the afternoon. Van Emburg was unable to ride after the fall, but Waller went on for a time. It is doubtful if the latter will be able to come in again.

Champion Bald rode an exhibition mile in the evening, paced by the "Black and White" tandem. His time was 2.08 1-5 on the outside of the track, the fastest mile ever ridden in the Garden.

The score in miles and laps of the men remaining at 1 o'clock was as follows: Hale, 433, 3; Moore, 408, 4; Reading, 406, 9; Taylor, 398, 3; Shock, 382, 6; Ashinger, 382, 1; Rice, 381, 4; Pierce, 377, 3; Foster, 360, 5; Elks, 358, 9; Glick, 355, 2; Smith, 351, 1; Conklin, 340, 2; Maddox, 328, 6; Gannon, 322, 6; Cassidy, 321, 0; Von Steeg, 315, 7; Golden, 290, 6; McLeod, 287, 0.

French Government Policy Approved.

Paris, Dec. 7.—The Chamber of Deputies to-day, after discussing the Madagascar credits, adopted the order of the day and approved the policy of the Government by a vote of 431 yeas to 91 nays.

Rosenbaum Shot His Wife.

Rochester, Dec. 7.—Samuel Rosenbaum, aged 60 years, a cloth trimming agent, residing at 76 Hudson-avenue, shot his wife, Rosie, this morning and then himself. Both are probably fatally injured.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is very dull. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.15, Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market is weaker, and the feeling unsettled, owing to lower prices in leading markets. Sales of red and white were made outside to-day at 83c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is dull at 93c to 94c, and No. 2 at 91c.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 29c.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 1 is quoted at 31c and No. 2 at 28c outside, and feed barley at 20c to 21c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 19c, and mixed at 18c to 18½c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices unchanged; sales at 41c, north and west.

Rye—The market is easier, with sales at 35c on the Grand Trunk.

Corn—The market is easy, with new yellow offering at 26c outside.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Dec. 7.—There were about 550 head of butchers' cattle, 25 calves and 300 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End abattoir to-day. More than half the cattle on market to-day were left over from last week. The butchers were out in considerable numbers, but it was not beef they required most, and the sales of cattle were slow, with very little improvement in the low prices of last week.

The best cattle sold at about 3½c per lb.; pretty good stock sold at from 2½c to 3c do., and the common beasts at from 1½c to 2½c per lb.

It is probable that some of the leaner animals would bring even less than 1½c per lb. Calves were in demand, but they were almost all small young veals. Mr. Bourassa bought 11 calves, paying from $3 to $7 each for them. Mutton critters were scarce and higher in price. Sheep sold at from 2½c to 3c per lb., and lambs at from 3½c to 4¼c do. There were no sales of fat hogs reported to-day. The prices offered were about 3¾c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 7.—Spring wheat, 6s 11½d to 7s 0d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 3d to 7s 6d; corn, 2s 11⅝d; peas, 4s 6d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 29s 6d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 26s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat on passage firm. English country markets 6d to 1s cheaper. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 6s 9¼d for Dec., 6s 9½d for Jan. and Feb., and 6s 10d for March. Maize quiet, at 2s 11½d for Dec., 2s 10¼d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 2s 10⅝d for May. Flour 25s 3d.

Paris—Wheat 22f 10c for Jan. Flour 47f 40c for Jan.

London—Wheat on passage very little doing. Maize on passage dull.

Paris—Wheat quiet at 22f 10c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 6s 8¼d for Dec., 6s 8⅝d for Jan. and Feb., and 6s 9d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 10¼d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 2s 10½d for May. Flour 25s 3d.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a ball. 25c 50c. and $1.00.

What Women Are Doing.

It is said that the professional trunk-packer has become an actuality, and that she is a woman.

Lady Henry Somerset and Mrs. Ormiston Chant are preparing to found a school in England for the instruction of women in public speaking.

Miss Caroline Ormes-Ransom, an artist of Washington, has painted the pictures of many famous statesman and soldiers, among whom were Presidents Grant, Hayes and Garfield.

Miss Ellen Terry always has a basketful of clothes for the poor in her home, in South Kensington, and when callers come she produces the basket and makes them knit, sew or crochet while they talk.

Mrs. Humphry Ward is a granddaughter of Dr. Arnold of Rugby, and a niece of Matthew Arnold. Her father, Thomas Arnold, became a Roman Catholic at the time of Newman's secession, and was for a time a professor in the latter's oratory at Birmingham.

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Put in a Tam-o'-Shanter as described in Lesson No. 3, and then bind the lower edge of the band with a strip of the silk the brim is made of. A yard and a quarter of taffeta silk is cut into four strips—across from selvage to selvage, not lengthwise; these are then accordion-pleated. You will always find that taffeta silk cut lengthwise does not stay pleated as well as

FIG. 1.—LITTLE GIRL'S WINTER HAT.

when cut the other way. When cut bias and pleated it is perfect, but that is only necessary when the silk is to be used single. The hat Fig. 1 has the silk used double. First join all the strips together. Double the pleating, edge to edge, with the seams, prepared as in Lesson No. 8, on the inside; then, with your two hands inside the circle of silk, stretch it out till the pleats are all opened; run a very strong shirring thread at the edges, taking rather large stitches in the double silk. Next run in two threads to run a wire between; when the wire is in, draw up the first shirring thread to the size of the head band and sew it very firmly on the outside of it. Fasten off the wire and draw up the other threads as described in Lesson No. 8.

The silk in this hat is shaded dark blue and green, and the crown is a piece of blue serge to match the coat of the little girl the model was made for. A twelve-inch square of serge with the corners rounded makes the crown, which is drawn up with a thread. The two rough edges (serge and silk) are then hidden by a twist of black satin ribbon, which also forms the bow at the front of the hat. Two and a half yards of ribbon are needed. The making of the bow will be no difficulty if you follow the directions on bow-making in Lesson No. 7.

Ties of ribbon are not allowed for in this measurement, as elastic was used, but they may be added for small children if desired.

The model Fig. 2 was made in pale blue velvet for a little maid who was to wear it with a pelisse of the same shade in silk. It is started in the same way as the hat Fig. 1, and also has a ruffle of double pleated taffeta, but much narrower, only about one inch deep in front, and three inches at the back. The object of having the silk is to keep the fall of lace and chiffon standing out better, and it also gives a tinge of color to the white chiffon above it.

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The trimming is very simple, consisting only of bias strips of the blue taffeta frayed out and made into bows, a piece of it being around the join of crown and brim. If silk be used instead of velvet, for the crown, the bows should be of satin ribbon. A thick corded silk would be very rich; or it could be made entirely of taffeta, with an applique of a bit of rich lace in the centre of the crown. The aigrette should be of the soft kind, as that is not so easily broken as the stiffer ones; white is the best color.

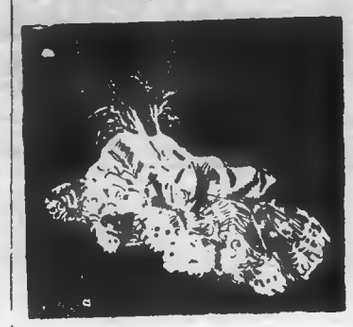

FIG. 2.—LITTLE GIRL'S HAT.

A hint as to cleaning white aigrettes, which show the effect of dust very quickly, may be useful. Take two or three handfuls of Indian or other meal on some clean paper and gently rub the aigrette in it, taking great care not to break the fronds. When it is as clean as it can be made, just shake and blow the remaining flour out. Colored ones may be improved a little by this process, but they are usually faded by the time they are soiled.—Harper's Bazar.

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The Toronto Evening News says:—A young man who gave the name of Harry Ferguson, but who is believed to be Brydon Weese, a well-known pickpocket of this city, whose parents live in Peterborough, is under arrest at Ingersoll on a charge of stealing a purse and its contents from a lady who was marketing there. In his possession were found bills of the same demonstration as those stolen. The prisoner was in St. Thomas a short time ago, when some ladies lost their pocket-books. He was also in Woodstock a week or so ago, and the same thing happened. The markets are generally the place of his operations. Weese was convicted here of picking pockets in Eaton's and his photograph adorns the Rogues' Gallery. He has a brother in Hamilton, and one time was a bell-boy at the Palmer House.

Chief Roszel this morning received a letter from the Ingersoll Chief of Police asking for Weese's identification. He is from Peterborough all right enough, and the Chief does not give him a savoury reputation.

FLEMING FOUND GUILTY.

Convicted of Forgery but Recommended to Mercy at the County Court.

The case of the Queen vs. Fleming occupied Judge McDougall's attention all day yesterday at the Toronto sessions. The circumstances of the case are well known, having been investigated in the police court a few days ago. Wm. Fleming of Bewdley, is charged with forging Geo. Gooderham's name to a check for $2,700. On November 23rd he presented it for payment at the Bank of Toronto, but was arrested in the office. Crown Attorney Dewart conducted the case for the Crown, and W. G. Murdoch for the defence. The defence set up was that the prisoner was at the time mentally incapable of appreciating the gravity of the offence, and it was stated that at times he was mentally unbalanced. The case was given to the jury just before six o'clock, and at 6 30 they returned with a verdict of guilty, with a strong recommendation to mercy.

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LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Miss Edwards, of Dummer, is visiting friends in the village.

Miss Effie McWilliams, who has been visiting friends at Havelock, returned home on Wednesday.

Mrs. and Miss Carveth were suddenly called to Toronto last week, owing to the illness and death of Mr. W. Mounce.

A lively contest it is expected will take place at our municipal election. Mr. W. H. Casement, our present reeve, has decided to retire and contest a seat in the county council, therefore the reeve's chair will be vacant. A number of names are mentioned but those brought most prominently before the public, are the names of Messrs. F. J. Lillicrap and W. M. Graham.

On Sunday last Rev. A.C. Reeves preached a very appropriate sermon at the memorial service in reference to the deaths of Mr. Hugh Davidson, sr., and Mr. Wm. Baptie. Taking for his text Matt. 6, 10, "Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven."

Rev. J. G. Potter, of St. Andrew's church, Peterborough, is to preach at the preparatory service in the Presbyterian church, on Friday afternoon at half past two. Sacrament will be held on Sunday morning at 11.

Have you read R. Graham & Sons advertisement in this week's issue? It is brim-full of bargains, and should create large sales this month, for it is a well known fact that they are considered the cheapest place in Lakefield at which to make your Christmas purchases.

The steam drill is now in operation at Mr. Buchannan's cut on the Lakefield lock and is attracting large crowds watching it do its work.

Mr. Richard Simpson has a number of men engaged in making the excavations for the dry wall which is being built under the supervision of Mr. Patterson. Mr. Alex Richardson being the government overseer.

Mr. Fitzgerald with his men are excavating and blasting at the lower end of the Lakefield cut, making excavations in the rock for the lock.

The sidewalk has now been relaid across the canal, which is a very great comfort to those who had to go through the mud.

As yet we have not heard as to the intention of the Government, whether we shall have a swing or high level bridge. We hope that it may be a swing.

The Girls' Guild of St. John's church are holding a sale of fancy work, etc., at Reydon House, the residence of Mrs. Tate, this (Thursday) afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. Admission, only 10 cents, including refreshments.

Munro Camp, No. 150, S. O. S., meets this (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock in the Orange Hall.

At Tanner's drug store you will find a full assortment of Christmas novelties.

Court Lakefield, No. 43, C. O. F. meets in their hall on Thursday evening of next week. Election of officers and initiation.

On Monday evening Beresford L. O. L. No. 122 elected their officers as follows:—

Bro John W Stuart	W M
" Solomon Northcott	D M
" Richard Waram	Chap
" J E Richardson	R Sec
" Wm Edward	F Sec
" C J Burgis	Treas
" Jas Morrison	D of C
" J C Baldson	Lecturer
" John Stuart, sen	Committee
" George Young	Committee
" Archy Young	Committee
" Wm Marshall	Committee
" T Clarke	Committee
" Wm Preston	Auditors
" J E Richardson	Auditors

The following is the honour roll of the Lakefield public school for the month of November:

FORM I.

Mr. W. A. Evans, principal.

Senior 5th—P. Fitzgerald, N. Hendren, E. Stubbs. Junior 5th—E. Higgins, M. Quigley, O. Thompson. Senior 4th—E. McIlmoyle, W. Garbutt, G. Hendren.

FORM II.

Miss Duff, teacher.

Junior 4th—M. Kenneally, J. Ridpath, E. Davis. Senior 3rd—W. Leonard, M. McDonald, G. White. Int. 3rd—A. Edmison, L. Mason, M. Nicholls.

FORM III.

Mr. J. A. McDonald, teacher.

Junior 3rd—R. Edmison, M. Quigley, A. Hunter, R. Northcott. Senior 2nd—W. Wright, H. Simpson, A. Badcock. Junior 2nd—T. Jewell, G. Ridpath, S. Cook.

FORM IV.

Miss W. Dench, teacher.

Senior Part II—L. Godfrey, E. Richardson, L. Richardson. Junior Part II—E. Shannon, M. Hendren, B. Sellens. Senior Part I—Eva Little, Eino Evans, Ada Harrigan. Junior Part I—Grace Madill, Lucy Hutchings, Beatrice Gordon Tablet—Gordon Bullock, Maud Leahy, Wm. Graham.

WARD.

Miss Cox, teacher.

Senior Part II—C. Crawford, A. Smith, W. Crawford. Junior Part II—A. White, C. Wright, C. McDonald. Senior Part I—Mary Robson, S. Simpson, E. Robinson. Junior Part I—J. Patterson, A. Isbister, A. Murduff. Tablet—W. Quinn and F. Sabbatino, Irene Munro, G. Balsdon.

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MILLBROOK.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

It is rumoured that Mr. William Sowden, of Souris, Man., and for many years one of the most prominent men in this community, intends coming to Millbrook to spend the rest of his days. Mr. Sowden was at one time reeve of Millbrook and warden of the united counties of Durham and Northumberland.

Mr. A. A. Smith, barrister, gave a very interesting lecture at the Epworth League, in the Methodist church, on Monday last, the subject being "The Bible the Foundation of Law."

Activity in municipal politics becomes greater as the time for elections draws nearer. Already candidates are in the field and active canvasses are being conducted. By the new arrangement Millbrook is in No. 2 division, with the north of Hope and south of Cavan. The gentlemen who have already announced themselves as candidates are ex-Reeve Ferguson, of Millbrook, Thos. Leith, of Hope, and ex-Deputy-Reeve Donaldson, of Cavan.

The Curling and Skating Rink Company advertised for tenders for the renting of the rink, but as none of them were very high none of them were accepted. Indeed it is a question whether the rink will be run this season or not. The curling club organised some time ago, but the hockey boys are waiting to see if they will have any ice.

Mr. J. R. Young has moved his restaurant business to a much larger store in Mr. James Gardiner's building.

The trouble between the Electric Light Company and the town council is about reaching a crisis. At Monday night's meeting of the council, Councillor Bateson gave notice that at the next meeting of the council he would bring in a motion that the clerk be instructed to notify the company that their services for street lighting were no longer required. This is owing to the very poor service the company have been giving the town.

Miss Bertie Read, of Detroit, who has been visiting Mr. R. J. Doak, returned home this week.

If your eyes trouble you in any way, have them tested by W. Madill, optician. No charge for examination.

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LILY LAKE LITERARY SOCIETY.

Installation of Officers.

The regular meeting of the Lily Lake Literary Society was held on Dec. 3rd. After the newly-elected officers were installed, the general business was proceeded with. Judging from the number that attend these meetings, and the enthusiasm displayed, there is a bright future ahead for the Society. The programme, though short, was well rendered:

Address	Retiring President
Critic's report	Critic
Song	Mr Jas A Storey
Speech	Mr W Curren
Reading	Mr. Robt Elliott
Instrumental	Misses Fred Agnew and Joe Tully
Song	Miss Edith Tully
Reading	Mr Will Tully

During the course of the evening the officers for the ensuing month in turn made a few suitable remarks.

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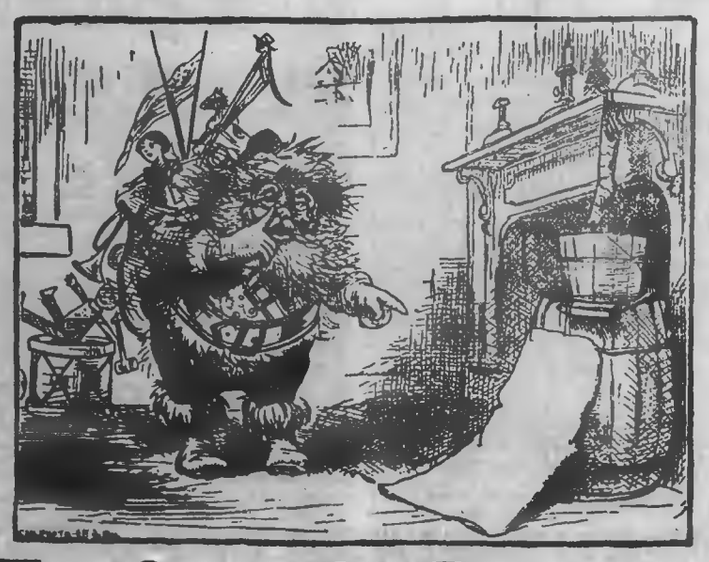

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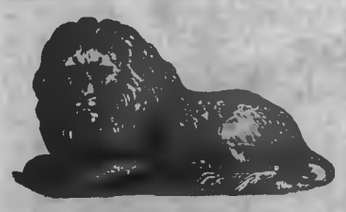

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THE TARIFF ENQUIRY

Another Busy Day Put In at Toronto.

GRANT ASKED FOR DOMINION FAIR

Also for the British Association—Mr. Fielding Gave a Cool Reply—After That Business People Got a Show—Some Wanted Reductions, Others an Increase.

Toronto, Dec. 10.

When the tariff investigation was resumed at the Board of Trade yesterday only Hon. Messrs Fielding and Patterson were present. Sir Oliver Mowat has dropped out altogether, and Sir Richard Cartwright has been obliged to return to Ottawa on departmental business. During the morning session Hon. G. W. Ross dropped in and had a friendly talk with the Minister of Finance.

The first two delegations to claim the Ministers' attention were not tariff deputations, as they consisted of representatives to the British Association Committee and the Industrial Exhibition. The most important immediate outcome of the day's work was Mr. Fielding's promise that the Government would favorably consider and very shortly come to a decision regarding the respective money grants asked by the two organizations.

The first deputation, consisting of gentlemen who are arranging for the holding of the next meeting of the British Association in Toronto next summer, included: Messrs. B E Walker, Prof Macallum, Chancellor Burwash, President Loudon, Mayor Fleming, E B Osler, M P, Geo H Bertram, Edward Gurney, J Short Mcintyre, Jas Ball, jr, H P Dwight, Provost Welch, A H U Colquhoun, Hon G W Allan, E F Clarke, M P, A F Rutter, Wm Lount, M P, Wm Christie and W D Hamilton.

Mr. B. E. Walker, acting as spokesman, asked that the Dominion Government increase by $5000 the grant of $10,000 promised by ex-Finance Minister Foster towards defraying the expenses of the British Association meeting here next year. If the Ministers would thus grant $15,000 there would be $25,000 at the disposal of the committee, as the city of Toronto had donated $5000, and the Ontario Government $7000. Mr. Walker explained that the additional $5000 was needed so that the celebrated scientists who would attend the convention might be sent to all parts of the Dominion and made acquainted with the vast resources of the country. If the attention of the world could only for a few months thus be drawn to Canada the results from an advertising standpoint would be splendid.

President Loudon, Professor Macallum and Messrs. Bertram and Gurney also spoke. One of these gentlemen observed that when the British Association met in Montreal in 1884 the Government had given $30,000 towards defraying expenses.

Mr. Fielding, in reply, said that extravagant expenditure in the past furnished no reason for similar action now. He appreciated the importance of the purpose for which the money was asked, and promised to favorably bring the matter to the attention of his colleagues at Ottawa.

The deputation from the Industrial Exhibition, which came to ask an appropriation of $50,000 towards the holding of a Dominion Fair in Toronto next fall, consisted of President J J Withrow, Dr. A Smith, Mayor Fleming, Geo Booth, Wm Lount, M P, Ald O B Sheppard, S J Score, Wm Christie, P G Close, W B Hamilton, Ald J K Leslie, Robt Davies, Geo Vair, G E Briggs, Ald J H Boustead, Dr J O Orr, C W Postlethwaite, W G McWilliams, Manager H J Hill, J P Edwards, Robt Jaffray, E B Osler, M P, E F Clarke, M P, R W Elliot and A F Rutter.

President Withrow laid before the Ministers the object of the deputation in asking the grant. He said the idea of holding a Dominion Exhibition in Toronto next year grew out of the arrangement for bringing the British Association here. The grant was needed to bring exhibits from every province of Canada that the visitors might see what Canada's resources were. Such a show, it was also urged, would encourage interprovincial trade. It was likewise pointed out that an announcement as to the Government's intention should be given out at once, as there was no time to lose if the scheme was to be carried out.

Manager Hill and Messrs. Lount and Christie supported Mr. Withrow.

The Finance Minister, in reply, said that as a result of the jealousies existing between different cities he believed it to be unwise to make money grants to local expositions. Such aid should be undertaken by the Provincial Governments. If it could be shown, however, that the proposed fair would be recognized in the other provinces as a Dominion Exhibition the association would have a strong claim on the Government. He agreed that it was important that the association should know what the Government was going to do at once, and he promised that he would go back to Ottawa very shortly, bring the matter before his colleagues and see that a decision was come to and announced.

Messrs. R. Millichamp, president, and Geo. T. Irving, managing director of the Irving Umbrella Company, constituted the first deputation of the morning on tariff matters. They asked that if a reduction were made in the 35 per cent. duty on umbrellas a corresponding reduction on the raw materials should also be made.

Mr. Millichamp is also interested in the manufacture of blankets, and he presented the commission with the following written statement regarding the tariff on those articles:

"Canadian blankets are made from Canadian grown wool. Medium grades of imported goods are made from a low-grade East India wool and shoddy. A medium quality of English blanket would cost about 42 1-2 cents per pound. The Canadian manufacturer sells a first-class all pure wool blanket at about the same price, and in very large lots about two cents less. The Canadian manufacturers have kept on using pure Canadian wool, producing the best wearing blanket in the world and intrinsically the cheapest blanket in the world. We have no machinery at present capable of working up as low a grade of stock as is used by the English manufacturer, nor are our work people accustomed to it, therefore we cannot compete with the low-grade English goods, which would be imported if the specific duty was removed, that is unless the ad valorem was increased sufficient to equalize the present rate. The English manufacturer, with his specially adapted machinery and highly skilled labor, can and does produce an article which in appearance is as fine looking as the superior Canadian blanket. The English blanket is so cleverly manipulated and finished that the ordinary consumer is deceived, and does not know what a worthless article he has purchased until he begins to wear it.

"If the English manufacturer put clean wool into his blanket of the same quality and strength of staple as used by Canadian makers, we should not ask for any protection whatever. We want protection from inferior and shoddy goods; we can hold our own when pure wool is used. The removal of the specific duty would seriously affect the blanket business, not in any too flourishing a condition now, owing to the keen competition for orders among the Canadian manufacturers themselves. Within the past two years we have suffered from the introduction of cotton, and mixed cotton and wool blankets from the United States, which have the appearance of wool and are very sightly. They can be sold in Canada for about half the price of all wool. These have displaced thousands of pairs of Canadian wool blankets, very considerably lessening the demand for all wool goods, so that the outlook for our manufacturers is not by any means hopeful nor encouraging. It is to be hoped that the tariff on blankets will be allowed to remain as it now is. We do not ask for an increase; a higher duty would not increase the price of Canadian goods: local competition would keep down the price. The blanket manufacturers have no combination or association of any kind."

Messrs. Ritchie & Ramsay, manufacturers of cardboard and coated papers, asked that the tariff relating to their business be left untouched. Were the duties lowered the United States and German manufacturers would force them out of the market and cause them to close their factory, which they had only, in 1893, fitted up with expensive machinery. Their raw materials are chiefly paper and wood pulp.

Representatives of the American Rattan Company had a private interview with the commissioners.

Messrs. Selby, manufacturers of and dealers in kindergarten goods, asked for a lowering of the duties on certain lines which they turn out. If the duty were lowered so that the goods might be sold here at the same figure as in the United States, there would be a greater consumption of the lines, and a great educational benefit to the country would result. They claimed to be the only manufacturers and importers of these goods in Canada, and to supply the whole country.

The dealers in coffee, cocoa, chocolate, baking powder, flavoring extracts, spices, etc., were represented by C. C. Dalton, A. Jardine, James Todhunter, W. A. Mitchell and J. W. Cowan. They asked for a careful consideration of the tariff on the numerous lines they handle, their representatives being generally in favor of a retention or increase of the present duties.

Messrs. Daniel Rose, James Murray, W. H. Apted, James Dudley, Dan A. Rose and A. F. Rutter, representing the employing printers, bookbinders and allied trades, came next.

Mr. Daniel Rose, on behalf of the deputation, presented Mr. Fielding with the following statement of their wants:

Plates of Books.—The admission of plates for books free had been a great advantage to the trade. It has increased the consumption of paper, and given extra employment to the pressman and bookbinder. We are strongly of the opinion had plates remained on the dutiable list, work we are now getting would not have come to Canada.

Books.—We are of the opinion that a change could with advantage be made in the tariff on books, so as to promote the bookbinding industry, and

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THE HONEY INDUSTRY

There's Money in It When Properly Handled.

BEESWAX IS ALSO PROFITABLE

The President of the Beekeepers' Association Talks to His Colleagues at the Convention in Toronto Officers Elected—Next Year's Meeting Will be in Hamilton.

Toronto, Dec. 10.

The Bee-Keepers' Association assembled again yesterday in the Council chamber. Other members present besides those mentioned yesterday were: Irving Kinyon, Camillus, N.Y.; J. F. Davison, Unionville; A. E. Hoshel, Beamsville; M. W. Vernon, Newmarket, and Peter Byer, Markham.

The president's address, to which reference was made yesterday, after mentioning the Ontario Bee-Keepers' Association as the largest and most influential organization of its kind in the Dominion, referred to the absolute need of bee-keeping being conducted on scientific principles. He spoke of moveable frames, honey extractors and similar improvements. In connection with the suitability of Canada for honey production, he said: "Bee-keeping in Ontario (and my remarks apply to many other parts of the Dominion), is an industry for which our country is naturally adapted; the farther north you go the better the quality of honey obtained, provided that blossoms will distil nectar in *sufficiently large quantities* to pay the bee-keeper. . . . Again, ours is a profession that creates wealth. The honey crop displaces no other crop on the farm, and, further, the primary object of the existence of the honey-bee is not to gather honey, but to assist by the distribution of pollen the cross fertilization of plant life. The honey-bee is of the greatest value to the fruit-grower, and all that Bee-Keepers ask in return from the fruit-grower is a little nectar from the flowers in his orchard and field, and the firm and kindly grasp of his hand, acknowledging the common interest and common benefits."

Referring to the possibilities before bee-keepers, he said: "There is no doubt but that if the attention of manufacturers of such articles as confectionery, vinegar, liquors and tobacco were drawn to the usefulness of honey, it would lead to a hundred-fold increase in consumption. . . . Take Germany, for instance; the last statistics give the number of colonies kept as 1,910,000; the annual production of honey, 44,800,000 pounds. Spain, 1,000,000 colonies and annual production of honey 42,500,000 pounds. France, 950,000 colonies and the annual production 22,500,000 pounds, and European production of honey, 35,000,000 tons; wax, 15,000 pounds; and yet we find such countries as Britain, Germany and France importing honey from the North American continent. We know that England imports a large quantity of honey, as we have very strong evidence that those who have tried the American product prefer it to all others, except their own production. . . . Many parts of our Dominion never see honey, and even in this city in which we are at the present gathered, 200 pounds could to advantage be consumed where one is used to-day. How few of the restaurants, lunch counters and hotels have honey on their bill of fare! . . . Concerning wax, I know of one firm in the Province of Quebec willing to place an order for 1000 pounds of bees' wax a month, a quantity this country is at present unable to supply. . . . As to quality, Canadian honey is generally pure. In the few cases where adulteration has taken place it has, I feel satisfied, almost always been done by the dealer."

Other matters referred to were the amendment of the Adulteration Act, the questions concerning the cheapening of the cost of production, better methods of wintering, the reduction of swarming, comb foundations and foul broods.

The greater portion of the morning session yesterday was taken up with an address by Mr. Thomas Macfarlane, the Chief Dominion Analyst in the Inland Revenue Department. The subject which he entered was the state of the law in reference to adulteration, and the steps to be taken to detect, prevent or punish for adulteration. He pointed out that the department would investigate cases where there were reasonable grounds for suspecting adulteration. The enforcing of the act was in the hands of the department, an officer of which would purchase the article, and, dividing it into three parts, would give one to the vendor, one to the district analyst and retain the other at Ottawa for analysis. There are eight district analysts distributed throughout the Dominion. Both the district and the central analysts would test the samples, and, in case of adulteration prosecution would follow. The department intended to adopt the same system for honey samples as in the case of other articles of food. Bulletins would be printed and widely distributed. When adulteration was discovered the vendor would for a first offence be allowed to pay the costs of the analysis ($9).

After some discussion, it was referred to the Executive to investigate complaints of adulteration before putting the law into motion.

By special request, Mr. Irving Kinyon delivered an address.

The election of officers at the afternoon session resulted as follows, Mr. Holterman announcing that he was not in the field for re-nomination to the presidency, and all except Messrs. Post, Couse and Hall being elected by acclamation. Mr. Hoshel and Mr. Craig acted as scrutineers:

J. K. Darling, Almonte, president; M. B. Holmes, Athens, first vice-president; W. J. Brown, Chard, second vice-president; directors to represent Ontario Agricultural College, Dr. Mills; District 4, C. W. Post, Trenton; 5, J. W. Sparling, Bowmanville; 6, Wm. Couse, Streetsville; 7, A. Picket, Nassagaweya; 8, Israel Overholt, South Cayuga; 9, J. B. Hall, Woodstock; 10, F. A. Gemmell, Stratford; 11, W. A. Chrysler, Chatham; 12, H. Hughes, Barrie. Secretary and treasurer will be elected after the board meets; Wm. McEvoy, Woodburn, inspector of foul broods; F. A. Gemmell, Stratford, sub-inspector of foul broods; R. F. Holterman, Brantford, Toronto Exhibition representative; John Newton, Thamesford, London Exhibition representative; J. K. Darling, Almonte, Experimental Farm representative; A. E. Hoshel, Beamsville, and John Newton, Thamesford, auditors; J. D. Evans, Islington, and D. W. Heise, Bethesda, Revising Committee.

The new president, Mr. J. K. Darling, took the chair in the afternoon. It was decided that the next convention should be held at Hamilton.

Mr. McKnight introduced the subject of the manufacture of honey vinegar. He gave his opinion that one gallon of water needed two pounds of honey, and that nothing more was requisite than honey water and time, with a little yeast, if necessary. The temperature should not go below 42 deg. Skim-milk, isinglass or white of eggs will refine, and 12 months will mature the vinegar. Ordinary vinegar will realize wholesale from 22 to 25 cents a gallon, and extra pickling vinegar 35 cents a gallon.

Mr. A. E. Hoshel opened a discussion on "The Principles of Summer Management," which he illustrated by diagrams.

At the evening session an address was, according to the printed program, to have been delivered by Mr. James, the Deputy Minister of Agriculture. As he was not in attendance, it was thought probable he had been called away to Guelph.

A vote of thanks was passed to Dr. Sproule, M.P., and other M.P.'s and Senators who assisted in getting the Adulteration Act amended.

On the question of union or affiliation with the Bee-Keepers' Union of North America and the North American Bee-Keepers' Association, it was decided after discussion not to take action at the present time.

Discussion took place on the best methods of rendering old comb, in which nearly every member gave his experience, and the almost unanimous verdict was in favor of the Sun Extractor.

Bank

President Isaac Lewis of Sabina, Ohio, is highly respected all through that section. He has lived in Clinton Co. 75 years, and has been president of the Sabina Bank 20 years. He gladly testifies to the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and what he says is worthy attention. All brain workers find Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiarly adapted to their needs. It makes pure, rich, red blood, and from this comes nerve, mental, bodily and digestive strength.

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Neuralgia

in one eye and about my temples, especially at night when I had been having a hard day of physical and mental labor. I took many remedies, but found help only in Hood's Sarsaparilla which cured me of rheumatism, neuralgia and headache. Hood's Sarsaparilla has proved itself a true friend. I also take Hood's Pills to keep my bowels regular, and like the pills very much." ISAAC LEWIS, Sabina, Ohio.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1896.

BRITISH COMMERCE.

Mr. Chamberlain, Colonial Secretary, was banquetted recently at Birmingham, and in his speech on that occasion he told his hearers some sound truths about commerce and colonies. As these same truths are well-fitted to enlighten some apparently benighted people here in Canada, we take the liberty of calling attention to them, in a specific way.

In his statement, that "the most important duty and most absorbing care of the Government is the development and maintenance of our vast agricultural, manufacturing and commercial enterprise," all British and Canadian statesmen will unreservedly concur. The minds of foreign politicians may run on military glory and territorial conquest, but the chief anxiety of the people of Great Britain is to remain at peace and to trade freely with the whole world. Napoleon Bonaparte called them in his contemptuous fashion "a nation of shop-keepers," but the intended slur is a real compliment. To manufacture goods and engage in commerce are nobler occupations than to blast industrious communities by the sweep of invading armies or to paralyze maritime enterprise by means of costly iron-clads. "Commerce," as Mr. Chamberlain puts it, "is the greatest of political interests."

Mr. Chamberlain's assertion that "the British alone appear to have been successful in making colonial acquisitions profitable," is amply borne out by history. The one great fatal blunder in a long series of triumphant success, is the alienation of of the American colonies by the assertion, during the decade from 1764 to 1774, of the right of the British Parliament to tax the colonists. But for the unfortunate obstinacy and crass stupidity of George III and his three ministers, the whole of North America from the Gulf of Mexico to the North Pole might have been still part of the British Empire. The lesson learned was never repeated, for there was no need to emphasise it. Britain's policy of conceding to her colonies ample powers of self-government has been fully justified by the result.

The policy of free trade was never more emphatically defended than it was by Mr. Chamberlain in his Birmingham speech. He contrasted in his strong way the magnanimous attitude of Great Britain, in allowing all foreign nations to trade with her colonies on the same terms as those on which she was herself forced to trade with them, with the selfish exclusiveness of other nations in trying to shut out of their colonial markets all trade except their own. And this magnanimity has had, as he showed, its reward. While the colonies of Britain rapidly become self-sustaining and a source of profit to the mother country, the colonies of other nations continue to be to them a bill of expense.

Lastly, Mr. Chamberlain pointed out the absurdity of the "scare" over the increase in the amount of foreign manufactures imported into Great Britain and her colonies. During the past decade the exports from the mother country to her principal colonies and dependencies had been increased by $40,000,000 a year. During the first half of that period the rate of increase of general exports had been large, but it had fallen off during the second half, and the aggregate was small. His tone, while it was one of warning as to the necessity of alertness on the part of both the government and the manufacturers, was one of firm and uncompromising adherence to freedom of trade as the best national and colonial policy.

SIR OLIVER MOWAT is no longer connected with Ontario politics, but he has got Ontario so much in the habit of winning Privy Council appeals, that the winning is now done automatically, so to speak. Two appeals—one by the Dominion against Ontario, and one by Quebec against Ontario, were decided yesterday in favour of Ontario. The matter involved the liability of this province to the payment of certain annuities to Indians for lands which the latter ceded to Upper Canada prior to Confederation. This is an important matter to this Province, as the amount of liability was—past and prospective—a large one. It places Ontario in a much more favourable financial position.

UNITED CANADA, a Catholic paper, thus discusses the school settlement: "Those who in arrogant insolence and surprising ignorance maintain that the Pope will condemn the terms of the school settlement entered into by the Governments of Canada and Manitoba, overlook two facts of significance: (1) That the Holy See never seeks or provokes quarrels with civil governments (witness its attitude on the Belgian school question twelve years ago); and (2) that the Holy Father gave indirect approval to the famous Faribault plan of Archbishop Ireland, which secured for Catholics nothing save religious instruction after school hours. In the city of Windsor, Ont., with a large Catholic population, all the schools are under the control of the Public School Board. The majority of that Board is Protestant. It treats the Catholics with every just consideration. In New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Ontario Catholics express themselves gratified at the fairness of Protestants in school matters. Is there any reason why the same may not in a few years be said of the majority of the people in Manitoba? None that we can see."

SIR RICHARD CARTWRIGHT.

His Long and Useful Parliamentary Life.

Ottawa, Dec. 9.—Sir Richard Cartwright has been so long in public life that most people naturally think of him as an old man. Last Friday was his sixty-first birthday, so that he is really in the prime of life. A man of strong vitality and considerable physical strength, Sir Richard no doubt feels a touch of rheumatism a bit irksome, but on the score of good health he has much more in his favour than the generality of mankind. He is now the senior member of the House of Commons in point of service, having been thirty-three years continuously either in the old Parliament of Canada or the new, with the exception of one session. Experience is the most coveted and costly thing in the world. It is especially valuable in public life and Canada is most fortunate, irrespective of party, in having this long experience placed unstintedly at her disposal by such a well balanced statesman.

CHEESE REPORTS.

The Annual Meeting of the Lakefield Dairy Company.

The Auditors are pleased to report that they found the secretary's books in a satisfactory condition, being kept in a very business-like way. They have also to report, although there has not been as much milk to manufacture as last year, the price of cheese has been somewhat better. Comparing the cheese industry with other products of the farm, it may be fairly said to be one of the most remunerative products of the farming community. We have gone through the monthly receipts of milk, the monthly production of cheese, the shipments of the local sales, etc. The monthly sales are as follows:

Month.	Lbs Cheese.	Price.
May	13,423	$ 850 90
June	22,032	1584 37
July	20,180	1443 37
August	14,949	1322 27
September	14,895	1498 19
October	16,824	1729 96
Total	102,302	$8,458 95

Total lbs of milk received for season, 1,101,234 lbs.

Average lbs of milk to lb of cheese, 10.76; last year average, 10.74.

No. of standards manufactured for season, 376; No. of standards last year, 425.

Total value per standard, $22 65; last year, $21.94.

Price of butter fat per lb, 21½c.

Average price of cheese for season, 8.27 cents—a little over 8½c.

As compared with last year there is a decrease of milk by 16,351 lbs, and a deficit of cash by $368.09.

Your manufacturer deserves high commendation, as there has not been a "cull" cheese in the whole season's make. Your cheese has been amongst the first selections and the price secured has been amongst the highest on the Cheese Board, thereby making it comparatively easy for your salesman.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. HUNTER, ANDREW FAIRBAIRN. } Auditors.

Annual Report of the Star Cheese Factory for the Year 1896.

	Milk, lbs.	Cheese, lbs.	Total Money.	Expenses.	Paid to Patrons.
May.	75,901	7,055	$ 473 00	$ 73 05	$ 394 95
June.	126,269	11,694	796 15	123 99	672 16
July.	116,798	10,491	763 43	112 41	651 02
Aug.	84,304	7,561	671 12	84 11	587 01
Sep..	70,666	7,059	635 31	78 09	557 22
Oct..	52,944	5,291	508 50	64 66	443 84
	526,070	49,451	$3,847 80	$ 541 31	$3,306 20

Total amount of milk..... 526,070 lbs
" " " cheese..... 49,451 "
" " " money..... $3,847 80
" " " expenses..... 541 31
" " " paid to patrons..... 3,306 20
Average price per 100 lbs milk, net.... 0.62.842
" " " standard..... $18 554
" amount milk per lb cheese.... 10.63 lbs

OFFICERS 1897.

Jas. B. Peoples, President and Secretary.
Directors—John A. Sexsmith, Robert Fairbairn, William Brock and James Stewart Brock.

Annual Report of Stanwood Cheese Factory.

	Milk.	Cheese.	Total Money.	Expenses.	Paid to Patrons.
May.	236,176	19,577	$1,402 17	$ 211 27	$1,190 90
J'ne.	273,776	24,839	1,671 80	260 80	1,411 07
July.	223,883	19,617	1,506 64	206 67	1,259 97
Aug.	161,632	14,962	1,360 22	182 02	1,178 31
Sept.	136,697	13,084	1,237 06	163 34	1,073 72
Oct..	133,315	12,061	1,205 96	161 64	1,044 32
	1,165,479	106,000	$8,383 85	$1,185 23	730,379

Total amount of milk..... 11,655 79 lbs
" " Cheese..... 1,060 00 "
" " Money..... $8,356 12
" " Expenses..... 1,153 35
" " Paid Patrons..... 7,202 79
Average price per 100 lbs milk..... 62.574 cts
" " Standard..... $15.362
" amount of milk per lb cheese 10.8 lbs
Milk in standards, 361 standards.... 25.79 lbs
Aver. amount of milk per lb. cheese last year..... 10.66 lbs

OFFICERS FOR 1897.

President—John McKenzie.
Secretary—Jas B. Peoples.
Directors—Thomas Brunton, Jas. McAlpine, John Lisle, sr., R. D. Rutherford.

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Sickness generally follows in the path of neglect. Don't be reckless! but prudently take a few doses of Scott's Emulsion immediately following exposure to cold. It will save you many painful days and sleepless nights.

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One Laxa-Liver Pill taken each night during 30 days will cure Constipation, oft-returning Headaches and irregular action of the bowels. Laxa-Liver Pills leave no unpleasant after-effect.

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A Grenville County Man Speaks his Mind—Feels Like a New Man—Cured by Four Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Cardinal, Dec. 7 (Special)—Mr. Robert Melanson, a farmer widely known in this county, and living near this village, has been in a painful and dangerous condition as the result of kidney disease affecting the bladder. When called upon he said:

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THE TARIFF ENRUIRY.

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would suggest that unbound books be continued at six cents per pound, and the rate on bound books be increased from six to eight cents per pound, and that hymnal and prayer-books be taken from the free list and added to the dutiable. Such changes will not affect the price to the consumer.

Subscription Books, bound or in sheets.—This is a most important item to the trade. The United States copyright law affects the item, as under that law, if copyright is desired in the United States, the type for the book must be set there. The effect of this is that all the subscription books used in Canada are now being imported (except those on local subjects), it being cheaper to pay the present duty of six cents per pound than to ship a duplicate set of plates, but with an increased duty on the book, a large percentage of these books would be made here, and the price to the public would not be affected, while employment would be given to paper-makers, printers and bookbinders. The present duty is six cents per pound, and we would suggest that it be increased to ten cents per pound.

Paper.—The duty on marble papers, coated and enamelled cover papers, fancy papers, crinkled tissue, together with cardboard, also leatherette, skydogen, imitation cloth or leather, is at present 35 per cent.; all of these, we think, should be reduced to 25 per cent.

Straw Board.—This article is not made in Canada suitable for bookbinders' purposes; a quality of this straw board is manufactured here, which is used for the manufacture of egg cases, etc. The firms in the United States, from which the largest portion of the bookbinders' supply is drawn, have entered into a Trust, so that there is practically only one place to buy at in America; and we understand that they hold patents that will prevent the Canadians manufacturing, even if the demand warranted it. Present duty, 30 cents per 100 pounds, equal to 30 per cent. Suggested change, 10 per cent., the same as is now collected on mill board, which is used by bookbinders for the same purpose.

Wire.—This article is not made in Canada suitable for bookbinders' purposes. The wire imported by the manufacturers of boots and shoes for use on their sewing machines is free. Present duty, 25 per cent. We would ask that when imported for bookbinders' use, it be free.

Duck, suitable for covering blank books, and very largely used, is not manufactured in Canada. The kind of duck or canvas now manufactured here for overalls, tents, awnings, etc., will not answer our purpose. Present duty, 30 per cent., and when imported for making hose, free. Suggested change, when imported for bookbinders' use, 10 per cent.

Leather.—A very important item, which enters largely into the cost of producing a book, and especially those of a higher grade, should be placed on the same basis as the privilege now accorded the glove manufacturers. Present duty, 22 1-2 per cent. Suggested change, 10 per cent.

Type, present duty, 20 per cent.; galleys, present duty, 30 per cent.; cabinets, present duty, 35 per cent.; type stands, present duty, 25 per cent.; type cases, present duty, 25 per cent.; brass rule, present duty, 30 per cent.; wood furniture, present duty, 25 per cent.; metal furniture, present duty, 20 per cent.; printers' patent blocks and quoins, present duty, 25 per cent. We would suggest a reduction on all these items to 10 per cent.

Advertising pamphlets, etc., are now six cents per pound, and 20 per cent. We would suggest a change to bring them into the same class as advertising matter, etc., viz., 15 cents pound, 25 per cent.

Mr. G. W. Noyes waited upon the Ministers on behalf of the Oneida Community, manufacturers at Niagara Falls, N.Y., Niagara Falls, Ont., and other places of animal traps, chains, saddlery and harness specialties, sewing silk, canned goods, silver-plated ware, etc. He asked that the present duty on traps and chains be maintained. If it were lowered, he said, the Canadian factory would be closed, and the market here would be supplied with the company's American product.

W. A. Langton and H. P. Gordon asked the commission for the abolition of the present duty on architects' drawing materials. They argued that the duty was of no use to anyone, as it was simply a revenue arrangement.

When the commission resumed in the afternoon there was quite a large number of gentlemen in waiting, anxious for an interview. The first to be attended to were Messrs. John Smith of Smith Woolstock Company and Alfred Parker of the New Toronto Woolstock Company. They asked that the present duty of 20 per cent. on shoddy be maintained. They gave a resume of how wonderfully their industry had thrived in this country, and if the tariff was taken off the cheaper goods from Yorkshire would come in and seriously affect the business.

Mr. John Dwyer of the Calvert-Dwyer Co. asked to have ramienolia, a vegetable fibre, used for the same purpose as fibre, placed upon the free list.

The fruit and commission men were represented by J. P. Clemes of Clemes Bros., Mr. Dawson of Dawson Bros G. C. Husband of Husband Bros. & Co., and Joseph McWilliams of McWilliams & Everist. They wished to see a specific duty on most lines of fruit instead of ad valorem. For instance, on pears the duty is now 20 per cent. The deputation favored a specific duty of 40 cents a barrel. On apples, now 40 cents a barrel, they would like to see lowered to 25c. On tomatoes, now 20 cents per bushel and 10 per cent., they wished a straight specific duty of 25 per cent. Cranberries, now 25 per cent they would like to see changed to 50 cents per bushel. They named other lines on which similar changes were desired. On bananas they wanted the duty removed altogether and they also wanted all fruit and oyster packages to come in free.

The picture frame and mouldings men were represented by Messrs. W. L. Matthews, William Phillips, F. Phillips, George Woltz and W. Adamson. They pointed out that metal leaf and silver leaf constituted a lot of their raw material and that the duty on it at present is 25 per cent. They would like a reduction. They had been greatly affected by the last change in the tariff regarding frames and mouldings. The duty is now, frames 30 per cent., mouldings 25 per cent. It was formerly frames 25 per cent. and mouldings 30 per cent. The deputation would like it to be put back where it was before. Firms in Chicago and other American cities have such a large market that they can centralize their time and attention in one branch and can sell very cheaply in large quantities. They get their labor cheaper in the States, as a lot of children are employed at the business there. And, besides, the Americans sell 20 per cent. cheaper in Canada in order to allow for the duty.

Mr. J. G. Greey represented Messrs. W. & J. G. Greey, manufacturers of mill machinery. He stated to the commissioners that the present duty on flour mill machinery is sufficient to enable his firm to keep their market, but he wished particularly to call attention to the duty on chilled iron rolls. These were used extensively throughout the country. The duty on pig iron and machinery, which are the raw material used in the manufacture of chilled iron rolls, is 50 per cent. of its cost at the place of manufacture. Mr. Greey contended that the product should be protected equally as much as the raw material is. If there is to be any change in the duty at all, Mr. Greey said he would like to see it increased. The duty on chilled iron rolls now is 35 per cent., and he would prefer a specific duty of 3c per pound on rolls less than 9 inches in diameter, 2c per pound on rolls from 9 to 12 inches in diameter, and 1 3-4c per pound on larger rolls. In order to get the trade of Canada for Canadians there should be more duty and the duty on raw material should not be reduced, as, in his opinion, it would be prejudicial to the best interests of the country.

Mr. E. C. Hill of E. C. Hill & Co., bicycle agents, said that if the duty on bicycle parts was removed a good wheel could be sold here at $50. This would benefit the whole country and would create a bigger rush for wheels. The tariff was at present 30 per cent. This was not too high when the wheel was simply used as a luxury. Now that it was a necessity to the workingmen he thought the duty should be removed. Mr. Hill took exception to some statements made by Mr. Thomas at a recent interview regarding the quality of goods used in wheels that could be made for $40. He thought the goods were much better than Mr. Thomas had claimed, and he produced documents in support of his contention.

Mr. H. McLaren, manufacturer of dental supplies, said that the last change in the tariff had greatly affected his business. There was now a trade association here that purchased all its goods across the border, and Mr. McLaren could not compete, in fact they would not buy from him. He wanted to have the tariff raised to what it was formerly, and higher if possible.

Richard Garland, representing the Dunlop Tire Co., wanted the 22 1-2 per cent. duty on fabric taken off. It was impossible to get the material here, and without it the Dunlop tire would not be the Dunlop tire. The fabric made down in Yarmouth, N. S., would not do and the proper thing was only manufactured in New York. It was made from South Sea Island cotton and there was no loom in Canada wide enough to make it.

Mr. Alf Jury was the last to wait upon the commission. He was opposed to all tariff and had no sympathy with the cry that factories would be closed, etc., if changes were or were not made in the tariff. What was the use of a factory or an industry that was not self-supporting? He looked upon them in the same light as he would a tramp who had to beg for a living, and as something of no use to the country. He instanced several cases where, in his opinion, the consumer got all the worst of it owing to the tariff.

At 7 o'clock the commission rose. The Ministers will leave for Ottawa to-day.

BURIED THE HATCHET.

People of St. Paul's, Hamilton, Join Hands and Call a Pastor.

Hamilton, Dec. 9.—(Special.)—After having been at enmity for over a year the two factions of St. Paul't Presbyterian Church joined hands again to-night, when Rev. Neil McPherson, D.D., of Petrolea was unanimously called to fulfill the duties of pastor of the church, made vacant by the death of Rev. Dr. Laidlaw. The proposed minister's salary was fixed at $2000 to start with, and a resolution was passed to the effect that this should be increased to $2500 as soon as the church was in a healthy condition financially. A committee was appointed to support the call before the Hamilton Presbytery, also to prosecute the call before the Barrie Presbytery.

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Every day talk by people that know.
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Do the kidneys talk?
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You are learning the kidney language.
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The kidneys are talking trouble.
Here is some Norwood talk:

Mr. George Taylor, well known in Norwood, has this to say about Doan's Kidney Pills:—

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The Largest Land Owner Dead.

New Boston, Ill., Dec. 8.—William Drury, the largest landowner in the United States, died here yesterday, aged 80. Mr. Drury was a multi-millionaire, his landed possessions extending into thousands of acres in various parts of the south and west, principally in Nebraska, Colorado and Texas. He leaves no heirs except his widow.

The Price of Apples.

Reports received at the Provincial Department of Agriculture indicate that despite the heavy apple crop of this year, the Old Country shippers are receiving prices averaging as high as in other years.

Did He Kill Himself?

Buffalo, Dec. 8.—William Robinson, an ostler, was asphyxiated by coal gas last night at Richman's sale stable, East Buffalo. He slept in a small room over the stable. Last night Robinson put fresh coal on the stove, left the door of the stove open, shut the door and window of his room and went to bed. He never woke up. Little was known at the stables about him.

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Verandah, House Cabinet or other kinds of Turning done in P. BEGLEY'S usual cheap and satisfactory style. Also our neat Verandah Brackets.

E. COURTNEY.
Over Wand's Sash Factory, Ashburnham.

OYSTERS
SELECTS AND STANDARDS.

FISH.
—Salmon Trout, —Kippered Herring,
—Whitefish, —Ciscoes,
—Finnan Haddie, —Fresh Herring,

FRUIT.
—Catawaba Grapes —Bananas,
—New Lemons, —Chestnuts,
—New Oranges, —Cranberries,

RELISHES.
—New Canadian Club House Cheese,
—Heinz's German Relishes,
—Curtis' Bros. Catsups,
—Curtis' Preserved Fruits,
—English Worcestershire Sauce.
—Boston Baked Beans.

VEGETABLES.
—Bermuda Onions, —Parsnips,
—Celery, —Cauliflowers,
—Sweet Potatoes, —Carrots,
—Cabbage,

CANNED FRUIT,
CANNED FISH,
CHOICE CONFECTIONERY

OKE & CO.
Oyster Importers & Fruit Merchants,
448 George St. Telephone 304.

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JOHN HAGGART
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Farms, Farm Stock, Household Furniture, Real Estate, Machinery, and Goods of all kinds brought under the hammer, and disposed of in a prompt and business like manner

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COST

Will Not be a Barrier

to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $1.00, now	0 75
Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $1.25, now	1 00
Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $1.75, now	1 25
Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $2.00, now	1 40
Ladies' Underskirts.....	were $3.50, now	2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves.....	were $0.75, now	0 60
Lacing Gloves.....	were $1.00, now	75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour d....	were $1.00, now	0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured.....	were $1.25, now	1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves	were $1.25, now	1 00
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.20, now	12½c
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.30, now	0 20
Cashmere Gloves.....	were $0.35, now	0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.		
Veilings at cost.		
Laces at cost.		

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose.....	were 20c, now	20c
Higher Grades at Cost.		
Heavy Wool Hose.....	were 20c, now	15c
Heavy Wool Hose.....	were 25c, now	20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

ROBERT HALL

285 George Street, Peterborough, Telephone 171.

Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Town Council To-night.

A special meeting of the town council will be held this evening.

Madill's Cough Syrup

For coughs, colds or sore throats. Cure guaranteed.

Big cut in Single Breasted Walking Coats that Were $5 to $6.50, for $2.98 at Crafton & Co's.

Christmas and New Year's Trade.

We can give you everything in the line of Raisins, Currants, Peel, Figs, Prunes, Extracts and Spices for your Christmas cakes and pudding. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. 2d135

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Midland District Hockey League.

The Port Hope hockey club has decided not to enter the O.H.A., but will join with Whitby, Oshawa, Bowmanville and other Midland district towns, in forming a Midland District Hockey League. As home and home matches will be played, this is a wise move.

REMEMBER

the Juvenile Foresters' concert is to-morrow evening, December 11th, in the Foresters' hall, Simcoe street. The programme consists of the best local talent. Mr. Adams, the well known comic singer and impersonator, will appear several times on the programme. Admission, single tickets 15c. and double tickets 25c. 1d

Marks Bros'. Company.

This company met with a very cordial reception at the Opera House last night. The four-act drama "North Carolina" was rapturously received by the audience, and the consensus of written opinion concerning the play and its performance was very favourable. Tom Marks, as Elbert Rogers, was the life of the play, while May A. Bell won the audience by her songs and acting. To-night "An Irish Imigrant," which has never been played in Peterborough.

Christmas—the Children's Joy.

Part of the delightful anticipations of Christmas is the happiness of the children. Bring them, therefore, to see all that is to be seen at the Peterborough Bookstore. Part of this store's policy is to welcome the litttle ones as though they each had dollars to spend. We are anxious for trade, but we are also anxious to make holiday shoppers thoroughly welcome and perfectly at home. That applies equally to the children. We want them to come this week before the prettiest things are gone, and parents should remember the crowds next week will be almost too great for comfort. Doldom reigns over quite a section of this store, which, with the dolls' cradles and carriages, picture books, sleighs, rocking horses, games, Christmas cards, toys of all kinds, childrens's sets of dishes, etc., makes a veritable fairyland. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Madill's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil for bronchitis or long standing cough; pleasant to take; carefully prepared.

Dressing Gowns, Smoking Jackets.

TO LADIES DESIROUS OF BESTOWING A CHRISTMAS REMEMBRANCE ON THEIR GENTLEMEN FRIENDS, WE RESPECTFULLY SUGGEST AN EARLY INSPECTION OF OUR ELEGANT STOCK OF DRESSING GOWNS AND SMOKING JACKETS—ALWAYS SO HIGHLY APPRECIATED BY THE GENTLEMEN. SELECTIONS CAN BE LAID ABIDE FOR FUTURE DELIVERY.

Mercer's

A BOILER FOR THE KOOTENAY.

The William Hamilton Manufacturing Company Complete a Fine Piece of Work.

An unusually large marine steam boiler is to-day leaving the works of the Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co. for the west.

It was ordered by the Columbia & Kootenay Steam Navigation Co. for a stern wheel steamer sailing the Columbia river and Arrow lakes in the Kootenay country.

This boiler is of the locomotive type, and has a working pressure of 160 pounds per square inch. The length of the boiler over all is 26 feet, and the barrel is 6 feet in diameter. The fire box, in which over two cords of wood can be consumed at a time, is 8 feet long, 7 feet 7 in. high, and 5 feet 6 in. wide. It has two fire doors through which the furnace is fed.

There are 310 tubes, two inches in diameter from fire box to combustion chamber, through which the smoke is led to the combustion chamber.

A wire cloth screen is placed in the combustion chamber to prevent sparks from going up the smoke stack. The cinders fall off this screen into a receptacle on the bottom of the combustion chamber, in which there is a series of pipes, which spray water constantly into this receptacle and the water is continually being blown out, carrying the cinders with it.

On the top of the barrel of the boiler is placed a steam drum, ten feet long, by thirty inches in diameter. The steam is conducted from the boiler to the drum by two branches, 16 inches in diameter on top of the barrel. The shell of this boiler is made of 11-16 and ⅝ steel plating. There are over 1,000 screw stays in way of the fire-box. The office of those stays is to support the outside shell and that of the fire-box shell. The ends of the boiler or heads are substantially stayed.

Prior to leaving the works this boiler was subjected to the hydrostatic test of 240 pounds per square inch. The total weight of the boiler, complete, is 25 tons.

So excellent is the work of this company that there is a constant demand for the products of the big concern the country over. Peterborough could have no better advertising medium than the William Hamilton Works, as the firm's name is found adorning machinery of every desceiption in all quarters of the continent.

A DECEMBER WEDDING.

Nuptials of Mr. W. Arthur Head and Miss Etta Day.

An interesting event took place at the residence of Mr. Henry Day, 200 Edinburgh street, last evening, when his daughter, Miss Etta Day, was united in marriage to Mr. W. Arthur Head.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. C. Davidson, rector of St. John's, in the presence of a large number of the friends of the young couple.

The bride was assisted by her neice, Miss May Fitzgerald, and Mr. Harry Hutchinson was the groomsman.

During the evening a most inviting wedding dejeuner was served.

The young couple received a large number of most beautiful presents.

CIVIC COMMITTEES MEET.

The Addition of 5 Per Cent. to the Taxes Cannot be Eluded.

A meeting of the Finance Committee was called last evening, with the object of holding a consultation with the solicitor and ascertaining the legality of extending the time for the payment of taxes, without the addition of 5 per cent. At present the percentage is added to all taxes not paid by December 14th, and the councillors were desirous of extending the time until January 15th, if possible, as by that date the merchants would be in far better shape, financially, to meet the obligation.

The town solicitor, however, knocked the philanthropic scheme on the head by stating that the council had not the power in this matter to do as it wished and so the tax bills will have to be met by the 14th or 5 per cent. will be added.

The question of the adjustment of the salaries of the town clerk and town treasurer came up for discussion, but it is not probable that the present council will make any change, as opinions differ very widely on the subject.

The Street and Bridge Committee also held a meeting during the evening, when the tenders for snowploughing were opened, and the contracts awarded as follows :

Northern division—John Parnell, $37.50.
Southern division—Robt. Nicholls, $60.00.

A meeting of the council will be held to-night.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Lansdowne Lodge Sons of England Meets.

At a meeting of Lansdowne Lodge, S.O.E., on Monday evening the following officers were elected :

Bro E A Peck	W P P
" Dr H Pigeon	W P
" A Bridgewater	W V P
" W J Squires	W Fin Sec
" A King-cotte	W Rec Sec
" V Eastwood	W T
" Rev H Symonds	W C
" Wm Taylor	1st committeeman
" Jas Booth	2nd "
" Chas Cheveral	3rd "
" Geo Grange	4th "
" H Darke	5th "
" W J Roberts	6th "
" R Record	Inner Guard
" S Cavenay, sr	Outer Guard
" Dr H Pigeon	W Surgeon
" J E Steers	Pianist

Auditors—Bros R Waram, L Gunn and M Welsh.

Lodge trustees—Bros Dr Scott and John Heap.

Hall Trust—Bros R Waram, E A Peck and T Gunn.

Grand Lodge Delegates—Bros H Symonds and David Curtis.

These officers will be installed on the first Monday in the new year.

A Shaving Machine.

The new shaving machine, which has not yet been patented, and which, as yet, only exists in the active imagination of most people, is of no importance, compared with the obtaining of the Christmas groceries, the best of which are obtained at E. Brown & Co's, importers of wines and liquors.

At the Opera House.

Another full house greeted the Marks Bros. Company at the opera house last night. This clever company made a big hit with "North Carolina." Tom Marks as "Elbert Rogers" put no end of fun into the play, and he was well supported. The acting of Miss May Bell in her role in the drama, as well as her vocal specialties, was quite up to her old form, which has always given such delight. To-night "An Irish Immigrant" holds the boards.

A Memorable Month.

R. H. Kells & Co. have determined to make the last month of the year a memorable one. Right in the middle of the Christmas trade, and when holiday shopping is steadily increasing, they announce a December clearing sale of all their winter goods. Everything in the store is included in this sale, and while the reductions are general throughout, some lines will suffer greater reduction than others. This firm makes the satisfactory statement that their business since January first is of larger volume than for the whole of last year, and that therefore they can afford to do business for the balance of the year for their customers' benefit. The lateness of the winter season, and the uncertainty about the tariff changes, are other reasons why they have decided on a rapid reduction of stock. A reference to their advertisement will demonstrate that prices have been made sufficiently attractive to crowd their store any day until New Years.

THE LAST SESSION OF THE OLD REGIME.

FORTY-FIFTH AND LAST YEAR OF THE PRESENT COUNCIL SYSTEM.

The Warden's Address—The Report of the Special Committee—The Services of Mr. Middleton, Retiring Warden, Recognised.

THURSDAY, DEC. 10TH:

The County Council went into session this morning, the Warden in the chair.

Mr. Burnham presented the report of the special committee appointed yesterday on the Warden's address, as follows :

1. Your committee recommend that the tenders for the sale of the county debentures be referred to the Finance Committee.

2. Your committee congratulate this County that the maintenance of the Bobcaygeon bridges has not been as onerous as was anticipated. As to the building of Steele's bridge in Asphodel, your committee feel that the difficulties that have arisen can be satisfactorily adjusted and that the county is prepared to deal liberally in the matter with all parties.

3. Your committee congratulate this county on the final settlement of the suit of Somerville vs. Peterborough and that the attempt of Victoria and other adjoining counties to lighten their own burdens by putting them on the shoulders of this county has been defeated.

4. Your committee beg leave to place on record their high appreciation of the services of the present Warden during his incumbency of the office and to congratulate him on the courtesy and zeal which he has always displayed in the performance of his onerous duties.

JOHN BURNHAM, Chairman.

County Council Chamber, Peterborough, Dec. 9th, 1896.

The council then adjourned.

PETERBOROUGH COUNTY ABOVE PAR.

Her Debentures Sell at a Premium of 2.45.

At the meeting of the Finance Committee of the County Council at the Court House this morning the tenders for the $10,000 of bridge debentures placed upon the market were opened and of the five offers submitted all were above par. The highest tenderer, which was closed with, was that of Æmilius Irving & Co., Toronto, $102 25. The debentures are four per cent., with a currency of twenty years, the principal payable in twenty equal annual instalments. At this rate the debentures will net between 3 6-8 and 3¾ per cent. per annum. This will be considered by many as a first rate sale, considering the short run of securities and the instalment repayments, which are a condition of the bonds. A financial expert, one of the local bank managers, considers the sale an excellent one.

But it was to be expected that a rich county like Peterborough, and one in so good a financial position, should have her securities regarded as gilt-edged. Her total indebtedness, including the last lot of debentures, is the small sum of $45 000, with the sinking fund fully paid up to date—a really paltry sum, compared to the paying power of the county, with its assessed value of $8,531,736. This condition of things is exceedingly creditable to the county councils of the past, and it must be gratifying that the present system, which is now passing its last days, has been productive of such good results. The county councils of the future, though in some details they may be an improvement on the present system, will have to do some pretty good work to improve on the manner in which the county councils of the old regime have looked after the interests of the county—efficiently administering our affairs, and with an economy that places us in such a creditable financial position that our securities take rank with the best on the market.

COUNTY COUNCIL CANDIDATES.

The Announced Candidates in the Several Divisions.

There promises to be brisk contests in most of the five county council divisions of Peterborough, though the latest information does not afford much change from the list of candidates previously published in the EXAMINER.

In No. 1 Div., Otonabee and Ashburnham, the present indications point to a walk-over for Mr. John Burnham and Mr. Wm. Anderson, the only two candidates so far who have expressed a decision to run.

No. 2 Division, embracing Smith, North Monaghan and Ennismore, will have four candidates, Mr. Jas. Middleton, Mr. G. W. Fitzgerald, Mr. Jos. Forster and Mr. Wm. Crough.

In No. 3, or Lakehurst division, there will be four candidates, Messrs. Robt. Shaw, Brown, Hales and Mansfield. This division covers a very wide territory, and it is not likely that there will be a house to house canvas, unless the candidates learn to fly in the meantime.

But the big fight will be put up in the Norwood division, No. 4. Here the candidates will be John Finlay, who has been twenty-seven years in municipal life—nine as reeve and 18 as councillor, Mr. W. Buck, Mr. J. B. Pearce, Mr. S. S. Joyce, Mr. John Brown and Mr. John Walsh.

Lakefield, or No. 5 Division, will have four candidates, Messrs. W. H. Casement, E. Hawthore, John Moloney and Richard Crowe.

However the nomination day may bring out some "dark horse" candidates in all the divisions.

PERSONAL

Mrs. A. M. Paton, Lindsay, and Miss Jessie Whitelaw, Cobourg, are visiting with Mrs. P. Glover, Mark street, Ashburnham.

Mr. R. J. Stewart, District Organizer of the Canadian Order of Foresters is in town for the purpose of working up the membership of Court Forest Queen, the new local branch. Mr. Stewart is meeting with extraordinary success in his canvas.

Mr. Sam Gillespie, who has been with Walker Bros., the Brantford wheel agents here, for the past year, left yesterday for Ottawa, where he will set up 1000 wheels during the winter. Mr. Gillespie will return to Peterborough next year.

High up again are piled the Bargain Tables of Underwear at Crafton & Co's.

Christmas Ale and Porter.

Special brewings of Cristmas stock now ready at reduced prices to private families during the holidays. Kegs, $1.25; quarter, $1.75; one-third, $2 50. Bottles, 13 to doz, $1.00 Terms Cash. H. CALCUTT, brewer and maister. Telephone 98.

GILT-EDGED BUTTER.

A Limited Number of Customers Wanted for weekly supply of choice Dairy Butter. No roots fed, satisfaction guaranteed, sample order solicited. Leave your address at the "Examiner Office." 6od139

Ask your grocer for

Windsor Salt

For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best

Ready for Christmas

We're ready in advance with the wide range of Holiday Goods—ready after weeks and months of careful planning, straining every nerve, enlarging every effort and building for a bigger success than you or we have yet known. The store is full of wonders, full of useful things, full of pretty things, full of surprises, full of what nobody expects, full of what everybody expects, full as it never has been before near holiday time.

Your Christmas buying will be done best where stocks are fullest and most varied. Few stores in Canada begin to make the holiday displays that we have here every year—this year greater and grander than ever.

The holiday impulse is strong in all stocks, and useful things of every sort will continue to go for gifts. Many striking novelties are here in wood, metal, leather, brass and china. Many goods here are totally different to anything you'll see outside, and prices are positively below anything you'll find anywhere. For the next three weeks the province of this store news will be to suggest suitable gifts and emphasize earlier shopping.

The choicest things will go first as a matter of course, and sensible people will buy early, before the rush.

A. H. STRATTON & CO.

PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE. Telephone No. 285.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Mr. H. B. Meharry, agent for the Union Assurance Society, of London, will accept the thanks of the EXAMINER for an advance copy of their well arranged calendar for 1897.

Madill's Compound Healing Salve for burns, scalds, frost bites, or sores of and kind.

STAMPED GOODS

At Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, 426 Water Street. New line of Calendars for 1897, Shaving Cases, Children's Coats and Bonnets, and other new novelties for Xmas arriving daily.

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $5.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for - - $3.00

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

W. J. GREEN,

No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

McCLELLAND

To parties who may intend purchasing a WATCH for Christmas we cheerfully invite our inspection of the

Only Time-Tested Watch Case

in the market. These goods contain only the best movements, and will be a special inducement to buyers.

We also show this week a line of Canadian Enamelled Spoons and Pins which are quite national, and will make a pleasant Souvenir.

McClelland

388 GEORGE STREET.

All are Invited!

BALL & CO.

Can suit everybody. They keep the latest style of goods to make up to your order, and will give you the new fashionable cut with perfect fit, as only a practical tailor can.

TAKE NOTICE.—No garment can ever fit if it has to be altered and dragged to pieces, after being out to your measure.

Good Goods, no misfits or trying on required

—AT—

BALL & CO'S.

PRACTICAL TAILORS, Cox's New Block Water Street.

We Are Here Selling

Spare Ribs at 3 cts. lb, or 4 lb for 10c.
Back Bones 1 ct. lb.
Pigs' Heads 5 cts. each.
Pigs' Feet 10 cts. a dozen.
Chopped Suet. 10c a lb or 3 lbs. for 25c.
Pure Leaf Lard 12½c. lb. Pure Lard (by the pail) 10c. a lb.
Pork by quarter 5c. and 6c. a lb.
Shoulder Roasts 5c. and 6c. a lb.
Sausages 10 cts, or 3 lbs. for 25c.
Ox Tongues 25 cts., or 2 for 40 cts.
Mince Meat 10 cts., or 3 lbs. for 25 cts.

EGGS WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

KENNEDY & NELSON.

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'Y.

$3 THREE DOLLARS $3

We will make

ALL-WOOL

DRESSES

From now till Stock Taking for the sum of

Three Dollars

The work turned out of our Dress-making Department has always been acknowledged to be the best. The styles have always been the latest—and the finish and workmanship all that could be desired. In order to boom our Dress Goods Department for thirty days we have decided to give the above advantage to Ladies who want new dresses. This substantial reduction will no doubt be taken advantage of by many.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

R. H. KELLS & CO'S.

Memorable December Sale

Has started and we intend to make it a Record Breaker from start to finish This Sale includes everything in the Store, and while the Reductions in Prices will be general throughout, some lines will suffer greater cuts than others. Owing to the uncertainty about the tariff, we don't intend to be caught with heavy stocks on hand.

Our trade from Jan. 1st till now is of larger volume than for the whole of last year. We can, therefore, afford to do business for the balance of the year for our customers' benefit.

PRICES LIKE THESE

Should crowd our Store Every Day until New Years.

Silks for Christmas.

To combine good economy with ornament A length of Silk for a waist is a most acceptable holiday gift. Here are four lots, all beauties. They are not expensive, when you take style and quality into consideration:

24-inch Sable Silks, in Creams, Helio, Pink, Buttercup, Nile .... ..Sale Price 35c
27-inch Japanese Washing Silks, in White, Cream, Nile, Sky, Helio, Gold, Buttercup, Maize, Black .....Sale Price 45c

Xmas Glove Selling.

We've planned for it this year as never before. Our Kid Glove Stock is now at its best—sizes, styles, colours and prices all as they should be. Your every desire in this important matter carefully catered to:

5-hook Lacing Glover, Black and Colours, guaranteed..... Sale Price 90c
4 Pearl Buttons, "La Salle," Black and Colours, guaranteed .Sale Price $1 20
7-Hook Lacing "Bretagne," Black and Colours .... Sale Price $1.15

Umbrellas for Xmas.

Dainty and nice Natural Wood, Silver or Gold Mounted, tight rolling, with silk or leather covers, something nicer than you've seen.... .....$3, $4, $4 50

Handkerchiefs.

Hundreds of dozens of them to fit your your every wish, from dainty Hem-stitch or Lace Edge to the Finest Silk.

Hand-Made Irish Linens.

Made by Irish women and girls who have been educated to the work through the goodness of Lady Aberdeen:

7 x 7 Doylies, Embroidered and Drawn Work..... 19c
9 x 9 Doylies..... 23c
12 x 12 Doylies.... ..... 30c
Tray Covers, 21 x 30, Embroidered and Drawn Work.... ..... 94c
Centre Pieces, 18 x 18, Embroidered and Hem-stitched..... ..... 57c

Pillow Shams, Embroidered and Hem-stitched $2.25, $3, and $4.50 pair
Hemstitched only..... $1
Tea Covers, 40 x 40, Embroidered and Drawn Work $1.45 and $1.60 each
Damask Table Covers and Napkins to match
Cloth 2 x 2½ yards 1 Napkins.. $4 00
Cloth 2 x 3 yards 1 Napkins.. $5.20

Dress Stuffs.

It is the woman of the house who does the catering and contriving and economizing for the family, but, with prices like these, she can make her allowance go a long way:

24-inch Plaids in bright, rich, fast colours, to make a nice dress for the child or a gown for yourself 9c
44 inch Wool Serge, in Black, Navy, Brown, Green, Fawn..... ....Sale Price 36c
46 inch Cashmere Serge, very fine and smooth, in Black, Navy, Brown, Green, Fawn, Bluette .....Sale Price 41c
42-inch All-wool Tweeds, Blue Mixtures, Brown Mixtures, and Green Mixtures .....Sale Price 50c

EARLY CHRISTMAS has a two-fold advantage—one is more apt to get precisely what is wanted and can make purchases with much greater comfort and satisfaction, owing to the absence of the crowds.

R. H. KELLS & CO.,

George Street, Peterborough. - - - - - - Telephone 338

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1896.

WESTERN CORN FOR FODDER,

Several Matters of Interest to the Farming Community Discussed by Judge Dean.

At the Victoria county court and general sessions, which opened yesterday at the court house, Lindsay, his honour Judge Dean, when charging the Grand Jury, referred to two matters of general public interest.

The first was this: In travelling through the eastern part of the province he had found the farmers in a prosperous condition, notwithstanding that much of the soil was poor and exhausted. He was universally told that the cause of this prosperity was the extensive growth of western corn. He had seen thousands of acres of it growing luxuriantly; but it was necessary for success that the land should be prepared as carefully for this western corn as for spring wheat, although less labour was required. The land should be abundantly manured, and the corn should be planted in drills or hills, and afterwards carefully cultivated by horse cultivators. A splendid crop of fodder would be result. A farmer in this very county has for years past kept throughout the winter four cows to the acre, in good flesh and with abundance of milk, simply by the use of this western corn as fodder, varied slightly by other feed. Year after year Mr. Carnegie, M. P. P., had kept sixty animals upon fifteen acres of corn by the help of his silo. There were many silos in this county, but many of the farmers further east were getting along without silos. They simply stood the sheaves of corn against the fence or against longitudinal poles mounted on crotches or otherwise, with a little space between each sheaf, so that the air could circulate, otherwise the corn would mould. In fact the great difficulty with corn as fodder was its liability to mould. The corn was left in this way until the winter, or it was drawn in near the barn or under shelter in the fall. The corn was cut just after it had formed nicely in the ear and had begun to glaze. This simple matter had brought comparative affluence to parts of the country where the soil had been completely exhausted. Western corn was raised in this way in places where they could not raise wheat or even coarse grains; so that there was dairying and stock-raising instead, and the western corn was the sheet anchor, as one farmer put it. In the northern part of Hastings, what drouth had been severe, they never failed to get a good crop of corn where the land was properly prepared, no matter how dry the season. Another valuable point was that the grasshoppers would not touch the corn crop. It was of great importance that the farmers of this country should grow things that they could export to the hungry hordes of Europe.

Failure Impossible

When Nerviline—nerve pain cure—is applied. It matters not of how long standing, its penetrating and pain subduing power is such that relief is almost instantaneous. Nerviline is a nerve pain cure. This statement expresses all. Try it and be convinced.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., (Box 55.) 12d132

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

A Good Judge of Meat

Is a blessing to any household. She knows that for prime roasts, juicy steaks and chops, fresh poultry and delicious sausage, J. J. HOWDEN'S, 461 George street, is the favourite meat shop for her. Hams, bacon and lard always on hand. Telephone 39.

TINTED COVERS

Really well worth the attention of the Ladies, the price being only 35c at Miss Melville's, 424 George street.

DOLLS IN THE WINDOW.

THEY APPEAL TO THE HEARTS OF ALL.

In Preparation for the Holiday Trade The Various Stores Have on Exhibition a fine Assortment of Little Waxen Women.

Peering out of the window was a tiny waxen face. Its cheeks were flushed. Its eyes were bright with childish expectancy. A smile curved the red lips, revealing a glimpse of pearly teeth. The arms were outstretched. The small body was leaning forward. The attitude was an invitation. The winsome lassie was tucked far down in the corner, but all who passed by saw her and stopped if only for a moment to smile to her. She was in a George street store window. She was not alone. The window was filled with dolls. There were big dolls and little dolls. There were short dolls and tall dolls, dolls with blue eyes and dolls with brown eyes, dolls with eyes open and dolls with eyes shut, dolls fast asleep and dolls wide awake, dolls in pink, dolls in every colour and hue. There were sturdy boys in jeans and jumpers and lovely lassies in gingham gowns. There were princes in velvet and princesses in satins and silks. Wondrous queens with jewels and gold spangles smiled at magnificent kings gorgeous in royal robes.

It was a leaf from Lilliputia. It seemed as if the merchant, Gulliver, had thrust his mighty arm back into the land of the midgets and culled from it the fairest of its people. There were the nobility in the centre, and then to their left was the chiefest of the commoners none-the-less. Below them were the men and women of the masses. Then came the children, and around them all were the outcasts, the nondescripts. It was evidently an accidental grouping, perhaps it was the fancy of the spectator that arranged them thus. There were other windows along George street, however, filled with dolls grouped in much the same manner. Crowds collected occasionally before them. They did not tarry long. Dolls are the delight of children, but the old person must have a young heart, tender instead of tough, to find interest in these families of fairies. The children swarmed to them. The doll above all else is the harbinger of the holidays.

It was late in the afternoon when the spectator stopped in front of the big window full of dolls. The grey of early evening was creeping over the town. Lights popped out of the dusk like stars in the evening sky. They twinkled and trembled throwing out a spray of brightness into the gloom. Women hurried along the sidewalks, burdened with bundles or babies, and often both. The trend of humanity was homeward. The day was dying. Mankind was deserting it. In all the push and rush and bustle and confusion only the dolls stood still and unchanged. They smiled or slept or stared at you without a quiver of an eyelid or a flutter of the breast. It mattered not if you jumped or shouted or pounded on the pane. They never moved.

Off in one corner was a wee might of a baby doll, with wavy brown hair and without the full, red cheeks of most of her sisters She was dressed in white—a simple, plain little dolly gown. She lay on her back, her eyes closed and her tiny wax hands meeting across her breast. A woman with pale face and big brown eyes stopped before the window. She was dressed in black. There were dark rings under her eyes. A shadow of sorrow seemed to accentuate the lines about her eyes and mouth. Slowly the big brown eyes roamed over the feast of little faces. Once or twice the woman smiled at a quaint face or pretty pose. Finally the big brown eyes rested on the pale little face in the corner. They filled with tears as their owner turned away. And the wee little doll lay still as before.

He was old and bent and feeble. He shuffled close up to the glass where the woman had stood. His face was wrinkled and puckered. He is a popular man, brainy and crusty and crabbed. The hard old face was pressed close to the pane. The blinking eyes opened wide. The dolly seemed too coo a welcome. She was dressed in pink, with a big Gainsborough hat. Her hat was cocked to the left and her eyes were brimming with mirth. The grim old visage beyond the pane relaxed. The stern lines vanished. He began to chuckle. He nodded and rubbed his hands. Then he laughed aloud, nodding all the while. Suddenly he bumped his nose against the pane. With a start, he straightened up and scowled and moved away. He hesitated and turned back and looked again at the little pink princess. The clouds rolled away, the sunshine came again and the old man near the midnight of life, moved on, while he chuckled and and rubbed his hands, and chuckled yet again.

He left too soon. The tots crept up to the window. They were children of the street with hardly even a window for a home.

"Dare she is!" said the one, a mere midget in tatters, with a torn school bag slung on his shoulder.

"Der yaller one!" queried his companion, gazing awe-stricken at a Duchess of Orange.

"Naw, yer yawp!" was the disgusted reply. "Der empriss in pink. Dat one wot is grinnin' at yer, like she was jes' treated ter ice——"

The answer was lost as they edged away to make room for a group of women.

"There's the style I mean," said one, a tall creature in a seal coat. "The narrow sleeves on that cerise doll are——"

"Here they is! Here they is!"

Three youngsters, bearing and hauling their mother, forced the women aside.

"There's Jack and Jill!" said one, flattening his face on the glass.

"And Red Riding Hood!" said another. The third lad was silent.

"Where is yours Jack?" asked his mother.

Slowly, shyly, with head hanging low and finger in his mouth, the little fellow edged along the window until he was close to the other end. Then he stopped, raised the other hand, extended the forefinger and pointed, oh! so tenderly, to a dainty little miss with golden hair and cheeks red like the rose in the dew of the morning. Then he darted to his mother's side and hid his head and heart with its tale of love safe in the folds of her skirt.

Two business men stopped a moment, ceased their talk and eased their features in a long look and quiet smile, then took up their workadays ways and moved on. Others came and went. None who stopped and looked failed to respond. Man is indeed a mirror of what he sees and thinks. Reflected in the faces that feasted at the window were all the tenderness and gentleness of a home with its loved and loved ones. True it was only a window full of dolls, but even the sight of a rough box or a mound of dirt can make strong men weep. It may be memory. It may be imagination. Perhaps the dolls know.

NO EXAGGERATION

When we say we have the choicest selection of HOLIDAY FRUITS in town, both in variety and quality:—

Cleaned Currants,
Selected Raisins,
Finest Imported Peels,
&c., &c., &c.

Shelled Almonds,
Choice Eleine Figs,
New Dates,
Delicious Table Raisins.

And Confections to make your mouth water. Make your selection early and call often.

SPECIAL—4 cans of Corn, Peas or Tomatoes 25c.
3 lb. Choice Mince Meat for 25c.

GEO. CARTON'S

A. G. CHAMBERS Manager. Table Supply House

OUTLINE OF THE TRAVEL TALK ON "OUR EMPIRE."

To be Given in George Street Methodist Church, Friday Night, Dec. 11th.

As its title indicates, this pictured Travel Talk is intended to convey a graphic idea of the British Empire as it exists to-day in its world-wide extent; England's forty millions controlling the destinies of three hundred and fifty millions of human beings. The Victorian will be measured by the Elizabethan period, and the evolution of the England of the Tudor Queen into the Great Britain of Victoria will be traced.

Music by the orchestra.
The Map Maker's picture of the Empire.
The Queen and her royal homes—Windsor, Balmoral, Osborne, etc.
Houses of Parliament and the men they have produced—Salisbury and Hatfield; Gladstone and Hawarden; Rosebery, Harcourt, Balfour, etc.
Cartoons and Silhouettes depicting British Statesmen and politics.
Westminster Abbey and its tombs of monarchs and heroes, with organ accompaniment.
The Crimean war recalled.
The Tower of London—The Tragedy of the two Princes.
Edinburg, Holyrood and Queen Mary.
The British Navy: "Where are warriors found if not on martial Britain's ground?"
The story of Horatio Nelson, illustrated, from Norfolk home to his London grave.
Britain's keys of Empire: Gibraltar, Malta, Cyprus, Hong-kong, etc.
Egypt's Pharaoh and England's Queen. Victoria succeeds Rameses.
The Indian Empire; its cities, palaces, temples, mountains, tombs, caves, etc.
The Australian colonies: Sidney, Melbourne, Adelaide and Hobart.
New Zealand; the Fiji Islands.
St. Helena and its Corsican prisoner; Waterloo and its mound; the Death of Napoleon.
South Africa: England's appetite for African territory; the Transvaal Problem; our Zulu brothers.
The Pacific Isles and the West Indies.
Canada, England's grown up daughter, completing "the circle of an Empire whose morning drum-beat, following the sun and keeping company with the hours, encircles the globe with an unbroken chain of martial airs." Canadian scenery; Canadian cities and Canadian citadels. (Special series depicting Rossland mines.)

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Liberal-Conservative Association of East Durham was held in Millbrook yesterday with the following results:

President—Jos. Thorndyke.
Vice-Presidents—Presidents of the local associations.
Secretary—A. Given.
Assistant Secretary—H. Lawson.
Treasurer—J. C. Kells.

There were between forty and fifty present. The meeting was not very enthusiastic. Mr. T. D. Craig was the principal speaker.

Madill's Cream of Witch Hazel

Has no superior as a remedy for chapped hands or face, or any roughness of the skin.

Grand Opening.

China Hall will hold a grand Christmas opening in a few days. Watch for the date and be sure and attend. It will be on a scale never attempted before and well worth visiting. In addition to the finest stock of new Christmas goods ever shown the store will be illuminated for the occasion.

Fine Fruits.

Extra quality Currants and Raisins. Every pound is cleaned by patent fruit cleaner. The finest groceries for Xmas and very lowest prices at
ALEX. ELLIOTT'S
Palace Grocery.

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5 75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 236 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

DO YOU SMOKE? DO YOU WANT A PIPE?

Our stock is still large and of first quality. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. by buying from us now. Save it. The whole stock in trade for sale "en bloc." CLEGG'S RETIRING SALE, (Next to Stratton's Bookstore).

Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 25 and 50c.

$10 in Gold

WILL BE AWARDED

Stroud's Tea...

WORD CONTEST

870 GEORGE STREET

PETERBOROUGH

Also at Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston and Toronto.

To the person who will send us the greatest number of words of more than two letters formed from the the letters contained in "Stroud's Tea," using no letter more times than it occurs in "Stroud's Tea." The letters may be taken backward or forward, but must form complete, English words, for example, start, eat, star, etc. For the second largest number of words, $5.00; for the third, $3.00; for the fourth, $2.00, and for the next five $1.00 each will be rewarded. This contest is open to all. The only condition governing the contest is that you shall satisfy us that you have bought five lbs. of our Tea during this month. If you are good at word-making this is your opportunity to procure a New Year's gift for a little effort. This generous offer is made to introduce "Our Celebrated Tea" and give the young folks a chance to earn some money. The contest will close at noon, January 1st, 1897. Each list of words must be numbered and written in alphabetical order, on only one side of the paper with name and address written plainly. To be in a sealed envelope, addressed to W. R. Stroud, 370 George street. Remember this is a bona fide offer made by a bona fide firm. We do this simply as a method of advertising i.e. to bring us more prominently before the Peterborough public. Our Teas and Coffee are, without exception, the best sold in Canada.

$25 in Cash Prizes.

YOU CAN'T QUARREL WITH OUR PRICES

If you were to put the price on yourself, you would put it higher than we do.

But now be honest with yourself, which is the most sensible? To wait for a more forcible reminder of winter, or to pick out your Cloth for a **Suit** and **Overcoat** now? Be wise.

OVERCOATS—Beavers, Kerseys, Meltons, Frieze. See the cloth, fix the price.

SUITS—Cashmere, Tweeds, Cheviots, Worsteds—all the best fabrics. You don't have to take a Suit of all one cloth.

ROBERT WEIR

Merchant Tailor and Outfitter.
Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

Retiring From Business

Clearing Sale of Millinery.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

CHILDREN'S BONNETS, FANCY HOODS, CAPS AND MUFFS.

which will be sold much below cost. A number of PATTERN HATS and BONNETS to be sold at half price. This is a rare chance for Ladies' to get the newest and most stylish goods at half the regular price. Come early and secure bargains as the goods must be sold.

MRS. CASSIDY

423 George Street.

Two Doors north of Examiner Office.

CONGER'S FAIR

Closing-Out Sale

Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enameledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc
Store Can Be Secured.

Conger's Fair

MRS. G. VINETTE'S HAIR PREPARATION

Cures Baldness, Grey Hair, Irritation of Scalp, Eczema, Removes Dandruff, Restores Grey Hair to Natural Color, Stops Falling Out, &c. Guarantee in all cases. References if required.

RESIDENCE—513 Reid St., north of Wm. Hamilton Mf'g Co's Works, Peterborough.

JAMES G. BURNHAM

BARRISTER, &c., &c.
London and Canadian Chambers, 103 Bay Street, Toronto.

MONEY TO LOAN

In the County of Peterborough and surrounding district at 5½ % on Gilt Edge Securities.

SOMETHING UNUSUAL!

Prevented From Giving Goods Away.

Owing to the action of certain parties, the attention of our local guardians of the law was called to Fairweather & Co's Great Gift of a High Grade Bicycle which we had announced to give away on Dec. 31st.

We find on consulting legal authority our method of giving the wheel to the party who held the lucky number was unwittingly infringing on the lottery act, and we will consequently have to make a change. We had noticed that in Toronto and other places the same method had been adopted as we were using, and consequently thought that it was all right. However, as we do not wish to break the law and also do not wish to break faith with the public, we have determined to give this wheel away in another way that will keep within the laws demands and still give justice to our numerous patrons.

No doubt the parties who interested themselves sufficiently to stop us will feel that they gained a great deal by having the authorities take this action until they know that we are going to give that Bicycle away in spite of all they can do.

On December 31st we will announce the new method by which we will give away our wheel. In the meantime we advise our customers to

RETAIN THEIR TICKETS

and secure as many more as they can, as we intend to make them valuable to them. We are still issuing Tickets to all purchasers but not on the same basis as before.

Furs FOR PRESENTS

We're doing overtime to keep even with Christmas orders—some people with more foresight than others placed their orders away back in September—tardy ones have put off till now, and now it's all rush. Well that's the way we like to be—if we were not we'd not be satisfied. Every order will be out in good time.

There's always our fine stock of rich and costly furs to fall back on, and just now the fur department is stocked to the ceilings with new and novel things in Coats, Capes, Caperines, Muffs, Ruffs, Capes, Gauntlets, Collars—and we're doing a land office business in them—we've put all prices at the lowest notch to ensure an entire clearing of the whole lot by the new year.

Come in and look about, you're welcome. If you have a dollar or $10 to spend this is the place to spend it.

FAIRWEATHER & CO

When a man is ruined and there is no help for it, a good wife is the one stay and comfort left to him. But no man, who is a man, wants to put his wife to this extremity. For woman in her gentle nature suffers with the husband she comforts and consoles. It is a humiliation to any proud woman that the man of her choice should prove at last a failure—broken in purse and in spirit. Back of all business failures lies ill-health. No man who is suffering from brain fag, nervous prostration and debility, due to impure blood and a disordered digestion can long succeed in business. Every woman should make it her duty to see that her husband takes proper care of his health.

The best medicine in all the world for hard-worked business men is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is medicine for both body and mind. It makes the digestion good, the liver active, and the appetite keen. It fills the blood with the life-giving elements that build new tissues. It invigorates and purifies. It is the one great blood-maker and flesh-builder. There's nothing in the market "just as good."

A. L. Purdy, Esq., of Otterpond, Caldwell Co., Ky., writes: "I herewith inclose stamps to pay postage on one of your cloth-bound 'People's Medical Advisers.' I know your book to be a good one. I had suffered seven years with liver complaint when I read about your 'Golden Medical Discovery' in one of your books. After using a few bottles of the 'Discovery' and three vials of the 'Pleasant Pellets' I was completely cured."

One copy of a good, practical, medical work is worth more in a home than a thousand works of fiction. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is the best home medical book extant. It contains 1,008 pages and three hundred illustrations and is written in plain, everyday language that any one may understand. Over a million women own copies of it and 680,000 of them paid $1.50 each for their copies. A new and large edition will be given away absolutely FREE. If you want a copy in a paper cover, send thirty-one one-cent stamps, to cover cost of mailing and customs *only*, to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, No. 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y. If you desire a fine French cloth binding, send 50 one-cent stamps.

NEW DOMINION NOTES.

They Are Issued in $3000, $1000 and $500 Values to Be Used Between Banks.

Toronto, Dec. 9.

The Dominion Government has just issued new Dominion notes running away up in the millions in value. The new notes do not constitute any additional liability for the Government, but simply replace old paper that has been called in.

The issue is made up of five-thousand, one-thousand and five-hundred dollar bills, which are intended exclusively for use by banks, with a view to facilitating the regular transactions between such institutions and the Dominion Department of Finance. The notes would therefore be dishonored if presented by a private individual.

A similar issue was made some time ago by the United States Government, and is now for the first time resorted to in Canada.

The utility of the issue can be easily seen when it is considered that, should a bank messenger lose or be robbed of a large number of the notes, his bank would be nothing out. The banks are therefore likely to generally employ the new bills when sending big sums from one point to another.

The $5000 notes are ornamented with the head of the late Sir John A. Macdonald, the $1000 bills with that of the Queen, while the $500 paper bears the likeness of the Marquis of Lorne. Judging from the fact that the late Chieftain's head is used to decorate part of the issue, it is safe to say that the move was decided upon by the Tupper Government before it fell from power.

POPULATION NEEDED.

Hon. Mr Sifton Promises a Vigorous Immigration Policy—Tory Postmaster Bounced—Winnipeg News

Winnipeg, Dec. 8.—(Special.)—Hon. Mr. Sifton made an interesting speech at the Liberals' banquet at Moosomin. He said he fully realized that what Western Canada most needed was population, and he promised an energetic regime.

Roger Marion, who has for many years been postmaster of St. Boniface, has been dismissed, and Alfred Levecque, a Liberal, appointed to succeed him.

Dr. Barnardo has established a branch of his institution for the relief of poor children of the larger cities of England in this city. The Winnipeg branch is conducted on exactly similar lines to those of the Toronto branch, which serves as a distributing point for the graduates of English homes.

Premier Greenway will accompany Mr. Sifton to Ottawa early next week. Mr. Sifton is to be banqueted by the Winnipeg Liberals next Monday night.

At the Winnipeg civic nomination to-day five candidates entered the mayoralty contest, which will be the most exciting in the history of the city. The five are: John Sproule, W. F. McCreary, Alex. McMicken, E. F. Hutchings and Alex. Black.

THE BUBONIC PLAGUE.

Bacteriologists Are of the Opinion That the Scourge in Bombay is Not Contagious.

New York, Dec. 8.—A special to The Herald from Bombay says: The Government bacteriologists are of opinion that the plague, unlike cholera, has a tendency to stick to the locality where it originated. A few authentic cases are reported in adjacent towns, but they are all of Bombay origin.

The disease, where reported, was dying out without spreading. In Bombay for two months the plague remained confined to one ward. It has now spread to all districts of the city, and is increasing largely with the cooler weather.

Only one case is reported of a person dying by attending a patient having contracted the plague. This disease, though infectious, has not been proved contagious.

Eight hundred deaths are reported up to date, but the number is believed to be much larger. Crowds of panic-stricken natives are fleeing from the city. Trade and travel are seriously affected.

The famine which threatened the whole of India has been partially averted in certain districts by the recent rains. Grain speculation continues and aggravates the situation.

Mr. Benj. Scott, Van Horn, Ont., says: "My heart caused me great uneasiness. My appetite failed, and I became very weak and discouraged. Miller's Compound Iron Pills made me all right; I feel well and strong." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Cholera, Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus and all summer complaints and fluxes of the bowels in children or adults.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c 50c. and $1.00.

ONTARIO BEEKEEPERS.

The 17th Annual Meeting of the Association Opened at the City Hall, Toronto—Hon. Mr. Fisher Present.

Toronto, Dec. 9.

The Ontario Beekeepers' Association assembled for its seventeenth annual meeting at the Council chamber of the City Hall yesterday afternoon. The chair was occupied by Mr. R. F. Holterman of Brantford, the well-known editor of The Canadian Bee Journal, and a large number of gentlemen interested in beekeeping also occupied seats at the aldermanic desks, among them being: S F Pettit (Belmont), J D Evans (Islington), J H Shaver (Kingsville), W J Craig (Brantford), J Fixture (Ottawa), W A Chrysler (Chatham), H N Hughes (Barrie), Israel Overholt (South Cayuga), James Armstrong (Cheapside), J H Best (Balmoral, Ont), F A Gemmell (Stratford), John Pirie (Drumquin), Alexander Black (Sonya), William McEvoy (Woodburn), A Pickett (Nassagaweya), W J Brown (Chard), M B Holmes (Athens), Rev W F Clarke (Guelph), W H Hardy (176 Arthur-street Toronto), Samuel Hall (Pine Orchard), W B Button (Greenwood), W S Walton (Scarboro Junction), D W Heise (Bethesda), Lewis Mapes (Headford), D Rainer (Cedar Grove), A D Allen (Marlbank), L Baker (Ringwood), R McKnight (Owen Sound), C Wurster (Kleinburg), Martin Enrigh (Holbrook), J K Darling (Almonte), J Reaman (Carrville), J W Sparling (Bowmanville), Thomas J Dourail (Stouffville), Samuel Wood (Nottawa), John Newton (Thamesford), Mr. Couse (Streetsville), the secretary of the association, rendered every assistance in his power. Mr. Thomas Macfarlane, the Dominion Government analyst, also attended.

The President's opening remarks were brief and to the point, and the same may be said of all the speeches which were made later on. It is seldom speeches are so closely followed and attentively listened to as those of yesterday.

Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, visited the convention and spoke briefly at the invitation of the President. He expressed his pleasure at being present, and congratulated the association upon the important position which it occupied in connection with the agricultural interests of the country. He pointed out the advantage to the farmer that he should become a manufacturer of the higher forms of agricultural produce. Personally, he had no plan to suggest, and was not acquainted with the details of beekeeping, but was prepared when the association came forward with a definite proposal to give it due consideration.

The report of the Committee on Honey Legislation was brought up and after considerable consideration was laid over for future discussion.

An address of condolence was voted to the family of the late Allen Pringle of Selby.

At the evening session the President read his address, for which he was heartily thanked. It is a most carefully-prepared document and will be discussed at a later stage. As one of the speakers said, there are enough subjects treated of in it and sufficient matter to occupy the remaining two days of the session. The World will refer to it more fully to-morrow.

Mr. Macfarlane, Dominion Government analyst, thought bees should be provided with the food which would produce the aroma desired in honey.

Mr. Pettit and Mr. Darling thought honey should not be removed from the hive in the "green" state, and not till it had been matured by the bees. Mr. McKnight, Mr. McEvoy and Mr. Best also spoke on the subject. Mr. Pettit claimed that honey was the best of all natural sweets, maple syrup coming next.

Referring to the request of the Minister of Agriculture that the association should formulate its desires, it was proposed that the Dominion Government should undertake experiments in beekeeping with a view to cheapening the cost of production and improving the quality; that the same assistance should be rendered by the Dominion Government as to other branches of agriculture for developing home and foreign markets, and Mr. Holterman was nominated as apiarist at the Experimental Farm at Ottawa. Mr. Hughes, Mr. Pettit, Mr. Gemmell, Mr. Craig, Mr. Fixture and Mr. McEvoy all strongly supported the resolution, which was carried unanimously, and the President returned thanks.

Mr. W. J. Craig stated he had recently had considerable experience of the retail selling price of honey in the Old Country and was satisfied there was a good market there for the Canadian article. He had seen Californian honey retailed at 1s a pound, which was greatly inferior to Canadian, of which latter he had not seen any on sale.

Mr. Heise brought up the question of the careful revision of the stenographer's notes of the proceedings. In the ensuing discussion it was generally conceded that correction was necessary, and the proofs of the principal speeches will in future be revised by the speakers themselves and the others by a committee.

Mr. McEvoy presented the foul brood report, which was adopted. He named the counties he had visited and the assistance rendered him by beekeepers and was glad to say it had not been necessary to use fire to any bee colonies in 1896.

To-day there will be three sessions. At the morning meeting, opening at 9, there will be a debate and discussion, and treasurer's and auditors' and other reports presented. In the afternoon the new officers will be elected, after which, and at the evening session, papers will be read and discussed.

Prevent sickness and save doctors' bills at this season by keeping your blood rich and pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

MRS. STERNAMAN'S CASE.

The Extradition Proceedings to Be Postponed Till Next Week

Syracuse, N.Y., Dec. 8.—U. S. District Attorney W. F. Mackay, of Buffalo, appeared before Judge A. Coxe in the United States Court in session here to-day and made arrangements for the postponement of the extradition proceedings of Mrs. Sternaman until next week, when the case will be heard before Judge Coxe at Utica.

Clair is Short in His Accounts.

Auburn, Ind., Dec. 8.—A sensation has been caused here by the discovery that David W. Fair, the retiring treasurer of De Kalb county, is $13,500 short in his accounts.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

Brussels, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Shiloh's Cure

Is sold on a guarantee. It cures Incipient Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure Only one cent a dose. 25 cts., 50 cts., and $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 289 George street.

Sick Headache and Constipation are promptly cured by Burdock Pills. Easy to take, sure in effect.

BUFFALO BEEF MEN SORE.

They Complain That Canadian Competition Is Hitting Them Hard.

Buffalo, Dec. 8.—The Buffalo wholesale dealers in dressed beef are just now feeling sore about the tariff laws of this country. They claim that the twenty per cent. now imposed is not enough to protect them from Canadian competition. Last month 19,000 pounds of dressed beef came into Buffalo by way of the ferry, but this amount was insignificant and little complaint was heard from the wholesale men. Within the last ten days, however, wagon loads of the meat have been coming over every day, and while this is not enough to meet the total demand, it is sufficient to break up the schedule of prices which the local wholesalers were formerly able to maintain. The commission men who handle the imported meat claim that the wholesale meat men have formerly been very arbitrary, and whenever the supply was moderate and the demand good they would corner the retail market and force prices up as high as they wished. They claim that the Canadian product has steadied the market without lowering it more than a quarter of a cent.

As an emergency medicine, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral takes the lead of all other remedies. For the relief and cure of croup, whooping-cough, sore throat, and the dangerous pulmonary troubles to which the young are so liable, it is invaluable, being prompt to act, sure to cure.

Shiloh's Cure, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 289 George Street.

Give the Baby a Chance

The only food that will build up a weak constitution gradually but surely is

Martin's Cardinal Food

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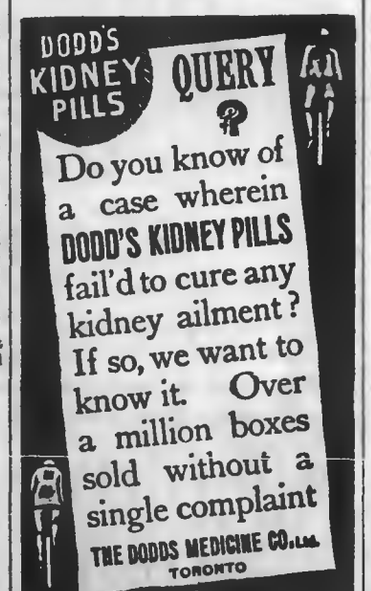
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being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 165 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

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"Talk all you want to about the bunco steerers and other sharpers of the metropolis," remarked a drummer the other evening at a down-town hotel to a Star reporter, "but some of the sharpest of the sharps are to be found in the country. Out among the fields and lambs and sheep and other innocent things, don't you know."

"That's because you don't expect to find such sharpness among the rurals," explained the reporter, who was born and raised in the country, and didn't like to see his fellow-countrymen libeled.

"Expecting it or not," insisted the drummer, "the sharpness is there just the same, and it is just as sharp. For instance," and the drummer fixed himself for a longer heat, "some years ago, when I was a drummer in pianos, I'll tell you what an experience I had. Our house was one of the big ones, with an advertisement in every newspaper in the country, and the way we sold pianos was a caution to snakes."

"Also a tip to alleged business men who don't advertise," interruped the reporter.

"Your 'also' is sustained," said the drummer and proceeded. "As I was saying, we sold pianos right and left, and, as might be expected, we picked up a bad customer at frequent intervals. One of these had got a $300 piano on a small spot cash payment, balance monthly, on the strength of a farm we thought was his, also on his general reputation, which up to this time had been as good a anybody's in the community."

"Like Eve's in the garden?" ventured the reporter.

"Exactly," smiled the drummer, "If the devil had not tempted that hitherto exemplary female she would have come through in good shape, and just so with our customer. A $300 piano was more than he could stand, and he went down before it. After his first payment he failed to respond, and we waited as long as was our practice, and then sent word to him to return the piano, as per contract. In due time the piano box, in as good trim as when we sent it, came back, and we put it in stock. A month later it was shipped to another customer, and we heard from it soon to the effect that there wasn't any piano there, but that the box was filled with pieces of wood and iron of about the piano's weight, and wedged soldily into the box. Ordinarily we would not have been so careless, but we were rushing things, and had to neglect details. Now we had to make up for that neglect and went after our bunco friend in the country. He lived two hundred miles away, and at a short distance from the small town to which we had shipped the piano, which was on the railroad. Well, I got there one morning about 11 o'clock, and, tackling the first driver I saw, I asked him if he could take me to Jim Peters' place. He was a nice, honest-appearing sort of a chap, and he told me Jim had moved to another place, about twenty miles away, and that I could only get there by driving over five miles to another road and go ahead on that to Jim's station. I paid him a dollar to drive me over, and he told me, as I have never seen Mr. Peters, to ask anybody, and he would be pointed out, as everybody knew him. The station where he caught the train was only a crossing, and my driver flagged the accommodation, the conductor nodding familiarly to his as I got aboard. As the train moved off my driver drove briskly away, and when the conductor came around ten minutes later, I asked him if he knew Jim Peters, and he almost toppled over on me in his surprise. 'Why—why,' he stammered, 'that was Jim Peters driving you.' Then it occurred to me that the piano card on my satchel had given me away and Mr. Peters had done the rest. We tried to get the piano again," continued the drummer, "but we lost all trace of it, and finally gave it up, and Mr. Peters, I presume, went with it."
—Washington Star.

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"Don't I? Know the democratic platform? Why, I built it myself. There wasn't a stick of anything but solid poplar. A thousand people were on that platform and it never settled the hundredth part of an inch. Talk to me about not knowing anything about the platform! If you'll come down to the cove where they held the barbecue I'll show you the platform standing yet."—Washington Star.

Why She Would Not.

He—When you see my faults I fear you will cease to love me.

She—I shall never see them.

He—Why, not, dear?

She—Love is blind.—Detroit Free Press.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is very dull. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.15, Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market is weaker, and the feeling unsettled. Red sold as low as 80c west, but most holders ask 82c, and for white 83c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is dull, with a limited demand. Holders are asking 94c for No. 1, Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 29c.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 1 is quoted at 31c and No. 2 at 28c outside, and feed barley at 20c to 21c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 19c, and mixed at 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices unchanged; sales at 41c, north and west.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales at 35c on the Grand Trunk.

Corn—The market is easy, with new yellow offering at 26c outside.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The receipts at the western yards to-day were 38 car loads. The demand for cattle was slow, and some were left over. Choice shippers are quoted at 3¾c to 4c, and bulls 3c to 3¼c per lb. Butchers' cattle unchanged. The best sold at 3c to 3¼c. Medium cattle bring 2½c to 2¾c and inferior 2c to 2¼c. Milch cows sell at $25 to $40 each and calves at $3 to $6 each.

Sheep and lambs in limited supply and prices are unchanged. Export sheep sold at 3c to 3⅜c per lb., and bucks at 2½c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3¼c to 3⅜c per lb.

Hogs in fair offer and prices unchanged. The best sold at 3¾c to 3⅞c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3⅝c to 3¾c, light weights at 3⅝c, sows at 2¾c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 8.—Spring wheat, 6s 11½d to 7s 0½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 4½d to 7s 5½d; corn, 2s 11¾d; peas, 4s 6d; pork, 48s 0d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 29s 6d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 26s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat on passage buyers and sellers apart and market 3d lower. English country markets quiet. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 6s 7¾d for Dec., 6s 8d for Jan. and Feb., and 6s 8½d for March. Maize at 2s 11d for Dec., 2s 10d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 2s 10¼d for May. Flour 25s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage dull. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 6s 7¾d for Dec., 6s 8d for Jan. and Feb., and 6s 8½d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 10¾d for Dec., 2s 10d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 2s 10¼d for April and May.

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Berlin, Dec. 8.—The Tageblatt has a despatch from Tien-Tsin, saying that Li Hung Chang has decided to abandon completely his projected giving out of large commercial orders.

Will Not Call Out Troops.

Hamburg, Dec. 8.—The authorities of Hamburg have announced that they do not intend to make use of the troops in replacing the strikers or in the work of maintaining order.

Noted Painter Dead.

London, Dec. 8.—Louis Fallero, the painter, died here yesterday. He was born in Spain about 45 years ago, but lived for many years in London. His best known works are "Twin Stars" and "The Dream of Faust."

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Hall's Glen P. O.
License Inspector, East Peterborough

IS GEN. MACEO DEAD?

Spanish Reports Declare That He Has Been Killed.

CUBANS IN NEW YORK DOUBTFUL

A Fierce Hand-to-Hand Fight in Which the Insurgents are Said to Have Suffered Severely—A Son of Maximo Gomez Also Said to Have Been Slain.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Ricardo Diax Albertini, second secretary of the unrecognized Cuban Legation here, was seen this morning regarding the alleged killing of General Antonio Maceo in battle. He had no official information, but said the story was obviously untrue, and that this was about the 20th time that Maceo had been killed, according to Spanish advices. He further said that the reported self-inflicted death of young Gomes was equally ridiculous, just as much so as the reported death of his father, Gen. Gomez, who had recently been reported killed just as he had won an important victory.

Palma Don't Believe It.

New York, Dec. 9.—General Thomas Estrada Palma, head of the Cuban Junta, said to a representative of the United Associated Presses to-day that he did not believe the report from Havana stating that Gen. Maceo had been killed. He declared it was a sensational piece of news sent out by the Spaniards to counteract the effect of Mr. Cleveland's message. "If Maceo were dead," he added, "I would know of it."

IT IS CONFIRMED.

Spanish Government Receives Definite News of the Death of Maceo.

Madrid, Dec. 9.—The Government has received official information of the death of the Cuban insurgent leader, Antonio Maceo.

The Government learned from Havana that Major Cirujdea sent a battalion of troops to San Quentin yesterday, and obtained confirmation of the death of Maceo and young Gomez, son of the rebel leader, Maximo Gomez, the despatch adding that Gomez committed suicide upon seeing Maceo dead.

The correspondent of The Imparcial, the only newspaper representative accompanying the Spanish army in its campaign against the insurgent leader, Antonio Maceo, sends an account of the engagement fought on Dec. 7, about 15 miles from Havana, between a reconnoitering party of 500 Spanish troops, under Major Cirujeda, and about 2000 insurgents, in which Maceo is alleged to have been killed. The rebels were found in a good position at San Pedro, sheltered behind stone walls, etc., though the Spanish troops had been under the fire of detachments of debels for some time before coming up to the main body of the insurgents. Major Cirujeda charged the rebels with fixed bayonets, and desperate fighting at close quarters ensued, lasting until night. The Spaniards then retired to Punta Brava, having exhausted their ammunition and lost a number of men. During the reconnoisance upwards of 40 dead rebels were found, among them two bodies which were undoubtedly those of Antonio Maceo, the insurgent leader, and son of General Maximo Gomez. Upon the body alleged to have been Maceo were found a revolver and a drinking cup, and upon his hand a ring, inscribed "Antonio and Maria." His clothing was of fine texture, and his shirt bore the initials, "A.M." The man was a mulatto, with haid and mustache slightly tinged with grey. In his coat was found a diary containing a sketch of the operations covering the period from Nov. 27 to Dec. 7. Some of the entries were as follows:

"Dec. 2.—Left to explore Trocha, and on 4th passed adjoining forces, with Lieut. Vasques, on 5th; Colonels Acosta and Sartorius on 6th and Sanchez on 7th."

The other man was white, and was not more than 18 or 20 years old. Just before he died he had scribbled with a pencil on a bit of paper: "I die, as I will not abandon the corpse of Gen. Maceo."

His clothing bore the initials, "F.G.," and in his pocket was found a letter, from which the following is an extract:

"Army of Deliverance, Headquarters' Staff,
"Cuba, Sept. 25.

"My Dear Rancho.—For three days we have been attacking Casleror, and already have sufficiently weakened the enemy, and if reinforcements do not arrive, who knows if we may not take it. I can write no more, as reveille is sounding, and I must mount.

"Your affectionate father,
"M. Gomes."

Some Little Fights.

Havana, Dec. 9.—Gen. Aldave reports that while reconnoitering at Maguaray and other points in the Province of Santa Clara, he met and dispersed several small rebel groups, and in the fighting had one private killed. Col. Jaquebot was severely bruised in one of the encounters.

Col. Martines reports having met the band of insurgents led by Luis Perez at Calman, in the Pinar Del Rio Province, capturing and destroying their camp and dispersing the band. The rebels lost 35 men killed. The Spanish losses are not state.

GUELPH'S FAT STOCK SHOW.

American Visitors are Most Enthusiastic Over Canadian Exhibits—Stock Men are Hopeful—Prominent Visitors.

Guelph, Ont., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—The judging at the Fat Stock Show began this morning before a large attendance of spectators. The high quality of the exhibits was much commented on. An American visitor was very enthusiastic in his praise, and remarked it was far ahead of their biggest shows. A number of the American exhibitors at the big show in New York were coming to Guelph to try their fortunes, but, owing to the quarantine regulations, they could not get their stock here in time. The display of dressed poultry was good. Mr. A. Hales, Guelph, swept the board in poultry, taking nine prizes. Prices throughout were fair, and stockmen are hopeful of the American market stiffening and giving better prices, as all classes of stock are short in the States, owing to the depression. The judges for cattle are Messrs. Thomas Crawford, M.L.A., Toronto, and James Smith, formerly of Bow Park, Brantford. Mr. Nichols' big steer, weighing 2276 pounds, was sold for over $200 to go to St. John, N.B.

Among the distinguished visitors so far have been: Hon. Messrs. Fisher and Dryden, Mr. Pattullo, M.L.A., J. Featherston, M.P., John Mutrie, M.L.A., John Craig, M.L.A., George Moore (Waterloo), Thomas Cowan (Galt), John Prain (Harriston), Colin Burch of The Wool Journal, Chicago, and John S. Pearce, London. Messrs. George Harcourt of Farming and J. Spencer, Farmers' Advocate, were also present.

Regt., hon. president; Major Harston, Royal Marines, hon. vice-president; Bergt. Thomas Tyler, 30th Regt., president; William Simmons, Royal Navy, vice-president; William Hall, Royal Artillery, secretary-treasurer; Henry Flight, Royal Artillery, corresponding secretary; R. Gibbs, 64th Regt., marshal; Sergt.-Major Cantlin, 62nd Regt., Drum-Major J. Bourne, Grenadier Guards, auditors; Col.-Sergt. J. Dunn, 30th Regt., William Copsey, Royal Engineers; Peter Buck, 7th Fusiliers, trustees; James Sullivan, 3rd Buffs, outside guard; James Niblett, 30th Regt., inside guard; Henry Lucas, Sergt. Curtis, Michael Wren, H. Flight and John Nunn (chairman), sick committee. The band committee consists of the executive officers and Messrs. Nunn and Gibbs. John Nunn was also appointed press correspondent, general organizer, and empowered to receive subscriptions, etc.

The ladies of the officers and members will procure a big banner, on which honors won by members since 1827 will be inscribed. It will be presented at the Royal celebration next June.

Fooled the Hangman.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dec. 8.—Abram Eckert, who was to have been hanged in the county jail this morning for the murder of Frederick Rittenbender, took a dose of morphine early this morning. He is dead.

Osgood is Dead.

Ithaca, N.Y., Dec. 8.—The Phi Gamma Delta fraternity of Cornell University, of which Winchester Osgood, major in the Cuban army, was a member, received word through the Grand Chapter, confirming the news of Osgood's death. The Grand Chapter received the news direct from General Garcia, whose command Osgood was fighting.

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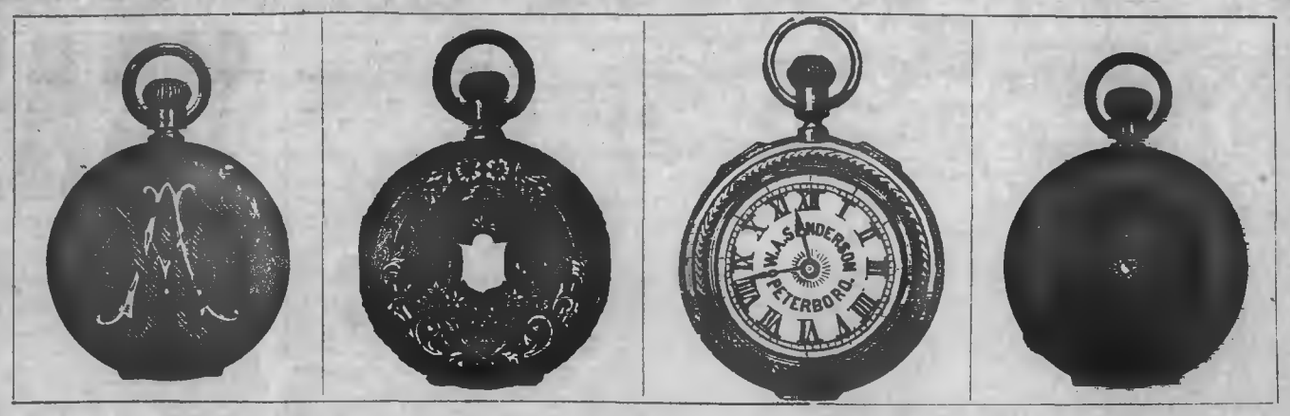

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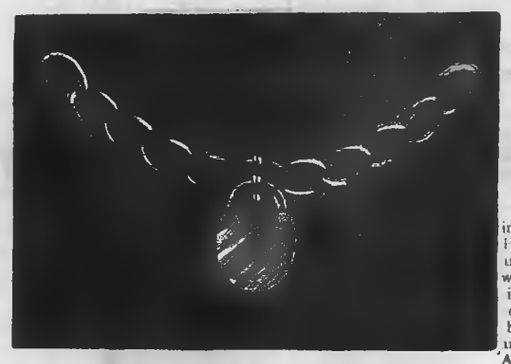

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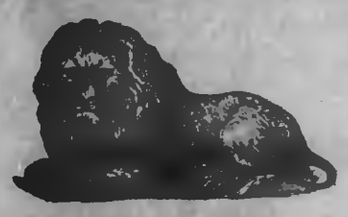

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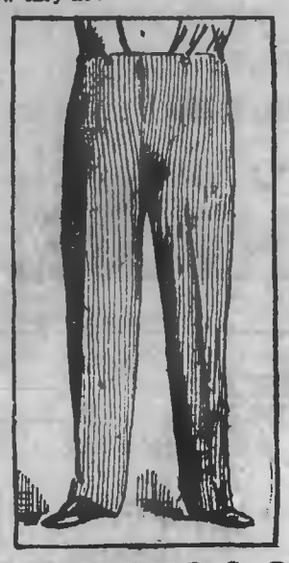

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NEWS FROM OTTAWA

Sir Richard Cartwright Going to Washington

TO TALK ON RECIPROCITY MATTERS

The Militia Department Looking Into the Matter of Discipline—Queen's Own Trouble to be Investigated—Emigrants to Brazil to be Brought Back—Other Items.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—(Special.)—The important announcement is made that Sir Richard Cartwright will visit Washington at an early date The object of his trip is to sound the Republican leaders as to the possibility of an early commencement of negotiations for reciprocity between Canada and the United States after the McKinley administration has been installed.

Two cases affecting the discipline of militia battalions have been under consideration in the department. In the matter of the dispute between Col. Egan of the 63rd Battalion, Halifax, with one of his subordinate officers, Capt. Dixon, it is reported that the Minister has approved of Gen. Gascoigne's decision, upholding Col. Egan. The ground upon which this had been done is that in this case a full investigation into all the circumstances of the dispute was held by a board of military men, with Col. Maunsell, D. O. C. of the New Brunswick district, presiding. The report of that board was duly transmitted to Ottawa, and, as stated, was endorsed by the General, and in turn received the approval of the present Minister.

As regards the Queen's Own Rifles, it is contended that the case is a somewhat parallel one to that of the 63rd, viz.: as to whether the commanding officer should be able to maintain discipline in his corps by securing the unqualified support of his subordinate officers.

The trouble in the Q.O.R. is said to have been due to the dissatisfaction existing among the officers and noncoms. of the regiment with the manner in which Lieut.-Col. Hamilton, the commanding officer, conducted its affairs.

The non-coms. complained that the Colonel was dilatory in attending to matters which they from time to time brought to his attention, and this end of the row a few months ago almost resulted in the closing of the petty officers' mess.

The real cause of the present investigation, however, was the fault found with the commandant by the members of the officers' mess. The financial affairs of the company are said to have got into an awful tangle, and some officers blamed this on alleged mismanagement by the Colonel. So high did the feeling run that at the last annual meeting hardly any members could be got to serve on mess committees. At length the then Minister of Militia handed over the stores of the regiment to Major Delamere, the second in command, and he has controlled the corps ever since.

It may be added that Colonel Hamilton charges some of his officers with conspiracy against their commander, a serious accusation if it can be proven true.

As no official investigation was held into the dispute between Col. Hamilton and his subordinates, as in the Halifax case, it is altogether likely that a formal investigation will be in order at an early date.

Owing to the strong representations respecting the unfortunate condition of the Canadians in Brazil, the Government has decided to take steps to ameliorate their lot. The British Consul at San Paulo has, therefore, been requested to send back to Canada those Canadians in his district who are in indigent circumstances, the expenses being defrayed by the Dominion Government. Mr. Choquette, M.P. for Montmagny, had an interview with Mr. Laurier to-day about the Brazilian exiles, many of whom went from Montmagny County. He strongly urged the repatriation of these unfortunates.

The High Commissioner has been requested by the secretary of the Imperial Institute to supply photographs of Canadian vineyards and samples of Canadian wine for use in connection with a series of lectures to be given under the auspices of the Institute throughout Great Britain, by Dr. Thudichen.

Sir Henry Joly sums up as follows his impressions of the Ottawa and Parry Sound Railway: "A trip over Mr. Booth's railway to Parry Sound is necessary to realize the magnitude and importance of the work accomplished by him. The amount of blasting through the rock and of trestle work across rivers and lakes, some of great depth, is enormous. A glance at the map will show how he has succeeded in shortening by several hundred miles the distance between the wheat fields of the west and our shipping ports. I cannot help thinking that nothing will do more than the Parry Sound Railway towards settling the Northwest, by offering to the farmer cheaper transportation for his produce, and in favor of Eastern Canada. It will divert a great part of the grain trade which now enriches the American Soo ports to Canadian ports, along with the produce of the splendid forests through which this railway runs. Now is the time for Quebec to act on its proud motto, 'Natura fortis industria crescit.'"

Arrangements are being made to renew the experiment of several years since of putting up butter for shipment to China and the Indian markets. Prof. Robertson, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, is of the opinion that the non-continuance of the shipments was due to poor financial arrangements. For years the French butter makers have made large profits out of canned butter, and there is no reason why the same should not be done by Canadian producers.

Speaking of the tariff changes in the United States involved by the accession to power of the McKinley Government, a member of the Government states that none of the modifications may be looked for inside of a year's time. The new President will take the reins of office in March, and with the forces which are opposing him it is certain that no tariff measure can become law without long months of argument.

The annual dinner of Ottawa Garrison was held to-night at the Russell House and was a great success. The chief guests were Minister Borden and General Gascoigne. The Minister in the course of his remarks expressed himself as opposed to the name of the permanent force. He would like to see the old designation of "Schools of Instruction" restored. He did not believe there was any necessity for a permanent force in the Dominion.

According to official advices received by the Marine and Fisheries Department it appears that during the season just closed the catch of the New England fleet in the Gulf of St. Lawrence was 40,000 barrels, and on the Atlantic seaboard about 20,000, making a total of 90,000 barrels, valued at one million dollars. The number of American vessels engaged along our coasts was 179, of 18,000 tons, employing 3200 men.

Enquiry at the Department of Railways and Canals to-day elicited the assurance that the report of the Government having taken over the Baie des Chaleurs Railway is at least premature. No transfer of the property has yet taken place, whatever may be the intentions of the Federal authorities. It was learned, however, that the report of the engineers sent to make an inspection of the line with a view to its acquisition as a feeder to the Intercolonial has been received at the department.

The Free Press, local Liberal organ, confirms my statement of a fortnight ago about the meeting of the Parliament. It says: "The date at which Parliament will meet has not yet been discussed in council. The business in hand is not far enough advanced to allow of any definite date being fixed. The Ministers know no more at present than that the session will not be one day later in the year than is absolutely necessary, possibly about the last of February."

The Militia Department have made an issue to the city corps of 25 new Lee-Enfield rifles for purposes of instruction. There is a strict injunction that the rifles must not be taken from the drill hall, as it is considered that they might be dangerous if used on the Rideau ranges.

Mrs. Charron, who keeps a tobacconist store, was to-day fined $10 and costs for selling cigarets to an 8-year-old boy.

A meeting was held this afternoon to further work out the details in connection with the formation of the new Eastern Ontario Liberal Association. It was attended by Sir Richard Cartwright, Mr. Frank Frost, M.P., and other leading Liberals. The dividing line between the two jurisdictions will be drawn at Belleville.

Mr. John Charlton, M.P., was a visitor to the Capital to-day.

Major Gordeau, Deputy Minister of Marine, left for Montreal to-day.

L. Homfray Irving of Toronto was here to-day.

The Tariff Committee of the Privy Council will meet next Wednesday in Montreal, and it is expected they will be kept busy in that city until very near Christmas.

Comptroller Paterson returned to Ottawa to-night. Mr. Fielding will be back to-morrow.

Sir Henri Joly leaves for Quebec next week to spend the Christmas holidays.

A few temporary employes of the Public Works Department, who were off some time ago on account of lack of work, have been taken on again this week.

Mr. Maurice Glyn of London, Eng., a member of one of the oldest banking houses in the English capital, is in Ottawa with Mr. William Wainwright, of the Grand Trunk Railway. Mr. Glyn is making a tour through Canada, and while here made calls upon the Ministers of the Crown, to whom he brought letters of introduction.

If your eyes trouble you in any way, have them tested by W. Madill, optician. No charge for examination.

GEN. MACEO'S DEATH

Is Confirmed by Advices From British Sources.

SHOT ON SEVENTH OF DECEMBER

Jubilation at Madrid Over the Fall of the Cuban Leader—People Shouted Themselves Hoarse and Paraded the Street—Maceo Was Hit by Two Bullets.

Havana, Dec. 10.—Dr. Maximo Zertucha, who was formerly General Antonio Maceo's physician, has surrendered to Col. Tort at San Felipe, and confirms the report of the rebel leader's death, which occurred at 2 p.m. on Dec. 7, in the engagement between the rebels under Maceo and the Spanish troops. Maceo received a bullet, which penetrated his head, breaking his jaw and passing out at the back of the neck and the shoulder, and was also wounded by another shot, which struck him in the stomach. Another attempt was made this morning to discover what disposition has been made of the rebel leader's body.

Great Joy at Madrid.

Madrid, Dec. 10.—Last night's popular manifestation of joy over the reports of the death of the rebel leader Antonio Maceo was of the most enthusiastic character. An excited crowd gathered in front of the Prefecture and Town Hall, cheering and shouting, and the Mayor appeared upon the balcony of the hall and joined in the "vivas" for Spain and the Spanish army. The Governor of Madrid, who was watching the demonstration, caused the United States Legation to be protected by gendarmes.

The crowds, after shouting themselves hoarse in front of the Town Hall, marched to the War Office, where they sent a deputation to wait upon the Minister of War and congratulate him upon the death of Maceo. From the War Office they went to the Military Club, whose building was illuminated. After cheering in front of the Military Club they retraced their steps, and endeavored to march to the United States Legation, but they were prevented by the police from doing so. Having been turned back by the police, the mob went to the offices of The Imparcial and The Heraldo, each of which newspapers was cheered wildly. The crowd then went to the residence of the Captain-General of Madrid, where the guard presented arms to the mob.

The news of the death of Maceo was received in the provinces with every manifestation of delight, each town demonstrating its joy to the fullest extent of its lung power. Tremendous demonstrations were held in Cadiz, Valencia and other cities, and the bourses of Madrid and Barcelona each went up one point on the strength of the news. The struggle of the populace to obtain special editions of the newspapers announcing the death of the rebel leader was unparalleled, and every newspaper office was besieged until a late hour.

The Cabinet Council, which was to have been held here to-day, has been postponed on account of the illness of Premier Canovas Del Castillo.

Heard From British Sources.

London, Dec. 10.—The Daily News says that Conde de Casa Valencia, the Spanish Ambassador in London, had not heard the report of the death of General Maceo until he visited the Foreign Office yesterday afternoon, when Lord Salisbury congratulated him upon the news, which was confirmed from British sources.

THE SHEEP BREEDERS.

Large Meeting of the Ontario Association at Guelph Officers for the Ensuing Year.

Guelph, Dec. 10.—(Special.)—One of the best attended and most successful meetings of the Sheep Breeders' Association of Ontario was held in the City Hall here last night. President James Tolton of Walkerton presided, and delivered an able address on this important industry, in which he prophesied a more profitable season for 1897 than the last.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, James Tolton; vice-president, D. G. Hanna, Burford; secretary-treasurer, F. W. Hodson, Guelph; directors, for the various breeds: Cotswolds, J. C. Snell, Snelgrove; Leicesters, Alex. Smith, Maple Lodge; Southdowns, John Jackson, Abingdon; Shropshires, R. Gibson, Delaware; Oxfords, Henry Arkell of Arkell; Hampshires, John Kelly, Shakespeare; Lincolns, John Gibson, Denfield; Dorsets, R. H. Harding, Thorndale; Merinos, W. M. Smith, Fairfield Plains; general director, John I. Hobson, Mosboro; auditors, G. E. Day, O. A. College; Andrew Whitelaw, Guelph.

Considerable discussion took place over the selecting of delegates to the fair boards, several of the members ventilating their grievances at the alleged mismanagement at the Montreal Fair. The delegates appointed last year were all re-elected. The various directors then held a committee meeting of the different breeders and appointed the expert judges.

Fat Stock Show.

Guelph, Ont., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—The attendance at the fat stock show to-day was a large one. The receipts at the door were over $175. The success this year is beyond expectation. The judges of sheep have had the hardest task in the whole show. The exhibition closes this evening.

A meeting of the Provincial Winter Fair Board was held this morning, Mr. J. I. Hobson in the chair. A deputation was present from Victoria County, asking that the next show be held in Lindsay. The deputation consisted of Dr. McKay, M.L.A., Major Smythe (Lindsay), R. Bryans, President South Victoria Agricultural Society. From Brantford, Ald. H. B. Fourds and Major Elliott were also present, but the latter had to leave early. London was represented by J. S. Pearce. The members of the deputations addressed the board in reference to their railway fares and accommodation, and said that it would be in the interests of the Province to have it moved about. The board decided that the various places should put their claims in writing, and a guarantee of what accommodation would be afforded, and send the same to the secretary. President Hobson and Secretary Hodgson were appointed a committee to receive communications and visit the various places and report to the board in February.

Hamilton Has a Blaze

Hamilton, Dec. 5.—(Special.)—Fire broke out at the residence of W. Cook, 81 Cannon-street west, shortly before 8 o'clock to-night, and did damage to the extent of $800 to the building and furniture. The loss is covered by insurance.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Toronto Star takes this view of the matter:—If all the girls in Toronto who work in the stores, and whose fathers are able to keep them comfortably, were required to remain at home, there would be plenty of employment for all idle men in the city.

THE fat stock show at Guelph was magnificent success and was eye-opener to our American cousins. The "Yankees" may beat us solid-souled Canadians in the manufacture of wooden nutmegs, basswood hams, etc., but in the matter of stock breeding and the production of cheese we are miles ahead of them.

SEVERAL trusts are coming to grief in the United States. Trusts are a conspiracy of individuals and corporations whom a high tariff has permitted to unite to rob the public. It would appear that the reduced tariff has brought some of these trusts—the nail trust and the glass trust—to grief, and now the sugar trust is threatened. But the "trusts" will come up serenely again when the new Congress adopts another McKinley tariff. Trusts are peculiarly constituted—they can't exist on anything but high living—high tariff.

MAJOR KITSON, of the King's Royal Rifles, has been appointed to the command of the Royal Military College, at Kingston, in place of Sir Charles Tupper's son-in-law, and Sir Hibbert Tupper's brother-in-law, Lieut. Col. Cameron. The appointment was made by Lord Lansdowne, secretary of war, at the request of the Dominion Government. Major Kitson is said to be a man of marked ability and well qualified to fill the position. He is just forty years of age, and has served in the army since 1875. In 1884-85, he was A.D.C. to the brigadier-general at Aldershot, A.D.C. to the major-general commanding the western district till 1886, and district staff officer and deputy assistant adjutant-general in Bengal in 1890. He saw active service in the expedition to Manipur, India, in 1891, and was mentioned in dispatches to London for the same. At present, he is stationed with his corps at Aldershot, but will be in Canada to take hold of his new office by New Year's.

OUTSIDERS do not take kindly to the modest proposition of Toronto, that the Dominion Government made a grant of $50,000 for the annual exhibition, which is the city's financial harvest. Respecting this the Ottawa Free Press sets the pace of remonstrance with the following:

The ministers will doubtless give due "consideration" to the cool demand of certain Toronto grabbers for $50,000 for the annual exhibition held in that city. Their "consideration" will doubtless bring them to the conclusion that there is no justification for any such grant of Dominion moneys to a local commercial enterprise. The pretense that the commercial undertaking known as the Toronto Industrial Association partakes of "Dominion character" adds to the effrontery of the demand. It would be interesting to know in what particular there is anything more of a Dominion character about the Toronto fair than any other. How many people in the Dominion, outside a short radius of the city, have ever seen it? The government will see, doubtless, that to grant this sum to a local affair will be the prelusive step towards giving similar grants to other enterprises of the same kind, which would have quite as much right to ask for them.

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NASSAU.

Annual Election of Officers.

The regular annual meeting of L.O.L., No. 457, for the election of officers, took place in the Orange hall, Nassau, on Monday evening, the 7th inst. There was a very fair attendance of the members present, and a considerable amount of interest was manifested in the selection of officers for the current year, which resulted as follows:

Bro John Biggs	W M
" David Anderson	D M
" W D Chamberlain	Chap
" John F Leeson	Rec Sec
" Wm Lockington	Fin Sec
" Richard Armstrong	Treas
" Wm Anderson	D of C
" Robert Glover	Lecturer
" John Newhall	1st Committeeman
" John Trotter	2nd "
" Wm McNairn	3rd "
" James Hamilton	4th "
" John Hutchinson	5th "

At the close of the election the newly elected officers were duly installed by the District Master, H. S. Armstrong, after which short addresses were delivered by the newly elected officers and others.

SELWYN LITERARY SOCIETY.

The First Monthly Public Meeting—The Programme Presented.

On the evening of Dec. 4th, the Selwyn Literary Society held its first monthly public meeting, and after a short address by the president, explaining the object of the Society, the following programme was rendered:

Chorus	Glee club
Critic's report	Mr F McKee
Piano solo	Mrs J H Sanderson
Dialogue	Miss McConkey and Mr Joseph Mallmoyle
Song	Mr Success
Quintette	Mrs T Bell, Miss B Pearson, H McConkey and Mrs J E Mallmoyle
Debate	Messrs Mallmoyle and Tindal, and Misses Roberts and Manning
Piano solo	Miss Blaker
Address, "The Armenian Question"	Mr J M Roberts
Dialogue	Messrs Pearson and Bell
Song	Mr Reynolds
Paper	Editor
Instrumental duet	Miss Blaker and J Hoolihan
Critic for next meeting	Mr J J Hoolihan
	God save the Queen.

Mr. J. W. Crosby kindly loaned the piano used for the entertainment.

BELMONT MAKES A NIGHT OF IT.

A Fifteen Hour Session of the Township Council—All About Payment of Sheep Killed by Dogs.

On Monday morning, afternoon, night and Tuesday morning the township council of Belmont had an almost all night session, and on this one occasion at least proved themselves as diligent time-killers as our own town council. But the Belmont legislators had a legitimate excuse for a protracted session, while our town solons seldom have beyond the consuming desire to hear themselves talk. It was a "killing" matter too, a discussion arising over claims for compensation for sheep killed by dogs. Six ratepayers had lost eighteen sheep and five lambs. While a good deal of time was consumed in hearing evidence as to the value of the animals killed, no little time, legal lore and eloquence were expended upon the question of the liability of the township, which it appears the statute holds liable for such damages, unless a bylaw relieving them is passed. It appears that in 1895 such a bylaw was passed—but for that year only. Therefore it was finally decided to recognise the responsibility of the council in the premises, and a fixed amount was agreed upon as compensation to be divided between five of the applicants, but these agreeing to include a sixth whose claims had been excluded on account of his not having applied within the statutory limit of time, he was included, and therefore the price per head, $2.37 for sheep and $1.20 for lambs was fixed at these figures. The total amount appropriated being $8.66.

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Cardinal, Dec. 7 (Special)—Mr. Robert McIntosh, a farmer widely known in this county, and living near this village, has been in a painful and dangerous condition as the result of kidney disease affecting the bladder. When called upon he said:

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HONOUR ROLL.

Report of S. S. No. 2, Douro, for November.

4th Book—Abbie Garbutt, Agnes Holland, Walter Garbutt, Alice Moloney, Willie Bell. 3rd Book—Willie Campbell, John Porter, Maggie Coughlin, James Holland. 2nd Book, Class A—Norman Stockdale; class B, Nora Coughlin, Mary Coughlin. Part II—Amy Reid, Lillie Porter, Kate McMahon. Part I—Fred Reid, Daniel Sanderson, Lizzie Leahy.

S. S. No. 17, Otonabee.

Miss A. E. Kerr, teacher.

Sr. Fourth—Herbie Hair. Jr. Fourth—Bessie Price. Third—Laura Hogan. Sr. Third—Lizzie Manley, George Connor, Edna Hutchinson, Oscar Hogan. Jr. Second—Eddie Lee, Dan Corkery and Edith Hunter, equal; Loretta Conroy, Willie Martin, Willie Gallipo. Part 2nd—Alice Lee, Florence Knapp, Annie Hunter, Annie Hogan. Part 1st—Josie Corkery, William Boyce, Walter Hogan.

S. S. No. 13, Otonabee.

Report of S. S. No. 13, Otonabee, for the month of November, 1896:—Miss R. B. Daff, teacher. Fourth Class—M. Smithson, J. Kindred and L. Crowley, A. Crowley. Senior Third.—R. Lang, E. Kent and D. Coughlin, S. Robinson. Junior Third.—C. Lynch, Elsie Deyell, Ethel Deyell. Second.—A. Taylor, B. Shaughnessy, F. Crowley and E. Wood. Senior Part II.—W. Conners, R. Bowie and C. Taylor. Junior Part II.—M. Crowley, F. Conners. Part I.—J. Lancashire and J. Pickle, W. Deyell and A. Shaughnessy, M. Robinson.

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LATEST CABLE NEWS

British Troops in Danger From African Natives.

GERMAN SHIP LOST WITH ALL HANDS

The Imperial Government to Increase the Army by Eight Battalions of Infantry and Eighteen Batteries of Artillery—English Protectionists Hold a Meeting.

Cape Town, Dec. 10.—Advice from Blantyre, the chief town of British Central Africa, dated Oct. 25, announces the despatch of three British columns against the Angonisuelas, under Chief Chikusi, who have invaded Southwest Nyassaland and burned a British mission station, besides massacring the inhabitants of a number of villages.

The Portuguese at Tete have invited the co-operation of the British.

Chikusi commands 30,000 warriors and the British troops only number about 500. Great anxiety was felt at Blantyre when these advices left that town and an attack upon it was feared.

BRITAIN'S FISCAL POLICY.

Protectionists Had a Meeting in London to Talk of a Reform.

London, Dec. 10.—The conference at St. James' Hall to-day, open to all favorable to the reform of the fiscal policy of Great Britain on protection lines, called by James Lowther, who presided, was thinly attended. Mr. Lowther is a Conservative member of Parliament for the Isle of Thanet, division of Kent, was at one time Chief secretary for Ireland, and is an ardent protectionist.

Those present included Lord Marshall and Messrs. Howarth, Disraeli, Sandys and Seton Karr, members of Parliament. Letters of regret were read from Commoners Muntz and Finch Hutton. Mr. Lowther, in a long speech, stated that there was a rapidly increasing opinion among a great number in Great Britain that her fiscal policy was radically wrong. The Sultan of Turkey, he said, was the only ruler under heaven who had adopted the principles of the Cobden Club. He referred to President-elect McKinley, saying that he would never have occupied his present position had not his name been associated with the most protective tariff ever framed with the United States, and the same could be said of M. Meline, the French Premier.

Mr. Lowther then referred to the recent Canadian general election to prove that the settled policy of Canada was protection, declared himself as being as much opposed to the ruin of England by Manitoba as by Minnesota wheat, and asserted that it was no longer true that the masses in England were opposed to any imposition of duties. Between 2,500,000 and 3,000,000 acres of land, Mr. Lowther explained, had been driven out of cereal production in England for £130,000,000 of imports, of which the most could be produced here. He said that he favored a 5 per cent. duty on wheat, which, he said, would produce £12,500,500 ($62,500,000) of revenue, while only raising the price of bread for a full-grown man 3s 9 1-2d yearly.

Sir Henry Hoyle Howorth, M.P., a well-known writer of financial and political subjects, submitted resolutions in favor of such a change in the Government policy as would secure to the country a never-failing supply of food, and by means of the establishment of preferential duties between the Mother Country and the colonies secure a market for British manufactures. He declared that preaching to the free traders of Great Britain was preaching to deaf ears, and held that the only effective means of securing the objects of the conference was to make matters extremely uncomfortable for the free traders. Continuing, he dwelt at great length upon the conditions created by foreign competitors, dwelling upon the inroads made upon British trade by German manufactures, and said that under the existing free trade policy there was nothing for the English workingman to do but to dig his own grave, using a foreign-made spade for the purpose, and then to be buried in a coffin "made in Germany" or some other foreign country.

Lord Masham of the silk manufacturing firm of Cunliff, Lister & Co. of Bradford also addressed the conference. In the course of his remarks he paid a tribute to Sir Charles Tupper, recently Canadian High Commissioner in London, who, he said, was the originator of the idea of preferential trade with the colonies. He quoted statistics to prove that the British export trade had shown no increase during the past thirty years, and he said that the foreign trade of Germany in that time showed an increase of upwards of £35,000,000.

A number of resolutions declaring in favor of preferential duties were unanimously adopted, as was also another favoring the establishment of protection leagues throughout Great Britain.

TO INCREASE THE ARMY.

Eight Battalions of Infantry and 18 Batteries of Artillery for Britain.

London, Dec. 10.—The St. James' Gazette says it has the highest authority for the statement that the army estimates for the ensuing year, which will be presented to Parliament upon its reassembling, will be greatly increased. According to the statement of The Gazette, eight new battalions of infantry and 18 new batteries of artillery, with four guns each, will be formed, and the cavalry service will be reorganized.

GERMAN STEAMER LOST

The Saller Gone Down Off the Spanish Coast With All Hands.

Bremen, Dec. 10.—The steamer Saller, Capt. Wempe, from Bremen for Buenos Ayres, is believed to have been totally lost. She left Corunna Dec. 7. The Saller was an iron screw steamer of 3214 gross and 2229 net tonnage, 351 feet 2 inches long, 39 feet beam and 32 feet deep. She was built in Hull in 1895 and owned by the North German Lloyd Steamship Company of Bremen.

A despatch from Corunna says the steamer Saller is reported to have foundered off Villagracia, 20 miles north of Vigo. The fate of those on board is not known.

A steamer has been sent in search of the Saller, which, it is believed, was lost in the heavy gale which has swept the western coast of Spain. No further information concerning the steamer is as yet available.

It is not known whether she had any passengers on board. She left Corunna Dec. 7 for Villa Garcia, Spain, and foundered in the heavy gale which recently prevailed off the Spanish coast.

London, Dec. 10.—Lloyds' agent at Vigo telegraphs that the Saller has been totally lost on the Coronas Corrubeda shoals. Not a single person on board the steamer was saved. It is believed in London that the disaster occurred on Tuesday, when a terrible gale along the European Atlantic coast did extensive damage to shipping.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is very flat, with no demand. Straight rollers are nominal at $4, Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—There is a very dull and unsettled market. The demand is limited and prices are quoted lower, at 80c for red and white outside. There is nothing doing in Manitoba wheat, and prices are purely nominal. Holders are asking 98c, Toronto freight, but no sales are reported.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 28c to 29c.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 1 is quoted at 31c and No. 2 at 27c outside, and feed barley at 20c to 21c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices weak. White sold outside at 18c, and mixed quoted at 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices rule weaker, at 40c, north and west.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales at 34c outside west.

Corn—The market is easy, with new yellow offering at 26c outside.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 10.—Spring wheat, 6s 10d to 6s 11d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 4d to 7s 5d; corn, 2s 10⅝d; peas, 4s 6d; pork, 48s 6d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 29s 6d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 28s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast quiet, on passage dull, red 3d to 6d lower. English country markets 6d cheaper. Maize on passage weak.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 6s 6¾d for Dec., 6s 7¼d for Jan. and Feb., and 6s 7¾d for March. Maize steady at 2s 10½d for Dec. and 2s 10d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 3d.

Paris—Wheat 21f 70f for Jan. Flour 40f 45c for Jan.

London—Close—Wheat on passage weak. Maize on passage dull.

Paris—Close—Wheat weak at 21f 30c for Jan. Flour weak at 45f 50c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat firm at 6s 6¾d for Dec., 6s 7¼d for Jan., 6s 7¾d for Feb., and 6s 8d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 10½d for Dec., 2s 10d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 2s 10½d for May. Flour 25s 3d.

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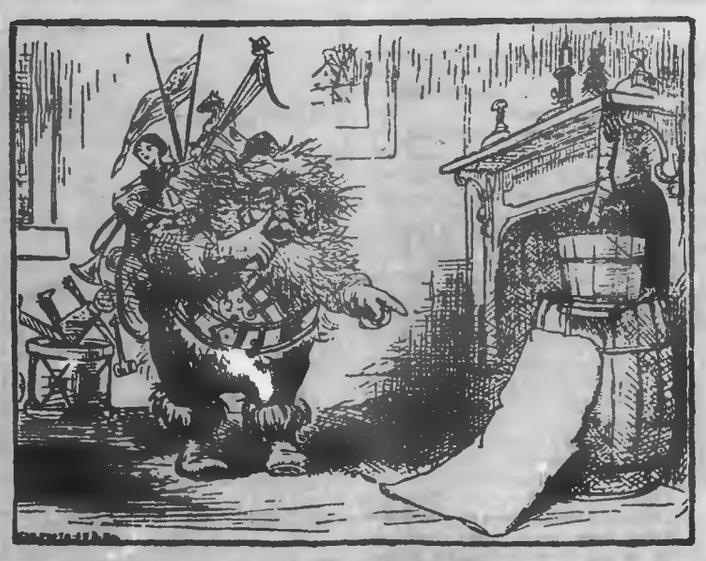

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Murray Street Baptists.

The congregation of the Murray street Baptist church will tender their new pastor, Rev. A. T. Dykeman, a public reception on Tuesday evening next.

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is always in evidence when you've to seed a quantity of raisins. This trouble is averted if you get your Christmas fruits from Mason & Co., as you will have the use of a raisin seeder free. 2d137

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Lecture Postponed.

Owing to the banquet to the Hon. Geo. A. Cox next Thursday night the lecture on "Popular Modern Cures" by Dr. Hooper, will be given on Friday night, Dec. 18th, at 8 o'clock in Sons of England Hall.

Disturbed the Army.

Messrs. William Vass, Francis Shambo, Thos Radford, Robert Jones and Bert McMillan were before the magistrate this morning charged with disturbing the Salvation Army. Vass was fined $10 and the others were allowed to go.

Special Meeting of Court Forest Queen.

A special meeting of Court Forest Queen, No. 643, C. O. F., will be held in the Forester's Hall, on Monday evening, Dec. 14th. All members are urgently requested to be present and a cordial invitation is extended to members of sister courts. Business of importance—initiation of twelve new members.

TO-NIGHT AT GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.

Frank Yeigh's Illustrated Lecture. Music by Orchestra. The Chimes; Interesting Lecture; Splendid Pictures. Single Tickets 15c.; Double 25c.; Children 10c.

A Jam at the Opera House.

Over eight hundred people pushed and crowded into the opera House last night to see the Marks Bros. Dramatic Company in "An Irish Immigrant." New specialties were put on between acts. To-night the five act drama "Driven From Ireland." Saturday matinee, "Little Lord Fauntleroy"; Saturday night, "The Waif of the Mines." The engagement lasts all of next week.

The "Irish Immigrant."

Marks Bros. were treated to another full house last night, the opera house being crowded before 8 o'clock. The play for the evening was the "Irish Immigrant," the title being a singularly appropriate one, as the piece never appeared here before. Tom Marks played the Irish character to perfection, and his support was in every way satisfactory. So general was the applause with which the piece was greeted, that it is likely to be repeated by special request. The other features of the evening were all good—a cleverly trained dog, the dancing and the singing—all coming in for enthusiastic cheering.

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COLLECTION OF TAXES.

Mr. Denne Declines to Recognize Last Night's Action of the Council.

The following is a copy of a letter sent by Mr. Denne, tax collector, to Mayor Yelland this morning, in reference to the extension resolution of last night:

Wm. Yelland, Esq., Mayor of Peterborough:

DEAR SIR,—In reference to the resolution as passed by council last evening, extending time for the collection of 6 per cent. on taxes past due to the 15th of January, I am perfectly willing to comply with same providing the council will pass a by-law relieving me and my sureties from any personal responsibility in the matter: and unless the same is done I cannot see my way clear, in the face of legal advice, to act under the resolution referred to above.

HENRY DENNE,
Tax Collector.

MARK LOCKINGTON ACQUITTED.

There Was Not by Any Means Enough Evidence for Committal.

The jury in the Mark Lockington case, in which the prisoner was charged with burglarising the Morgan House, were only out half an hour this morning when they brought in an unanimous verdict of "not guilty," the evidence against the prisoner not being sufficient to convict upon.

Lockington is, therefore, a free man again.

[The case of Scrivener vs. Adams, in which the plaintiff is suing to recover $250 for false arrest, from Police Constable Adams, is still on.

MORE ABOUT SMITH.

The Greenway-Fegan Home People to Investigate the Case.

The boy Alfred Smith, was taken to the Greenway Fegan Home, Toronto, by Mr. Miller, agent of the Children's Aid Society, yesterday.

The officials at the institution were very glad to get him back, and said that he presented such a miserable appearance that they hardly recognized him, except by a little buckle at the knee, which was the last surviving remnant of the clothes in which they had sent him out. He was in rags. The home authorities will investigate the matter.

PERSONAL.

Police Magistrate McIntyre, of Lindsay, was in town yesterday.

Mr. H. Thompson, brother-in-law of Mr. Richard Hall, is in town.

Hon. Mr. and Mrs. George A. Cox have returned from their trip to the South.

Miss Maggie Atkinson, of Shediac, N.B., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. B. Chambers, corner of George and Charlotte streets.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Wm. Wood, drunk and disorderly, was fined $2 by the Magistrate this morning.

—Thos. Brown, on a charge of drunkenness, was dismissed this morning by the Magistrate.

—The C. P. R. pile driver is repairing the various bridges on the Dixon Co.'s spur line to-day.

—It is marvellous the way Marks Bros. are drawing at the opera house. Bigger houses greet them every succeeding evening.

—Mr. Michael Costello has opened up a fresh and well stocked grocery next door to the Albion Hotel, Ashburnham, where everything may be found in the general line. His many friends wish him success in his new departure. He in return requests of his friends their patronage.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

A meeting of the Granite Curling Club will be held this evening at the rink parlours, to decide on the selection of skips for the foreign matches.

HOCKEY.

Though neither Collingwood, Barrie nor Orillia had representatives at the O. H. A. annual, still it is altogether likely that they will put in applications for admission to the O. H. A. intermediate series, which will necessitate the formation of a northern group.

In the senior series of the O. H. A. there will probably be Queen's Peterborough, T. A. C., Trinity, Stratford and London. In the intermediate the following clubs will likely figure:—Ayr, Peterborough II, Norwood, Varsity II, Frontenacs, Berlin, R. M. C., Lindsay, Petrolia, whilst in the junior these are the possibilities:—Wellingtons, U. C. C., Victoria Colts, T. A. C. H., Frontenac II., Peterborough III, Queen's II, Port Hope, Hamilton Victoria.

Grafton & Co's Xmas Sale of Neck Ties, Worth 25c. for 15c, in all colours and shapes.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., Box 55.) 12d132

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A Shaving Machine.

The new shaving machine, which has not yet been patented, and which, as yet, only exists in the active imagination of most people, is of no importance, compared with the obtaining of the Christmas groceries, the best of which are obtained at E. Brown & Co's, importers of wines and liquors.

A Very Opportune Snap.

Just received at the Peterborough Bookstore, 500 copies of "Our Darlings" and "Bubbles," two of the most popular juvenile books for Xmas. He will sell these at less than half price. Come early and secure a snap.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

The Busy Store.

Some merchants would have the public believe that the big sale at Routley's was only a "fake" sale, and that they can sell just as cheap. I might just say here that I have always paid a hundred cents on the dollar during my twenty years of business, and that my goods have been bought, and are now being sold at less prices than others can buy them. Yet it will last only a few weeks longer, as I am positively retiring from the retail business, and would like all who owe me accounts to call and settle before January 1st, 1897. C. B. ROUTLEY.

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Mr. George J. Chalmers, 542 Water street, who has had long experience in the handling of wood for fuel, is prepared to give his services, in consideration of a small commission, to those citizens who desire to purchase good wood. He will guarantee to select the quality needed, and see that it is what is wanted, and that the measurement is correct. Ladies who visit the market to buy wood are often deceived in quantity and quality. By employing Mr. Chalmers they are sure to get what they want, both in quality and quantity. Measurements of timber, logs, cedar, etc., given when desired. 6eod132

A SUCCESSFUL SACRED CONCERT.

A Delightful Musical Evening at St. Paul's—A Decided Credit to Conductor Crane, the Choir and the Other Contributors.

S-U-C-C-E-S-S in capital letters, is the way to spell the result of the sacred concert given in St. Paul's last night, under the direction of Mr. John Crane, organist, by the choir, assisted by Mr. W. H. Dingle, solo organist, and Mr. Frank Eaton, baritone, Belleville. It was in every way a delightful success. There was a large audience, comprising many of the most musical citizens, and the programme provided, while of intrinsic excellence, was very smoothly and artistically presented.

The opening chorus was Simper's "I am He that Liveth," a fine composition occupying a middle position between the severe classicality of the compositions of the old masters and the cheap compilations of many of the American anthem-builders. Mr. Frank Eaton, baritone, took the solo in a competent manner, doing his best work of the evening. He has a resonant, robust baritone voice, which is at its best in the head notes, his chest notes being of not so perfect a quality. His distinct enunciation gives a charm to his singing that was greatly appreciated. His next number was a very exacting one—"Why Do the Nations Rage?" from the Messiah. In this the cold, which it is fair to say, troubled Mr. Eaton, interfered with his execution, exhausting his voice in the trying cadenzas that bristle in the selection. In Van der Water's "Night of Nights," Mr. Eaton in the second movement especially, was very successful. This movement was just suited to his voice and he did it noble justice. His last song "Fear not ye, O Israel," was also beautifully sung. Mr. Eaton is generally a very satisfactory singer, his method is excellent, his enunciation a delight, and the upper register of his voice, especially, of a rich clear quality. He is evidently a conscientious singer and has been well instructed. Much was expected of Miss Vair, who is generally regarded as Peterborough's foremost vocalist, and she was in no way disappointing. In her solo to the chorus, "Lead Kindly Light," Buck's *setting of this grand old hymn*, she sang to excellent advantage, and in her solo in the second part, Braga's "Angels' Serenade," the full effect of her sweet, rich cultured voice and finished style was enjoyed and she provided a delightful interpretation of this pathetic song. The violin obligato was played with much sympathy and taste by Mr. McCaig.

Mr. W. H. Dingle, the solo organist, shows marked improvement over his form when he was in Peterborough. He contributed four sterling selections, one of classical calibre, Haydn's "Andante in D (the clock movement), and a double number by Guilmant, the famous French composer. An E minor fantasia by Lemmens, which introduced a storm, was admirably interpreted, the beautiful mimetic effects being given with graceful skill. A volunteer number, Mendelssohn's spring song was played in a very sprightly and free manner, as also was the concluding selection, the overture to the opera, "Masaniello." A special word of praise is due Mr. Dingle for his charming treatment of the second theme in the first part of his double number; the Adeste Fideles theme with its spirituile variations, was given with exquisite delicacy and tenderness. If a word of criticism may be given it is submitted that Mr. Dingle takes most of his work at too rapid a tempo. It may be a matter of taste, but it appears that what is gained in brilliancy is lost in distinctness, especially in rapid passages. However, Mr. Dingle is so brilliant and capable an organist that he will always be heard with delight.

It is with genuine pleasure that one can refer to the work of the choir. Four anthems and choruses were given in a splendid manner. The choir is fairly well balanced as between the several parts, and they gave evidence last night of both scrupulously skilful training by Mr. Crane and of a capacity to respond to instruction. The attack was excellent, and the harmony without fault; whilst the expression and shading were excellent. The piano passages were particularly well given. The chorus "Thou Wilt Keep Him in Perfect Peace," was a severe test of the confidence of a choir in their leader and in themselves. It was sung without accompaniment and was splendidly sung, too—all the conditions of a good rendering being most happily met.

Altogether the concert was a most satafying success and Mr. Crane has excellent reasons for taking pride in the fact he has demonstrated, that, under proper training and management local talent is able to produce results that render us independent of outside assistance. St. Paul's have reason to be proud of their choir, which presents a pleasing example of harmony both musically and otherwise.

Grafton & Co's Hands-me Prize Pictures are going very fast, new lot received over 100 to choose from.

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Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

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Your Christmas buying will be done best where stocks are fullest and most varied. Few stores in Canada begin to make the holiday displays that we have here every year—this year greater and grander than ever.

The holiday impulse is strong in all stocks, and useful things of every sort will continue to go for gifts. Many striking novelties are here in wood, metal, leather, brass and china. Many goods here are totally different to anything you'll see outside, and prices are positively below anything you'll find anywhere. For the next three weeks the province of this store news will be to suggest suitable gifts and emphasize earlier shopping.

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OFFICERS ELECTED.

The Emeralds Meet and Choose Those Who Will Occupy the Chairs.

The members of Branch No. 21, Emerald Beneficial Association at a large and enthusiastic meeting last evening, elected the following officers for the ensuing term:

Father Scanlan..... Chaplain
Jas Drain..... Chancellor
H Carveth..... President
J Lonergan..... 1st Vice Pres
J Hanrahan..... R S
J Hickey..... F S and In. S
J Primeau..... Treas
E R Warde, W J Devlin, R McAuliffe, James Collins..... Stewards
R McAuliffe..... Marshall
C Wall..... Ast Marshall
W J Devlin..... Inside Guard
Jas Collins..... Outside Guard

MORE NEW BOOKS FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following new books have been received and placed on the shelves:

In the Days of the Canada Co	*Lizars*
Grover Cleveland	*Whittle*
Peppy's Diary (18 vols)	*Wheatley*
Quotations for Occasions	*Wood*
The Log of a Privateersman	*Collingwood*
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Cream and White Poplin Silks, reduced to $1.
Twilled Silks, all shades, reduced to 50c.
Cream and White Taffeta Silks, reduced to $1.
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All-wool Cream Crepons reduced to 40c.
All-wool Cream Crepons, reduced to 60c and 75c.
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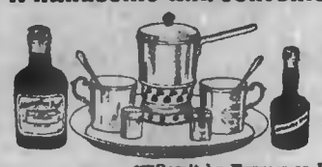

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1896.

THE TOWN COUNCIL EXTENDS THE TIME

FOR THE PAYMENT OF TAXES UNTIL JANUARY 15th.

But the Question is, Whether the Collector will Assume the Responsibility, as he Might Possibly be Made to Answer for the Loss.

At a special meeting of the Town Council last night, there were present the Mayor and Councillors Best, W.H. White, Hughes, Danne, Weir, Sawers, Moore, Langford, Graham and John White.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and referred as follows:

From John D. Southard, asking for remission of poll tax.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Ranney & Innes calling attention to a map of the town made by them, and asking the town to have it registered.—Received.

From H. T. Everett, asking for remission of poll tax.—Granted.

From Mary Burns, asking remission of taxes.—Referred to Court of Revision.

From Margaret Bird asking remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From the Y. M. C. A. asking remission from taxation.—Granted.

From the Auburn Power Company asking permission to erect new poles on the streets, to transmit power to the Canadian General Electric Company, subject to the conditions of the by law, the company to pay the rental when incorporated.

Mr. Dennistoun was heard in connection with the matter and as he gave his personal undertaking that the rental would be paid when demanded, the Town Engineer was instructed, on motion of Councillors Langford and John White, to lay out the ground for the poles.

ACCOUNTS

were referred to the Finance Committee, as follows:—

Water Co	$ 70 00
"	10 46
"	21 41
Mrs Dunford	3 00
Mrs Burns	2 00
Little Lake Cemetery	2 75
" " "	4 50
Chas Wynne	237 66

The Finance Committee recommended, through its chairman, Councillor Moore, as follows, the payment of the following accounts:—

Savigny Bros	$ 3 25
Thos Tomlison & Son	94 66
A J Warne	3 00
J Smith	4 50
Duncan & Gray	80
W G Fowler & Co	3 00
J W Moore & Co	4 00
J & W Metheral	2 10
T J Michiel	16 25
Chas C Gunsolus	4 95
W Detcher	3 00
Mrs M Wainwright	6 00
T Williams	1 25
Jas Edgecumb	9 50
Salisbury & Co	1 60
Geo Carton	2 50
T M Fegerald	10 00
Hall, Gilchrist & Co	76 60
Bell Telephone Co	30
Harper Printing Co	15 00
Times Printing Co	10 10
EXAMINER	88 75
Dickson Co	186 34
Jos H Yelland	3 15
Peterborough Protestant Home	11 00
T E Boddy	7 40
Light and Power Co	5 80
Review	20 40
Kingan & Allen	43 40
Wellington Bradshaw	68 50
B C Braund	2 00
John O Craig	1 25
N Monaghan	5 00
A Peters	2 00
J W Brisbin	3 50
J R Michiel	4 00
Geo Laleg	4 50
H Regan	16 25
Mrs Burns	7 00
W J Ingram	50
R H Nesbitt	4 00
A Clegg	7 00
Edw Greene	4 00
J J Lynch	2 00
J P Harley	1 65
R H Leary	2 00
McDonald & Mercier	10 00
Joseph Hattee	12 90
Curtis Bros	27 00
J W Brisbin	11 25
Micks & Cox	42 40
John Nugent	2 20

2. That the treasurer be authorized to issue a cheque for the town's proportion of the expenses incurred in connection with the reception of Hon. A. G. Blair on a certificate from the chairman of the committee as the amount of the expenses and of the town's portion.

3. That T. Parrington be allowed $13.00 for costs in cases in which the taxes were remitted after the costs had been incurred.

4. That the sum of $500 be taken from the appropriation for streets and bridges and applied as far as needed, to the payment of the current liabilities of the town.

Adopted.

THE STREET AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE

through its chairman, Councillor Langford, recommended as appended:

1. That your committee has awarded the contract for the snow ploughing for the southern district to Robert Nicholls at $20, and for the northern district to John Parnell at $27.50.

2. Your committee cannot recommend that the sidewalk asked for on the west end of Cedar street be granted this year, as it is too late to put it in this season.

3. Your committee recommend that no action be taken in the petition asking for a change in the by-law prohibiting bicycles from being ridden on the sidewalks.

Adopted.

THE LICENSE COMMITTEE,

through its chairman, Councillor Hughes, recommended that the auctioneer's license issued on February 3rd last to Ed. Smith be transferred to Myer Bros., as requested by Ed. Smith, on the payment of the usual fee.—Adopted.

Councillors Denne and Hughes moved that the collector of taxes be instructed to write off or remit the taxes on the property rented from the town of those tenants in the market building whose rent covers the taxes, on securing a statement from the secretary of the Town Commission that by their lease they are not to pay the taxes and the clerk ask the secretary for the same.—Carried.

EXTENSION OF TIME.

The mayor introduced the subject for which the meeting had been called to discuss, viz., the extension of the time from December 14th to January 15th, in which to pay the taxes before five per cent. would be added. The mayor explained that this year had been a particularly hard one, and he thought if more time were given the people to pay their taxes they would greatly appreciate the favour. After the Christmas trade money would be far more plentiful, and it would be a good deal easier for the citizens to meet the obligation. He was strongly in favour of an extension of the time.

Councillor Lanford objected. Other previous councils had taken no such action, and times had been just as hard. The solicitor had been asked for his opinion, and had pronounced the action to be illegal. Such a matter should be given great consideration, and no change should be made, in his opinion, by this year's council. The citizens would say that it had been done to catch a few votes.

Councillor Best thought that he was in the council to represent the people, and as a great many had spoken to him in favour of the scheme, he advocated it strongly.

A great many citizens had also spoken to Councillor Weir, and he expressed himself as thinking it would be of great advantage to the taxpayers if the date could be postponed

UNTIL AFTER CHRISTMAS.

Councillor Moore stated that the solicitor was of the opinion that the action would be illegal, but as illegal grants were made at almost every meeting, no one would object. In Mr. Moore's own opinion the change would be unlawful, but it would be expedient.

Councillor Denne asked how the collector was to be protected in the matter, and Councillor Hughes wanted to know if the changing of the time would allow a taxpayer to get out of paying the five per cent. altogether?

Councillor Moore thought that the resolution of the council would protect the collector, and as regarding the question of evading the 5 per cent. altogether explained that in reality the resolution was not worth the paper it was written on as affecting the bylaw, which imposed the 5 per cent fine. It was purely discretionary with the tax collector whether he paid any attention to the resolution at all so the by-law stood good all right. The only objection which could be taken was that the town would lose several hundred dollars interest in postponing the date, and if any one chose to take legal action the council would be responsible for this sum.

Councillor Hughes thought the

CITIZENS WOULD APPRECIATE

an extension of time more than any action of the council during the year.

Councillor John White thought the passage of such a resolution would place the public in a false position, as even after it was passed the collector could collect the five per cent. from a man who thought he was protected by the resolution. On this ground he would vote against the resolution.

Councillor Sawers opposed the passage of the resolution.

Councillor Langford threatened to file a memorandum with the collector forbidding him to take any notice of the resolution if it was passed.

Councillors Best and White moved that the collector of taxes be instructed to receive the taxes for 1896 up to the 15th of January next without the addition of five per cent, if then paid.

Councillor Langford and Graham moved to the contrary in amendment.

The vote on the motion of Councillors Best and William White stood as follows:

Yeas—Councillors Best, Wm. White, Hughes, Weir, Moore—5.

Nays—Councillors Denne, Sawers, Langford, Graham and John White—5.

The mayor was then called on for the casting vote and declared the motion carried, throwing his vote in favour of extending the time.

The council then adjourned.

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HUNTERS' OPINIONS OF THE GAME LAWS.

THE AMENDMENTS OF LAST YEAR MET WITH DISFAVOUR.

The Majority Would Like to Kill Deer in the Water, Have the Season Lengthened and Abolish the License System, Particularly as Affecting the Settlers.

A meeting was called yesterday of the members of the Central Ontario Fish and Game Protective Association for the purpose of hearing the views of the hunters concerning the amendments which were made to the game laws last season.

Amongst those present were Messrs. F. J. Lillicrap, Levi Payne, W. H. Casement, Lakefield; Richard Crowe, Dummer; Thos. Fraser, Norwood; J. E. Kearney, Young's Point; Samuel Best, D. W. Dumble, of Peterborough; Wm. Macfarlane, of Young's Point; Mr. Tait, Dr. Fraser, of Lakefield; J. D. Collins of Peterborough; Alex. Simpson, Lakefield; Thos. Gladman, J. B. McWilliams, David Breeze, Peterborough; J. K. Stabler, Bridgenorth; R. C. Strickland, Lakefield; T. E. Bradburn, Sam Ray, and Geo. W. Hatton, Peterborough.

The president, Mr. D. W. Dumble, took the chair and explained the object of the meeting, after which he called on a number of the prominent hunters present for their experiences during the past season.

The first speaker was

MR. W. H. CASEMENT,

reeve of Lakefield. He thought that this year there were a great number of deer lying dead in the woods, which had been shot in the runways and only wounded. In his own party five were shot and only wounded. Those killed were shot through the body or back. Only old, experienced hunters could shoot them in the neck or head when they were on the runways. If shot in the back or front quarters the blood clots and spoils the venison to a certain degree. If shot in the depth of the woods it is hard to clean them without water. Deer have to be dragged into the camp and the hair is rubbed off the sides, blackening the meat and jellying it. If dragged miles it would be of no use at all. If there was snow this, of course, would not apply. If he had to take the carcase a mile to camp he would have to leave it, only taking to camp what he could carry. Of the eight deer shot by his party six were bucks. It is not easy to tell whether a doe or a buck is coming along a runway unless horns are very large. At this season of the year the bucks are rutting and travelling. This is why they got so many more of them. Another reason why they got more bucks was that their scent is stronger than that of the doe, and, travelling as they did in the night, the dogs caught it fresh in the morning. They killed just as many deer this year as in former seasons, proportionately. In other years few deer got away from them after being shot. The most humane way of hunting a deer is to kill it in the water. They do not then get away to die in the woods. Speaking from a sportsman's standpoint there is no sport in knowing that a deer has gotten away to die in the woods. One could not still hunt at that time of year unless there was snow. To preserve the deer the season should be lengthened to at least a month. Then all the hunters would not be in the woods at the same time. If there were only a few hunters there at a time the deer would often get away from the dogs, but with so many hunters the deer is shot at almost every time it shows its head in the open. If every captain of a party furnished statistics it would give a great deal of information. Every man who gets a license should make a report.

His suggestions as the result of a season's hunt were that licenses should be abolished, the season be extended and deer be allowed to be killed in the water. The settler in particular should not be charged for a license.

His reason for abolishing the license was that it was a little too much to ask a settler to pay for killing a deer on his own farm. It was a hardship to a farmer who had several sons who also shot deer to have to pay for all of them. He had had twenty years experience as a hunter.

LEVI PAYNE,

of Lakefield, said he was still hunting by himself this year, and got one deer. He wounded another. He was in favour of allowing the deer to be killed in the water on account of the number which would otherwise be only wounded and get away to die in the woods. In still hunting he got more does than bucks. If he got a doe's track she did not travel as far or as fast as a buck and he could soon find her. Still hunting would, therefore, have the effect of killing off more does than bucks. When dogs are used more bucks are killed, as they travel a great deal in the night and their scent is generally quite fresh in the morning. The one that he shot was in a bad mess in the morning, as it got away from him and he did not find it, having no dogs until next day, when two settlers came across it, dead. The meat was consequently not up to the mark. If the season were extended more deer would be killed. He objected to dogs being allowed to run deer and not to put them into the water to be killed, as it did a great deal of damage. If dogs were let run at all the deer should be allowed to be killed in the water.

Since the season had been shortened the deer have increased, as, though a hunter is only allowed to kill two, if he is with a party he can keep on shooting until two have been secured for each member. It was a hardship for a settler to pay a license, as they regarded the deer almost as cattle, frequently feeding them. He had 40 years experience as a hunter. He never saw meat spoiled by being killed in the water, though plenty of it was spoiled by being shot in the woods.

MR. RICHARD CROWE,

of Dummer, was in favour of dog hunting. He had been hunting over 20 years. He agreed with everything Mr. Casement had said.

MR. SAMUEL BEST,

of Peterborough, killed two bucks this year. He thought killing deer in the water tended to preserve them better, as many got away, which were wounded on the runaways. Five were wounded and got away from him this year. Such would not have been the case if they had been in the water. He had no objection personally to the license, although the settlers were against it. He had been hunting for 15 years. He would like to have seen the same arrangements in force this year as last. There was more danger to the hunters in shooting on the runways, as many narrow escapes had come under his observation.

MR. THOS. FRASER,

of Norwood, and party, got three deer—two does and one buck. Four were wounded and got away. Roblin's party from Belleville got three deer and wounded five. Thos. Morrison's camp got three and wounded four. Morrison is the best shot in Ontario. Samuel Edwards, of Paudash Lake, wounded one; Pat Finnegan, of Farraday, wounded two and got three; Dr. Noble, of Sutton, wounded three; P. Huffman, of Farraday, wounded three; Tait, of Island Lake, wounded three, Scott Vader, of Farraday, got one and wounded four; Robert Vader wounded two and got none. These were all cases which had come under Mr. Fraser's notice and he was consequently much opposed to the amendment of the game laws. All these hunters had dogs. He thought the season should be extended from the 1st to the 25th of November. There was more danger this year than in the last twenty years. It was unfair to ask a settler to pay a license when the deer has fattened on their own crops. Wounded deer almost invariably seek the water and once there they are safe, now, from molestation and are found dead by dozens on the shores as the hunters are forbidden to go to the water for them. Buckshot was largely used this year and a great deal of meat was thus spoiled. There are, said Mr. Fraser, more wounded and dead deer in the woods today than there have been during the last ten years put together. There was more humanity in shooting a deer in the water than on the runway, in his opinion. Many of the deer were killed in the water this year in spite of the law. He saw 150 deer on the Central Ontario Railway and more than half of them had their hair slicked to their sides, whereas those killed in the woods has loose hair. Fully half were shot in the head, when if got on the runway they would have been shot in the body or neck. In past years he and his party had killed as many bucks as does. The deer are not getting scarcer. The present law is not calculated to preserve the deer to a greater degree than before it was amended.

He suggested that every county send a representative hunter to wait on the minister and lay these points before him.

DR. FRASER,

of Lakefield did not think the amendments were calculated to preserve the deer. The meat was better when killed in the water, as the deer was then carefully bled and washed, whereas in the woods the meat was frequently spoiled by being dragged out over the boulders.

It takes more skill to get a deer in the water than on a runway, as it takes a good paddler and shot to get one in the water. The present law, in his opinion, is more destructive on deer than the former. More does and fawns were shot, this year, than ever before. Moorison's—the Indians' party actually got more fawns and does than bucks.

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MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, 15th Jan. 1897, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, between

Hiawatha and Peterborough.
Warsaw and Peterborough.
Peterborough and C. P. Ry. and G. T. R. Ry. Stations,

From the 1st of April next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract, may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Hiawatha, Warsaw and Peterborough, and at this office.

H. MERRICK,
Post Office Inspector.

POST OFFICE INSPECTOR'S OFFICE, KINGSTON, DEC. 4th, 1897. 1d2w

CONGER'S FAIR

Closing-Out Sale

Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enameledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc

Store Can Be Secured.

Conger's Fair

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $8.00—this is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for - - $3.00

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

W. J. GREEN,

No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

NO EXAGGERATION

When we say we have the choicest selection of HOLIDAY FRUITS in town, both in variety and quality:—

Cleaned Currants,
Selected Raisins,
Finest Imported Peels,
&c, &c., &c.

Shelled Almonds,
Choice Eleine Figs,
New Dates,
Delicious Table Raisins.

And Confections to make your mouth water. Make your selection early and call often.

SPECIAL—4 cans of Corn, Peas or Tomatoes 25c.
3 lb. Choice Mince Meat for 25c.

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A. C. CHAMBERS Manager. Table Supply House

Chase and Sanborn's Coffee

The *quality* of the *Coffee* we sell under our *trade mark* is our best advertisement.

This Seal is our trade mark, and guarantees perfection of quality, strength and flavor.

BOSTON. MONTREAL. CHICAGO.

$10 in Gold

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Stroud's Tea...

WORD CONTEST

370 GEORGE STREET

PETERBOROUGH

Also at Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston and Toronto.

To the person who will send us the greatest number of words of more than two letters formed from the the letters contained in "Stroud's Tea," using no letter more times than it occurs in "Stroud's Tea." The letters may be taken backward or forward, but must form complete, English words, for example, start, eat, star, etc. For the second largest number of words, $5.00; for the third, $3.00; for the fourth, $2.00, and for the next five $1.00 each will be rewarded. This contest is open to all. The only condition governing the contest is that you shall satisfy us that you have bought five lbs. of our Tea during this month. If you are good at word-making this is your opportunity to procure a New Year's gift for a little effort. This generous offer is made to introduce "Our Celebrated Tea" and give the young folks a chance to earn some money. The contest will close at noon, January 1st, 1897. Each list of words must be numbered and written in alphabetical order, on only one side of the paper with name and address written plainly. To be in a sealed envelope, addressed to W. R. Stroud, 370 George street. Remember this is a bona fide offer made by a bona fide firm. We do this simply as a method of advertising i.e. to bring us more prominently before the Peterborough public. Our Teas and Coffee are, without exception, the best sold in Canada.

$25 in Cash Prizes.

KENNEDY & NELSON'S

Positive Facts.

Boulter's Baked Beans,	3 cans for		25c
Fresh Mackerel	3	"	25c
Fresh Lobsters	3	"	50c
Choice Tomatoes	4	"	25c
Choice Peas	4	"	25c
Golden Finnan Haddie	4	"	25c
British Col. Salmon	2	"	25c
Sliced Smoked Beef	3	"	60c
Vegetable Soup	3	"	90c

We are offering these goods at such low prices for two reasons:

1st.—To make room for our Pork Department.

2nd.—To give the general public bargains in these lines.

Should the consumer ask the quality of Pork he buys?
Should he be told the truth? We decidedly say Yes.
Is it consistent to be able to throughly recommend that which you never have seen in any state, except by selling it over the counter? No.
Is it right to blame Clerks for praising the goods they sell? No.
Why? Because in a great many cases they but comply with their employer's requests and do what they think right.
In order to be able to truthfully recommend the PORK we sell, we deem it advisable to cure our own, which we are now doing.
Our LARD we guarantee.

Leaf Lard 10c per lb. or 11 lbs. for $1.00.	Fresh Pigs' Shanks 2c per lb
Pure Kettled Leaf Lard 12½c per pound or 20 lbs. for $2.00.	Spare Ribs 8c per lb
Sweet Pickled Backs 10c per lb.	Back Bones 1c per lb
Sweet Pickled Bellies 10c per lb.	Butter 17, 18 and 19c " "
Long Clear Bacon 8c per lb.	Creamery Butter 20c " "
Pigs' Cheeks 5c "	Eggs 19 to 22c per doz
Pigs' Heads 5, 15, 20, 25c "	Mince Meat 10c per lb or 3 for 25c
Pigs' Feet 3c per doz	Chopped Suet 10c per lb. or 3 lbs for 25c.
	&c., &c., &c., &c.

PREPARING FOR CHRISTMAS.

Also we will sell this week and next in order to prepare for our Xmas trade Beef at the following prices:—

Rib Roasts, formerly sold at 8 to 10c, now 7c.
Shoulder Roasts, formerly sold at 7c, now 5c.
Plate Ribs, formerly sold at 6c, now 4c.
Briskets, formerly sold at 5c, now 3c.
Shoulder Steak—4 for 25c, 3 for 25c.
Round Steak—3 for 25c, 10c per lb
Nicks (Boiling) formerly sold from 3 to 4c, now 2c.

These prices will only last this week and next, and we guarantee all our Meats.

We ask for a share of your patronage. Call and convince yourselves that we strive to promote your interest as well as our own.

KENNEDY & NELSON

Meat Merchants, 340 George Street.

MRS. G. VINETTE'S HAIR PREPARATION

Cures Baldness, Grey Hair, Irritation of Scalp, Eczema, Removes Dandruff, Restores Grey Hair to Natural Color, Stops Falling Out, &c. Guarantee in all cases. References if required.

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CLEARING SALE OF MILLINERY.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

CHILDREN'S BONNETS, FANCY HOODS, CAPS AND MUFFS.

which will be sold much below cost. A number of PATTERN HATS and BONNETS to be sold at half price. This is a rare chance for Ladies' to get the newest and most stylish goods at half the regular price. Come early and secure bargains as the goods must be sold.

MRS. CASSIDY

423 George Street.

Two Doors north of Examiner Office.

Too many mothers are helpless invalids. A mother's proudest and happiest privilege is to help an ambitious son in his early struggles to attain eminence in his chosen walk of life. To such a son, a robust mother, a grand mother with a healthy mind in a healthy body, is the best counselor and the best spur. Many mothers are sickly, fretful, helpless creatures tortured beyond endurance by the pains of their own wrecked constitutions. An ambitious youth receives but little encouragement or sound advice who appeals to such a mother. Most ill-health among women is due to weakness and disease of the organs distinctly feminine. If these parts are weak and diseased the entire system suffers.

The most wonderful remedy for all weakness and disease of the distinctly female organism is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It allays inflammation, soothes pain and imparts vigor and health to these delicate organs. It makes healthy mothers and capable wives. It prepares a woman for motherhood. It does away with the discomforts of the expectant period and makes parturition easy and almost painless. Over 90,000 women have testified to its virtues, in writing. Druggists sell it.

"It is with pleasure I recommend Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription to suffering ladies," writes Mrs. I. Ferguson, Box 29, Douglas Station, Selkirk Co., Manitoba. "After suffering untold tortures I thank God I found relief and cure in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription."

It don't pay—sickness. Constipation often causes it. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative, and two a mild cathartic. They never gripe. They are tiny, sugar-coated granules, forty of which are contained in a two-inch vial. Druggists sell them and have nothing else "just as good." They regulate the Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

QUAKER MARRIAGE CEREMONY.

How Members of the Society of Friends Wed Each Other.

A young man and woman in this city, belonging to the Society of Friends, who have certified their intention of marriage at the City Hall, are having to undergo the regular form which the society imposes by waiting for the approval of the monthly meeting before they can be married, says the Worcester (Mass.) Gazette. The first stage in the proceedings is for them both to appear at the monthly meeting of the society, which is the only time that any business is done, and make known their intention. They both stand up before the meeting, and the man says: "With divine permission and Friends' approbation, I declare my intention to take this woman (and he calls her name) to be my wife," and then they sit down. But the sanction of the society for the marriage requires more than this formality. It is never granted unless both parties are Friends, and so if one of the young people is out of the fold they have to be married without the formal approval of the society.

When the approval is secured the couple marry themselves. The ceremony is appointed by the society to take place at some regular meeting, or else at one specially appointed. In the latter case it may be at a house where any one of the society has the right to be present. But the most interesting ceremony is that which takes place in the regular assembly of the society at the meeting house. Anyone who has been to a Quaker service knows the fashion of the meeting house, with its high seats in front, facing the rest of the meeting. The elders usually sit there, but when a couple of young people are going to get married they have to occupy this conspicuous place, and have to stand up bravely, without minister or elder, and marry themselves.

An old Quaker minister, who said he had seen six couples stand up in this way before the congregation, was asked why the young people had to do it alone, and he said it was a matter that did not concern an intermediate person, but rested between themselves and God. Then he described how the young man would stand up in that high-perched place in the meeting house along with his bride and, taking her hand, say: "In the presence of God and this assembly, I take thee, A. B., to be my wife, promising to be unto thee an affectionate and loving husband until the hand of the Lord by death shall separate us." The bride then speaks in a similar fashion.

At the end of this ceremony a minister prays or speaks, and then, when there is a pause and the spirit moves no one else, the meeting is adjourned. At the close of the meeting the marriage certificate, which is made of parchment, is brought forward, and anyone can sign it. A special law sanctions this marriage ceremony. This document, which amounts to the legal sanction of the marriage, is greatly prized among the descendants of Friends, so much so that the children often have similar marriage certificates made for themselves, though they may have been married outside of the society.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I starting taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Constipation Cured.

Gents,—I was in very poor health for over four years; the doctor said it was constipation. Not wanting to spend too much cash I got three bottles of B.B.B. and took it regularly, I can certify that I am now in the very best of health and feel very grateful to B.B.B.

ALFRED TEROUX, Montreal, Que.

NOTES FROM OTTAWA.

Canadian Vessel Wrecked Off the English Coast—Supreme Court Judgments—Personal and Other Items.

Ottawa, Dec. 9 (Specal)—The Marine Department was advised by the High Commissioner to-day that the brig Carrick of St. John, James Kennedy owner, had been wrecked near Bidefford, on the Devonshire coast. No particulars of the disaster are given, and it is not known if any lives are lost, but Sir Donald is arranging to send those members of the crew who are Canadians home at the expense of the Dominion Government.

In the Supreme Court this morning judgments were rendered in the following cases:

Cooper v. Molsons Bank, appeal allowed with costs, and reference ordered as to accounts demanded by defendants.

Senesac v. Central Vermont Railway Co., a case arising out of damages to property caused by sparks from a railway locomotive; appeal dismissed with costs.

Lefebvre v. Aubry, appeal dismissed with costs.

Montreal Rolling Mills v. Corcoran, appeal allowed with costs.

Niagara Fruit Growers v. Stewart & Walker, appeal allowed with costs.

Toronto v. Canadian Pacific Railway Company, appeal dismissed with costs.

Lake Erie & Detroit Railway v. Sails, appeal allowed in part, the judgment for plaintiff being reduced, and the action dismissed as to the residue with costs.

Farwell & Glendon v. Jameron, appeal allowed with costs, and the case remitted to Divisional Court for assessment of damages.

The Ship Cuba v. McMillan, appeal dismissed with costs.

McLauchlin v. McLellan, appeal dismissed with costs.

The court then adjourned until Jan. 18 next for the purpose of rendering further decisions in cases standing for judgment.

Prof. Robertson, Agricultural Commissioner, has had prepared plans for the equipment of creameries with cold storage compartments. Over 100 copies have been sent to creameries of which the proprietors are desirous of equipping in this manner and thus earning the Government grant. The plans have been prepared with very elaborate detail and will, no doubt, be in great demand among farmers and others interested in the preservation of perishable food products.

Mr. J. F. Hogan, M. P., had interviews to-day with Mr. Laurier and Sir Richard Cartwright in regard to the fast Atlantic steamship question.

Mr. R. A. Lister, who is largely interested in dairy matters in England, had an interview with Sir Richard Cartwright to-day.

Mr. L. K. Jones, chief clerk of the Department of Railways and Canals, has gone east to stir up some of the smaller railroad companies to send in their annual statistics, due at the department by law on Oct. 1.

The Sault Canal is still open, and according to reports received at the Railway Department is doing a rushing business.

Hon. J. I. Tarte is busy to-day getting through with pressing business that he may be enabled to leave for Quebec to-night.

Mr. Ryan has been appointed to work as a tent maker in the Militia stores.

It is said the appointment of Mr. Robertson as clothing expert is but a temporary one, to co-operate with Mr. Caldwell in getting at the bottom of the shoddy blankets scandal.

Thomas O. Davis, the Liberal nominee in Saskatchewan, is to be opposed by J. T. McPhail, another Liberal. The Conservatives are not going to nominate anyone. The election is on the 19th inst.

The Government intend instituting an enquiry into the condition and working of Indian industrial schools in Manitoba, the Northwest and British Columbia.

On the Intercolonial Railway a single-fare rate has been granted to all those desirous of attending the meeting which the Fisheries Commissioner will conduct in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. Prof. Prince has been commissioned to make an investigation near St. John into the falling off in the herring catch.

Among the visiting politicians in the Capital are Messrs. James B. Klock, M. P., of Nipissing, and W. J. Poupore, M. P., of Pontiac.

Mr. Hogan, M. P., who has been here several days awaiting the return of Sir Richard Cartwright, interviewed the Minister of Trade and Commerce, setting forth the grounds on which he claimed new tenders should be sought before awarding the contract in the fast Atlantic steamship service.

Hon. W. S. Fielding and Hon. W. Paterson are expected to return to the Capital to-morrow.

Mr. J. A. C. Madore, M. P.; Dr. Guerin, M. L. A., and Dr. F. E. Devlin had an interview with the Premier in reference to registration of the Canadians who were induced to emigrate to Brazil.

LEND YOUR EARS

To Your Back and Listen to its Talk—A Peterborough Man Tries It.

Did you know the back could talk;
Tell you why it aches and pains;
Tell you why it's lame and weak;
Warn you of the kidney's ills;
Tell you of Doan's Kidney Pills?
Listen to them when they speak.
Relieve the kidneys, cure the ache.
Bad back, acute pains and kidney ills,
Are quickly cured by Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here is proof of it at home. The testimony of Mr. George N. Graham, the genial host of the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, is as follows:—

He says:—"I have been a great sufferer for some time with pain across the back, extending up between the shoulders, swelling of the limbs, dizziness, loss of appetite, and in fact felt completely broken up.

"I had lost 17 pounds in three months, and thought that I would never get better. I have taken many kinds of patent medicines, and have also been treated by medical men, but did not seem to get any better at all, in fact was constantly growing worse.

"I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertisement and got a box of them at Lynch's drugstore, and by the time I had taken one box noticed a marked change for the better.

"I have taken seven boxes altogether, and am now free from pain; the swelling in the limbs has disappeared, and my appetite is good. In fact, I feel that I am completely cured.

"I can heartily recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to those suffering from any form of kidney trouble. They are the best kidney medicine I have ever used.

Signed, GEO. N. GRAHAM.

For sale by James Lynch, druggist. 168 Hunter Street, Peterborough.

Mrs. M. says: "My daughter was pale, languid and unable to stand any exertion. Miller's Compound Iron Pills made her strong and gave her colour. 50 doses 25 cents." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego Cal. says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 289 George Street.

Manufacturing Prince.

An agricultural exhibition which has been opened in Paris, under control of the Government, includes 6000 entries of agricultural implements and machinery. The exhibits very strikingly illustrate the progress made by French manufacturers in the last few years. At one time nearly everything came from England.

Gratefully Remembered.

James Buchanan, a fisherman, living on the Duwamish River, in Washington, has recently been bequeathed $15,000 by a Texas cattle raiser. Buchanan was formerly a cowboy on the cattleman's ranch, and saved the lives of the wife and child of his employer.

As an emergency medicine, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral takes the lead of all other remedies. For the relief and cure of croup, whooping-cough, sore throat, and the dangerous pulmonary troubles to which the young are so liable, it is invaluable, being prompt to act, sure to cure.

MR. BENJ. SCOTT, Van Horn, Ont., says: 'My heart caused me great uneasiness. My appetite failed, and I became very weak and discouraged. Miller's Compound Iron Pills made me all right; I feel well and strong.' Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Shiloh's Cure, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 289 George Street

Gray's Syrup of Red Spruce Gum

For Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Sore throat, etc.

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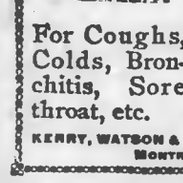

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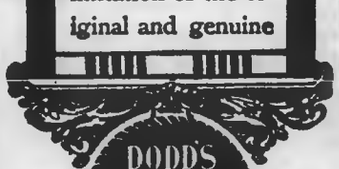

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If you have decided to buy an Ulster instead of an Overcoat, we've got just the Ulster you should have; for $5.00 we'll give you a good Frieze Ulster, with storm collar, tweed linings, in dark, gray or brown colours. For $10.00 we'll sell you a very fine all Frieze Ulster, with storm collar and fancy all wool tweed linings. Should your thoughts turn to OVERCOATS, you'll certainly find good returns for your money in our $7.50 and $9.00 D. B. HEAVY MELTON and BEAVER tweed lined Overcoats, stylish, full length, and every coat of them as perfect as any tailor could make. We are selling a line of Nap and Worsted Overcoats at $5.00 that's worth a good deal more. For $12.00 we can sell our own make of all wool Blue Beaver Overcoat, with silk velvet collar, full back, and double-breasted, same as you pay $17.00 for made to order. This is the cheapest Overcoat you ever saw.

Boys' Frieze Ulsters at $3.00, tweed lined, full length, storm collar, quick sellers. The best Boys' Overcoat for the money in Peterborough at $5.00, sold at other stores at $6.00 and $7.00. This Overcoat is of the finest of wool, long cut, storm collar, all pure wool tweed lining, and is the most stylish little winter coat in the clothing market to-day.

If you wish a Suit, pair of Pants, Shirts, Gloves, Collars, Cuffs, Neckwear or Underwear, you can buy of us cheaper than you can anywhere else.

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City Clothing Store,
George St., Peterborough

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In ordinary Pipes the Tobacco at the bottom of the bowls becomes saturated to such an extent as to be unfit for use and about one fifth part is therefore wasted.

There is no waste in using Mackenzie Pipes as every particle of Tobacco can be smoked.

The average consumption of Tobacco in this country is 1 lb. 10¾ oz. per head of population, and an economist has estimated that the use of the Mackenzie Pipe by every smoker would result in a saving of $500,000,00 a year.

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THOS. J. MOHER, M. D.,
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Kruger's Christianity is not one which he reserves for the pulpit—far from it. He carries his religion about with him, and there are plenty of well-authenticated stories about him to show that his life was a fair reflection of his faith. For instance, he once saw a Kaffir struggling in the river, while other Kaffirs stood on shore as spectators. At once he jumped in for the purpose of saving his life. But the black man lost his head, and grappled Kruger with such violence as to render it more than probable that both would drown together. Kruger was a splendid swimmer, and was able to remain a very long time under water. On this occasion he could only rid himself of the frantic black by total immersion, and so he remained under water for a period of time which thoroughly alarmed those who witnessed the performance, but at last he emerged upon the surface—without the Kaffir.

Another instance of Kruger's readiness to suffer in the place of another occurred during the troubles with the Orange Free State. Its President, Bosshoff, had made prisoner some Transvaal burghers, who had been under his (Kruger's) orders. In the language of Kruger's friend, who was present: "When hearing this, the President at once saddled his horse and rode to the Orange Free State as quickly as possible, informing Mr. Bosshoff that he ought to set those men free and hold him (Kruger) instead; that those men had merely carried out the orders given by himself as subcommandant of Pretorius. This was about 1857." It certainly is not common in modern war for an officer to offer himself a ransom for the men who have been taken prisoners while acting under orders.

The President has a violent temper, and his old friends think that of late years he has had increasing difficulty in restraining it. But quickly as he is roused, so quickly does his passion cool again; and no man more frankly asks forgiveness for a wrong committed. One day in 1881 Kruger and his Minister of State, Dr. Leyds, had a sharp altercation. Strong language was used, for the minister too is a man of emotion. At length matters came to such a pitch of passion that Kruger burst out with these words: "One of us must get out." Of course Leyds said, "Then of course, I am the one to make way," with which he took his hat and went home, supposing that his career in the Transvaal was at an end.

In the middle of the night came a rap at the door of Dr. Leyds, and in walked the President. He had saddled his horse and come over by himself, explaining that he had been unable to sleep, and had come to say that he had been in the wrong and to ask Dr. Leyds that what had passed might be completely buried. This story Dr. Leyds told me to illustrate the President's generous nature, and, above all, his mastery of himself.

Kruger is a strict member of the Independent Congregational Church. But he is not on that account intolerant. When Dr. Leyds was first asked to become Secretary of State he declined on the ground that he was not of the same religious faith as the President, but Kruger at once disposed of this idea. "If you are an honorable and able public servant, I shall never ask you what your religious views are." This was a very strong concession for a man of Kruger's convictions. This generosity of Kruger is notable in his political life. He fights heart and soul for the success of his measures, but when the majority has decided he loyally abides by its decision, and works with it as though it were his own. In this way Kruger has steadily increased the volume of political followers, and commanded respect from even his enemies.

Kruger was shooting one day when his gun exploded and blew away part of his thumb. The surgeon to whom Kruger finally submitted the case found that the flesh had begun to mortify, and advised amputating the arm half-way up. But Kruger said he could not afford to lose his arm, for then he would no longer be able to handle his rifle. Then the doctor said that Kruger should at least allow him to cut off his left hand. But even this was too much for Kruger. The surgeon thereupon told Kruger that he would have nothing whatever to do with the case, and left. Kruger then got his jack-knife and sharpened it carefully, so that it became as sharp as a razor. He then laid his thumb upon a stone and himself cut off its extreme joint. But, to his great chagrin, the flesh would not heal at that point, as putrefaction had gone already too far. Again he laid his hand upon the stone, and this time carefully cut away all the flesh about and above the second joint of the thumb, and this time the flesh healed and his hand was spared. He now uses his left index finger as a thumb, and seizes small objects between the first two fingers of that hand.

Dr. Leyds almost capped this anecdote by telling me that while in Lisbon Kruger had a toothache, and paced up and down the room, seeking relief in vain. At last he quietly pulled out his penknife and cut the tooth out of his jaw by patience and persistence. What can such a man know of fear?—what can be to him such things as nerves?

It is gratifying to recall now that of all the stories I have heard about the Transvaal President, not one indicates that he is cruel or vindictive or untruthful. Men of all political opinions unite in acknowledging his courage, his good sense, his honesty, his patience, and a host of other estimable qualities. If some member of his family had collected but a tithe of the good things he has said, I have no doubt we should have to-day a volume of table-talk replete with rough wit and homely wisdom—another Martin Luther.—*From "White Man's Africa," by Poultney Bigelow, in Harper's Magazine for December.*

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"'Now I can do no more. We must trust to the great Disposer of all events and the justice of our cause. I thank God for this opportunity of doing my duty.' When Lord Nelson's message had been answered by a few ships in the van, he ordered me to make signal for close action and keep it up. Accordingly I hoisted No. 16 at the topgallant masthead, and there it remained until shot away." Such, then, is the duly sworn and attested statement of Nelson's flag lieutenant, which he gave to Col. Baylis, Q.C., who presented it to the museum.

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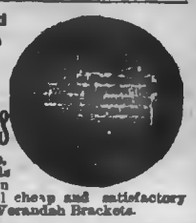

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HUNTERS' OPINIONS OF THE GAME LAWS.

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The deer this year were shot in every portion of the carcase, and meat was thus spoiled. He would like to see the season lengthened, as every deer now that was started was shot at by some one, as there were so many hunters in the woods at once. Settlers should not have to pay a license. More bucks than does are killed in the water, as the dogs follow the stronger scent, and will drive a buck to water, when a doe will dodge around through the underbrush with her fawn.

R. C. STRICKLAND,

of Lakefield, a hunter of 35 years experience, had always hunted with dogs until this season. He had been out in the woods one day this year, but as the bullets were whistling all around, he was glad to get safely back to camp without trying to get a deer. He was in favour of lengthening the time to two months. At present a deer could find no shelter once it was started, as there were so many hunters out at once. He would allow the settlers to kill all the male deer they chose in season. The change in the law, he thought, had more of a tendency to destroy them to preserve deer. The deer then got off as they dodge around in the woods rather than take a long run to water. The hunters do not see the females, as they are all posted on the watches near the lakes.

When the season is so short the hunters are out in such numbers that the deer, being thoroughly roused, are easily shot by the settlers, who get out on the runways. He advocated the abolition of the present form of licenses, but the placing of a higher license on the killing of does. It was better to kill off the bucks, as on account of their great number many of the does were barren. If a license was placed on the head of a doe, a man would be very careful in shooting one.

J. D. COLLINS, —

with over thirty years' experience, had hunted in water, on runways and by still hunting. There was no more cruelty in hunting a deer in the water than otherwise, but there was no chance of the deer getting away once it was in the water. Deer were preserved by not being allowed to be killed in the water. Not so many hunters would go out if they could not shoot in the water, but if as many went out then more deer would certainly be wounded. He got twenty-two deer this year in his party of twelve. Two were wounded, but they were followed and secured. His party was composed of old experienced hunters. He had to drag his over several miles to camp and the hardship was so great that many of his party would not go again. The deer would thus be preserved by the number of hunters being lessened. Last season his party only got fourteen deer. This season there twelve bucks and ten does killed. Last year there were twelve bucks and two does. He acknowledged that this appeared to show that under the present law more does were being killed off than formerly. He had no suggestions to make in regard to any changes in the present law, but thought a heavy penalty should be imposed on any man who shot at a man in mistake for a deer.

MR. TAIT,

of Lakefield, thought that the old law preserved the deer better than the present amendments. He thought 200 deer were wounded to 100 that were killed. If a deer were put into the water it was killed, but if shot at along the runway, it was probably only wounded and would get away.

MR. SAM RAY,

of town, thought that the old law preserved the deer better, but still he approved of killing in the water, as there was less cruelty, and the venison was in better shape. Many more deer were wounded on the runways and got away, than if shot in the water. He had hunted for 18 years and thought deer more plentiful than ever. He approved of lengthening the season on the same grounds as the previous speakers. His party wounded five or six deer this year which they did not get. When hunting deer in the water he never wounded one and allowed it to get away. The best way to preserve the deer was to lengthen the season, when hunters would not be out in such numbers at once, and a deer would stand some chance for its life. If it were started, under the present state of affairs, some one of the big crowd of hunters would kill or wound it.

MR. ALEX. SIMPSON,

the well known hunters' guide, of Lakefield, did not agree with Mr. Collins about killing deer out of the water. He approved of running them to the water. He had hunted for 20 years, and his experience was that on the runways two deer got away wounded to every one that was killed. This year he got seven deer—three bucks and four does. Two of these had been wounded before by others. Each had a leg broken. The venison was not as good when shot on the runway as in the water. Deer are as plentiful as ever. There are not as many wolves. He would like to see the old law restored and the season lengthened from October 20th to to November 15th. He was a settler himself and all of them residing near him were kicking about having to pay for killing a deer which fattened itself off their crops.

MR. WM. MACFARLANE,

of Young's Point, who has hunted for 26 years, remembered killing deer as early in the year as September 15th. He had killed deer on the runways and in the water. In his opinion the deer which was killed in the water was better meat than the other, nine times out of ten. When a deer fell on the runway it struck the ground hard and the flesh was bruised under the skin, spoiling it. Then, again, if a deer was shot in the body it would bleed inwardly and would keep soft and bloody and was hard to preserve. If shot in the head, as a deer generally was in the water, it bled properly and would keep splendidly. Last year with a party of ten he got ten deer. This year the same party got fifteen on the same ground, and five were wounded and got away. None got away wounded in '95. He did not approve of the present law. The deer would be better preserved by shooting in the water. He would like the season extended from Oct. 20th to Dec. 1st, or even later. Something should be done to stop the killing of deer out of season for their pelts. He suggested the paying of deputy wardens to look after this matter more strictly.

MR. J. B. M'WILLIAMS,

of town, was in favour of extending the season, and the abolition of settlers' licenses. Gentlemen from the towns and cities did not mind paying the license, but it was a hardship for the settlers. He was in favour of deer being killed in the water.

MR. F. J. LILLICRAP,

of Lakefield, was in favour of doing away with dog hunting altogether, being a still hunter himself. He thought it would be very hard to decide on whether the old law or the amendment was the best for the preservation, but thought it was far better to kill the deer outright as was done in the water. He was in favour of extending the season from November 1st to December 15th. This would give both the dog hunters and still hunters a chance.

MR. J. E. KEARNEY,

of Young's Point, thought that if the dogs were used at all the deer should be allowed to be killed in the water, although he was in favour of doing away with the dogs altogether and getting the deer by still-hunting. This would preserve the deer better than anything else. He urged the abolition of the license system for settlers.

MR. D. W. DUMBLE

in closing the meeting made a few remarks in which he stated that he gathered from the evidence taken, that the hunters were, as a whole, in favour of running deer with dogs and shooting them in the water as being more humane and more calculated to preserve the deer, as the does were not so likely to be killed and so many wounded ones did not get away to die. He also gathered that there was a strong opposition to the imposition of the license, especially on the settlers, and that there was an impression that deer could be still further preserved by lengthening the season so that all the hunters would not be out at once.

Mr. Dumble also brought up the matter of the establishment of a fish hatchery at Buckhorn, in which project he has been greatly interested for some time. He stated in this connection that he had interviewed Mr. Prince, of the Fisheries and Marine Department, in regard to establishing a hatchery for bass and maskinonge at Buckhorn, and also asked him to make provisions for fish slides in the new dams on the river; also drawing his attention to the need of a change in the law, so that salmon could be taken by nets, it being impossible to catch them with hook and line in the summer.

Mr. Prince had, however, declined to do anything stating that bass and lunge did not run and therefore there was no need of putting in fish-ways in the dams. As the fish spawned in the lakes he saw no need of a hatchery and concerning the salmon was sure that they could be caught easily. Mr. Dumble explained how hard it was to deal with a man of this nature, who could be told nothing but asserted his intention of working until something was accomplished.

Before adjournment the Association expressed itself as of the opinion that partridge should not be allowed to be shot for the market for years to come.

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LAKEWADE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Bennet, the miner at Jack's Lake, we hear, intends opening up the copper mine on John McGinn's place after Christmas.

Mr. Tullock, of the Stirling Mining Co., intends opening some of their mines after the holidays. They have the privilege of working on a large number of lots from the settlers in this vicinity.

Mrs. John Bullied and Miss E. A. Bullied were visiting at C. N. Dingman's last week.

Mrs. Dingman and Mrs. George Mace were visiting at Elder Gould's one day last week.

Mr. A. Woodbeck and Miss Keating were the guests of Maud Dingman on Sunday, the 6th.

Geo. McGinnes had a raising of a house a few days ago. Boys look out for a good time about the holidays.

Mr. Edward Yoeman drove two bears out of their den a few days ago, but did not get them.

Mr. May and Mr. Gilchrist have gone north of here for a season. They expect to be back here in the spring.

Mr. J. A. McColl is building a fine house. It will add greatly to the looks of his place, which has the appearance of a small village already.

Mr. R. Bannon has built a house on his farm and moved into it.

A young man from Prince Edward by the name of Davis, and a young man by the name of Miller, have bought the Caton place. They are fixing up the place to live in. I think they will soon get housekeepers.

Mr. William Bullied had a wood bee a few days ago.

Mr. Samuel Bullied had a wood bee on Wednesday.

Miss Isabella McGinn, is visiting friends in Chandos.

Mr. Lord has been very ill for a time, but we are glad he is able to take up his appointments again.

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GEO COCHRANE
License Inspector West Peterborough

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J. J. CROWE
Hall's Glen P. O.
License Inspector, East Peterborough

SOMETHING UNUSUAL!

Prevented From Giving Goods Away.

Owing to the action of certain parties, the attention of our local guardians of the law was called to Fairweather & Co's Great Gift of a High Grade Bicycle which we had announced to give away on Dec. 31st.

We find on consulting legal authority our method of giving the wheel to the party who held the lucky number was unwittingly infringing on the lottery act, and we will consequently have to make a change. We had noticed that in Toronto and other places the same method had been adopted as we were using, and consequently thought that it was all right. However, as we do not wish to break the law and also do not wish to break faith with the public, we have determined to give this wheel away in another way that will keep within the laws demands and still give justice to our numerous patrons.

No doubt the parties who interested themselves sufficiently to stop us will feel that they gained a great deal by having the authorities take this action until they know that we are going to give that Bicycle away in spite of all they can do.

On December 31st we will announce the new method by which we will give away our wheel. In the meantime we advise our customers to

RETAIN THEIR TICKETS

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Commissioner Larke Wants a Line of Freight Boats From Montreal Which Will Carry Goods at Low Rates—The Queen's Own Dispute—General Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 11.—(Special.)—Mr. J. S. Larke, Trade Commissioner in Australia, in his last report states that within the last few months it has been impossible to secure delivery of goods ordered in Canada. The line of steamships running from Victoria to Sydney are refusing to carry goods that are given to them for transportation to Australia. It is only the most paying kinds of freight that are taken on board, and of what is left some has to go by the American lines, a very undesirable step, or else away round by Yokohama and Hong Kong. Mr. Larke dwells upon the necessity for sending an occasional sailing vessel from Montreal, which could carry a large cargo of freight at low rates. Non-delivery of certain goods from Canada has seriously hampered the chances of our building up a trade. Mr. Larke speaks very hopefully of the opening for Canadian wheat and flour in Australia, and encourages an increase of the large shipments which have already been made. Till shipping facilities are improved, he sees little hope of Canadian producers building up the sales in Australia which enterprise would give them.

The Dairy Commissioner has been placed in possession of information which will lead to improvement of the present facilities for handling milk in the larger cities, to keep it from absorbing disease germs, which thrive so well in milk. It is a plan which is being used in some of the larger English centres of population, and would be of great advantage in places like Toronto and Montreal.

Col. Hamilton of the Q.O.R. was in the city to-day and had a lengthy interview with the Minister of Militia in regard to the affairs of the regiment. Col. Hamilton informed your correspondent that he had good reason to be satisfied with his talk with Dr. Borden, although he did not feel at liberty to state what had transpired. As stated last night, it is definitely settled that the case will be referred to a board of officers, to investigate into the nature of the dispute between Col. Hamilton and his brother officers.

Col. Hamilton is remaining here until to-morrow.

Apropos of the dispute among the officers of the Queen's Own Rifles and other corps, the remarks of Gen. Gascoigne at the Ottawa Garrison dinner last night are very significant. The General remarked that where he found officers of any corps not working in harmony, but squabbling and quarrelling, and therefore neglecting their regiment, the question might come before him to decide whether it was not better to allow the corps to be disbanded, so that impracticable officers would give way to others who would work together in unison and good-fellowship.

Three prominent steamship men of Montreal, Messrs. Torrance, Reford and Thom, had an interview with Sir Richard Cartwright to-day on steamship matters. It is said the fast Atlantic question was under consideration.

To-morrow's Ontario Gazette will contain application for incorporation of the Lady of the Lake Mining Company, with headquarters at Ottawa, and a capital stock of $500,000. Among those interested in the enterprise are: J. A. Seybold, J. W. Wurtele, Taylor, McVeity, F. W. Bindon, A. Bannerman and Albert Hudson. The property is situated on an island of 22 acres in the Rainy Lake district, within seven miles of Rat Portage, and within a mile and a half of the famout Sultana mine. Assays of ore run from $11 to $40 to the ton.

A writ has been issued at the instance of Mr. Moses Bilsky and others against Moses Goldstein, Samuel Hopleman, J. Freedman, I. Rubenstein and the Society of the Sons of Jacob, to set aside a mortgage under date of Sept. 23 against the lands and premises of the Society of the Sons of Jacob, known as the Jewish burial ground. It is claimed by the plaintiffs that J. Freedman and I. Rubenstein wrongfully assumed to act as the president and secretary of the society, and purported to have affixed the corporate seal of the society to the instrument, thereby doing a fraudulent and wrongful act. The court is asked to direct that the mortgage be cancelled and the registration of the instrument be declared void.

Mr. Laurier has consented to address two meetings at the close of the campaign in Cornwall. The Premier will speak at Cornwall on the evening of Wednesday, the 16th, and at Moose Creek in the afternoon of the following day.

The investigation into the Sparks-street fire will begin on Monday evening. Messrs. G. Ross, John Ferguson and G. M. Holbrook will be asked to appear and give evidence.

Mr. J. R. Booth, President of the Parry Sound Railway, having expressed his feelings that any testimonial to himself should be in the form of a resolution of the Board of Trade, the special committee met last night and decided to draft such a document, which will be ratified at the next meeting of the board.

Evidently this is a free coal government. The new furnaces to be placed in the Eastern block are to be specially constructed for the consumption of anthracite coal, instead of bituminous and wood, as at present. The intention is to convert the remaining furnaces into hard coal consumers, which will mean a consumption of 8000 or 10,000 tons of American anthracite in the Government buildings.

The shareholders of the C. Ross Company, limited, have decided unanimously to put up another building to replace the one destroyed by fire last week.

Mr. R. B. Rogers, superintending engineer of the Trent Valley Canal at Peterboro, is in the Capital.

Mr. John Davis of Windsor, formerly Inland Revenue Inspector, is here.

Mr. John O'Leary, who has held the contract for one section of the Soulanges Canal, is in the city. He has one of his steam shovels still at work on the excavation. He will stop work this week.

Hon. Justice Ouimet is in the city making arrangements for the removal of his household furnishings to Montreal.

Hon. J. I. Tarte returned last night from Quebec.

Mr. Robertson, contractor for the gardening on Parliament Hill, has lost his contract, John Greaves beating him in tendering.

Mr. McNeill, M. P., is in the city.

Beckles Willson of The London (Eng.) Daily Mail is in the city and presented letters of introduction to the Premier to-day.

Two men, David Spicer and Henry Murphy, engaged in removing the debris from the Hartney Building on Sparks-street, which was destroyed by fire last week, were nearly killed this afternoon by the collapse of a portion of the building. Murphy will not likely recover.

Later.—Spicer has since died.

There were more prosecutions to-day for selling cigarets to minors, and convictions were secured in three cases.

Hon. John Costigan returned to Ottawa to-day after an absence of nearly two months spent in the wilds of New Brunswick. Mr. Costigan is looking remarkably well after his hunting trip.

NIAGARA FALLS TOPICS.

A Bank on the American Side Shuts Its Doors—Massive Steel Pieces for the New International Bridge.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Dec. 11.—(Special.)—This afternoon one of the immense steel bases for the new arch bridge was lowered from the bank to the bottom of the gorge and placed on the stone foundations. These bases are the heaviest pieces of steel that have to be handled on the work—they weigh 23 tons. A great crowd of people lined the bank and the bridge while the section was being lowered.

Late yesterday afternoon four tough characters were arrested at Port Colborne on suspicion of being the burglars who attempted to crack the safe in Welland the night previous. They are now lodged in Welland Jail.

Interested gas men throughout the gas belt in the south end of this county claim that the flow of natural gas is not decreasing, as reported, as another "gusher" has been struck at Port Colborne. It will take many similar strikes, however, to restore perfect confidence.

The First National Bank of Niagara Falls, N.Y., did not open its doors this morning, and, instead, posted an order of "Closed, awaiting examination." The failure was due to the withdrawal of the funds of the Niagara County Savings Bank and heavy advances made by an ex-cashier without the knowledge of the other officials. All the depositors will be paid in full. The failure has caused the collapse of the Cataract Mills, the wheels of which have been stopped for the first time in 14 years.

A GLUT OF FREIGHT.

C.P.R. Has Its Hands Full and Ocean Steamships Have to Leave Goods Behind at St. John.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 11.—The C. P. R. are having all they can do to handle freight outward bound. The elevator is full of grain for the first time since it has been built, and many cars of grain are on the sidings. The Lake Huron had to leave some behind and the Lake Superior will have to do the same, while the Alcides, of the Donaldson Line, now loading, will not be able to take all the Glasgow freight.

REV. M'DONNELL WANTS $100,000

From The Brooklyn Eagle Because That Paper Said He Played the Races, etc.

Brooklyn, Dec. 11.—A trial of a suit for libel brought by Rev. Patrick McDonnell, an ex-priest, formerly connected with St. Paul's Church, this city, against The Brooklyn Eagle, is now occupying the attention of the Supreme Court in this city. The alleged libel was contained in an article published in The Eagle, in which the plaintiff was accused of playing the races, intoxication and other questionable practices while he was sojourning in Washington on a certain occasion in a clerical capacity.

OVATION TO WEYLER

The Havana Populace Cheers the Spanish General

ON HIS ARRIVAL IN THE CUBAN CAPITAL

He Rode in on Horseback and the Crush Was So Great That He Had to Stop His Horse—Cheers for the King and Spain's Army—Rebellion Believed to be Crushed.

Havana, Dec. 11.—Gen. Weyler arrived here at 5.30 o'clock this evening. He rode into the city on horseback, accompanied by two squadrons of cavalry. His coming had been made known to the public, and large crowds gathered to welcome him. He was given a popular ovation from the time he reached the city limits until he arrived at the Palace. At some places along his route girls strewed flowers in his pathway and he was in other ways treated as a popular hero.

Calle Chispo, Calle O'Reilly and the other streets in the vicinity of the palace and the Plaza de Armas were jammed with people, who enthusiastically cheered the Captain-General as he rode along. When he arrived near the Palace the enthusiastic crowd surrounded him despite the military and he was compelled to stop his horse in order not to ride down his admirers, who greeted him with all manner of loyal cries.

A passageway was finally opened and Gen. Weyler proceeded to the Palace. Shortly after he had entered the building he appeared upon a balcony and was greeted with the most tumultuous cheering. The scene was reminiscent of the time when Martinez Campos arrived in Havana years ago after pacifying the Island.

When Gen. Weyler called upon his audience to cheer for the King, Spain and the army, a roar went up that could be heard across the bay in Morro Castle and the fortress of Cabanas.

When silence had been restored, Gen. Weyler made an address, from the tenor of which it would be supposed that the suppression of the rebellion was an accomplished fact. He said, among other things, that everything that had been done had been accomplished by the army which had been entrusted with the pacification of the Island and the maintenance of Spain's sovereignty.

He was continually interrupted by cheering, which was continued after he had left the balcony.

Later Gen. Weyler gave a reception that was attended by the members of the municipal corporation, delegations from various societies and prominent residents of the city. All congratulated him upon the success that had attended the Spanish arms and complimented him upon the effectiveness of his campaign in Pinar del Rio.

The city to-night presents a most animated aspect, reflecting the joy felt by the Spaniards because of Maceo's death and Gen. Weyler's triumph over the insurgents in the western province. Casa Blanco, the little village under the walls of the Cabana fortress, and Regla, on the southern side of the bay, held little demonstrations of their own.

A CANADIAN HERO.

He Was Single and Gave Up His Chance of Life to a Man Who Had a Family—Montreal News.

Montreal, Dec. 11.—(Special.)—The Swedish and Norwegian Consulate at Quebec has been requested to assist in tracing the relatives and chronicle the act of a young Canadian seaman, supposed of French extraction, Charles Gebhardt by name, who formed part of the crew of the Norwegian barque Caledonia, of Drammen, Norway, and at the foundering of that vessel in the Bay of Biscay, on the 7th of October last, when, at the last moment, going to fetch a life buoy for the preservation of his own life a little longer from a watery grave, finding the carpenter of the vessel going with the same purpose in view, exclaimed: "Do you also want it, carpenter? Well, take it; you have a family. Don't mind me."

Gebhardt could not swim, and was drowned, while the carpenter, a married man, residing at Drammen, Norway, was picked up by the boat of an English vessel near at hand and was saved. Relatives or acquaintances of this Canadian hero are asked to communicate their name and address to the Swedish and Norwegian Consulate, Quebec, or to the owner of the vessel, Mr. James S. Lorentzen, Drammen, Norway. Gebhardt was shipped in Liverpool, England, in the latter part of last September.

TEDDY IS STILL AHEAD

And the Irish Lad Has Already Beaten the Six Days' Record—Band Played Irish Airs.

New York, Dec. 11.—One minute after 8 o'clock to-night Teddy Hale, the Irish hero of the six-day bicycle race at Madison-square Garden, passed the previous record for six days, made by Schock in 1895—1000 miles—and had 25 hours 50 minutes to the good. He not only broke the record himself, but forced the six men following on his trail to break the previous best for 116 hours—1457 miles 8 laps. Hale was sprinting miles in 2.24 at 7 o'clock this evening, and appeared so fresh that he was looked upon as the sure winner of the contest.

The battle for second honors was waged again to-day between Forster and Rice. At noon the former had a little the best of the Wilkes-Barre entry, and led him by a few miles, but later on Rice regained the lead. For a time it looked as if Rice's weakened frame would scarcely support his wonderful pluck. He was very weak at times, and the nervous strain was making him irritable. He was poorly handled up to last night, when Pete Golden, the old-time trainer, was hired by a committee of Wilkes-Barre citizens to look after him. Golden humored the wearied and nervous rider, and in the evening Rice was going much better, though still somewhat weak. The pace was telling on Forster also, and he went off pretty frequently during the day. Reading, Schock, Smith, Taylor, Moore and Pierce kept in about the same relative positions after the leaders all day. Ashinger, Maddox and Cassidy made the third division, about 40 miles behind Pierce, while, of the other four, Gannon and McLeod are likely to get the tail-end of the 11 prizes if they keep on at the same rate.

A tremendous burst of applause greeted Hale when the announcement was made at 8 o'clock that he had broken the six-day record. The band played the Irish national airs and pandemonium reigned for a few minutes.

There were fully 5000 people in the garden at the time, and the crowd kept pouring in, until by 10 o'clock there were between 9000 and 10,000 present.

Cloy's Ship Chandlery Burned.

Thorold, Ont., Dec. 11.—Cloy's large ship chandlery at Lock 24 on the new Welland Canal here was destroyed by fire between 9 a.m. if 10 o'clock to-night. Stock and building a total loss. Cause of fire unknown, as there was no one in the building at the time. Loss on building $3400; insured for $1700. Loss on stock not ka nd.

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No. LXXXII.

What the World's Great Cities Are Doing to Improve the Health and Comfort of the Poor.

The excellent results of the municipal and other efforts for the improvement of the conditions of the poor in our large cities have been attained partly through the labours of sanitary aid associations, and partly through the erection of model dwellings. Sanitary aid associations organise and mould public sentiment in favour of wise sanitary legislation; they assist boards of health in the discharge of their duties; they devote themselves to the education of the poor on sanitary questions. A certain Dr. Thresh investigated the causes of the excessive mortality in one of the districts of Manchester, which ranged from 40 to 80 per 1000. The mere publication of the fact aroused public opinion. The causes of the existing evil were discovered and removed. The New York board of health maintains a special summer corps of physicians whose duty it is to visit the tenement houses, and give medical advice and treatment, distribute literature, give hints for the care of infants, and to search out insanitary conditions. The Mansion House Council on the Dwellings of the Poor is a sanitary association presided over by the Lord Mayor of London, with the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Chief Rabbi and Lord Salisbury as its vice-presidents. In their report for 1891 we read that "there is hardly a parish in the Metropolis to which our services have not been called, and it is one of the most hopeful signs that the public are becoming increasingly alive to the value of sanitation, as shown by numerous applications we receive almost daily for aid for the redress of grievances arising from sanitary conditions in connection with dwellings or workshops." The Social and Sanitary Society of Edinburgh employs male and female inspectors. The Boston Better Dwellings Society, the Sanitary Protective League, and the Ladies' Health Protective Association, of New York, are societies whose value is testified to by Dr. Gould, the author of the 8th report of the U. S. Commissioner of Labour.

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Model block buildings are of various classes. (1) Buildings composed of blocks of houses each sheltering more than four families. (2) Model small houses, each accommodating from one to four families, and (3) Model lodging houses. Some are conducted on a purely commercial basis, others are semi-philanthropic in aim, in which, whilst the commercial element is by no means lost sight of, the dividends are limited to a sum equal to, or slightly inferior to normal commercial rates on investments of the highest class. Then there are philanthropic trusts, such as the Peabody Donation Fund, and municipal model enterprises.

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Model housing of working people on a large scale began in England, and has had its chief development there. It is estimated that in London 130,000 people live in block buildings. One third of this number are accommodated by the Peabody Donation Fund, and the Improved Industrial Dwellings Company. We will, therefore, give a short account of these two companies.

The capital for the Peabody fund was recruited from three gifts and a bequest from the late George Peabody for the purpose of improving the housing of the working people of London. In 1862 Mr. Peabody gave £150,000, in 1866 £100,000, in 1868 £100,000, and at his death he left £150,000 more to the same fund. The capital fund now amounts to £1,111,000, of which £800,0000 has accrued from interest on the original capital, which amounts to about 3½ per cent. The rents in these tenements are about 25 per cent. less than for similar accommodation in the neighbourhood. They are very much in demand, although stringent rules are binding on all the tenants, such as: All rents to be paid in advance; no application for rooms will be entertained unless every member of the applicant's family has been vaccinated. Tenants are required to distemper and whitewash their rooms at least once a year to the satisfaction of the trustees or their agents, but must not paper, paint, or drive nails into the walls. The gas will be turned off at 11 p.m. The Peabody trustees take great pride in the salubrity of their numerous block buildings. In 1893 the birth rate was 4.1 per 1000 above that of all London, and the death rate 3.7 below the average of the metropolis.

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The Improved Industrial Dwelling Co. was founded by Sir Sidney Waterlow, its present president. It has a total capital of £750,000. It pays an annual dividend of 5 per cent., and carries a large sum annually ally to the reserve fund. Whereas the Peabody fund is a purely philanthropic institution, the Improved Industrial is purely commercial, at the same time the utmost attention is given to sanitation, and the statistics of births and deaths are quite equal to those of the Peabody buildings.

The Brady street block of the 4 p. c. Industrial Dwellings Co., of London, accommodates no less than 1,161 persons. The rentals are from 20—50 per cent. below those of other buildings in this district. The buildings enclose a playground of over one-third of an acre for the children, and there is a large club house containing a men's club room, men's conversation room, billiard room, women's club room, women's conversation room, library, class room, concert room and bath rooms.

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The volume from which the above information is derived [the eighth special report of the Commissioner of Labour for the United States] will be placed on the shelves of our Public Library, and as it contains scores of illustrations, ground plan, elevations, etc., it should be of interest to architects and builders. The December number of the American Review of Reviews contains an interesting article on New York's great movement for housing reform with a portrait of Mr. E. R. D. Gould, the accomplished author of the Eighth Report.

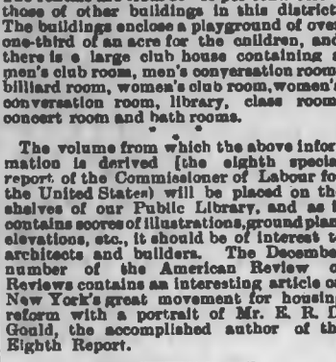
IN THE SHADOW OF DEATH.

THE CONDITION OF MANY YOUNG GIRLS IN CANADA.

Pale Faces and Bloodless Lips—Given to Headaches — Extreme Weakness, Heart Palpitation and other Distressing Symptoms—The Means of Cure Readily at Hand.

From the Leamington Post.

The attention of the Post has lately been frequently called to a remarkable cure in the case of a young girl living within a few miles of this town, whose life was despaired of, but who was completely cured in a short space of time by the most wonderful of remedies, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Since reading in almost every issue of the Post of the cures effected by the use of this medicine, we felt it to be a duty we owed to investigate this case, which has so urgently been brought to our notice, and we are sure the interview will be read with interest by the thousands of young girls all over Canada, as well as by the parents of such interesting patients. The young lady in question is not anxious for notoriety, but is willing to make her case known in order that others who are similarly afflicted may have an opportunity of being



equally benefitted. The symptoms in her disease differed in no way from those affecting thousands of young girls about her age. She was suffering from extreme weakness, caused by an impoverished condition of the blood, and her chances of life seemed to grow less every day. The best and brightest fade away as well as others, but when we see a young girl of sixteen years, who should be in the best of health, with cheeks aglow with the rosy flush of youth, and eyes bright and flashing, just the opposite, with sallow cheeks, bloodless lips, listless in every motion, despondent, despairing of life with no expectation or hope of regaining health, and with only one wish left, that of complete rest, physical and mental, we think it one of the saddest of sights.

In the quiet little hamlet of Strangfield, in Essex County, just such a case was presented to the sorrowing eyes of loving friends a few months ago in the person of Miss Ella Beacon, who frequently said she did not care how soon she died, as life had no charms for her. To our reporter she declared that life had been a burden, but after suffering in this way for months, and after trying all sorts of remedies prescribed by physicians or furnished by friends from some cherished recipe handed down from their grandmother, but without being benefitted in the least, she was at last persuaded by a neighbor to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial; but she had tried so many remedies without giving relief that she still refused for some weeks. However, after repeated urgings by her parents and friends she began the use of the pills. Before one box was taken she experienced some relief, and after the use of a few more boxes she was restored to perfect health, and there are a few young girls now who enjoy life more. She says she owes her life and happiness to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and is willing that all the world should know it. Her case attracted much attention and her perfect recovery has occasioned much comment.

The facts above related are important to parents, as there are many young girls just budding into womanhood whose condition is, to say the least, more critical than the parents imagine. Their complexion is pale and waxy in appearance, troubled with heart palpitation, headaches, shortness of breath on the slightest exercise, faintness and other distressing symptoms which invariably lead to a premature grave unless prompt steps are taken to bring about a natural condition of health. In this emergency no remedy yet discovered can supply the place of Dr. William's Pink Pills, which build anew the blood, strengthen the nerves and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. They are a certain cure for troubles peculiar to the female system, young or old. Pink Pills also cure such diseases as rheumatism, neuralgia, partial paralysis, locomotor ataxia, St. Vitas' dance, nervous headache, nervous prostration, the after effects of la grippe, influenza and severe colds, diseases depending on humors in the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. In the case of men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of any nature.

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VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA.

Ballington Booth's Army, After Considerable Deliberation, Has Adopted a Constitution.

New York, Dec. 11.—After nearly a week of deliberation the directors of the Volunteers of America have succeeded in framing a constitution to meet the requirements of the movement started by Ballington Booth about nine months ago.

The field officers of the Volunteers representing battalions in every part of the United States have been in session in this city since last Monday. They elected a *Grand Field Council composed of* 30 members. In making up their constitution the members of the Grand Council endeavored to follow the spirit of the constitution of the United States and remove entirely any semblance of autocratic power and also to avoid any possibility of theological discussion.

Article I. affirms the purpose of the organization as follows: The Volunteers of America is a movement, military in its methods, organized for the reaching and uplifting of all sections of the people and bringing them to the immediate knowledge and active service of God.

Article 2 provides that "This is and must ever be an American institution, recognizing the spirit and justice of the constitution of the United States, and it is not and never shall be controlled or governed by any foreign power whatever. It is further provided that all members of the incorporated society must be citizens of the United States or persons who have declared their intention of becoming citizens."

The standard of the Volunteers, while being emblematical of the principles and truths in which they believe, will be distinctively American. Accordingly, the ground of the standard will be white, emblematic of purity. In the centre there will be a five-pointed star, typical of hope. In the centre of the star there will be a white cross, emblematical of sacrifice for others, and in the upper corner or standard, nearest the staff, there will be, on a blue field, as many *stars as there are States in* the Union. Over the central blue star is the motto "The Lord, My Banner."

There are ten cardinal doctrines of the Volunteers of America. They affirm belief in one Supreme God, in the Trinity, in the inspiration of the Bible, in the divinity of Christ, in the saving quality of repentance, and in the resurrection.

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THE CHERRY LIBERIANS.

Fired on Another British Warship and Demanded Customs Duties.

Liverpool, Dec. 11.—The British steamer Erasmus, which arrived here *to-day from the West Coast of Africa*, brings another report of an outrage by Liberians. When the steamer was preparing to anchor at Capa Palmas, the Liberian gunboat fired at her, the shot passing between her masts. After she had anchored he gunboat ran alongside and her commander boarded the Erasmus, and insisted that the passengers on the steamer, who were Kroo laborers, should be landed at Cape Palmas, instead of Rocktown, whither they were bound. Capt in Haynes of the Erasmus refused to land the men and the Liberians eventually contented themselves by levying customs duties on the Kroos. Capt Haynes made a formal protest to the Liberian Government at Monrovia, and has informed the British Government of all the facts of the case. It was only a short time ago that Liberia was forced to pay $1000 for outrages on British subjects, two war ships going to Grand Bassa and enforcing the demand by threatening to seize the customs house.

If you are anxious to find the most reliable blood-purifier, read in Ayer's Almanac the testimonials of those who have been cured of such terrible diseases as catarrh, rheumatism, and scrofula, by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Then govern yourself accordingly.

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It Was a Most Appalling Calamity.

OVER THREE HUNDRED LIVES LOST.

She Had on Board a Large Number of Emigrants, All of Whom With the Crew Perished—17 People Lost in the Bristol Channel—Collapse of Buildings in Spain.

Bremen, Dec. 11.—It is now positively known that when the North German Lloyd steamer Salier, from Bremen for Buenos Ayres, foundered on the Corunna Corrubedo shoals in the gale that swept the European Atlantic coasts in the early part of this week, she had on board 214 passengers, all of whom, together with her crew of 28 men, went down with the ship. The Salier carried no cabin passengers.

What They Say in Madrid.

Madrid, Dec. 11.—A despatch received here from Villagarcia estimates the number of victims at 400.

The disaster occurred during a dense fog and very heavy weather. The Salier had a fearful passage from Bremen to this port. Two of her boats were swept overboard by the heavy seas, which beat over her, and she sustained other damage from the same cause. It is believed that about 403 persons perished. The steamer struck, during the night of Monday last, on a ledge of rocks about two and one-half miles off Cape Corrubedo, on her way from this place to Villagarcia, where she was to ship another lot of steerage passengers, bound for Buenos Ayres.

The Salier was an old vessel, which the North German Lloyd Company had agreed to sell to an Italian firm trading between Italy and American ports; but, owing to some slight disagreement as to the terms, the deal was not completed, and the steamer was sent on another voyage. She was considered to be in every way seaworthy.

This Report Says 381.

London, Dec. 11.—A despatch from Lloyd's agent at Corunna says that 381 persons lost their lives by the wreck of the Salier.

Bodies Washed Ashore.

Vigo, Spain, Dec. 11.—Twenty-eight bodies from the ill-fated steamer Salier have been washed ashore, including that of the captain. It was found that his watch had stopped at 5.30 o'clock, presumably on Tuesday morning, a very short time after the vessel went down. It is stated here that the number of persons lost was 281.

Only 214 Passengers.

Bremen, Dec. 11.—It is said here that the despatch from Corunna to The Cologne Gazette stating that the loss of life occasioned by the foundering of the Salier may possibly be as high as 500 is entirely groundless. It is reaffirmed here that there were not more than 214 passengers on board, all in the steerage, a crew of 66 and a pilot.

In heavy weather there is a fearful surf on the reef where the Salier struck, and if she had not foundered she would have been quickly pounded to pieces.

279 People on Board.

London, Dec. 11.—The Daily Mail will to-morrow publish a despatch from Corunna saying that there were 184 men and 95 women on the steamer. Only 51 of this number embarked at Carunna. The despatch adds that the completeness of the disaster precludes the obtaining of any details.

ANOTHER DISASTER.

Seventeen Lost Their Lives in This — Another German Steamer Too.

London, Dec. 11.—The German ship Rajah, Captain Bellmer, from Barry, Wales, for Hong Kong, has foundered in the Bristol Channel. Two of her crew have been picked up. Seventeen others, comprising the remainder of the crew, were drowned. The Rajah was an iron vessel, of 1200 tons. She was built at Liverpool in 1864 and owned by D. Schilling of Bremen.

AND STILL ANOTHER.

This Time a Building Collapsed and Many Persons Were Killed.

Cadiz, Dec. 11.—A terrible disaster occurred at Xeres in the Province of Andalusia, and 16 miles from this city, this morning through the collapse of a building. A house containing twenty-five persons collapsed without warning, burying all of its inmates in the debris. The house fell upon an adjoining tenement building, which also gave way. The tenement house was inhabited by 85 persons, all of whom were buried by the wreckage. Eleven dead bodies and 46 seriously injured have already been taken from the ruins and the work of excavation for the purpose of recovering the others is progressing as rapidly as possible.

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the great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures Constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 289 George street.

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One Laxa-Liver Pill taken each night during 30 days will cure Constipation, oft-returning Headaches and irregular action of the bowels. Laxa-Liver Pills leave no unpleasant after-effect.

CASTORIA.

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National Dishes of Germany.

There is a picture, more or less well known, from the brush of a humorous and perhaps patriotic German painter that very accurately describes the prevailing impression concerning the German palate. The picture in question represents a charming young German girl picking cabbages from a Christmas tree, and beneath the painting an inscription which, being freely translated, means that Germany offers a wonderful kitchen to the contemplation of civilization. This national taste for cabbage is carried into their Christmas dinner. That meal consists of boiled pork and sauerkraut, sausages, black puddings, goose stuffed with chestnuts, cheese cakes and baked apples, beef with sour sauce, smoked goose and potatoes, washed down with beer.

GRIP HERE AGAIN

Dread Bacilli which came from Russia in 1889 still at work.

If You Have a Stubborn Cough and Sore Throat, You Are a Victim.

Epidemic Checked by "77."

Grip is here again but it is here in a much milder form than it was in 1889 and 1890, when it counted its dead by the thousands on both sides of the Atlantic.

The malady has been prevalent for perhaps a month, but it is only within the last few days that it has been recognized as our dread visitor from Russia, who came in December, 1889. At first the doctors passed the cases off as colds, but they have found them so stubborn and unyielding to treatment that they now are taking the more serious view.

LIKE A COLD, ONLY STUBBORN.

The symptoms as described by physicians in all parts of the town are first a slight fever with chills, followed by a catarrhal condition of the head, descending to the throat and even to the larynx and bronchial tubes. In most cases there is a most distressing and stubborn cough. The severer cases run for weeks unless checked by the use of Dr. Humphreys' Specific "77."

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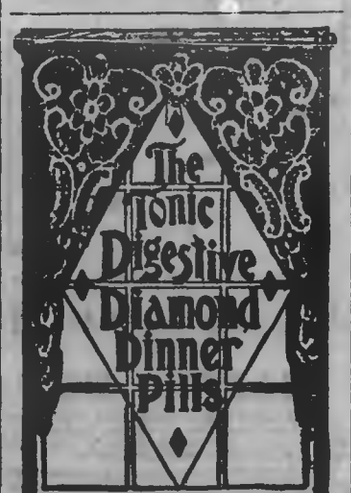

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Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
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LOCAL NEWS.

None too early to give G. E. Whiten a sitting if you want a photograph for your friends at Christmas. Don't delay.

That Tired Feeling

is always in evidence when you've to seed a quantity of raisins. This trouble is averted if you get your Christmas fruits from Mason & Co., as you will have the use of a raisin seeder free. 2J137

Town Council Meeting.

A special meeting of the town council will be held to-night for the purpose of passing a bylaw to protect the tax collector in the event of the date for the payment of taxes being postponed.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

St. Luke's Church, Ashburnham.

The third of the course of Advent sermons in St. Luke's church will be preached to-morrow night by Rev. H. Symonds. Subject, "The Preparation of the Written Word for the Coming of Jesus Christ."

Wounded Deer.

The hunters who spoke at the hunter's meeting on Thursday gave specific instances of deer wounded by them in this year's hunt to the number of forty-four, most of which they alleged would perish in the woods.

Rice Lake Open.

Rice Lake was frozen over during the recent cold snap, and ice formed to the depth of fully three inches, being strong enough to easily support a man. The soft weather, however, has allowed the lake to open up again.

Marks Bros. Company

Presented "Driven from Ireland" to a large audience last night. To-night the four act comedy, "The Waif of the Mines." The company will begin next week with the great New York success, "The Great Diamond Robbery." A packed house turned out this afternoon to see "Little Lord Fauntelroy."

Not a Candidate.

Mr. G. M. Roger wishes it explicitly understood that he is not and does not desire to be a candidate for the council in No. 3 Ward for the coming year. His private business will not permit him to give that attention to civic business which he would wish to do in case he were a member of the council. It is to be regretted that a gentleman of Mr. Roger's ability and integrity cannot see his way to assisting in giving the town good civic government.

The Banquet to Hon. Senator Cox.

The executive committee in connection with this affair will meet in the office of the town clerk on Monday evening to finally complete arrangements. The seating capacity of the dining hall is limited, and it may be that some may desire to attend who will necessarily not be able to do so. Applications for tickets are attended to in the order of reception. Those who have expressed a desire to get tickets, and who have not procured them before the meeting on Monday night, will, if the seating capacity at that time be exhausted, regretfully have to to be placed in the same position as those who have not applied for tickets in time.

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THE COURT ADJOURNED.

The Verdicts in the Last Three Cases Pronounced.

In the case of Scrivener vs. Adams, in which Police Constable Adams was sued for damages for locking up the boy Scrivener for kicking his dog on the market place, the Judge after hearing the witnesses stated that no evidence had been submitted showing that the defendant had acted *maliciously* or without reasonable and probable cause. The Criminal Code authorized him to arrest without a warrant anyone who was found committing an offence under the class of cases relating to cruelty to animals. A constable is justified in arresting anyone whom he, on reasonable and probable ground, believes to have committed an offence, even though the person is not guilty. The Judge, therefore, held that there was no evidence in this case in which the jury could properly find against the defendant and he directed that a non-suit be entered.

E. B. Stone appeared for the plaintiff, and E. B. Edwards for the defendant.

In the case of Doran vs. Young the plaintiff sued for $200 on two charges, claiming that the defendant had started a fire, which crossed into his premises, and after being warned that a certain right of way on the plaintiff's property had not yet been surveyed, had nevertheless cut timber upon it.

The defendant acknowledged cutting two cords of wood, and selling them for $3.50, and the jury gave a verdict for the plaintiff, awarding him $3.50 damages.

W. H. Moore for plaintiff; Edmison & Dixon for defendant.

Howson vs. Bickle—This action was brought by Geo. H. Howson, of town, against Samuel Bickle, with whom the plaintiff was employed as bookkeeper and salesman. He claimed $145.27, as balance of the salary due him. The defendant claimed that Howson had already been overpaid to the amount of $3.57. The jury awarded the plaintiff $73.48.

E. B. Stone for plaintiff and Jno. Burnham, Q.C., for defendant.

In the case against Mark Lockington for burglary, of which a brief mention was made yesterday, merely noting his acquittal, the defence was most ably handled by Mr. F. D. Kerr, of the firm of Kerr, Gladman & Kerr. The jury was unanimous in its verdict of acquittal. The Crown's interests were looked after by Mr. R. E. Wood, County Crown Attorney.

WILL ISSUE AN INJUNCTION.

Boathouse Owners Say the C.P.R. is Infringing.

When the Canadian Pacific Railway obtained permission to put in a spur line running up the Dickson Company's mills, it was on the understanding that the rights of property holders along the river should be respected.

The property holders now claim that their privileges are being threatened, as the opening which is left under the trestle work of the bridge for the boats to go through, is being filled up with piles, which would have the effect of debarring the boats and canoes from the English or Peterborough Canoe Company's boathouse from getting out to the river, as well as shutting off the Otonabee Canoe Club and many of private boathouses.

It is understood an injunction will be applied for to restrain the railway authorities.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—"Simon Peter" is the subject of an address by Rev. E. V. Stevenson, at the Y.M.C.A., at 4.15 p.m., Sunday.

—Prof. Gregor, of McGill University, Montreal, will lecture in the George street Methodist church on "Goethe," on December 22od.

—Thomas Brown, who was discharged yesterday morning on a charge of drunkeness, is again in the cells on the same charge.

—The steamer Mary Ellen is being completely remodelled. Capt. Spollard was in town yesterday and says the work is progressing rapidly.

—We are informed that the Baptists are meeting with much encouragement at Havelock and that the service there every Sunday morning is very well attended.

—Mr. Stanley Tarrant, of Kingston, has a St. Bernard bitch which has given birth to fourteen pups in one litter. An Ashburnham mastiff recently gave birth to seventeen.

—Husband and wife ran against each other for the office of Senator in Utah. The women won. Now while she attends congress he will presumably stay home and mind the babies.

—In the Charlotte street church, on Sunday morning, Miss Ames of Hamilton, will contribute a vocal solo, and at the evening service Miss McAllister will sing "Abide with Me," by Hutchins—Mr. "Jack" Hutchins, formerly of town.

Grafton & Co's Xmas Sale of Neck Ties, Worth 25c. for 12c, in all colours and shapes.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

No difficulty in making first-class photos of children at G. E. Whiten's new photo studio. Dull weather is just as good as bright as making the new style of photos at Whiten's, entrance opposite Oak Hall, on Hunter street.

A Good Judge of Meat

Is a blessing to any household. She knows that for prime roasts, juicy steaks and chops, fresh poultry and delicious sausage, J. J. Howden's, 461 George street, is the favourite meat shop for her. Hams, bacon and lard always on hand. Telephone 39.

Court Forest Queen, No. 642.

All the members of Court Forest Queen and sister courts are requested to attend a special meeting of the above court on Monday evening in the Forester's Hall, Simcoe street. Nineteen new members will be initiated, the initiatory team of Court Peterborough taking part.

A Shaving Machine.

The new shaving machine, which has not yet been patented, and which, as yet, only exists in the active imagination of most people, is of no importance, compared with the obtaining of the Christmas groceries, the best of which are obtained at E. Brown & Co's, importers of wines and liquors.

Wedded on Wednesday.

Mr. Gill McKinnon, the genial wine clerk at the Campbell house, Kirkfield, was married Wednesday in Peterborough to Miss Austin, a popular young lady residing in Cambray. Mr. J. Campbell, of the firm of McKinnon & Campbell, Kirkfield, supported the groom, the bride being assisted by Miss McKinnon, of Woodville, sister of the groom.

Christian Endeavour Convention.

The local convention of the Young People's Societies of the Presbytery of Peterborough will take place in St. Paul's church, on Monday, Dec. 14th, 1896. The afternoon session will be from 2.30 to 5.00, and the evening from 7.30 to 9.30. The public are cordially invited to attend. The Rev. J. A. Turnbull, of West church, Toronto, will give an instructive address.

Grafton & Co's Handsome Prize Pictures are going very fast, now lot received over 100 to choose from.

OTONABEE CLAIMS ANOTHER VICTIM.

ADELARD VINETTE IN A WATERY GRAVE.

His Little Brother Oliver was Drowned Near the Same Spot a Year ago Last May.

A most distressing accident occurred yesterday afternoon, just at the piers which have been constructed for the new bridge at Auburn, whereby Adelard Vinette lost his life by drowning.

It seems that, accompanied by Napoleon Gagnon, he had paddled up the river in a punt to the scene of the recent Meldrum-McAllister fire, at Auburn. They loaded a quantity of old scrap iron and waterlogged slabs on the punt, and were returning down the river when the heavily-laden boat was caught in the eddies at the new bridge and swirled around so quickly that one corner went under and sufficient water was taken in to submerge the punt completely.

Thinking it would sink to the bottom, Vinette sprang into the water and struck boldly for the shore, but the numbing coldness of the water was too much for him, and he went down in plain view of his companion, who remained clinging to the boat.

A couple of men on shore put off in a punt to the rescue, but Vinette went down before they could reach him. They succeeded, however, in rescuing Gagnon, Pike poles, etc., were immediately put into service, and the search for the body was continued nearly all night but without avail.

It is now thought that the swift current has carried the body a great deal further down the river, and to-day parties are watching at Martin's dam.

A sad coincidence exists in the fact that little Oliver Vinette, the brother of the drowned man came to his death through falling into the river off the Waterworks dam a year ago last May. As might be imagined, the heart-broken mother is almost distracted.

The victim of the accident was 19 years of age, and was an employee of the Auburn Woollen Mills.

A HAPPY ENDING.

The County Council Concludes its Finally Final Session in Rousing Style—Hands all Around—Auld Lang Syne.

The concluding sitting of the last session of the last county council under the old regime, came to an end this morning in a most happy manner, which one could hardly expect of the expiring hours of a moribund body—figuratively speaking the curtain was rung down on red fire effects.

Complimentary and congratulatory resolutions were passed to the Clerk and Treasurer, the Sessional Clerk, the County Engineer, the County School Inspector, and even the press, to the tune of hearty applause and "For they are jolly good fellows. Happy little speeches of acknowledgment followed, in which all the orators spoke in warm terms of the high character and prompt business practices of the County Council.

After this the members of the council introduced a new style of adjournment by rising, joining hands and singing "Auld Lang Syne" lustily, led by the melodious baritone of the county engineer, who took the levels and struck the harmonic grade with the skill of a Campanini. The warden capped the climax of valedictory enthusiasm by proposing three cheers for the Queen, which were given with a vim and energy that agitated Her Majesty's portrait in its frame and made the Lion on the Coat of Arms, wink with emotion. If it is a pleasant thing to see brethren dwell in unity, it is a pleasanter thing to see them part in harmony and with so philosophical acceptance of the fate that must come to 13 of them, who necessarily cannot expect to come back next year. The end of the old regime of county councils in Peterborough brought to an end one of the best councils that occupied the chamber during the past 45 years—as jolly and jovial hosts on a bridge inspection tour, as they were steady-going, solid legislators when they got down to business. To ten of the old council, at least, we will say not "good bye," but "au revoir"—till next January.

PERSONAL

Mr. W. L. Sharpe is down in Port Hope.

Mr. John Spence is spending a few days in Dummer.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Ellwood Lane, of Chicago, are being entertained at the Huffman House by Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Lane, of town.

At a meeting of the United Empire Loyalist Association in Toronto on Wednesday, Dr. Burnham, of town, was elected a member of the organization.

The Lindsay Post says,—Mr. A. P. McLean, bookkeeper for the George Matthews Co., Peterborough, arrived in town yesterday morning to take charge of the Lindsay branch for that firm.

The Picton Times says: Col. Bog entered upon his seventieth year on Saturday. The Colonel is a native of the city of Montreal, was at the battle of the Windmill near, Prescott, in '37, and shortly after coming to Picton, entered the Miller Brothers' mercantile establishment, on the site of the Hotel Tecumseh. The Colonel is the oldest person living who has been a continuous resident of Picton. Col. Bog is well known to the officers of the 57th.

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5.75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 230 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

TO-NIGHT'S SELLING

Will mark the lowest price records in Canada's Overcoat and Ulster history at Gough Bros.—due solely to the mildness of the winter and the demoralised markets. We will offer for sale our great leaders in Overcoats and Ulsters that came from big clothing makers to us, to realize cash. We bought too heavily for this kind of weather, but in most cases at big discounts on the cost of production. We will sell as we bought—at the lowest prices ever known for reliable goods. Quick returns are imperative. When figures demonstrate facts, it's folly to be blind. Here's a sample :—

Good Tweed OVERCOATS with check linings..... **$2.90**

Heavy Frieze ULSTERS, all-wool, with storm collars, and fancy linings.. **$3.90**

Beat this who can! Let the best win! Proportionate reductions in all other lines.

GOUGH BROS.
The Wonderful Cheap Men.

Ready for Christmas

We're ready in advance with the wide range of Holiday Goods—ready after weeks and months of careful planning, straining every nerve, enlarging every effort and building for a bigger success than you or we have yet known. The store is full of wonders, full of useful things, full of pretty things, full of surprises, full of what nobody expects, full of what everybody expects, full as it never has been before near holiday time.

Your Christmas buying will be done best where stocks are fullest and most varied. Few stores in Canada begin to make the holiday displays that we have here every year—this year greater and grander than ever.

The holiday impulse is strong in all stocks, and useful things of every sort will continue to go for gifts. Many striking novelties are hero in wood, metal, leather, brass and china. Many goods here are totally different to anything you'll see outside, and prices are positively below anything you'll find anywhere. For the next three weeks the province of this store news will be to suggest suitable gifts and emphasize earlier shopping.

The choicest things will go first as a matter of course, and sensible people will buy early, before the rush.

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BIRTH

TROMBLY—At Peterborough, on Thursday, December 10th, 1896, the wife of Mr. N. Trombly of a daughter.

YOU CAN'T QUARREL WITH OUR PRICES

If you were to put the price on yourself, you would put it higher than we do.

But now be honest with yourself, which is the most sensible? To wait for a more forcible reminder of winter, or to pick out your Cloth for a Suit and Overcoat now? Be wise.

OVERCOATS—Beavers, Kerseys, Meltons, Friese. See the cloth, fix the price.

SUITS—Cashmere, Tweeds, Cheviots, Worsteds—all the best fabrics. You don't have to take a Suit of all one cloth.

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Merchant Tailor and Outfitter.
Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

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To parties who may intend purchasing a WATCH for Christmas we cheerfully invite our inspection of the

Only Time-Tested Watch Case

in the market. These goods contain only the best movements, and will be a special inducement to buyers.

We also show this week a line of Canadian Enamelled Spoons and Pins which are quite national, and will make a pleasant Souvenir.

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Can suit everybody. They keep the latest style of goods to make up to your order, and will give you the new fashionable cut with perfect fit, as only a practical tailor can.

TAKE NOTICE.—No garment can ever fit if it has to be altered and dragged to pieces, after being cut to your measure.

Good Goods, no misfits or trying on requir

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Cleaned Currants,	Shelled Almonds,
Selected Raisins,	Choice Eleme Figs,
Finest Imported Peels,	New Dates,
&c, &c., &c.	Delicious Table Raisins.

And Confections to make your mouth water. Make your selection early and call often.

SPECIAL—4 cans of Corn, Peas or Tomatoes 25c.

3 lb. Choice Mince Meat for 25c.

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15 DAYS' SALE!
Of Suitable Goods to Wear at
Evening Parties
...AT...
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Having a very large stock of every class of goods suitable for Evening Wear, we have decided to hold a Special 15-Days' Sale in connection with our Great Realization Sale now in full swing.

The prices on all the lines below are tempting and the prices for making Dresses are reduced for this sale.

EVENING KID GLOVES.

Plain Japanese Crepe Silks in lovely shades, reduced to 25c.
Fancy Stripe Japanese Crepe Silks, in lovely shades, reduced to 40c.
Habatai 27-inch Silk, guaranteed pure silk, all shades, reduced to 43c.
Cream and White Poplin Silks, reduced to $1.
Twilled Silks, all shades, reduced to 50c.
Cream and White Taffeta Silks, reduced to $1.
All-wool Serges in evening shades, reduced to 25c.
All-wool Cream Crepons reduced to 40c.
All-wool Cream Crepons, reduced to 60c and 75c.
Henriettas in Evening shades 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c and 90c.
42-inch Chiffons, special 85c.
LACES FOR EVENING WEAR at 35c, 50c, 75c and $1, very special.
ALL-OVER LACES at $1.25 and $1.50 special.

EVENING KID GLOVES.

PURE SILK GLOVES, shoulder length, lovely shades and quality, only 75c.
KID GLOVES, shoulder length, only $1.50.
KID GLOVES, were $3, reduced to $2.
FEATHER BOAS in evening shades. These are very suitable and attractive. Special prices.
SILK SHAWLS in lovely colours.
LADIES' SILK UNDERWEAR in latest styles.
LADIES' SILK HOSE in colours and black.
LADIES' FANCY HANDKERCHIEFS, special prices.
TARTANS AND MUSLINS for Evening Dresses, in a large variety of colours.

MEN'S FULL DRESS SUITS.

During this sale we will make Men's Suits at special prices.
Men's White Bows and Ties at sale prices.
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Every article in this stock bears the touch of price cuts. Dress Goods, Silks, General Dry Goods, Clothing, Mantles, Millinery, Holiday Goods, Notions and Fancy Goods.

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All questions cheerfully answered. Letters or orders received before 1 o'clock answered same day.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., Box 55.) 12d132

The Date.

The date of China Hall's Christmas opening will be Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 16th and 17th, when the stock will be at its very best. The assortment of lovely new goods is the largest ever carried, and we will guarantee our prices the lowest in town. All are invited on the above days, especially in the evenings, when the store will be illuminated. Store open every evening till 10 o'clock until after Xmas.

Wahnapitae Fine.

The Crown Lands Department will send as soon as possible a corps of rangers to examine into the value and extent of the pine forests existing north Lake Wahnapitae, with a view to throwing open the land to miners. The land has never been opened to prospectors, but it is said that valuable mineral deposits are to be found in parts of this now forest-covered area. The reason for this is that the prospector's camp fire often endangers the pineries, and extensive fires have been traced to this origin.

Doctor Hooper's Lecture.

As was announced some time ago, Rev. E. Hooper, M.D., of Toronto, will deliver his famous lecture on "Some Popular Modern Cures" in Peterborough on Friday evening, Dec. 18th, a special musical programme will be given by Miss McAllister, Miss Stevens, Mrs. A. L. Davis and Mr Geo. W. Mulligan. The committee in charge have gone to great expense to secure Dr. Hooper, and with a desire to have every one hear his great lecture, the price has been placed at 20c per ticket instead of 50c. It is earnestly hoped that the public at large will assist the committee to meet expenses. Dr. Hooper was for a number of years Superintendent of the Kingston General Hospital, and is especially able to deal with such things as secret nostrums, shrine and faith cure, hypnotism, Christian Science, etc. The address is replete with incidents and there is not a dull moment from start to finish. Prof. Goodspeed says he would like to have it delivered to every congregation. A leading divine in Toronto says it clears the air more than anything I have heard for many a year. Tell your friends about it and remember the place, Sons of England Hall, Hunter street, Peterborough, Friday evening, Dec. 18th, at 8 o'clock. Tickets may be had at J. D. Tully's drug store, or from any of the resident physicians.

AUBURN SUNDAY SCHOOL TEA AND CONCERT.

Presentation and Address to Miss Annie Ellis.

The annual tea and concert of the Sunday School at Auburn was held last evening. The excellent programme which was presented during the evening was as follows:

Opening chorus, "Bless us Children now"....School
Prayer.....Rev W R Young
Address (chairman).....Rev W R Young
Recitation, "Little Tot".....Bertha Campbell
Chorus.....Teachers and Officers
Recitation, "Dapple Grey".....Hazel Billings
Recitation, "Old Woman".....Daisy Billings
Recitation, "A Hero".....James Downing
Dialogue "Rebecca".....Four Little girls
Duet.....Misses Butcher and Lumsden
Recitation, "A Tramp".....Lizzie Heslip
Recitation "A True Story".....Bessie Powell
Instrumental trio.....Messrs Freeburn and Sabin and Miss Ellis
Recitation.....Miss Holmes
Recitation "Is Jimmie Here?"..Viola Billings
Dialogue, "Playing a Joke"....Two boys and one girl
Song.....Miss Butcher
Recitation, "A Grevious Complaint"...Wesley Flannery
Dialogue "Sub. to a Missionary Fund,"..Four girls and one boy
Chorus, "Ask For the Old Path".....School
Dialogue, "Hole in a Pocket".....Five girls
Dialogue "Risses' Speeches".....Five girls and five boys
Instrumental Trio.....Messrs Freeburn and Sabin and Miss Ellis
Presentation to Miss Ellis
Benediction.

There was a crowded house and the children rendered their pieces in good form. The singing of the Misses Butcher and Lumsden and playing of Messrs. Freeburn and Sabin was well rendered and received great praise from the Auburn people. Miss Holmes pleased the little ones greatly with her recitations. Rev. W. R. Young acted as chairman with his usual grace, and kept the crowded house in good order. Good nature and tact make him an ideal chairman.

During the evening Miss Jessie Godfrey, on behalf of the school, presented Miss Annie Ellis with a fine pair of fur gauntlets, whilst Miss Mary Carter read the following address:

To Miss Ellis:

DEAR FRIEND,—Your fellow-workers and scholars in the Auburn Sunday school take this opportunity of expressing their high sense of your zealous and commendable work in the school. You have taken that interest in the progress that ensures successful results. By your application and example you have shown us all how we may labour for the Master's cause. By your patient love and devotion to the truth you have encouraged others to go on and assist in the work—a work that we know must bring its reward.

We, teachers, officers and scholars ask your acceptance of this gift, and trust as you have it in your keeping, it will serve to remind you of the hours you spent with us at the Auburn Sunday School. It is true that your work and our work is one that is cheerfully given, and a work that brings no remuneration, save the sense of the duty well performed. In your case we are sure you have faithfully done your part and on the records of the school will be found for the information of those who look back no name around which gathers more memories of love and devotion, or one more esteemed, than yours.

Signed on behalf of the school,
G. W. POWELL, Supt.
G. G. PEATLEY, Secretary.
MAY CARTER,
JESSIE GODFREY.

Peterborough, Dec. 10th, 1896.

Miss Ellis, though greatly surprised, made a suitable acknowledgment of the gift.

The prettiest as well as the cheapest line of Calendars is at SAILSBURY'S.

P. C. I. LITERARY SOCIETY.

Mr. H. R. H. Kenner Reads an Interesting Paper to the Members.

The eighth regular meeting of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute Literary Society was held Dec. 11th. After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting the resignations of the officers were read but were not accepted by the Society.

The following programme was then rendered:

Reading.....Mr Sisson
Selection.....Glee Club
Journal.....Mr J Fessenden
Instrumental solo.....Miss M English
Paper, "To teach or not to teach"...Mr Kenner

It was then moved by Mr. W. Beer and seconded by Miss Judge, that a vote of thanks be tendered Mr. Kenner for his entertaining paper, which motion was duly carried.

The meeting then closed with the National Anthem.

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A Very Opportune Snap.

Just received at the Peterborough Bookstore, 500 copies of "Our Darlings" and "Bubbles," two of the most popular juvenile books for Xmas. He will sell these at less than half price. Come early and secure a snap.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

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Really well worth the attention of the Ladies, the price being only 35c at Miss Melville's, 424 George street.

OVER THE WORLD-WIDE EMPIRE.

A Picturesque Journey With Mr. Frank Yeigh—Imperial Greatness on Canvas—A Stirring Appeal to Patriotic Impulses.

The spacious auditorium of the George street Methodist church was well filled last night with a gathering assembled to look and listen—to look at the magnificent views of the mighty monuments of greatness of the vast British Empire, and to listen to Mr. Frank Yeigh's eloquent and patriotic descriptive address in connection.

An orchestra was present and enlivened the proceedings with music appropriate to several of the views. The entertainment was prefaced with a brief sketch of British history, in which Mr. Yeigh paid a tribute to her Majesty, and when the portrait of the Queen in her regalia was thrown upon the canvas the audience broke into impulsive applause, showing how deeply respect and love for her royal and womanly qualities are enshrined in the hearts of her Canadian subjects, and the orchestra played "God Save the Queen." A map of the world was presented, showing the world-wide disposition of her Majesty's possessions. Mr. Yeigh, then by means of views and narrative took the audience to the various parts of the world owing allegiance to the British Crown, and interlarded the illustrations which were beautifully clear and exact, with interesting information in respect to each, till he encircled the world and came to an end at British Columbia, to the magnificent reproduction of our mountain scenery were added several pictures of the Rossland mining district. During the evening pictures of prominent statesmen, and of scenes and structures in England, Ireland and Scotland, as well as pictures of the key to Britain's greatness—her fleet, were shown. The entertainment was eminently interesting as well as educative, and serves a useful purpose in arousing patriotic impulses of young and old and sentiments of pride in their grand heritage in the greatest Empire the world has ever known. Among the pictures thrown on the canvas were two supplied by Mr. R. M. Roy—one of the church and one of the pastor and the applause with which the latter was received showed warm a place he holds in the hearts of his flock. It should be mentioned that the presentation of the picture of Westminster Abbey was much increased in interest by an imitation of her famous chimes played by Mr. Kenward Mark upon Mr. David Spence's locally well known tubular bells.

The committee who brought Mr. Yeigh here, as well as Mr. Yeigh himself, are are entitled to great credit for presenting such a splendid entertainment.

JUVENILE FORESTERS' CONCERT.

An Unusually Pleasing Programme was Presented.

The Juvenile Lodge, of the Canadian Order of Foresters, held a concert last evening, on the occasion of their sixth anniversary, and the boys are entitled to the greatest credit for the entertaining programme which they furnished.

Mr. Frank Trollope occupied the chair, and welcomed the large audience which gathered, after which the programme was rendered as follows:—

PROGRAMME.

Piano duet.....Misses Doris
Reading.....W Matchett
Selection.....Mr Adams
Vocal solo.....Miss L Pettit
Recitation.....Miss Holmes
Club swinging.....Miss Hamilton
Reading.....W Hooper
Comic song.....Mr Adams
Dialogue.....Five characters
Piano solo.....Miss N Bell
Recitation.....Miss Aggie Patterson
Piano duet.....Misses Doris
Reading.....W Matchett
Musical selection....Messrs Galley, Fleeburn and Sabin
Song.....Master Phelan
Comic song.....Mr Adams

Mr. M. Carton and sister furnished the accompaniment to the club swinging with piano and accordeon. Miss Holmes was encored and Walter Hooper and Mr. Matchett also responded to encores. The Dialogue "From Down East," went off capitally. Miss Aggie Patterson gave "Mr. Brown on the occasion of getting his hair cut," and recited "The Dentist" as an encore. Little Master Ruby Phelan made his first appearance in public, and certainly showed a great deal of cleverness in his singing. He is a pupil of Miss McCabe. Mr. George Adams was a whole show in himself and had to respond to encores in all his numbers.

OUT OF THE TOILS.

Physicians Failed Cure Ills Failed—But the Great South American Kidney Cure, a Specific Remedy for a Specific Trouble, Cured Mrs. A. E. Young of Barnston, P.Q., Quickly and Permanently.

This is her testimony: "I was taken sick in January, 1893. I employed several of the best local physicians and was treated by them for kidney disease until the autumn of the same year without receiving much benefit. I then began using your South American Kidney Cure, and derived great benefit almost immediately. I feel now that I am quite cured. I have taken no medicine for some length of time and have not had a return of the slightest symptom of the disease.

Fine Fruits.

Extra quality Currants and Raisins. Every pound is cleaned by patent fruit cleaner. The finest groceries for Xmas and very lowest prices at
ALEX. ELLIOTT'S
Palace Grocery.

CONDITION OF GEORGE STREET

An Ex-Councillor Suggests That the Big Street Scraper be Utilized.

George street is truly in a most deplorable condition, and even the county councillors are cracking jokes at Peterborough's expense in regard to the matter.

The streets in Lakefield are almost dry. Peterborough the crossings are well nigh impassable.

An ex-councillor, and one who is well posted on street making, suggests that the big street scraper be brought out and the loose mud scraped off to the sides and carted away. This would also have the effect of doing away with the mud in the spring of the year as the street has a good stone bottom.

ITCHING, BURNING SKIN DISEASES CURED FOR 35 CENTS.

Dr. Agnew's Ointment relieves in one day and cures tetter, salt rheum, piles scald head, eczema, barbers' itch, ulcers, blotches and all eruptions of the skin. It is soothing and quieting and acts like magic in the cure of all baby humours. 35 cents.

HOT WATER BOTTLES.

Large Size Only. - - **$1** Each

When hot applications are required for Inflammation of any kind, for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Cold Feet or Earache there is nothing so useful as the

Rubber Hot Water Bottle

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WM. MADILL,

Chemist and Optician.

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CONGER'S FAIR

Closing-Out Sale

Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enamelledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc

Store Can Be Secured.

Conger's Fair

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $8.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for - - **$3.00**

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

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KENNEDY & NELSON'S

Positive Facts.

Boulter's Baked Beans,	3 cans for		25c
Fresh Mackerel	3	"	" 25c
Fresh Lobsters	3	"	" 50c
Choice Tomatoes	4	"	" 25c
Choice Peas	4	"	" 25c
Golden Finnan Haddie	4	"	" 25c
British Col. Salmon	2	"	" 25c
Sliced Smoked Beef	3	"	" 60c
Vegetable Soup	3	"	" 90c

We are offering these goods at such low prices for two reasons

1st.—To make room for our Pork Department.

2nd.—To give the general public bargains in these lines.

Should the consumer ask the quality of Pork he buys?
Should he be told the truth? We decidedly say Yes.
Is it consistent to be able to throughly recommend that which you never have seen in any state, except by selling it over the counter? No.
Is it right to blame Clerks for praising the goods they sell? No.
Why? Because in a great many cases they but comply with their employer's requests and do what they think right.
In order to be able to truthfully recommend the PORK we sell, we deem it advisable to cure our own, which we are now doing.
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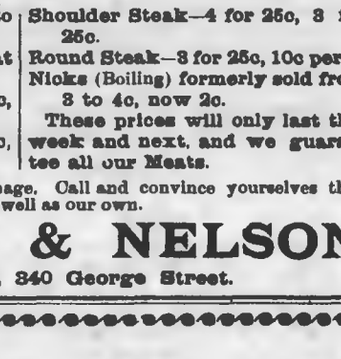

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BRADLEY SENT TO JAIL.

The Judge at Brampton Refused to Allow Him Out on Bail

Brampton, Dec. 10.—(Special.)—This has been a heavy day in the Bradley-Clarke affair. Twenty-one witnesses had told their story at 10 p.m., when court adjourned. A large number of these witnesses are representatives of various firms, who testified to their dealings with Clarke and Bradley, and among them were: Messrs. Brock, Eby and Redmond of Toronto, and furniture men from Chesley, Hanover and Wiarton. The court room, inside the bar, is about as much miscellaneous goods scattered about it as would be found in a small country store, and they are in most cases but samples of the discoveries made by Detective Hefferman in half a dozen places in Toronto and ont in the country.

The evidence showed that in many instances the goods were in the original crates or packages. Among the new witnesses introduced was Mrs. Cook of Leslieville, sister of Actor Wallace. Wallace, who, during the past summer, sold large quantities of goods in the city, stored with her about three weeks before the fire, a load of goods.

In one of the cases was found the ledger of the Bradley House, which several parties testified Bradley had told them had been burned. The discovery is looked upon as a strong point, showing collusion.

Shoeman Redmond of Toronto, in his evidence, confessed that outside of careful inquiries as to the good standing of Bradley financially, he had received a tip that Bradley was a regular mark. Furniture Traveler Kauffman shortly afterwards had the same information. During his inquiries at Caledon East as to Bradley, Clarke assured him Bradley was a good mark, and, like the other man, concluded sales were safe.

This evening it took Detective Hefferman over an hour to tell where all the goods in sight had come from. Then Nell Burton, the hero of the alleged fake mortgage, once more told his story of that affair. It took him an hour to tell how Clark had approached him, got his consent, and how he had come to Brampton about a week before the failure; how he had been met by Bradley and recognized, although he had never seen the man before; how Clark came along, the visit to the lawyers, and the regular and careful proceedure that was observed. This was all told in a shame-faced way by the witness, and not a cent of money passed in the transaction. Burton gave two notes of $1000 for the $2000 mortgage, and confessed that it would be impossible for him to pay them. Burton also told how Clark had suggested a letter to be sent to the assignee, regretting inability to be present at the meeting of the creditors. The witness said he had made a clean breast of the whole affair of his own accord, because, after the assignment, he recognized the fact that he had got int to a bad box.

Cross-examination failed to shake the story in the least. Lawyer Shaw, who was secretary at the creditors' meeting, read his minutes on that occasion, when Bradley told that he had got $2000 in cash in exchange for the mortgage, and how he had given $1200 to Mrs. Bradley to take to Clark's brother in Cleveland. Then Mr. Shaw went on to tell of his interview with Clark after that meeting, and Clark's denial of knowing anything at all of Bradley's affairs, and denial of Bradley's statement that Mrs. Clark had been paid $1200 for his brother. Bradley had said Clark had been with him up to within a few days of the fire, but Clark said he had not been at Caledon East for three months, and Clark said he left Bradley's employ because that man drank, and he could not work for a man who drank.

Bail was refused Bradley to-night, and he had to go to jail.

HALE STILL AHEAD.

The Irishman Appears Likely to Win the Prize in the Big Bicycle Contest.

New York, Dec. 10.—As the 15 plucky riders hourly reel off the miles which bring them nearer the goal in the six-day international bicycle race at Madison Square Garden the public interest in the event seems to grow in proportion. To-night fully 8000 persons were present, and the enthusiasm was raised to a high pitch, especially when any rider of the leading division indulged in a sprint. Teddy Hale, who keeps his position in the van and continues hourly to bury records, was the idol of the crowd. The wonderful endurance and desperate grit of Rice, the little Wilkes-Parre man, who, despite badly swollen hands, resulting from his exertions, and the damaged knees, with which he entered the race, has kept among the leaders, excited much admiration. Forster, who at 5 o'clock this morning, wrested the second place from Rice, came in for a measure of applause. With the exception of the change in second place, about the same order has been maintained all day.

At 10 o'clock Hale had a 40-mile lead on Forster. Only five miles divided Rice from Forster, and the brave little Wilkes-Barre boy looked as if he would regain his lost place. Reading was leading the second batch, 30 miles behind. Rice, Schock and Moore were practically tied at 1235 miles, and Taylor and Smith brought up the rear of the division. Pierce led the next lot, consisting, besides himself, of Maddox, Ashinger and Cassidy, while Glick, Gannon and McLeod were still the tail-enders.

The feature of the evening, the 10-mile race between Tom Linton, the Welsh champion, and J. F. Starbuck of Philadelphia, was started at 10 o'clock. The race began with an accident, as Starbuck fell immediately after the start. The conditions stipulated that should one of the men fall the other should go on and win. Despite this, Linton waited on his fallen rival, and the race was re-started, the foreigner getting a defeaning round of applause. Starbuck had gained a half a lap on the Welshman before they covered two miles, and the issue from that on was never in doubt. The Philadelphian won handily in 10.23 2-5, Linton easing up on the last lap. During the race all the six-day men cleared off the track. After the race, Pimmmer offered to match Linton to beat Starbuck at any distance for $5000.

The score at 11 o'clock (95 hours), the previous record held by Schock, being 1,218, 6, was: Hale, 1344, 4; Forster, 1,303, 2; Rice, 1297, 3; Reading, 1271, 5; Taylor, 1266, 1; Schock, 1243, 0; Moore, 1235, 0; Smith, 1230, 0; Pierce, 1214, 8; Maddox, 1155, 2; Ashinger, 1153, 0; Cassidy, 1130, 1; Gannon, 1011, 7; Glick, 951, 5; McLeod, 883 7.

The score at 12 o'clock (96 hours) was: Hale 1361, 3; Forster 1314, 6; Rice 1314, 0; Reading 1289, 7; Taylor 1260,6; Schock 1258, 0; Smith 1241, 7; Moore 1235, 0; Pierce 1229, 5; Maddox 1170, 8; Ashinger 1168, 2; Cassidy 1131, 0; Gannon 1024, 1; Glick 950, 5; McLeod, 896, 8.

The Mexican Boundary.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The Senate in executive session to-day ratified the treaty with Mexico, extending for one year the treaty providing for the marking of the boundary line between the two countries.

Thanksgiving Letter.

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"For more than twelve years I was afflicted with kidney, stomach and female troubles, and had been attended by five doctors, and tried medicine after medicine, without any good results.

"My sufferings a year ago from the kidneys and stomach were dreadful. I was in such a state that I thought I could not live, and concluded there was no use trying other medicines.

"I was advised, however, to try Paine's Celery Compound, and finally decided to give it a fair trial. Before I had finished the first bottle I had improved very much, and after the use of a few more bottles I had not been so well for long years, and am now altogether a different person. The use of Paine's Celery Compound also banished my nervousness. I can, therefore recommend Paine's Celery Compound to anyone suffering from kiney, stomach and female troubles."

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Miss Helen Beers, Blind From Her Birth, Receives Her Sight by An Operation.

Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 11.—Miss Helen Beers of Newtown, was born blind, 50 years ago, and to-day for the first time in her life she was able to see. Many oculists have said her case was hopeless, but a short time ago she came under the observation of Dr. L. M. Wilson of Bridgeport, who is on the surgical staff of the Manhattan Eye and Ear Hospital of New York.

After a careful study of her case he believed that an operation would restore her sight, for he considered it to be a peculiar form of congenital cataract. The operation was performed by Dr. Wilson in the presence of a large number of surgeons at the Bridgeport Hospital. This afternoon the bandages were removed for a few moments, and Miss Beers became wild with joy when she found that she could see perfectly well.

She utterly fails to recognise objects she has handled all her life. She could not tell a bouquet of flowers, and only when she shut her eyes and felt them with her fingers did she know them to be roses. Neither did she know a chair until she put her hands upon it. Whatever she sees the tries to pick up, although it may be seen through a window or be on the opposite side of the room.

Dr. Wilson says it will be very interesting to observe how she will learn to read, for her only knowledge today of letters is by the sense of touch.

WHERE'S THE CHAIR?

An Elephant Who Has Killed Four Persons to Be Electrocuted in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 11.—Gypsy, the elephant with a record of having killed four keepers, is to be publicly electrocuted. The animal is well known all over the country and is considered the most dangerous elephant in captivity. At present Gypsy is in winter quarters here.

Last winter Gypsy escaped from her winter home, and caused great excitement on the West Side by running through the streets, damaging everything with which she came in contact. Before she was captured Frank Scott, her keeper, was killed, the elephant stepping on him and crushing out his life. Since then Gypsy has had a dozen keepers. Yesterday the man who has had charge of Gypsy for a month resigned. The managers of the circus have been unable to fill his place, and so decided to have the famous elephant killed. Arrangements are now being made for the execution by electricity.

A Governor Dead.

Paris, Dec. 10.—The Colonial Office have received information of the death of M. Rousseau, Governor of French Indo-China, at Hanoi.

Germany Demands Satisfaction.

Berlin, Dec. 10.—The German and Dutch Consulates at Lorenzo Marques, Portuguese South Africa, have been attacked, and a British flag was torn to shreds. The Dutch Consul was wounded. Germany has, in consequence, demanded satisfaction of Portugal.

Lady Scott Critically Ill.

London, Dec. 10.—The condition of Frederick Kast, co-defendant with Lady Tina Scott, John Cockerton and William Aylott, in the action for criminal libel brought against them by Earl Russell, who is ill with pneumonia, is now regarded as hopeless. He has suffered a relapse and his physicians say there is no likelihood of his recovery. Lady Scott is also ill with fever and is in a critical condition.

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A REPORT having been made, February 20th, 1896, to Barton Tent, No. 2, Knights of Maccabees, Hamilton, Ont., that Sir Knight James Osborne was very ill, the standing "sick committee" was instructed to wait upon him. They did so, and at the next meeting of the Lodge, reported that his disease was stated by his physician to be Bright's Disease of the Kidneys, and that he could not possibly recover ; further, that he would only last a short time. Upon receiving this report the Lodge expected to pay his death claim, but were surprised a few months later on when Sir Knight Osborne entered the Lodge room in apparent good health. His marvellous recovery is due entirely to Ryckman's Kootenay Cure, as he discontinued the use of all other medicine when he commenced to take that remedy. He now works every day, is getting stronger and healthier steadily, and appears to be a long way from death as far as Bright's disease is concerned.

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THE ONTARIO BEEKEEPERS.

They Concluded Business—Many Reports Were Adopted—Mayor Fleming Addresses the Association.

Toronto, Dec. 11.

The Ontario Beekeepers' Association resumed their session punctually at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and after disposing of all the business before the association adjourned to meet again in Hamilton in December, 1897.

The report on honey legislation and the directors' report were presented and adopted.

The Board was recommended to provide the members with the Canadian Bee Journal as usual.

A resolution was passed urging the adoption by the Dominion Government in the interest of the consumer of an Order-in-Council fixing the specific gravity (or its equivalent on an analysis of honest unadulterated honey, and the carrying out of the resolution was left in the hands of the Executive.

Among the questions was one in reference to a small worm which sometimes made an attack on the hives of one of the members. Few of the others had met with or heard of the pest, and the member was recommended to send specimens to the entomologists at Guelph and Ottawa.

Fruit growers were urged in the common interest not to spray trees in the bloom time.

For lack of time the question of "Wintering Bees" was discussed at short length only, and the other subjects, "Building Up of Bees in Spring" and "Granulation and Liquifying Honey," were not taken up at all.

Nearly the whole of the session was occupied in an address by Mr. F. C. Harrison, B.S.A., the bacteriologist of the Ontario Agricultural College, who had returned with ex-President Holterman from Guelph. The subject was highly technical, but the lecturer succeeded in making it admirably clear and interesting. An unusual feature was seen in the agreement between the chemist (Mr. Harrison) and the practical man (Inspector of Foul Broods McEvoy), who were at one both as to cause and remedy. In the subsequent discussion it was stated and not contradicted that the sting of a bee operating on buckwheat is more severe than that of a bee drawing from clover.

At the time of the midday adjournment the Mayor was introduced to the meeting, and after thanking the association for making Toronto the place of convention hoped the members had had a pleasant time and would return again. A hearty vote of thanks was passed to the Mayor and City Council for the use of the hall and another to the press for very full and accurate reports.

At a directors' meeting, held subsequently at the Palmer House, Mr. Couse and Mr. Enright were re-elected secretary and treasurer respectively.

AT TWO HOSPITALS.

Five Years in the Toils—Nothing But Dodd's Kidney Pills Could Touch the Spot.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23—(Special)—Mr. W. P. Jackson, a telegraph operator of this place, has had an experience which should be, when known, of value to every man in Canada. He says:—"Without relief for five years, I have gone from bad to worse with kidney disease. Have been treated at two hospitals—Chicago and Montreal—and took the hot springs course, all to no purpose. I have taken doctors' advice and their medicines with the same result. My cure commenced as soon as I started taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking ten boxes, I am happy to say that my cure is perfect.

MR. W. H. HOYLE.

The Reeve of Cannington Nominated as the Conservative Candidate in North Ontario.

Cannington, Dec. 10.—The Conservatives of North Ontario met in convention here to-day, with 140 delegates present, and nominated W. H. Hoyle, reeve of this town, as their candidate in the coming Provincial election. A number of gentlemen were nominated, but all retired in favor of Mr. Hoyle, it being decided to show a united front. Mr. Hoyle accepted in a neat speech.

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REWARDS FOR THE BRAVE.

Life Savers in Canada Who Have Been Honored for Promptness and Pluck.

Hamilton, Dec. 10.—(Special.)—Notwithstanding the threatening condition of the weather there was an exceedingly large attendance at the annual meeting of the Royal Canadian Humane Association, held in the capacious schoolroom of Centenary Methodist Church, this evening. Mr. Adam Brown of this city, president of the association, occupied the chair, and the duties of the secretary were attended to by J. W. Murton, sheriff of Wentworth county.

President Brown in his address spoke at considerable length regarding the Sanford gold medal, which was awarded for the greatest deed of daring during the year, and added that medals and parchments awarded to people who live a great distance from this city had been sent to prominent men in various localities to be presented by them to the brave ones for whom they were intended.

Following were the awards:

Miss Blanch Lawless, F. A. Dixon and George R. Cleland of Ottawa, for prompt action and brave conduct in saving from drowning of Miss Burbidge, daughter of Judge Burbidge, in Ottawa River, June, 1880; bronze medal to each.

William Teho of Bruce Mines, for gallant conduct and bravery in saving W. D. Tremlin from drowning by falling through the ice when crossing from Markville, St. Joseph's Island, to Bruce Mines, December, 1895; bronze medal.

Thomas Boyter and son of Little Current, Manitoulin Island, for gallant conduct in going to the rescue and saving the lives of Herbert R. Herriman and W. Holson of Lindsay from a capsized sailboat on Georgian Bay, Oct. 25, 1892; parchment certificate to each.

Miss Ethel Smith, Toronto, and George A. McDuff, Orillia, for gallant conduct and pluck on the part of McDuff and heroic courage and devotion on the part of the young girl in saving two children, Allan Galbraith and a 15-month-old baby named Patterson, when adrift in a small skiff in a Lake Simcoe storm on the night of July 22, 1896. Miss Smith received the handsome Sanford gold medal and McDuff's reward was a parchment certificate.

John Granville of Southampton, for gallant conduct and bravery in jumping into the water with his clothes on and saving a boy named Douglas Henry Moore of Guelph from drowning in Lake Huron, July 24, 1895; bronze medal.

Master Harry Schofield of Port Dover, for gallant conduct and bravery in saving at the risk of his own life, from drowning in Lake Erie, a boy named Gordon Duthie of Toronto, July 17, 1896; bronze medal.

William McNabb of Port Rowan, for prompt action and gallant conduct in going to the rescue of and saving from an upturned boat in Lake Erie, J. Warner Treure, his wife, son and a cousin on July 16, 1896; parchment certificate.

Herbert Kingstone and George Strathy, Toronto boys, 11 and 12 years of age, for prompt action and bravery in jumping into Lake Rosseau and saving a little girl, Muriel Strathy, from drowning on Aug. 8, 1890; bronze medal to each.

Percy and Kenneth Broadhead, Hull, Quebec, boys, for prompt action and gallant conduct in attempting to save a little boy named George Marsden from drowning in Ottawa River, April 10,1896; parchment certificate to each.

Charles Rumsey, a sailor on the schooner Charlotte of Jersey, for very prompt and brave action in jumping from the schooner into the sea at Gaspe, fully dressed, and saving from drowning a lad named Elias Couture, Sept. 6, 1896; special silver medal.

Malcolm C. McIntyre of Mosa, for bravely risking his life in endeavoring to save from his burning barn a tramp who had evidently been responsible for starting the fire Oct. 17,1893; bronze medal.

Edmund Joly de Lotbiniere, Point Platon, Que., for prompt action and brave conduct in jumping into the sea and saving from drowning Edmund Lanageaux, Sept. 12, 1896; bronze medal.

Louis Beauchamp, Hull, Que., for prompt action and gallant conduct in jumping into the canal at Ottawa and saving Joseph Lessard, who was drowning, May 5, 1896; bronze medal. Also for similar conduct in saving many other lives on previous occasions; parchment certificate.

Roland May, St. Catharines, for prompt action and gallant conduct in jumping into the canal and saving Mrs. Lindsay of Ottawa, who had fallen from the steamer Lakeside on the night of Sept. 8, 1896; special silver medal.

John Berlinghoff of Bayview, Hamilton, for prompt action and pluck in going to the rescue of four young men and saving them from drowning in Hamilton Bay, April 21, 1896; parchment certificate to each.

Herbert Baskill of Burke's Falls, for prompt action and brave conduct in jumping into the River Magnetawan and saving from drowning a lad named Percy Beck, June 20, 1896; bronze medal.

Miss Isabella Barry of Trafalgar, for prompt action in going to the rescue of an old man named Solomon Caston, who had fallen into the River Credit and would have been drowned, had it not been for Miss Barry's assistance, April 20,1896; parchment certificate.

John Hazell, Fred Depew, Richard Hutchinson and David McGillivray of Hamilton, for prompt and plucky conduct in going to the rescue and saving nine men from drowning by the capsizing of a sailboat in Hamilton Bay, May 17, 1896; parchment certificate.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is dull, without sales. Straight rollers are quoted at $4, Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The local market is dull and heavy. Millers are paying 84c to 85c for red and white outside, delivered at mills, or equal to 81c to 82c. Manitoba hard is very dull, with holders asking 93c, Toronto freights, for No. 1. This grade is quoted at 79c afloat, Fort William, and No. 2 hard offers at 75½c afloat. There are sellers of No. 1 hard at 83c afloat, Fort William, May delivery.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 29c.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 1 is quoted at 31c and No. 2 at 28c outside, and feed barley at 20c to 21c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices weak. White sold outside at 18c to 18½c, and mixed quoted at 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices rule weaker, at 40c, north and west.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales at 35c on the Grand Trunk.

Corn—The market is easy, with new yellow offering at 26c outside.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 9.—Spring wheat, 6s 10d to 6s 11d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 4d to 7s 5d; corn, 2s 10½d; peas, 4s 6d; pork, 43s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 28s 6d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 26s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast, quiet and steady, on passage dull. English country markets 1s cheaper. Maize on passage quiet.

Liverpool—Spot wheat dull; futures dull, at 6s 7d for Dec., 6s 7¾d for Jan. and Feb. and 6s 8¼d for March. Maize dull at 2s 10d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 2s 10¼d for April and May. Flour 23s 9d.

Paris—Wheat 21f 85c for Jan.; flour 46f 85c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat quiet at 6s 6¾d for Dec., 6s 7d for Jan. and Feb., and 6s 7¼d for March. Maize dull at 2s 10¼d for Dec., 2s 10d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 2s 10¼d for April and May. Flour 23s 8d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage rather easier; maize, on passage, dull.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 21f 90c for Jan.; flour 46f 65c for Jan.

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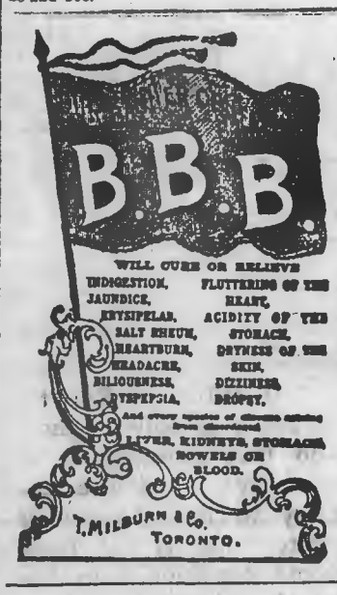

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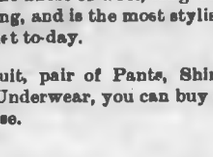

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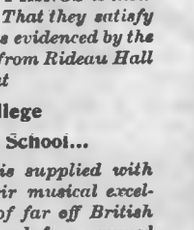

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OWING to the action of certain parties, the attention of our local guardians of the law was called to Fairweather & Co's Great Gift of a High Grade Bicycle which we had announced to give away on December 31st. We find on consulting legal authority, that our method of giving the wheel to the party who held the lucky number was unwittingly infringing on the Lottery Act, and we will consequently have to make a change. We had noticed that in Toronto and other places the same method had been adopted, and, consequently thought it was all right. However, as we do not wish to break the law and do not wish to break faith with the public, we have determined to give this Wheel away in another way that will keep within the law's demands and still give justice to our numerous patrons.

No doubt the parties who interested themselves sufficiently to stop us will feel that they gained a great deal by having the authorities take this action until they know that we are going to give that Bicycle away in spite of all they can do.

On December 31st we will announce the new method by which we will give away our Wheel. In the meantime we advise our customers to RETAIN THEIR TICKETS and secure as many more as they can, as we intend to make them valuable to them. We are still issuing Tickets to all purchasers but not on the same basis as before.

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DEATH OF MR. HENRY COX.

A Former Resident of Peterborough Dies in Toronto.

The Toronto Star of yesterday contains the following reference to one, who, by the description, would appear to be Mr. Henry Cox, who formerly resided on Murray street, town. The Star says:

Henry Cox had been working for only a few minutes at his place in the Wanderer Cycle Company, on Church street, this morning, when he fell to the floor and expired, probably from heart disease, said Dr. E. H. Adams, who was called in. Coroner Johnston has ordered an inquest for Monday afternoon and in the meantime the body is at the Morgue, waiting the discovery of Cox's friends, or home, if he has any. Cox was an old man and was reserved to the point of eccentricity. He would tell nothing about himself and kept aloof from association with his fellow workmen. They never learned whether or not he was married or where he lived; once when someone asked him his address, he replied that he had a post office address and that was enough. In view of this reticence it was impossible to-day to notify his friends or the people with whom he lived.

In his pocket was a Public Library card, bearing his name and the address 65 Walton street, but he does not know live there, though he may have done so before the people now at that address moved in. On the card was a memo which indicates that he was in some way interested in a patent.

Cox was about sixty years of age, of medium height and had a thin brown beard, tinged with grey. He was an assembler in the Wanderer Co.'s shops and had been employed there for a few months only.

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INDUCTION AT BOBCAYGEON.

Rev. Mr. Innes Inducted at Bobcaygeon.

On Tuesday last, the Rev. Mr. Innes was inducted into the pastoral charge of Bobcaygeon and Dunsford. The service was very interesting and was largely attended by members of the congregation.

Rev. A. C. Reaves, of Lakefield, prbided. Rev. Mr. Potter, of St. Andrews, Peterborough, preached the sermon, Rev. Dr. Torrance, of St. Paul's, Peterborough, addressed the minister, and Rev. Mr. Tanner, of Orcemee, addressed the pople.

After the service the congregation repaired to the hall, where a splendid tea was served. After tea a programme was rendered in the church, consisting of music by the choir and addresses by the Revs. Messrs. Shier and Creighton, of Bobcaygeon, Rev. Mr. McKinnon, Fenelon Falls, Rev. Mr. McKnight, of Harvey, and Rev. Mr. Tanner, of Omemee. An interesting feature of the programme was a short lecture by the Rev. Mr. Potterton "Can you eat sawdust without butter." The meeting was closed by a few words by the pastor. Mr. Innes and wife begin their labours under very favourable auspices.

As an emergency medicine, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral takes the lead of all other remedies. For the relief and cure of croup, whooping-cough, sore throat, and the dangerous pulmonary troubles to which the young are so liable, it is invaluable, being prompt to act, sure to cure.

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THE LAST SESSION OF THE OLD REGIME.

FORTY-FIFTH AND LAST YEAR OF THE PRESENT COUNCIL SYSTEM.

Conclusion of Business—The Last Sitting of the Last Session.

The council went into session this morning for the last time under the old regime, all the members present, Mr. Middleton, the warden, in the chair.

After routine, Mr. Mansfield, chairman, presented the report of the Committee on

PETITIONS,

as follows:—

The Committee on Petitions beg leave to report as follows:—

Your committee recommend that in response to the circular of the county of Kent, this county memorialize the Dominion Parliament to so amend the law as to Railway Companies to make them liable for all damages from fire caused by locomotives, whether such locomotives are the safest and best obtainable or not.

Your committee recommend that no action be taken with reference to the circular from the county of Huron, asking the Legislature to provide power to county councils to offer any reward for the apprehension of horse thieves.

Your committee recommend that no action be taken with reference to the circular from the county of Simcoe, asking for legislation with respect to the maintenance of the Victoria Industrial School.

Your committee recommend that the warden and county clerk memorialize the Ontario Legislature for more stringent legislation with respect to dogs killing sheep.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

M. MANSFIELD,
Chairman.

County Council Chamber,
Peterborough, December 12th, 1896.

Mr. Johnston called attention to the fact that a petition from the Otonabee Sunday schools to prevent the desecration of the Sabbath by Sunday steamboat traffic on the river had not been noticed by the committee. It is understood the matter will be brought up at the next session.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Moloney, chairman, presented as follows the report of the committee on

ROADS AND BRIDGES:

1. Your committee recommend that the County Clerk reply to the letter of R. B. Rogers, Esq., Superintendent of the Trent Valley Canal, of the 14th July last, stating that this county repudiates any responsibility in connection with the Benefort bridge, either as to guide boom, caretaker or in any respect whatever.

2 That the county Engineer be instructed to purchase from Mr. J. J. O'Donnell 6000 feet of flicats for Mud Lake and Pigeon Lake bridges provided they meet the same specification as last year and are furnished at required points at a price not more than $3 a foot.

3. That the report of the County Engineer be received and accepted.

That the matters of repairs to one hundred feet of the eastern approach to Burn's bridge in the township of Douro be left in the hands of the Reeve of Douro with power to act and that the Country Treasurer pay the cost thereof upon the certificate of such Reeve.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN MOLONEY,
Chairman.

County Council Chamber,
Peterborough, December 12.

The report was adopted.

(Continued on Monday)

Christmas Ale and Porter.

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ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be two masses celebrated, the first at 8 a.m., the second at 10.30 a. m., and Vespers at 7 p. m.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Dec. 13th. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. conducted by pastor. Sabbath School and Bible class 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Monday at 8 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Junior C. E. on Friday afternoon at 4.15. Seats free. Y. P. S. C. E. meets at close of evening service. Junior C.E. meets every Sunday at 4 o'clock.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance D.D., pastor, Sunday, Dec. 13th. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Y.P.S. C.E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W.R. Young, B. A., pastor. Sunday, Dec. 13th. Services at 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats. Grace church Sunday School at 2.30 p.m.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. J. Rae, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 13th.—Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor, Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. sunday, Dec. 13th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 3.00 p.m Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all are welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. F. Tapscott, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be cordially welcomed. Regular meeting of Young People's Society on Wednesday evening.

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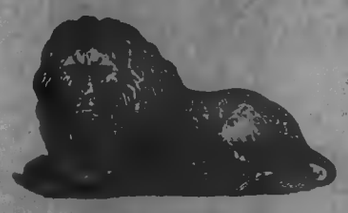

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Spanish Commander Sent a Request to Him to Meet and Confer Looking to a Cessation of Hostilities—The Cubans More Determined Than Ever Now.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 13.—The Constitution's Key West special gives the following account of Maceo's death, indicating his betrayal and implicating Dr. Zertucha.

"Your correspondent is now enabled to state, upon the most undoubted authority, that the death of Gen. Maceo was a premeditated assassination, and that the failure to produce his body is because its mutilated condition would shock even Spanish official sensibilities.

"It seems that General Maceo had planned a successful crossing of the trocha, and that taking the sea route with a bodyguard, he was to rejoin his forces east of Mariel. This was accomplished in safety, and, while standing alone, within sight of a line of skirmishers, the General was shot down by men in hiding who were awaiting their victim. His body, so far as Spanish reports go, at once disappeared, but the truth is that it was hacked up by the assassins, who exhausted every indignity of which brutal minds are capable.

"It has been well-known for a year past that there was a price set upon Maceo's head, and Gen. Weyler's first official act upon reaching the island was to give notice of recognition to the Plataedos, bands of freebooters. These men, following in the wake of both armies, would murder and plunder, and when chased down by the indignant Cubans would find protection within the Spanish lines, whilst the latter would officially deny all knowledge of the matter. A few weeks ago a band of these men attacked a convent in the Province of Puerto Principe, which was filled with young girls, who were most shamefully abused. Some of these men were caught by Gen. Lacret, the insurgent leader, and executed, while the greater part of them found protection within the Spanish lines. Although the enormity of the crime was known and their victims were convent school girls, the criminals were protected from molestation and are to-day free.

"For three weeks it has been known in Havana that a clever bribe was out for the surrender of General Maceo. It was to the effect that he held the ticket which called for the grand prize of $50,000 in the Havana lottery. He did not care to call for the cashing of this cleverely arranged bribe; and upon the departure of General Weyler for the hills several days ago, it was bruited about that the man who killed Maceo could have the prize.

"The story of Maceo's death, as told from official sources, sustains fully the story of the assassination. General Maceo, instead of crossing the trocha directly with his men, was, through some covert influence, induced to pass Mariel on a boat, and to reach his forces on the east side of the death line. There everything was in readiness by the conspirators, and the brave leader fell a victim to the trap into which he had walked. It is regarded as very singular that Maceo's physician, Maximo Zertucha, was allowed to surrender. Instead of being put in chains and rushed off to a dungeon, he is treated with distinction, is paraded before newspaper correspondents and has freedom of speech, which is a novelty in Cuba.

"The feeling of depression into which the Cubans were thrown upon the first announcement of Maceo's death, now that the fact of his cowardly assassination is confirmed, has changed to that of desperate determination.

BASE TREACHERY.

Plans for Cessation of Hostilities With Cuban Independence as the Basis.

Jacksonville, Dec. 12.—A letter received by M. Huau from Havana, dated Dec. 8, says:

"We are at present under the sad impression caused by the death of our brave general, Antonio Maceo, murdered, together with the greater part of his staff, by the Spaniards, acting under the assassin Major Cirujeda, and instrumental in this horrible drama Maceo's second surgeon, Maximo Zertucha.

"Convinced as Weyler was that, notwithstanding his enormous army, he could do nothing against our gallant leader, who has so repeatedly defeated the Spanish General in Pinar del Rio, he conceived the idea of gratifying his beastly instincts by cold-blooded murder, and, making the best of his secret relations with Dr. Zertucha and the Marquis of Ahumada, he planned with the latter his hellish scheme. Weyler took the field and in his absence Ahumada proposed, through Dr. Zertucha, a conference with Maceo, to take place at a certain point in the province of Havana, with a view of arranging plans for the cessation of hostilities, on the basis of Cuba's independence and a money indemnity to Spain, with, moreover, certain advantages that would be agreed upon for Spanish commerce and Spanish capital here invested. To carry out the plans orders had been given to the detachments of troops stationed at the trocha in the station between Mariel and Guanajay to allow Maceo with his staff, to pass the military line unmolested.

"These combinations took time to mature, and to give them all semblance of truth, Ahumada feigned that before acting he must make known his plans to Weyler for his previous approval, and this explains the sudden arrival of Weyler at Havana and his prompt return to Pinar del Rio. Having arranged the conditions and place of meeting, Maceo crossed the trocha over the road to Guanajay without being molested by the forts, but once arrived at the place decided upon he and his party were greeted by a tremendous volley from the forces under Major Cirujeda, lying conveniently in ambush. Most of the officers of his staff fell with Gen. Maceo. Zertucha is alive because he was aware of the scheme and remained in the rear. The Spaniards know where the bodies are, but are bent on feigning ignorance to blot out the vestiges of crime.

WAR WILL NOT END.

"Havana and all Spain are rejoicing because in the midst of their stupidity they hope that the war may end with the death of this gallant leader. Far from this, the spirit of the Cubans has grown more ardent, and to-day the latter are resolved to make every sacrifice before laying down their arms to the relentless tyrants, and in this very Province of Havana, where our army is less numerous and possessed of less means of defence, the Cubans are operating with greater activity than ever, and not a day passes that we do not hear in this city the firing on Guanabacoa.

"The Spaniards may treacherously murder some of our patriots, but there is no earthly power that could annihilate the spirit of liberty floating now as ever over the Cuban people."

Speaking of the letter, Mr. Huau said: "Maceo is dead, but Cuba will live long. The death of no one man can crush the brave spirit of the patriots of Cuba, who are fighting gallantly for liberty.

"From this day Cuba will fight harder than ever before. This will be a sad day for Spain.

"I do not know who will succeed Maceo, but I think it will be Rios Rivera, a brave and intelligent soldier."

A TALK WITH WEYLER.

The Captain-General Says He is Pretty Well Satisfied With the Outlook.

Havana, Dec. 12.—The representative of the United Associated Presses in this city had an interview this afternoon with Captain-General Weyler, who returned to Havana last night from the Province of Pinar Del Rio. The Captain-General received the press representative with much cordiality. When asked concerning his opinion of the campaign in general he said that he was very well satisfied with the course of events, and expressed the hope that in a short time there would be a change that would modify some aspects of the situation.

He was asked concerning the result of his operations in Pinar Del Rio, and replied that he was pleased with the outcome since the rebels in that province are now broken up into small bands and are rapidly losing ground in the hills, the Spanish forces dislodging them from their hiding places. At Rangel there was one position occupied by the insurgents which the rebel leaders considered impregnable. This is now in the hands of the troops, the rebels having been driven out of it. The Spanish troops are now fortifying the place in order to prevent the rebels from making an attempt to recapture it.

Continuing, General Weyler declared that the fact was well known to all that owing to the active pursuit of the rebels by the Spanish columns, Maceo had been obliged to abandon the province, proceeding to sea to the Province of Havana, where it was known he had met his death.

Regarding the effects that would be produced in the rebel ranks and among rebel sympathizers by the death of Maceo, the Captain-General said it would be demoralising, since Maceo's prestige among them was very great. He was filled with the fighting spirit, was a dashing commander and was always ready to give battle to the Spaniards when the time and opportunity suited him. There were, however, other rebel leaders of importance. The prestige of a leader was an important factor for the insurgents. When one disappeared the others were seized with demoralisation and disorganisation followed, a fact that would be taken advantage of by the Spaniards.

Speaking of Rios Rivera, who it is supposed will succeed Maceo in the command of the rebels in Pinar Del Rio, General Weyler remarked that he was now at the head of the insurgent parties in that province. He added that Rivera had no history as a leader of men, nor did he have the capacity to lead his forces. He thought it would take about 20 days more to terminate the rebellion.

WHAT PALMA SAID.

The News of Treachery Did Not Surprise Him—Where is Spanish Chivalry?

New York, Dec. 12.—The Cuban Junta in this city, late this afternoon, received the following telegram from their Jacksonville agent, J. A. Huau:

"Received letter from Havana confirming death of Maceo and staff by a combination between Marquis Ahumada, second in command to General Weyler, and Dr. Zertucha. They were murdered."

Delegate T. Estrada Palma, after the receipt of the above, dictated a statement for the press. It was in part as follows:

"The news does not surprise me, because the first reports were so contradictory that I read a mystery. I was inclined to believe that the news was false at first, but finally concluded that if Maceo was dead it was by the assassin's knife. It seems now that he has been murdered.

"General Weyler, in addressing the crowd from the balcony of the palace, seemed anxious to shirk the credit for the responsibility of Maceo's death, when he said that victory was clearly due to Ahumada. Perhaps his conscience begins to feel remorse. This very act of the Spanish General proves the straits of the Spanish army. They must resort to treachery.

"They did not face Maceo. They stabbed him in the back. Let me ask where is the Spanish chivalry of which they boast so much?"

The actions of the Spanish troops were so suspicious that Maceo felt that they had him cruelly trapped, and his suspicions were confirmed when a peremptory order came from a splendidly mounted officer to surrender. 'Never,' was the reply, and hardly had the word been uttered when volley after volley was poured into the little band of patriots, who, although hemmed in on all sides, outnumbered almost one hundred to one, struck spurs to their horses, and, with cries of 'Cuba libre,' rode gallantly to their death.

"Maceo is reported to have fallen at the first fire with a bullet through his head, breaking his jaw. Another hit him in the abdomen. Both were fatal. Gomes was the next to fall, and in a few moments a number of bloody corpses, shot almost beyond recognition, were all that remained of the gallant Cubans who trusted to Spanish honor.

"Only one member of the staff escaped, and that was Dr. Zertucha. The corpses were buried on the field, and every precaution was taken to keep the details from being made public."

TWO WERE DROWNED.

British Brig Victoria Lost at Sea—Five of Her Crew Saved.

London, Dec. 12.—The British steamer Damara, Capt. Chambers, at London from Halifax, reports that on Dec. 6 last, lat. 48, long. 21, she sighted the British brig Victoria, Capt. Morgenborg, from St. John's, Nfld., for Bristol (previously erroneously reported arrived at the last-named port), in a sinking condition. Two of the Victoria's crew were drowned and five were rescued by the Damara.

The British steamer European, Capt. Barnes, from Montreal via Quebec, for London, before reported arrived at Liverpool in a damaged condition, had lost her after wheel and steering gear, part of her rails, capstan and deck load of deals.

LOVE'S TRIUMPH.

An Heiress Worth a Million Skips Out With and Marries a Youthful Civil Engineer.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., Dec. 11.—The friends of Miss Naomi Voise, aged 18, granddaughter of the late millionaire, Alfred Duncomb, were surprised to-day when they learned that she had been secretly married to Charles Hollister, aged 19, a young civil engineer of this city. On Nov. 25, the young couple, accompanied by two friends, journeyed to Newark, N. J., where Rev. Charles Dodd married them.

It is said that Mrs. Duncomb is not inclined to forgive the young couple, but the friends of the bride believe that everything will be all right in the end. The bride is the wealthiest heiress in Westchester County.

HEREFORD BREEDERS.

Annual Meeting of the Association at Guelph—Election of Officers.

Guelph, Dec. 12.—The annual meeting of this association was held at the Royal Hotel, Alfred Stone, Guelph, first vice-president, in the chair. Secretary H. Wade read an apology for non-attendance from H. D. Smith, Compton, Que., president. He forwarded a paper reviewing features of interest in Hereford matters. There had been a marked increase in the demand for Herefords at much more satisfactory prices than had been obtained for the previous four or five years. Increased competition and interest had been displayed at the last fall shows. At Mr. Southam's sale of Herefords last spring the average price for 109 young bulls was $300.25. This fall Cudgell & Simpson and J. A. Funkhouser sold 24 young bulls at an average price of $196.07. Most of these animals were purchased by ranch owners.

The Secretary read his sixth annual report, in which he stated: "We have received 150 animals from Dec. 1, 1895, to Dec. 1, 1896, and we have on hand 533 pedigrees for the first volume, and 1114 pedigrees lost in the fire have not been returned to copy, but are still coming in slowly. There are 27 members on the roll. Exhibitors in 1896 at Toronto were H D Smith (Compton, Que.), D M Wilson (Moo's River, Que), Alfred Stone (Guelph), and Fleming & Co. (Weston). There is a balance of $200 in hand.

President, H D Smith (Compton, Que.); vice-president, Alfred Stone (Guelph); vice-president for Nova Scotia, W W Black (Amherst, N.S.); vice-president for Manitoba, Sir Donald A Smith (St. James); vice-president for the Northwest Territories, H A Munts (Olds, Alberta).

Directors, George Brent (Warwick), A Waldie (Acton West), Richard Stutt (Forest), James Carswell (Renfrew), F A Fleming (Weston), A Rawlings (Forest), Isaac Wiser (Prescott), H Reed (Mimosa), Joseph Shaman (Toddburn, Man.); auditors, D W Green (Toronto); secretary-treasurer, H Wade (Toronto).

Socialist Sympathy.

Rome, Dec. 11.—In the Chamber of Deputies to-day, Signor Imbriani, the leader of the Socialists, declared that the names of the Italian Radicals who had sent a message of salutation to the Cubans were worthy of notable memory. The insurgent leader Maceo, he said, had died for his country. "Rebellion," he continued, "is not only the right but the duty of the oppressed, and glory comes to those who die in such a cause." The remarks of Signor Imbriani were received with prolonged applause.

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Sunshine

down stairs without clasping my hand over my heart and resting. In fact, it would almost take my breath away. I suffered so I did not care to live, yet I had much to live for. There is no pleasure in life if deprived of health, for life becomes a burden. Hood's Sarsaparilla does far more than advertised. After taking one bottle, it is sufficient to recommend itself." MRS. J. E. SMITH, Beloit, Iowa.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1896.

THE LAST SESSION OF THE OLD REGIME.

FORTY-FIFTH AND LAST YEAR OF THE PRESENT COUNCIL SYSTEM.

Conclusion of Business—The Last Sitting of the Last Session.

The council went into session on Saturday for the last time under the old regime, all the members present, Mr. Middleton, the warden, in the chair.

Mr. Buck, chairman, presented the report of the committee on

SCHOOLS.

The Committee on Schools beg leave to report as follows:

Your Committee recommend that this council having heard the parties on behalf of School Sections numbers 5 and 12, Asphodel, and the interested parties who appeared before this council on behalf of the ratepayers of School Section No. 5, having stated that the trustees of said School Section No. 5 will consent to the transfer of any property from School Section No. 5, to School Section, No. 12, when request is made in legal form, and the representatives of School Section, No. 12, having stated that the trustees of School Section, No. 12, will consent to such transfer.

Therefore your committee deem it expedient to take no act on on the petition presented on behalf of School Section, No. 12, but recommend that the parties interested in the two school sections mutually agree as to the adjustment of the boundaries of the said sections.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WM. BUCK, Chairman.

County Council Chambers, Peterborough, Dec. 12 h, 1896.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Casement, Chairman presented the report of the Committee on

FINANCE.

The Committee on Finance beg leave to report as follows:

1. Your committee recommend that the tender of Messrs Æmilius Jarvis & Co. for the $10,000.20 years annual instalment debentures of the county of Peterborough at the sum of $10,255 45 payable as per the terms of the circular asking for tenders, be accepted.

2. Your committee recommend that no further moneys be expended under the special grant of $350 to the Peterborough Board of Trade to assist in making an investigation of the iron mines of this county, and that such special grant, in so far as moneys remain unexpended be rescinded.

3. Your committee recommend that the memorandum hereto attached of accounts, etc., paid by your treasurer on the authority of the warden, etc., or under contract duly entered into be confirmed.

4. Your committee recommend that a special grant of $20 each to be given the reporters of THE EXAMINER and Review and the representative of the Times at this session, as a slight recognition of their services in connection with the reporting of the minutes of this council.

5. Your committee recommend that the account of W. B. Kelly for $30, for towing lumber be paid, and that the money so paid be charged to J. J. O'Donnell.

6. Your committee recommend that so much of the account of the county of Hastings for work done on Deer River bridge and approaches as the county engineer shall certify this county to be liable for, be paid.

7. Your committee recommend that the County Solicitor prepare a statement of what books, supplies, etc., this county is bound to supply to each of the officials of the County of Peterborough, and that such statement be entered in the printed minutes of the council.

8. Your committee recommend that the Warden and the County Clerk be instructed to execute to Mr. J. H. Davis a proper conveyance of the land accepted by the latter in lieu of the land to be granted by the said Davis to this county, provided that Mr. Davis simultaneously execute to this county a proper conveyance of the land accepted from him by this county. The land to be conveyed by Mr. Davis to this county is marked with the letter "A" on county plan of Lakefield bridge prepared by the County Engineer. The land to be conveyed by this county to Mr. Davis is marked with the letter "B" on said plan. The grant to Mr. J. H. Davis is to be upon the condition precedent that at no time hereafter shall the said Davis, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns look to this county for any damage caused by him or them by water flowing in upon any part of their land from the highway leading to the southern end of the Lakefield bridge.

9 Your committee recommend that a special grant of $10 be given to the Children's Aid Society of Peterborough.

10. Your committee recommend that the County Treasurer pay the Warden's account for general contingencies.

11. Your committee recommend that the County Treasurer pay to the County of Victoria $258 55, being the proportion payable by this county on the Bobcaygeon bridges from January 1st, 1896 to December 7:h, 1896.

12. Your Committee recommend that the Warden and County Clerk be instructed to execute the deed dated 3rd December, 1896, from the Corporation of the County of Peterborough to Mary Ellen Matthews, as requested by letter of Messrs. Dumble & Johnston.

13. Your committee recommend that the account of W. B. Kelly, in connection with Mud Lake Bridge, $1,468.18, be paid when County Engineer certifies as to quantity of timber and lumber.

14. Your committee recommend that the following accounts be paid:

R H Leary	4 00
Porter Preston re Brown Bridge	6 50
Postage account of F Pearce	19 25
A H Strat on & Co	13 98
Stratton & Hall	121 19
Stratton & Hall	36 09
Geo Stethem & Son	2 55
J E Belcher	17 00
D A Shaw	30 60
Peterborough EXAMINER Printing Co	14 00
W A Sanderson	1 00
R Hope re Hope's Bridge	1 80
G N W Telegraph Co	6 24
Stevenson Coal Co	6 00
J D Varcoe	2 45
Peterborough Review Pig & Pub Co	200 16
W J Young	9 00
C Young	7 50
J H Yelland	1 75
John Breckenridge	2 00
Dr R W Bell	5 00
W H Clements	13 05
P Ossanal & Co	1 70
J D Craig	10 00
Wm Doidge	27 31
T Village-ald	12 00
T Fitzgerald	9 00
Joseph Doust	10 00
Dr Carmichael	5 00
Board of Examiners	44 50
Peterborough Light and Power Co	48 75
Joseph Doust, when certified by Mr R H Wood	40 50
J E Belcher	20 00
Jeffrey Dinsdale	1 25
J R Stratton	30 00
J R Stratton	40 00
Peterborough EXAMINER Pig Co	11 00
" "	198 63
R Gibbs	6 00
Jas Graham	3 25
Peterborough Light & Power Co	15 70
" "	3 00
Kingan & Allen, when certified	1 00
Wm Hastie	3 75
W F Johnston	35 00
Wm Mahony	6 50
R Hamilton	2 50
Wm Hamilton Mfg Co	6 25
Wm Hamilton Mfg Co	7 10
Mrs Henry	1 00
Adam Hall	22 51
J E Belcher	68 75
Peterborough Hardware Co	74 68
Adam Hall	2 63
W B Kelly	25 00
Peterborough Hardware Co	10 17
D Kerneghan	4 29
J G Keefer	35 00
Dr W D Scott	15 00
Peterborough Review Pig and Pub Co	81 80
W R Kelly, subject to approval of County Engineer	94 18

15—Your committee recommend that the the application of the Reeve of Galway for a refund of the county rate on certain lands in the township of Galway be referred to the next sitting of this council.

W H CASEMENT, Chairman.

County Council Chamber, Peterborough, Dec. 12th, 1896.

Mr. Shaw moved, seconded by Mr. Mansfield that the treasurer be instructed not to collect the interest on over due taxes in all the municipalities and that the interest already paid be refunded.

Mr. Shaw did not think the council could legally go back and collect interest as far as twenty years. It was clearly illegal in his opinion.

Mr. Finlay thought that the council could not go back more than six years.

Mr. Hales said that his township had entered the county as a separate municipality on the understanding that there were no such claims. There being a misunderstanding on this matter in the back townships, and he thought a discussion in open council would have a good effect.

Mr. Moloney said if there had been a misunderstanding it was the fault of the representatives. It was an injustice to ask these municipalities which had paid their county rates to pay interest on account of these municipalities who had neglected to pay promptly.

Mr. Hales agreed with Mr. Moloney that it was the fault of the representatives, who had assured the ratepayers that there was no back claims. He was not objecting to the payment in itself, his township was clear—but he wanted the matter to be understood.

Mr. Shaw—Are you willing to pay arrears for twenty years?

Mr. Brown (Alex)—Yes; because it is just.

Mr. People's submitted that the county should have collected the rates promptly.

Mr. Casement said it was understood in committee that the matter was not to be brought up again—that it was so agreed in in committee.

A general discussion ensued with varying opinions, several members feeling that the matter was settled, and it was generally expressed that the payment demanded was just.

Mr. Shaw at length withdrew the motion when he saw that the council was against his resolution.

AMENITIES.

Mr. Finlay moved, seconded by Mr. Anderson, that a standing vote of thanks be tendered our clerk and treasurer, Mr. Edg. Pearce, for his very efficient services during the past thirty years.

The motion was enthusiastically adopted with three rousing cheers and the singing of "For he's a jolly good fellow," and the County Engineer was also honoured with three hearty cheers.

Mr. Pearce cordially thanked the council for their kind expression of confidence, and Mr. Belcher briefly addressed the council, thanking them for their kind expressions of sentiment of approval of his professional services for the past twenty years. He paid a particular tribute to the chairman of the Street and Bridge Committee, Mr. Moloney, and said he had found all the wardens, from the time of Mr. Birdsall to the present, to be as honourable and straightforward as any men he had ever dealt with.

Mr. J. Coyle Brown, Public School Inspector, was asked to address the council, which he did briefly, expressing his appreciation of the honourable character of the council, and of his own determination to do his duty, independently of how such a course would affect him personally.

The sessional clerk, Mr. W. A. Stratton, was also remembered, and a resolution, placing on record the high appreciation of the council of his eminently satisfactory services as sessional clerk, was moved by Mr. Casement, seconded by Mr. Finlay, and enthusiastically carried. Mr. Casement paying a warm tribute to his services, which were added to by valuable legal hints.

The representatives of the press were also recognized in a resolution of thanks, moved by Mr. Moloney, seconded by Mr. Casement, and brief acknowledgements were made by Mr. McKay and Mr. Yokome.

The session concluded by the singing of Auld Lang Syne and three enthusiastic cheers for the Queen, proposed by Mr. Warden Middleton.

A FARMER IN TROUBLE.

A Grenville County Man Speaks his Mind—Feels Like a New Man—Cured by Four Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Cardinal, Dec. 7 (Special)—Mr. Robert McIntosh, a farmer widely known in this county, and living near this village, has been in a painful and dangerous condition as the result of kidney disease affecting the bladder. When called upon he said:

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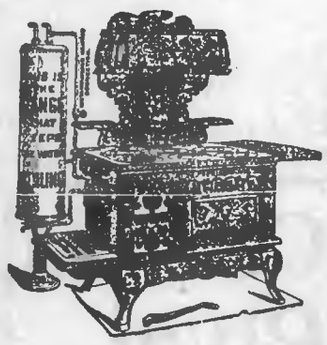

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No doubt the parties who interested themselves sufficiently to stop us will feel that they gained a great deal by having the authorities take this action ur il they know that we are going to give that Bicycle away in spite of all they can do.

On December 31st we will announce the new method by which we will give away our Wheel. In the meantime we advise our customers to RETAIN THEIR TICKETS and secure as many more as they can, as we intend to make them valuable to them. We are still issuing Tickets to all purchasers but not on the same basis as before.

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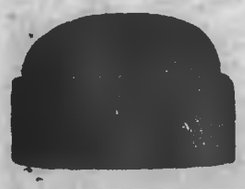

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HOORAY FOR IRELAND

Teddy Hale Rode Out a Winner at New York.

ADDED 310 MILES TO THE RECORD

And Beat the Next Man by 26 Miles—Twenty-Five Thousand People Saw the Close of the Great Race at the Madison Square Gardens Saturday.

New York, Dec. 12.—The final of the great six-day contest, greatest as a contest, greater in record breaking and greatest in attendance, drew 25,000 people to Madison Square Garden to-night. The finish was exciting, and every man rode far fresher than was expected. The sprinting continued to the very close and tired legs did not give out.

Teddy Hale won with 1910 miles 8 laps, which lowers the previous record by 310 miles 7 laps. He received such an ovation as few men received in their lives. Rice, the second man, had carloads of friends from Wilkes-Barre present and the thousands also from New York, won by his enthusiastic riding. Reading, who put up one of the greatest rides of history to gain his present position had less friends than any other man on the track. He led the old school professional in the race. Forster finished between him and Schock.

Twelve of fifteen finishers broke the former record of Albert Schock, who says he went up against a good thing in a field of sprinters instead of pluggers as of old. One rider passes 1900, three pass 1800, four pass 1700, and four more pass 1600. The 1900 miles were completed in 140 hours and 43 minutes. The evening was one continual run of ovations, and the feeding quarters of the men beside the track were one bed of flowers at the final. It was a scene rivaling description.

Bald rode an exhibition mile in 2.18 1-5, the last tenth in 11 seconds, a 1.50 gait. Lefferson's half mile in 1.04 was record spaced. Baker won the one-half mile open, Carpenter second, Goodman third, Weinig fourth. Time 1.08 3-5.

During the last day of the contest the men were very notional, the great strain having told on some of them. Rice dismounted from his wheel and declared that his wheel ran backwards. His attendants took their wrenches and tightened the nuts. It was all right after that for a time. Later Hale and Rice, the leaders, got into an argument and both dismounted on the stretch. Rice came at Hale in what looked a threatening manner, but it was only that he might shake hands with the winner, and this 24 hours before the finish. At another time Taylor complained that one of the men was chasing him around with a knife, but it turned out to be a feeding tin.

Taylor and Pierce were very close and both watched lest the other jump him. Finally both got so slow they dropped back together. Taylor promised Pierce he would not return to the track until Pierce did. He said it would be a breach of contract to do so, and then made an arrangement to work together to beat Smith.

At 4.05 o'clock all the riders left the track to wash and recuperate for the hard finish. This was a welcome relief, for all as few had dared to do so previously, owing to the closeness of the contest. During the afternoon Reading put in 20 miles in one hour and in the morning, 12 hours 105 miles, 98 miles in the six hours from 6 a.m. to 12 noon. This was continuous riding. To-night Reading received a cheque for $50 from Senator Morgan, promised to the rider beating Morgan's record on 324 miles without a dismount. Reading did 200 miles at the opening day. He nearly duplicated this the last 24 hours.

Teddy Hale adds $1000 to his winnings of $4000 by an appearance nightly at a Music Hall next week. Manager Powers says every one of the 15 men a prize, the four winners receiving their entrance fee of $50 back and $100 in addition for their pluck. Frank Albert's challenge of $1000 to the winner will be taken up by Manager Powers for Hale on condition that it be a side bet to be contested for in another six-day race at this garden in the spring.

Over 25,000 people packed the main floor and three galleries of the Garden to-night at 6 o'clock and remained to the last race. This has been the most successful event in the history of the country.

The final score at 10 o'clock (142 hours), the previous record being 1600 miles 1 lap made by Schock, was:

Teddy Hale, Ireland, first prize, $1300—1910 miles 8 laps.

J. S. Rice, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., second prize, $900—1882 miles 6 laps.

Ned Reading, Omaha, Neb., third prize, $500—1835 miles 3 laps.

Fred Forster, New York, fourth prize, 1829 miles 4 laps.

Albert Schock, New York, fifth prize, 1758 miles 2 laps.

Burns W. Pierce, Boston, sixth prize, 1758 miles 1 lap.

E. C. Smith, Saratoga, seventh prize, 1754 miles 7 laps.

"Major" Taylor, Brooklyn, eighth prize, 1732 miles 2 laps.

C. W. Ashinger, Upshur, Ohio, ninth prize, 1673 miles 3 laps.

E. C. Moore, Philadelphia, 10th prize, 161 miles 7 laps.

H. H. Maddox, Asbury Park, N.J., 11th prize, 1644 miles 3 laps.

L. L. Cassidy, Millville, N.J., 1605 miles.

J. R. Gannon, New York, 1393 miles 8 laps.

D. M. McLeod, Philadelphia, 1350 miles 2 laps.

J. H. Glick, Detroit, Mich, 1006 miles 3 laps.

RUGBY RULINGS.

Football Men Held Their Annual Meeting —President Bate Struck Out.

Toronto, Dec. 14.

The annual meeting of the Ontario Rugby Union was held Saturday afternoon at the Rossin House, President Logie of Hamilton in the chair. All the business was done with neatness and despatch. No radical amendments to bylaws, rules and regulations were made. The regulations concerning resident players and student players on college teams, which was given a trial last year, were abolished, and clubs may sign anybody next year. A. B. Ford of Queen's got the presidency by acclamation, although a contest was expected, Fitzgibbon of Varsity sprung a surprise on Mowat, who wanted re-election to the remunerative office of secretary ($100 this year), and captured the prize on a vote of 21 to 18.

A motion to prevent men who had played on a senior team from ever after playing on a junior one was lost.

A motion to amend regulation No. 10 by preventing senior teams, which have drawn a bye in the first round, from playing their whole senior team as intermediates or juniors was carried. The clause of the said regulation as amended now reads: "No member of a club which has a first fifteen in the *senior series* shall be eligible to play on an intermediate or junior 15 having played more than once in the same Union season on a senior fifteen in a tie match, and further, a match in the senior series of his club must intervene in the following season before such player can again play on the intermediate team of that club."

Regulation No. 12 was amended by including Sunday in the time within which protests must be lodged.

A regulation was added that hereafter the home team guarantee 8 cents per mile, one way, for 16 men of the visiting team. A guarantee is not to exceed $50, and the visiting team's share of the gate is to be applied thereon. A club which receives a guarantee and subsequently defaults must repay it or stand suspended.

The following rules were added to those governing competition by ties:

In intermediate and junior games the net receipts shall be equally divided between the competing clubs.

In all cases a certified, itemised copy of the receipts and expenses shall be sent to the secretary of the Union within three days, and also to the secretary of the visiting club.

The visiting team shall in all cases receive a sum equal to at least 1 cent per mile traveled per man of a team of fifteen.

The constitution was amended by inserting a clause which prevents clubs being organized merely for the purpose of sending delegates to the general meeting, and now only clubs which have played in a Union match during the previous season are entitled to be represented there.

The delegates to the Ontario Rugby Union were instructed to vote to shorten the playing time of games by five minutes each half. After a long and heated discussion, a motion to recommend the O.R.U. to restore the old rule regarding "fairly held" was lost. Several minor changes were made in the regulations, and several alterations recommended in the rules.

This is the list of officers, the first three being by acclamation:

President, Ford (Queen's); first vice-president, D'Arcy Martin (Hamilton); second vice-president, Easson (Lornes); secretary-treasurer, Fitzgibbons (Varsity); committee, Council (Varsity), Gilmour (T.A.C.), Jones (Trinity), Osler (Osgoode), Ross (Queen's), Farrel, Kingstone and Moncrief (Petrolea); representatives to C.R.F.U., McDougall, Ford and Osler.

Those present at the meeting were:

President W A Logie, First Vice-President W Dick, Second Vice-President A B Ford; Secretary-Treasurer J McD Mowat, D Martin, F B Osler, O F Barr, D F Campbell, A E Ross, R H Easson and J W Bain of the O.R.F.U. Committee, and the following representatives: R.M.C., J F Reed and W S Ormston; Trinity, E W Jones and D B Rapelheau; Petrolea, W J Noble, George Moncrief; London, H C Page, Geo Kerrigan; Queen's, C A Macdougall, A D Benton; Varsity, Joe McDougall, A G Fitzgibbon; T.A.C., R K Barker, J Gilmour; Kingston, J W Kerr, A Lesslie; Hamilton, Labatt and Barker; Cornwall, D Donald, R C Donald; Lornes, T McMurrich, G Gale; K.C.I., W B Laidlaw, A B Slaght; Brockville, J A Clark, W W Richardson; Hamilton Y.M.C.A., J L Counsell, A Martin; St. Catharines, W J Morrison, F A Wilson; Granites, G J Rigney, George McKay; Osgoode, G Osler, C Kingstone.

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Deseronto, Dec. 14 (Special)—Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. James Stokes, who for the past fifteen years has been shipper for the Rathbun Company.

Lately he had run down in health and strength to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now as the result of using Doan's Kidney Pills is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes he said:—

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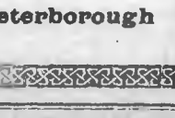

If you have decided to buy an Ulster instead of an Overcoat, we've got just the Ulster you should have; for $5.00 we'll give you a good Frieze Ulster, with storm collar, tweed linings, in dark, gray or brown colours. For $10.00 we'll sell you a very fine all Frieze Ulster, with storm collar and fancy all wool tweed linings. Should your thoughts turn to OVERCOATS, you'll certainly find good returns for your money in our $7.50 and $9.00 D. B. HEAVY MELTON and BEAVER tweed lined Overcoats, stylish, full length, and every coat of them as perfect as any tailor could make. We are selling a line of Nap and Worsted Overcoats at $5.00 that's worth a good deal more. For $12.00 we can sell our own make of all wool Blue Beaver Overcoat, with silk velvet collar, full back, and double-breasted, same as you pay $17.00 for made to order. This is the cheapest Overcoat you ever saw.

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Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

A Woman Hung.

A woman hung around her husband's neck and begged him to buy reserved seats to see Marks Bros. Company in the Great Diamond Robbery at the Opera House to-night.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Grafton & Co's Handsome Prize Pictures are going very fast. new lot received over 100 to choose from.

To be Ordained.

Rev. Joseph O'Sullivan, of the Grand Seminary, Montreal, and a native of Campbellford, will be ordained to the priesthood next Saturday by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor. The ceremony will take place in Campbellford.

McGill Glee Club Concert.

The reserved seat sale of tickets for the McGill University Glee Club concert on New Year's night has already begun at Ormond & Walsh's Drug Store. Those wishing reserved seats should purchase their tickets immediately.

Entertainment and Sale.

The Senior Girls' Guild of St. John's South Ward Mission will hold a sale and entertainment in the mission on the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, Dec. 15th. Silver collection at the door. 2d139

Oke & Co's Telephone Number.

304 is a telephone number that greets the Central office as frequently as any other, but it is easy to get the numbers mixed. This was done in Oke & Co's advertisement in the EXAMINER'S Christmas number, where it was printed 340. Ring up 304 for Oke & Co's—and the oftener it is rung the better they like it.

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Wishes to Deny It.

A paragraph appeared in the EXAMINER a few days ago concerning the alleged ill-treatment of a daughter by her parents, in the township of Otonabee. The ill-treatment was said to be the result of the girl's refusal to renounce her lover. Mr. Robert Mitchell, of Otonabee, called at the EXAMINER office on Saturday, and inferring that the paragraph had reference to his family, stated that the report was entirely without foundation of any kind. His daughter, he stated had injured herself by a fall.

Get Tied Up
BEFORE CHRISTMAS.

WE HAVE LOTS OF TIES, (NECKTIES) FOR YOUNG MEN—TIES TO TIE, OR, IF YOU CANT TIE A TIE, WE CAN SELL YOU A TIED TIE.

SEE OUR WINDOWS. NOW'S THE TIME TO PICK OUT A FEW NICE ONES FOR HOLIDAY WEAR OR TO MAKE CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Mercer's

NO DECISION YET.

It is not Known Whether the Date for the Payment of Taxes Will be Extended.

A meeting of the town council was called for Saturday evening, in order that a by-law might be passed relieving the tax collector of all responsibility in connection with the extension of the time for the payment of taxes without 5 per cent. being added.

As no word had been received from the guarantee company which is carrying the the collector's bonds, it was thought inadvisable to take any action until an assurance had been received to the effect that the passage of such a by-law would be satisfactory and would prevent the company from cancelling the bonds, as proposed.

The council will meet again this evening, by which time it is hoped that the necessary guarantee will be received from the company, which will enable the date to be postponed until January 15th.

The Council did not go into session on Saturday night, but an animated discussion was carried on for several hours in the Clerk's office. The opinion of several of the councillors was that the bylaw would be illegal on the ground of "inequality," as a number of citizens, having paid their taxes already on the assumption that the usual five per cent. would be added on December 14th, would be cut off from the advantage of those who waited until the last day, and then participated in whatever privileges were embodied in the extension of the date for another month.

The Town Solicitor, however, has prepared a bylaw which, in his opinion, will extend the date in a manner perfectly legal.

That Tired Feeling

is always in evidence when you've to seed a quantity of raisins. This trouble is averted if you get your Christmas fruits from Mason & Co., as you will have the use of a raisin seeder free. 1d

The prettiest as well as the cheapest line of Calendars is at SAILSBURY'S.

Water in the River.

The flow of water in the river has been reduced for a day or two in order to allow the canal contractors to put in their coffer dams. The flow of water during the past month has been much in excess of the usual flow at this time of the year. It is gradually decreasing as the cold weather sets in.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG. 427 George street.

The Body Recovered.

The body of Adelard Vinette was recovered from the river on Saturday afternoon at about half-past three at almost the exact place where he sank on Friday, Mr. Frank Weatherhead locating it with a grappling iron. The remains were taken to the home of the sorrowing mother and the funeral took place this morning to St. Peter's cathedral and thence to the Roman Catholic cemetery.

A Hint on Voting.

The Colborne Express gives instructions to its readers by saying that all municipal electors are qualified to vote for county councillors. If a voter wishes to vote twice for one candidate he may legally do so by making two crosses (x x) after his name. Bear in mind, however, that you can vote for only one if you give him two votes; you may vote for two by one cross (x) after each name. Otherwise the ballot cannot be counted.

Important Auction Sale.

At 432 George street, opposite Cox & Davis', lately occupied by H. Newton. Diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, clocks, bronzes, to be sold without reserve, commencing to-night at 7.30, and following days until the entire stock is disposed of. Sale every afternoon and evening. Private sale during the day. The subscribers are instructed to sell by public auction without reserve, genuine diamonds, gold and gold-filled watches, and silver watches, jewelry, silverware, dry goods, fancy goods, opera and field glasses, telescopes, musical instruments, etc. All goods guaranteed as represented. MYERS BROS., proprietors. Don't forget the place, Newton's old stand, George street, opposite Cox & Davis'.

Half the Money will do!

Bring half the money you intended to invest in Christmas gifts to Routley's store and you will buy as much with it as you would for double the amount anywhere else. At this closing-out sale everything goes. Bargains like this don't come without a good cause. You can make up your mind that when you enter Routley's store you will get bargains—as nothing is misrepresented. We tell you plainly that the stock must be cleared out. The goods are in the way, and we look to you to help us to clear them out *before New Year's. This is enough to* bring you without the warwhoop of exciting advertising or the beating of empty drums.—C. H. ROUTLEY.

Marks Bros. Still to the Front.

Marks Bros. closed the first week of their season on Saturday with no let-up in the popular appreciation expressed by packed houses. At the matinee in the afternoon the house was jammed like a sardine box and the crowd was well rewarded with Little Lord Fauntleroy, in which *little Gracie* took the title roll delightfully and her support helped her in presenting a splendid bill. Saturday night brought another big house and "The Waif of the Mines" brought out in splendid form Tom Marks as the Irish detective, McKinley as the hero of the play and Alex Marks the villain. The other characters were well taken and the specialties, May Bell's songs and Emma Gertrude's illuminated skirt dance were excellent as usual. Marks Bros. hold the boards for the coming week.

Meteorological Observations.

Since the death of Mr. Thomas Telford, no official record of the temperature, rainfall, etc., has been kept in Peterborough for the Meteorological Department. A few days ago the head official of that Department was in town and appointed Mr. Walter Peters of the EXAMINER staff, as custodian of the instruments of the Department. He has been supplied with two superior thermometers—a spirit minimum, for recording the cold, and a maximum for registering the heat. The former instrument is graduated to 90 degrees below zero, so there is hardly any possibility of a "cold dip" getting beyond the recording capacity of this instrument. Both instruments are self-registering, and were made by Negretti & Zambra, the famous optical instrument makers of London, and both have been tested and verified at the Kew Observatory, Greenwich, England, and are guaranteed correct. A guage for measuring the rainfall has also been supplied. Mr. Peters is careful and painstaking, and will doubtless perform his duty to the satisfaction of the Department.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Canadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL. 407 George Street. dwtf

A RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.

One of the Fire Department Drivers Badly Hurt This Morning.

Mr. John Montgomery, of the fire department, was the victim of a very serious accident this morning. He was hauling some lumber for the town, and was driving the fiery new hose wagon team on a wagon upon which there was no box, the reach only being used when lumber is being hauled.

As the team neared the C.P.R. tracks a passing train frightened them, and caused them to bolt. Mr. Montgomery being perfectly at home with horses, would easily have had his team under control again in a moment, but as he was sitting astride the reach, he was completely powerless, and as the teams crossed the C.P.R. tracks on the run, he was jostled from his uncertain seat and flung to the ground.

On being picked up and carried into Bowman's Hotel, it was found that Mr. Montgomery was unconscious, and though he revived at times, a stunning blow which he received on the head when falling caused him to faint at intervals.

Dr. Clarke put several stitches in the scalp wound, and found on examination that the right shoulder was also badly bruised, but he apprehends nothing serious, and directed that Mr. Montgomery should be driven to his home on Louis street.

The horses were caught near the South Ward School.

MAKING IMPROVEMENTS.

The C. P. R. will Widen the Space for Boats Under the Spur Line.

Mr. W. B. Bamford, local station agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway, was seen this morning in reference to the statement that the railway was contemplating the restricting of the space under their spur line, through which the canoes from the boathouses get out into the river.

The agent stated that, although it was true that additional piles were being driven under the bridge, they were merely temporary, as it was the intention of the Company to place iron stringers over the space referred to, thus making it higher and wider for the convenience of the canoes and steam launches. The C. P. R. has not the slightest intention of taking advantage of the rights of the property-holders along the river bank.

THE SECOND CONVENTION.

Of the Presbyterial Young Peoples' Societies of this Province.

The second convention of the Presbyterial Young Peoples' Societies of the Presbytery of Peterborough, assembled in St. Paul's church this afternoon at half-past two o'clock, the programme being arranged as follows :

AFTERNOON SESSION.
2.30 to 5.00.
Rev. John Hay, B.D., Chairman.
1—Praise and Devotional Exercises.
2—Roll call by congregation.
3—Reading of minutes.
4—Appointment of Business Committee.
5—Discussion, "Employment of a home missionary."
7—Report of Business Committee.
8—Election of officers.
Adjournment.

EVENING SESSION.
7.30 to 9.30.
Rev. J. U. Tanner, B. A., Chairman.
1—Praise and Devotional Exercises.
2—Reading of minutes.
3—Two-minute reports from societies.
4—Music by the choir.
5—Address, Rev. J. G. Potter, B. A.
6—Free will offering.
7—Address, Rev. J. A. Turnbull, LL.B., Toronto, "Studies in Young Peoples' Societies."
8—Closing exercises.
Benediction.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Town Council to night.

—Court Forest Queen C. O. F. initiates twenty new members to-night.

—Farmer' Institute to morrow at the County Council Chamber.

—Five Port Hope young men have been committed for trial on the charge of throwing stones at passing freight trains.

—The date of the East Peterborough Farmers' Institute is "Tuesday," 22nd Dec., and not "Monday," 23ad, as on the poster—to be held in Keene.

—The EXAMINER has to thank Mr. T. E. Bradburn for an artistic calendar for 1897 of the Standard Life Assurance Company, of which he is the local representative.

—A few inches of nice, soft snow, and a thermometrical drop below zero from now to Christmas, would be worth thousands to our merchants. It's hard to sell a fur coat or a cape when a duster or a parasol would be more appropriate to the occasion. And paradoxical as it may seem, soft weather freezes up the generosity of Santa Claus more than two feet of snow and 20 below zero.

—Miss Christina Currie, a young lady of twenty or thereabouts, who, until recently, has been living with her uncle, Thomas Squires, and his wife Janet, in Mariposa township, and is now with friends in Toronto, Saturday morning began an action for $2,000 damages for libel and slander against her uncle and aunt. Mr. Squires, it appears, accused her of stealing $5 and that is where the trouble began.

—This is the very best time to make holiday purchases, and the increasing numbers in the stores attest the fact that there are many people who know it, and are improving the opportunity. The stocks in all lines are fresh and complete at present, have not been picked over, and give the largest possible choice. In a week or ten days from now the assortment will be much restricted; the best things will have been purchased, and chiefly remnants of the present large stocks will be on the shelves and counters of the merchants. All who can do so should without delay make their Christmas selections.

—There is much food for thought in a report recently issued in England on the adulteration of tobacco. Tobacco consumers will be surprised to learn that the weed is mixed with sugar, alum, lime, flour or meal, rhubarb leaves, saltpetre, fuller's earth, starch, malt commings, cromate of lead, peat moss, molasses, burdock leaves, common salt, endive leaves, lamp black, gum, red dye, scraps of newspaper, cinnamon stick, cabbage leaves and brown straw paper. The enterprise and business ability of English tobacco dealers may, perhaps, be exemplified by the report but it is not a kind of enterprise that is entitled to encouragement. In this matter there is reason to believe that Englishmen take the foremost place.

Grafton & Co's Xmas Sale of Neck Ties, Worth 25c. for 10c, in all colours and shapes.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

A Good Judge of Meat

Is a blessing to any household. She knows that for prime roasts, juicy steaks and chops, fresh poultry and delicious sausage, J. J. HOWDEN'S, 461 George street, is the favourite meat shop for her. Hams, bacon and lard always on hand. Telephone 30.

For stomach and liver trouble use Madill's Stomach and Liver Pill; few doses will relieve.

THE TOWN TAXES.

A special meeting of the council was was called for Saturday evening for the purpose of passing a bylaw indemnifying the collector of taxes in the matter of the extension of time for the payment of town taxes. A majority of the council voted on Monday night for the extension of time. Whether it was a right or wrong course to pursue need not be discussed now, but it looks like child's play for the council to meet and talk and talk without ever going into session to carry out the object for which the meeting was called. There is no question that the town has the right, if they desire to do so, to pass a bylaw indemnifying the collector and postponing the time. One half the people to-day are paying their taxes, and the other half are holding off believing that the bylaw will be passed. This matter of extension of time is too serious a matter to be trifled with, as has been done by the council. There may be nothing gained by extending the time, but now that the matter has been undertaken, there will be trouble over the 5 per cent. if the time is not extended, after the hopes of a great many have been raised. The people do not expect—or perhaps some of them do expect—this sort of child's play from grown-up councillors, and the course pursued the last few days will not strengthen public confidence in the business ability of those councillors who may apply for re-election. The council in this matter cannot not injure Mayor Yelland; he called the council together Saturday night to pass the bylaw. Those who favour the bylaw should have voted for it, and those opposed should have had the courage of their convictions. Going on strike like the bolting ministers last January, will not relieve them from responsibility.

Guessing Contest.

All may compete. A barrel of currants stands in the window of E. Brown & Co's, and the question is, How many currants in the barrel? Any person who buys upwards of $5 worth of groceries at any time may compete; the one who guesses the correct number will get a pound of currants or raisins as a Christmas present. The count will take place on the 20th of February. Come one, come all. E. BROWN & Co., groceries, wines and liquors.

TINTED COVERS

Really well worth the attention of the Ladies, the price being only 35c at Miss Melville's, 424 George street.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Cholera, *Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus* and all summer complaints and fluxes of the bowels in children or adults.

BIRTH.

LEONARD.—In Toronto, on Saturday, December 5th, 1896, the wife of Mr. C. J. Leonard, barrister, of a son.

McCLELLAND

To parties who may intend purchasing a WATCH for Christmas we cheerfully invite our inspection of the

Only Time-Tested Watch Case

in the market. These goods contain only the best movements, and will be a special inducement to buyers.

We also show this week a line of Canadian **Enamelled Spoons and Pins** which are quite national, and will make a pleasant Souvenir.

McClelland
368 GEORGE STREET.

All are Invited!

BALL & CO.

Can suit everybody. They keep the latest style of goods to make up to your order, and will give you the new fashionable cut with perfect fit, as only a practical tailor can.

TAKE NOTICE.—No garment can ever fit if it has to be altered and dragged to pieces, after being cut to your measure.

Good Goods, no misfits or trying on requir

—AT—

BALL & CO'S.

PRACTICAL TAILORS,
Cox's New Block Water Stree

THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE. | A. H. Stratton & Co | 417 GEORGE ST. PHONE 225.

417 GEORGE STREET, December 14th, 1896.

Ready For The Throng!

We have put the armour on for a great week's selling in Christmas Gifts. Sorry we have'nt more room. With such preparations as we have made it would require twice the space to display the quantity of beautiful goods we have to offer.

But if you want to select your Gifts in the quietest moments of the day, come early in the morning. We are ready for you at 8 a.m. If you don't want to buy come any way. We welcome everybody to the freedom of the store. The best time to shop is while the stocks are at their best, and the best time to buy is before the choicest things are gone. The best things go first, of course. This statement is good enough to remember. Commence to-day. We can lay aside your purchases for future delivery, if you desire.

	From	Down to
Mirrors	$10 00	15c
Medallions	4 50	25c
Onyx Tables	20 00	$5 00
Photo Frames	7 00	5 00
Purses	3 50	5c
Purses Sterling Silver Mounted	3 50	1 00
Gent's Pocket Books	2 00	25c
Gent's Leather Wallets	3 00	35c
Ladies' Companions, in celluloid	7 50	25c
Ladies' Writing Portfolios	10 00	35c
Hand Painted Porcelain Ornaments, all prices	5 00	75c
Jewel Cases, all prices	3 00	15c
Fancy Novelties, with views of Peterborough, assorted	75	15c
Brush and Comb Sets, all prices	2 00	75c
Pin Trays, all prices	1 00	10c
Manicure Sets	5 00	75c
Neck Tie Cases	3 00	75c
Smoking Sets	3 75	50c
Handkerchief Cases	2 00	25c
Collar and Cuff Boxes	3 75	50c
Shaving Cases	5 00	1 00
Table and Office Bells	1 50	25c
Ink Stands	4 50	10c
Fountain Pens	4 00	25c
Gold Pens and Pencils	10 00	1 00
Perfume Bottles	2 50	25c
Work Baskets, all prices	3 50	25c
Dolls, away down	3 50	5c
Games, lower than ever.	1 00	5c
Picture Books	1 00	5c
Children's sets of Dishes	1 00	10c
Doll Carriages, Bicycle Steel Wheels, nicely finished	2 50	1 25
Sleighs of all kinds	1 00	25c
Rocking Horses	3 50	75c

A. H. STRATTON & CO.

PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

Agent for Butterick's Patterns. Telephone No. 225

BUY USEFUL Christmas Presents ...AT... HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S. Great Realization Sale.

With Christmas in sight we have turned our whole attention to clearing out such lines as are both suitable and useful for Christmas gifts. We will consider it a pleasure to show you what we have, whether you buy or not.

Presents for the Baby.
(Everyone buys something for the baby)
Infants Lawn Robes 75c, $1, $1.25, $2, $3, $3.50 special price.
Infant's Cashmere Robes $1.75, $2.75, $3.25, $4, $4.25, lovely goods.
Children's Dresses $1. $1.50, $2, $3, $4, $6.
Children's Pinafores 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, new goods.
Hemstitched Lawns for aprons 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c. sale prices.
Ladies' White Aprons 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Underwear, Golf Jerseys, Underskirts all at sale prices.

Children's Coats.
(Both comfortable and pretty)
Childrens' Elder Coat Fur Trimmings $1, $1.50, $2.50, $2.75, $4, $4.50 and $5.50.
Children's Hoods to match all the Coats at 25c and up.

Ladies' Ruffs.
Ladies' Fur Neck Ruffs $1.50, $1.75, $2.75, $4, $4.50 and $5. These goods are fully 25 per cent cheaper than you can buy them elsewhere.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, pink, sky and cream 75c.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, black, 25c, 40c and 50c.
Ladies' Ostrich Neck Ruffs, black $2 and $3 00.
Ladies' Capes $5, 7.50, $9, $10.50 in cloth, new styles.
Ladies' Plush Capes $12, $15, $18, special value.
Ladies' Fur-lined Cloaks, special sale price $9.50. Better goods $12, $15, $18, $20. latest styles.
Ladies' Dressing Jackets, (a very appropriate gift) $1.35 in all shades.
Jackets $3 goods for $2 50, better goods $10, $12, $15.

Handkerchiefs.
(A very suitable gift)
100 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, 10c quality, sale price 5c, or 6 for 25c.
20 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 12½c quality, sale price 8c.
White Embroidered Handkerchiefs 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Hemstitch Silk Handkerchiefs 10c, 15c, 25c.
Fancy Gaiters, Needle Cases, Purses, Collarettes, Silk Shawls, Umbrellas.

Men's Christmas Presents.
(Ladies' attention to this)
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs 15c, 20c and 25c special sale prices.
Men's Hemstitched Lawn Handkerchiefs, sale price 15c.
Men's Hemstitch Linen Handkerchiefs 25c, 30c and 40c.
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs 25c and 50c.
Men's White Hemstitched plain silk Handkerchiefs 25c, 35c, 40c 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c.
Fancy Brocaded Silk Handkerchiefs 45c, 50c 60c 75 cents.
Men's Cashmere Mufflers 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Men's Silk Mufflers $1.25, $1.50, very special.
Men's Neck Ties, 4-in-hand 25c, 35c, 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Neck Ties, made up 25c, 35c, and 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Braces 25c, 35c, 50c special.
Men's Unlined Kid Gloves, special quality to go at $1.
Full stock of Underwear, Top Shirts, Night Shirts, Collars and Cuffs.

Millinery.
(Always interesting at Christmas time)
Children's Fur Caps $1, worth $1.50.
Hats $1.50, $1.75, $2, $3, reduced to sale price.
Wool Tams 25c and 50c special.

Dress Goods and Silks.
25 Dress Costumes, all we have left at 25 per cent. reduction.
Tweed Dress Goods 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
Silks for Dresses, special $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $1.95.

Linen Table Cloths and Napkins.
Linen Cloths $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $3, $4, $5.
Linen Napkins 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $3.
Linen Tabling in all qualities.
Blankets 75c, $1.10, $1.25, $2.50, $3.50, $4 special.

Kid Gloves and Hosiery.
The greatest assortment of New Gloves you can find all at special prices.
Guaranteed Kid Gloves 75c, $1, $1.25.
Hosiery Cashmere 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
All mail orders receive special attention.
Rugs and Carpets at special prices
Carpet Sweepers the best in the trade.

There is no place where you can buy so many useful gifts as at our store. Our stock is everything you could desire and prices are all in favour of the buyer. Everyone welcome to call and see our Christmas Display of Dry Goods Novelties. SPOT CASH. ONE PRICE. SMALL PROFITS.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

Chase and Sanborn's Coffee

The *quality* of the *Coffee* we sell under our *trade mark* is our best advertisement.

This Seal is our trade mark, and guarantees perfection of quality, strength and flavor.

BOSTON. MONTREAL. CHICAGO.

TALBOT BROS.

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough

have on hand $4 000 worth of assorted Christmas Goods, consisting of the Highest Grade of Imported and Canadian Hand-made Cigars, Pipes, Tobaccos, Cigarettes, and Smokers' Supplies of the Latest and Best quality, which must be disposed of within 30 days, to make room for New 1897 Goods.

Try "Our Wonder" Cigars equal to any 10c. Cigar in the market, put up 25 in a box for only $1.00. Great sellers.

The Merrel Mackenzie Pipe in the three popular shapes—"Bulldog." "Crooked" and "Straight."

Wholesale and Retail. Special inducements to large buyers.

No. 382 George Street, Sign of the Indian Queen.

PURE

Pure and purity are words that mean a great deal—if an article is only 75 per cent. pure, you lose 25 per cent. of what you pay for it in waste; some articles like

GOLD

look pure though the only gold is a thin veneer on the outside. It looks like gold, feels like gold, but does not wear like gold. Use sooner or later wears off the thin coating and shows the baser metal beneath—The Housewife's

BAKING

is the same—Alum and Phosphate Baking Powders will raise a cake, and make it look delicious and wholesome, but in a day or so it becomes soggy, dry and heavy and the insoluble particles that remain in the cake tend to destroy digestion and the delicate lining of the stomach. In Pure Gold Baking

POWDER

an absolutely pure cream of tartar, (a product of the grape) and soda baking powder, the raising element, gas, rises slowly and evenly, gently lifting the cake to the required lightness, then holds it till the crust is formed and finally passes off leaving not a trace of any deleterious substance behind. Insist upon Pure Gold Baking Powder; your grocer sells it.

USE PURE GOLD FLAVOURING EXTRACTS.

Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., Box 55.) 13d132

Marks Bros.

Another week of pleasure is promised by Marks Bros. Company at the Opera House. New plays and new specialties will be put on nightly, commencing to-night with the Great Diamond Robbery. Saturday night the Waif of the Mines was the play. The audience was large and thoroughly appreciative.

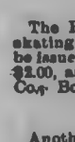
To be Pastor.

Rev. Mr. Currie, a graduate of Queen's College Kingston, who occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church, Havelock, on Sunday last, is the unanimous choice of the congregation, and already almost every member and adherent has signed the call, which will be formally given at a congregational meeting to be held this evening. The call will be placed before the Presbytery at a meeting of that body, which takes place on Tuesday afternoon in St. Paul's.

Killed Near Haliburton.

An aged farmer named Holland, who resided near Haliburton, met with a fatal accident one day last week. While bringing a load of wood into Lindsay the waggon wheel struck a rock on the roadside and the sudden jolt threw the old gentleman off. He alighted on his head and when picked up life was extinct. Dr. Giles was summoned and found that the neck was broken by the fall.

YOU Are Invited.



Yes YOU, personally, are most cordially invited to visit the Peterborough Bookstore, and inspect and admire the magnificent stock of every kind of goods suitable for holiday presents. You will be surprised at its magnificent extent and variety. We won't say anything about buying. That question will settle itself when you see our stock and take in its beauty—and learn the low prices. The buying will look after itself. Come and see us. All heartily welcome

A. H. STRATTON & Co.

AUTUMN SITTINGS.

They Opened To-day Before Hon. Mr. Justice McMahon.

The Autumn Sittings without jury opened at half past twelve to-day before Hon. Mr. Justice McMahon, the list being as follows:

Brasley vs. Brasly—Dennistoun, Peck & Stevenson for plaintiff; Jas. J. Brasly for defendant in person.

Hull vs. Stevenson—Stratton & Hall for plaintiff; Hall & Hayes for defendant.

Roy vs. G.T.R—A.P. Poussette for plaintiff: John Bell for defendant.

Henderson vs. Henderson—Hall & Hayes for plaintiff; E. B. Edwards for defendant.

Fordham vs. Scarlett—W. A. F. Campbell for plaintiff; J. E. Helliwell for defendant.

Aunger vs. Boyd—John Burnham, Q.C., for plaintiff; E. B. Edwards for defendant.

The first case taken up was that of Hull vs. Stevenson, in which the question of three mortgages, given by Mr. James Stevenson, is concerned. The different parties to the suit are represented as follows:

Robert Hull—Wallace Nesbitt, Toronto, and Stratton & Hall.

Mary Jane Dobie—Watson, Q.C., Toronto, and W. H. Moore.

Midland Loan—Charles Moss, Q.C., Toronto, and S. S. Smith, Port Hope.

Bank of Montreal—Hall & Hayes.

Alex. McDonald—W. A. F. Campbell.

John Douglas—A. P. Poussette, Q.C.

James Stevenson—Dennistoun, Peck & Stevenson.

PERSONAL

Miss Minnie O'Sullivan, George street, is seriously ill.

Mr. Reggie Turner was in Lindsay on Saturday.

Mr. I. Elwood Lane and wife of Chicago, who have been visiting Mr. A. Franklin Lane and wife, left this morning, after a pleasant visit, for the east.

Rev. W. L. Armitage, the newly appointed assistant curate of St. John's, who comes to Peterborough to-morrow, was honoured with a complimentary entertainment in London previous to his departure. He was presented with an address wishing him success in his new field and expressing regret at his departure.

The last issue of the Hotel World, of Chicago, contains the following reference to Mr. George D. Edwards, who has been visiting his brother, Mr. E. B. Edwards, here, for some time past:—"Col. Geo. D. Edwards, the fascinating bachelor who conducts the Denver Hotel Reporter, is absent in Canada, and as he has been gone some time his Denver friends are beginning to worry about him, fearing that he has been kidnapped by some handsome subject of the Queen. During the H.M.M.B.A. pilgrimage in California last spring Mr. Edwards was "chaperone" for five Canadian ladies, and when his Denver friends are being asked at present what Geo. D. is doing so long in Canada, they wink—only wink.

CHURCH CHIMES.

Yesterday morning in St. Andrew's church the anthem "The Lord is My Shepherd" was well rendered.

Mr. G. W. Mulligan sang that grand song Parker's "Jerusalem" during collection at St. Andrew's church yesterday morning.

St. Andrew's choir sang two anthems very harmoniously last evening. Their selections were "Awake up My Glory," and "Search me, O God."

At the 10 30 o'clock service in the Cathedral yesterday morning, Mr. and Mrs. George Ball rendered Bundose's "Ecce Panis" in fine harmony.

On Sunday evening in St. John's church, Rev. Mr. Davidson made a beautiful and touching reference to the late Robert Panter, in whose death the congregation has lost one of its most regular worshippers. He cited in connection with his tribute to the simple piety of the young man, the words: "I thank thee, O Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that Thou has hid these things from the wise and prudent and revealed them unto babes."

Bryce's Books for Boys.

Mr. Wm. Bryce, of Toronto, issues two sterling juvenile books for boys, and one for younger children. This is the Child's Magazine, a neatly illustrated little volume intended for the younger children, and for their amusement and instruction it contains many pages of stories, poetry, and one longer story, "Dick's Hero," by Blanche Atkinson. "Chimes" is a book after the boy's own heart. It is an illustrated annual of nearly 900 pages studded with splendid illustrations and contains a year's fund of lively, interesting, ever captivating reading that appeals strongly to boy nature. It has a judicious sprinkling of jokes, and its stories, while exciting enough, have a good moral and instructive tone. Its stories of adventures by sea and land, are delightful. Another and a new annual is called the Young Canadian, and is a large well illustrated volume, full of wholesome reading, stories of adventure, etc. There are two complete stories "On the Spanish Main," by Henty, and "Hunted Through Fiji," by Reginald Horsley. There are also scores of short stories of battlefields and travels throughout the uncivilised world, and several articles on birds and bird life. The cover is a typical Canadian one, there being maple leaves woven into the design with a pretty effect. This book or either of the others, makes an admirable Christmas present for boys. To be had at the Peterborough Bookstore.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

Mr. H. E. C. Wonham, sec'y-treasurer of the Chicago Hockey Club, formerly one of Peterborough's crack hockeyists, forwards the following extract from a Chicago paper:—

"Hockey promises to be one of the most popular winter sports in Chicago this season. The recent cold snap afforded good ice at the parks, and as a result the experts were out in force driving the "puck" over the smooth surface. The game is rather new in this city, and participation in it has been confined to a few enthusiasts. Now, however, indications point to its becoming generally popular as a vigourous outdoor sport requiring both quickness and skill.

It is quite possible that indoor contests also may be arranged at Tattersall's or the Colliseum. The Chicago Hockey Club is back of the movement, and favours the plan, because evening games could then be played and the ice kept in uniform condition. Artificial ice is largely used in the east, where the sport has obtained quite a foothold. The pipes are said to have been taken out at Tattersalls, and if such is the case the expense would probably be too great to warrant replacing them. The Colliseum would be an admirable place, and its use for hockey and skating may prove feasible. In case suitable ground is secured a crack Canadian team will visit Chicago to meet the locals.

The Chicago, Wyandotte, Prairie and Englewood clubs already have candidates practicing for places on the teams, and a number of other clubs have signified their intention of organizing. There is quite a sentiment in favour of the organization of a hockey league, which would play a series of games involving the city championship.

President Black, of the Chicagos, is an adept at the game, having played on the champion Winnipeg team of Canada. Fenwick and Wonham are also old players, having been connected with the crack teams of both upper and lower Canada. McBride, a Toronto man, is also on the team. All these men are fast skaters and get into the game well. Weed proved himself a valuable man last winter, and is expected to do even better this year. There are a score of other promising candidates to uphold the honor of Chicago, if invading "Canucks" visit the city.

While the game is comparatively new in the United States, it is fast becoming popular in the east. It was introduced in Pittsburg two years ago by Fenwick, and there are now fourteen regular clubs there. The season there and in New York began Nov. 1 upon artificial ice, and scheduled games are now being played. New York boasts four hockey organizations, Brooklyn two and Washington two. The first important game will be played Dec. 15 between the St. Nicholas Club, of New York, and the Brooklyn Skating Club.

Hockey is by no means a gentle game in which the players have time to cut fancy figures. It is one of the fastest games played, and requires almost perfect physical condition. Seven men play on a side, and they are kept busy during the two twenty-minute periods. The field is 112 by 58 feet. In this small space all the lightning movements and quick recoveries are executed. Four of the seven players are called forwards, their duty being to advance the "puck," which is a small disk of vulcanized rubber. The goalkeeper and point form the defense about the goal, and the cover point is supposed to be intermediate. Of course the positions of the players change with the exergencies of the game, and each man is supposed to guard an opponent. The hockey sticks are light and made of wood.

The goal posts through which the puck must be driven are at each end of the field. They are four feet high and six feet apart. It seems strange to the unitiated, but the puck is seldom struck hard, the skill being shown in advancing it by pushing or passing to another on the same side. Rough play is penalized, but "interference" is allowed. The progress of a man with the ball can thus be checked or its possession secured by bumping against him with the body. With gentlemen players among whom the game is in vogue there has been little trouble from the rule thus far, but it would be easy to imagine instances where such privileges are abused, serious injuries resulting. Shin guards and heavy gloves belong to the paraphernalia of the game. The sport is certainly exhilarating to the players and unusually exciting when the teams are evenly matched. A series of games in Chicago is therefore greatly to be desired."

As the Peterboroughs are planning a two weeks' trip through the States the above facts will prove interesting.

A meeting of the Lakefield hockey club was held Monday evening last for the coming season. The following officers were elected:

Hon. President—Mr. E. R. Tate.
President—Mr. J. S. Madill.
Vice-President—Mr. C. S. Tanner.
Captain—Mr. A. McKenzie.
Vice-President—Mr. T. C. Ridpath.
Sec.-Treas—Mr. J. A. McDonald.

The club promises to be a very strong one this season, and will start out with a good membership.

It is often a mystery how a cold has been "caught." The fact is, however, that when the blood is poor and the system depressed, one becomes peculiarly liable to diseases. When the appetite or the strength fails, Ayer's Sarsaparilla should be taken without delay.

Christmas Ale and Porter.

Special brewings of Cristmas stock now ready at reduced prices to private families during the holidays. Kegs, $1.25; quarter, $1.75; one-third, $2 50. Bottles, 13 to doz, $1.00 Terms Cash. H. CALCUTT, brewer and malster. Telephone 98.

The Date.

The date of China Hall's Christmas opening will be Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 16th and 17th, when the stock will be at its very best. The assortment of lovely new goods is the largest ever carried, and we will guarantee our prices the lowest in town. All are invited on the above days, especially in the evenings, when the store will be illuminated. Store open every evening till 10 o'clock until after Xmas.

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Our stock is still large and of first quality. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. by buying from us now. Save it. The whole stock in trade for sale "en bloc." OLMGG'S RETIRING SALE, (Next to Stratten's Bookstore).

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

The Victim Was Out with His Gun Near the Mica Mines.

Mr. John Wood of near Oak Lake, met with a serious accident near Coshenabog Lake, on Wednesday. He was out hunting when the accident happened.

When carrying the gun over his shoulder he slipped, the gun falling backward and discharging. The shot took effect in the ankle, the full charge entering just above the heel.

The injured man, unable to get assistance where he was, was forced to crawl over a quarter of a mile to where he could make himself heard by some men working in the mica mines near by. Mr. Wood was taken by these men men into one of the shanties. Two brothers of the wounded man were at once despatched to Mr. Wood's home to appraise the family of the accident. The family lived on the opposite side of the lake from that on which the accident happened, and in order to save time the men crossed the lake on the ice. When last heard from Wood was doing well.

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HOT WATER BOTTLES.

Large Size Only - - **$1** Each

When hot applications are required for Inflammation of any kind, for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Cold Feet or Earache there is nothing so useful as the

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Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enameledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

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New Dates,
Delicious Table Raisins.

And Confections to make your mouth water. Make your selection early and call often.

SPECIAL—4 cans of Corn, Peas or Tomatoes 25c.

3 lb. Choice Mince Meat for 25c.

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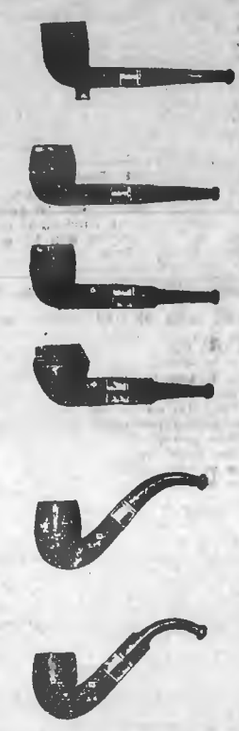

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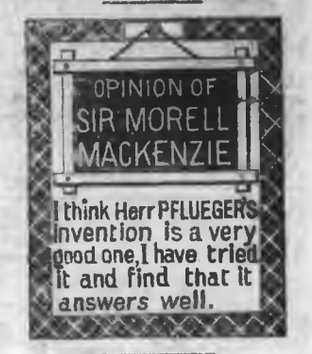
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1 Water Boiler, 2 Salt and Pepper Castors,
1 Bottle Methylated spirits,
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Positive Facts.

Boulter's Baked Beans,	3	cans	for	25c
Fresh Mackerel	3	"	"	25c
Fresh Lobsters	3	"	"	50c
Choice Tomatoes	4	"	"	25c
Choice Peas	4	"	"	25c
Golden Finnan Haddie	4	"	"	25c
British Col. Salmon	2	"	"	25c
Sliced Smoked Beef	3	"	"	60c
Vegetable Soup	3	"	"	90c

We are offering these goods at such low prices for two reasons

1st.—To make room for our Pork Department.

2nd.—To give the general public bargains in these lines.

Should the consumer ask the quality of Pork he buys?

Should he be told the truth? We decidedly say Yes.

Is it consistent to be able to throughly recommend that which you never have seen in any state, except by selling it over the counter? No.

Is it right to blame Clerks for praising the goods they sell? No.

Why? Because in a great many cases they but comply with their employer's requests and do what they think right.

In order to be able to truthfullly recommend the PORK we sell, we deem it advisable to cure our own, which we are now doing.

Our LARD we guarantee.

Leaf Lard 10c per lb. or 11 lbs. for $1.00.	Fresh Pigs' Shanks 2c per lb
Pure Kettled Leaf Lard 12½c per pound or 20 lbs. for $2.00.	Spare Ribs 8c per lb
Sweet Pickled Backs 10c per lb.	Back Bones 1c per lb
Sweet Pickled Bellies 10c per lb.	Butter 17, 18 and 19c " "
Long Clear Bacon 8c per lb.	Creamery Butter 20c " "
Pigs' Cheeks 5c "	Eggs 19 to 22c per doz
Pigs' Heads 5, 15, 20, 25c "	Mince Meat 10c per lb or 3 for 25c
Pigs' Feet 3c per doz	Chopped Suet 10c per lb. or 3 lbs for 25c.
	&c., &c., &c., &c.

PREPARING FOR CHRISTMAS.

Also we will sell this week and next in order to prepare for our Xmas trade Beef at the following prices:—

Rib Roasts, formerly sold at 8 to 10c, now 7c.	Shoulder Steak—4 for 25c, 3 for 25c.
Shoulder Roasts, formerly sold at 7c, now 5c.	Round Steak—3 for 25c, 10c per lb
Plate Ribs, formerly sold at 6c, now 4c.	Nicks (Boiling) formerly sold from 3 to 4c, now 2c.
Briskets, formerly sold at 5c, now 3c.	These prices will only last this week and next, and we guarantee all our Meats.

We ask for a share of your patronage. Call and convince yourselves that we strive to promote your interest as well as our own.

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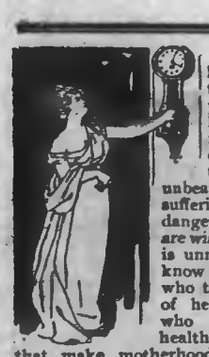

Many women have good reason to dread the approach of the hour of maternity. All too frequently it is a time of almost unbearable pain and suffering and extreme danger. Women who are wise know that this is unnecessary. They know that the woman who takes proper care of her womanly self, who looks after the health of the organs that make motherhood possible, need have no fear of approaching maternity. They know that there is a sure and safe cure for all weakness and disease of these organs. Over 90,000 of these women have testified in writing to the virtues of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

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Woman should know herself. She should not be dependent in every emergency, great and small, upon a physician. She should be familiar with her own physical make-up. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser will reveal a world of important truths to the woman who is ignorant upon these points. It contains many chapters and illustrations devoted to the reproductive physiology of women. It is written in plain, straightforward language. The book contains over 1,008 pages. A paper-covered copy will be mailed absolutely FREE to any one who sends thirty-one one-cent stamps, to cover the cost of customs and mailing *only*, to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, No. 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y. If cloth binding is desired send fifty stamps.

BRADLEY IN THE BOX.

The Conspiracy Case at Brampton Continues to Create Sensations.

Brampton, Dec. 11.—Twelve witnesses was the grist up to noon to-day in the famous conspiracy trial. Charles Cottenden, auctioneer, Queen-street, Toronto, sold a parlor suite brought to him after negotiations with Clark, for $17. The furniture was worth much more.

M. Drake, a scenic artist photographer, and Tailor Wadsworth of Toronto, all did work for Clark, got a little cash in some instances, but always a liberal allowance in goods for the balance. They believed the deals pretty good things. Sandford Chilman identified goods and told about Lailley, Watson & Co.'s loss.

Sergt. Cockburn, Albert Fisher and W. Reid, employes of Brock & Co., identified large quantities of the goods on Detective Heffernan's bargain counter as from their house.

W. J. Neelands and W. J. Ward, the Caledon farmers, for the altering of whose notes Clark was convicted of forgery, had similar stories about the inducements held out to them by Clark of getting goods at cost.

Willie Hunter, the boy teamster, who hauled goods to the Beaconsfield branch and to the score or so people who got goods from Clark, went over his story told at the magistrate's court. It was Willie who wrote a letter to Zollner of Mount Forest 19 days after the fire apprising them of that fact and adding the hint that he could give them valuable information.

The Afternoon's Proceedings.

Brampton, Dec. 11.—(Special.)—This afternoon Mary Feller of Bolton; Wm. Stubbs, Caledon; Bella Cooper of Glenwilliams, and James Robinson, Caledon, told how they had bought goods from Clark.

On William Robson's farm was left a threshing engine. He is a neighbor of Bradley's sons. They brought it to his farm while he was away. This is part of the assets claimed by the creditors. The defence endeavored to show that the engine was not taken there for concealment, but for better protection from the weather.

The witness, Miss Higginson, dressmaker, of Caledon East, told her story, fully reported in the magistrate's examination. She made 18 dresses for Clark, for which she received the munificent payment of $37, and most of it in furniture. Although cheap, the samples worn by the ladies in town did Miss Higginson much credit as a modiste. There was a straight chain of connection between Bradley and Clark in the dealings the witness had with Clark.

Miss Dot Murray, the theatrical lady who didn't sign a contract with Clark to play emotional parts, because the manager wouldn't put up the salary, told about getting dresses from Clark to be paid for in dramatic services. She got a gold watch and a lot of stuff, which she had to give back after the failure to agree. On one occasion she enjoyed the felicity of a furniture ride from Caledon East with Clark, when he was taking a load to the Beaconsfield branch.

Miss Helene Ward, a young lady with soulful eyes, admitted the impeachment of being an actress. She had an engagement with Clark's troupe. She got seven dresses, which were to be paid on salary account. To her came the gold watch, but it was by way of Mrs. Clark. Miss Ward sported one of the two jackets specially ordered from Brock by Clark.

Oscar Signatore, one of the stranded actors, retold his examination story. He got an overcoat and various articles of apparel, to be paid for out of salary account. Oscar was not given the opportunities of the previous occasion for any display of facetiousness.

R.W. Burrell of Caledon East bought goods to the amount of $70 from J. A. Bradley, which he had settled for. He saw goods being driven to Toronto. Clark wanted to sell him $100 worth of goods at cost price. He would convince him with the invoices, and take his note for a year, without interest.

Mr. Burrell was of late arrival at the fire.

Thomas Cranston, postmaster at Caledon East, agreed with Mr. Burrell, that the famous warehouse was about 15 by 20 and 15 feet at the highest point. He gave the alarm at the fire and then went to work to save his own stables. He perceived no smell of burning wool in the air during the progress of the fire.

Miss Rankin of Toronto, the pretty witness of the former examination, is evidently worrying over the conspiracy, for she was a trifle piqued. However, she still retains possession of that charming play of features, with which she accompanies her story. Being a young woman who had recently married, she had occasion to buy considerable furniture last September, and Clark sold her furnishings for a couple of rooms, for which she held the receipts. A roll of carpet left on approval had been taken by Detective Heffernan and was identified.

Registrar Chisholm gave evidence as to a mortgage, and James Donaghy followed to tell its story. Mr. Donaghy bought the land on which the Bradley store stands, with an agreement that in a certain number of months Bradley should have the opportunity to redeem it, his previous mortgage remaining. When Bradley and Clark came to act on the terms of the agreement a few weeks before the fire, the sale was made to Mrs. Bradley and not to Bradley.

The Crown will claim this was done to defraud the creditors.

John Elliott lives at Hanlan's Point, Toronto, and bosses the Ferry Company's park. His daughter is married to one of Bradley's sons. He drew up a document showing that John A. Bradley was indebted to J. T. and W. G., his sons, in $800, and that they agreed to call quits if they were given the implements on the farm. Another document, also produced, was witness' production. Witness was looking out for the young people's welfare. This happened before the marriage and Elliott said if he had known then what was coming, the marriage would not have come off, that is if he could have prevented it.

At 5.15 the Crown closed its case with this witness.

For three hours John A. Bradley was in the sweat box telling how he did business during his short but eventful career of six months prior to Oct. 16 as a business man in Caledon East. It was a most extraordinary recital. Bradley is a heavy, raw-boned man, standing fully 6 feet 4 inches. Towering in the witness box, with his stolid, emotionless face to the audience, he answered question after question in a sing-song tone, with the monotonous "I can't say," "I don't remember now," "I had it on paper and it's burned," or "Clark told me to."

Cross-examined as to his extraordinary conduct regarding the Burton mortgage, he understood Burton was to get the money from his father in a few days. He gave the notes to his wife, and could not explain why he had not turned them into the assets. The mortgage transactions and the statements to wholesalers were all arranged by Clark. He invariably did whatever Clark told him.

The case may possibly be finished tomorrow night.

Why not profit by the experience of others who have found a permanent cure for catarrh in Hood's Sarsaparilla.

SPAIN LOOKING FOR BACKING.

Requests the Pope to Find Out Whether Any Power Would Support Her in a War.

London, Dec. 11.—The Daily News will to-morrow print a despatch from Rome, saying it is stated there that Spain has asked the Pope to ascertain through the papal nuncios at the various capitals, whether any of the powers would support her in the event of a war with the United States, or interfere in Spain's behalf at the right moment.

The despatch adds that Signor de Felice Giuffrida, the well-known Socialist member of the Chamber of Deputies, has made an offer to the Central Cuban Committee to take several hundreds of his friends to Cuba to join the insurgents.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is quiet, with no change in prices. Straight rollers are nominal at $3.90 to $4, Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—There is a quiet market, with rather better feeling at close of day. Red sold at 80c outside early and at 81c in the afternoon. White is quoted at 82c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 93c, Toronto freight, and at 90c, afloat, Fort William.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 28c to 29c.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 1 is quoted at 31c and No. 2 at 27c outside, and feed barley at 20c to 21c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices weak. White sold outside at 18c, and mixed quoted at 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices unchanged at 40c, north and west.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales at 34c outside west.

Corn—The market is easy, with new yellow offering at 26c outside.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The offerings to-day were about 40 car loads, including what was left over from yesterday. The demand for cattle is only moderate. A few shippers sold at 3½c to 3¾c, while choice stock is nominal at 4c. The offerings of butchers' cattle were chiefly of inferior quality, with sales at 1¾c to 2½c per lb. The best butchers sold at 3c to 3½c per lb. Milch cows sell at $25 to $40 each and calves at $4 to $9 each.

Sheep and lambs in fair supply and prices are unchanged. Export sheep sold at 3c per lb. and bucks at 2½c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3½c to 3¾c per lb.

Hogs in liberal supply and prices unchanged. The best sold at 3¾c to 4c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c to 3½c, lightweights at 3¾c, sows at 2¾c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 11.—Spring wheat, 6s 9d to 6s 10d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 3d to 7s 4d; corn, 2s 10¼d; peas, 4s 5½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 29s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 28s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London — Opening — Wheat on passage weak and partly 3d lower. English country markets weak. Maize on passage rather easier.

Liverpool—Spot wheat dull; futures steady at 6s 7½d for Dec., 6s 6½d for Jan., 6s 7d for Feb. and 6s 7¼d for March. Maize steady at 2s 9½d for Jan., Feb. and March and 2s 9¾d for May. Flour 25s 3d.

Paris—Wheat 21f 40c for Jan. Flour 45f 70c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat nervous at 6s 7d for Dec., 6s 8d for Jan., 6s 8¼d for Feb., and 6s 8¼d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 9¾d for Dec., 2s 9½d for Jan. and Feb. and 2s 9¾d for March, April and May. Flour 25s.

London—Close—Wheat on passage dull. English country markets 0d lower. Maize on passage quiet.

Paris—Close—Wheat 21f 50c for Jan. Flour 46f for Jan.

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For Infants and Children.

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Shiloh's Cure

Is sold on a guarantee, it cures Incipient Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure Only one cent a dose. 25 cts., 50 cts., and $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 389 George street.

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A Gang of Railroad Robbers Attacked by Police and Three Captured After a Hot Fight.

New York, Dec. 11.—A special from Poughkeepsie says: A party of police officers, headed by Chief Detective Humphrey of the Central Railway, and Chief of Police Platt of this city, had an exciting battle with four railroad robbers beside the West Shore Railroad tracks near Esophus early this morning, after they had waylaid and robbed a gang of hoboes.

After a desperate conflict, in which several volleys of pistol shots were exchanged and in which one of the robbers was shot, three of the desperadoes were caught. They are believed to be members of a gang of murderous railroad thieves who have been committing depredations on railroads within 75 miles of New York for the past three months.

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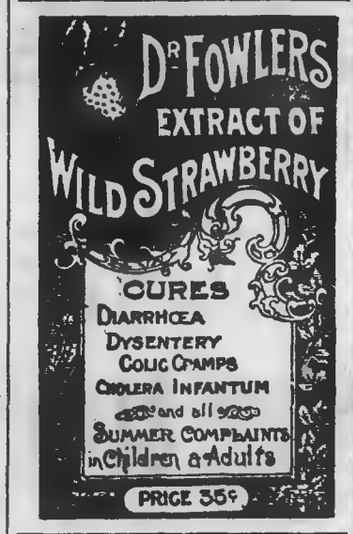

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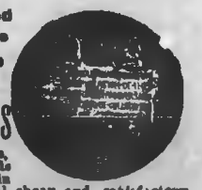

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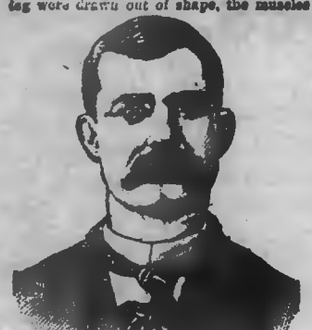

being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 168 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

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THE CHRISTMAS CALF.

By EMILY MEREDYTH AYLWARD.

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"Suppose," said Miss Gascoigne, drawing up her slight, erect figure and laying down her coffee cup with an air of solution, "we give the calf to the Willoughbys."

"Suppose," said Jack Percy, "we put a rope round the neck of our dear darling Christmas right here and not prolong her life to needless torture. She'll die a violent death in the end."

"Jack," said Miss Gascoigne reprovingly, "you've evidently forgotten what the Willoughby children are like. You might know, at all events, that when I propose giving them the calf they must love animals. They simply adore them. To hint anything else is simply bad taste when you know how I am wrapped up in that calf. I thought I liked Thanksgiving—she was a beauty—but now I really think I like Christmas better. I wouldn't see her given away to any one but the Willoughbys, because they are the only people I know as enthusiastic about animals as I am myself. Those children went wild over Thanksgiving. What will they say when they find Christmas at the door on Xmas morning? Just a week old; all their own property."

"They won't say much. They'll proceed to make merry with her. Oh, what a merrymaking there will be with that tender weakling of a calf! She'll sleep on Xmas night after a lively day. But don't look blue, Cousin Minna. She may stand a week of it."

"My son," interposed Mr. Percy gravely, but subduing a smile which flickered round the corners of his mouth, "you really ought not to talk that way even in fun. You know Cousin Minna doesn't like it. Besides I am fully of the opinion that the calf will be made a great pet. We don't need her here, and she will give so much pleasure to those children. Why, I saw little Helen and Grace only the other day in the paddock petting Jane Burns, the mother, in the gentlest way."

"And in the end they could hardly be got away from her," continued Miss Minna, "and said that of all presents in the world they would like a calf best. They haven't a single animal now but the bull pup, and they have such a nice house for a calf. Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby will be delighted; the children will be in ecstasies. It's a perfectly charming arrangement all round."

"Golly," murmured Jack, thrusting out his long 17-year-old legs and taking his last bite of pear at a gobble. "Won't the calf and the bull pup have a bully time? Phillkins, dear, I retract. The death won't be violent. It'll be nervous prostration after a race. Won't it be bully to see the calf at a 2:40 gait round the Willoughby lot with the bull pup in chase? We can see it, if we stretch, across the lawn from my window."

"Jack, you talk too much," put in Philip Greville, the one guest at the table. It was pretty well understood that Greville had a decidedly tender regard for Miss Gascoigne; that eight years agone he had proposed to her and been refused; that in or about the same time she had given her heart into somebody's keeping who had played with it and bruised it and given it back to her when along had come a maiden with a larger dower. Now she held it in proud reticence, and the glimmer of warmth with her was rare. The eye that probed deep could see in her a deep capacity for affection, but her tender side was not the one shown to the world. The dearest to it was when moved, as now, over the possible woes of an animal, and the smallest disclosure of sympathy on any score lent a light to her eye which fanned high the steady flame in Greville's breast. She was still a pretty woman, in the late twenties, with a self reliant charm and dignity which made her a decided social success. Her observation and wit were keen and her speech ready and well enough chosen to obtain the reputation of brilliancy. Her sense of humor was unfailing in anything and everything which did not pertain to a member of the brute creation. When it came to a joke at an animal's expense, Miss Minna couldn't see it and resented it with an air of prinked up severity which savored a little of the old maid.

"But, after all," thought Greville, "if she is a bit silly on this score, it's the one thing silly about her. It's her one hobby. In everything else who is like her? She is so susceptible to the touch of comedy or pathos. More attractive than ever"—he realized with a lonely sense of longing—"animal fads notwithstanding."

"The calf," he said cheerily, "will be well looked out for at the Willoughbys. You are quite right, Miss Gascoigne. Willoughby wouldn't have a fly suffer on his

"I LOVE THE WHOLE FAMILY," SAID MISS MINNA.

premises, and, as for Mrs. Willoughby, she's a jewel of good heartedness." Greville straightened out his tall physique, and a glimmer of anxiety entered his eye not quite in keeping with his cheery speech.

"I think those Willoughbys are very sweet children," put in Mr. Percy in his mild way.

"Lordy!" cried Jack, falling forward on the table and giving vent to a volley of groans. "Sweet! They haven't picked each other's eyes out yet. They will shortly. They've only picked the eyes out of everything else they could get their claws at. If our beloved Christmas only lived to grow them, what trophies they might bring of tails and horns! Yes, Phillkins dear, don't frown. Anything they could screw out or wrench off you might have for an emblem. I'll swear it."

Miss Minna gave him a look of angry contempt. "Suppose we go and take a look at the calf," she said, addressing Mr. Percy and Greville.

Greville rose promptly. Mr. Percy decided not to risk the cold. Down the long avenue they strolled quietly beneath the rays of a white half moon. There in the shed stood the sleek baby calf, the last of a thoroughbred stock. "I love the whole family," said Miss Minna earnestly, laying her slim hand on the newcomer's back. "If anything were to happen this beauty here, it would break my heart."

And Greville held the lantern aloft while she tied a blue ribbon round Christmas' neck.

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Xmas had come and gone, and the calf was in the possession of the Willoughbys. The touch of spring was now in the air after a severe winter, throughout which Greville had responded with persistent inquinity to every invitation to the Percys. Reports of the calf had reached Miss Minna from time to time, every one cheering. The children ran over to bring their parents' message that Christmas had proved "such a boon" and to declare their own undying devotion to their pet. Jack had just returned from a Canadian visit and was eating his first home dinner, at which Greville was again a guest.

"I shall give my little luncheon, then, this day week," remarked Miss Minna, "and I shall invite Mrs. Willoughby. Six

"THAT CALF HAS SIMPLY BEEN EVERYWHERE."

calls I shall have to make tomorrow, and, just think of it, I shall see the calf for the first time since she left us!"

"Y-e-e-s," remarked Greville apprehensively. "I'm afraid—that is, I think—that Christmas hasn't grown as much as you might expect during the winter. It's been a bad winter, you know," anxiously.

"Why, how do you know about her?" asked Miss Minna, astonished. "You haven't seen her since Christmas, have you?"

"Well, yes. I dined once or twice at the Willoughbys. I forgot to mention about it. The calf wasn't well—quite as robust—quite as fat, I mean, as you might like. But then"—with a miserable effort at a smile—"I think that's all the better. I don't care much for fat calves myself."

"She ought to be fat," said Miss Minna, lapsing into anxious reflection. "She ought to be very, very fat. You have made me quite anxious about her. I'll call there the first thing. Perhaps their food does not agree with her."

"No," said Jack, "perhaps it doesn't. I should think myself that browsing off the back fence and an occasional refection off the clothesline wouldn't agree with most calves."

"The calf will fatten up all right now in the spring weather," remarked Mr. Percy, with an evident effort at cheerfulness. "From what I have heard, she"—

"What, Cousin George," said Miss Minna, "have you actually heard something, too, and never told me?"

A rather weary look overspread Mr. Percy's usually calm, genial face. "Yes, a few times going in and out on the train," he said, "the matter has been mentioned to me. The whole neighborhood seems to think it has a proprietary interest in that calf and that it is my business to keep it fat for it. But these things mean nothing. I've tried not to allow myself to be annoyed by them."

Miss Minna looked grave and a trifle angry. "One need not be annoyed," she said; "they might be made solicitous. I wish you had spoken to me after the very first remark you heard. Something is surely wrong." And she rose from the table and left the room with a decided air of distress.

"There's going to be a bully time over that calf," remarked Jack when she had gone out of earshot. "We'll hear nothing but 'calf' now for the next six months."

"I fear so," said Mr. Percy wearily.

And Greville looked grave and troubled.

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Bright and early next morning Miss Minna stepped briskly down the lawn with an anxious glitter in her eye. As she turned outside the gateway, she came face to face with Mrs. Merington, wife of the artist whose bold canvases were the talk of the town, and whose suburban home was adjacent to the Percy residence.

"Ah," said Miss Minna, "how glad I am to see you. I was going to call on you later in the day. I'm getting up a little luncheon."

"Miss Gascoigne," interrupted Mrs. Merington sternly and ignoring the mention of call or luncheon, "is it—can it be possible that you gave that calf to the Willoughbys?"

"Yes," said Miss Minna timidly, her heart sinking down into her boots, for she knew now that something awful was in the air, and her spirit was weak in advance. "I did. Why?"

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WOOD.

4-foot Hardwood, dry. 2-foot Harwood, dry.
Mixed Dry Wood. Dry Hemlock Slabs.
200,000 ft. Dry Hemlock Lumber.
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Shingles at prices from 80c. up.

DRY PINE LUMBER,

A FINE ASSORTED STOCK.

Doors, Sash and all kinds of House Finish.

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Heartburn, Sick Headache, and all Stomach Troubles,

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Ask your Druggist for them.

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BLOOD POISON

A SPECIALTY Primary, Secondary or Tertiary BLOOD POISON permanently cured in 15 to 35 days. You can be treated at home for same price under same guarantee. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay railroad fare and hotel bills, and no charge, if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, Iodide potash, and still have aches and pains, Mucous Patches in mouth, Sore Throat, Pimples, Copper Colored Spots, Ulcers on any part of the body, Hair or Eyebrows falling out, it is this Secondary BLOOD POISON we guarantee to cure. We solicit the most obstinate cases and challenge the world for a case we cannot cure. This disease has always baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians. $500,000 capital behind our unconditional guaranty. Absolute proofs sent sealed on application. Address COOK REMEDY CO., 167 Masonic Temple, CHICAGO, ILL.

INVERLEA PARK GROCERY

—This is not the ordinary little corner Grocery where supplies are poor and meagre, and often unsatisfactory from an economical point of view—but a full-grown, thoroughly stocked Grocery with a grand selection of new, fresh, sweet and clean Groceries and Provisions fit for the best families in the land. Prices are, of course, lower than down town, because rent, taxes and other expenses are lower—see!

Farmers' produce taken in exchange for goods and highest prices allowed

HUGH McINDOE,

Cor. Water and South Sts, Opp. Inverlea Park

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY,

Incorporated by Act of Legislature, 1895

Information requested. Informant's name kept strictly private. FINCH W. MILLER Agent and Ass't. Sec'y. OFFICE—Town Buildings Office Hours—10 to 11 a.m. and 4 to 6 p.m. Children for Adoption.

Modesty!

Makes thousands of women suffer in silence, rather than tell their troubles to anyone. To such Indian Woman's Balm is a perfect boon. It cures all womb troubles, corrects monthly irregularities, abolishes the agonies of child-birth, makes weak women strong, and renders life worth living.

Sold in Peterborough by J. B. Tully.

Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Christmas trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea :—

Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Chiffon Collars and Neckwear
Veilings and Nettings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c.
Cloth for a Mantle
Winter Jackets
Winter Underwear
New Corsets
Lace and Embroidery

No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

MISSES CAHILL

403 George Street.

THE AMATEUR WRITER.

Many Words and Worn-Out Phrases His Hobby.

Editors never use any profane language. If they did, amateur correspondents would keep them busy. Everybody, some time or other, finds occasion to write something for publication. If he could write the way he speaks the article would be simple, natural in style, and readable. But amateur writers will persist in going out of their way to use worn out phrases. Out of the last seven wedding notices sent in to this journal five described the presents as numerous and costly, the sixth writer said they were costly and numerous and the seventh varied the monotony of the thing by saying they were numerous and valuable.

Another fault occasional writers for the press have is using too many words. The fewer words used the clearer the point is and less space is wasted to convey the same amount of information. The amateur measures the value of an article by its length when it appears in type. The editor measures its value by the amount of information conveyed in the least possible space.

Therefore correspondents should be brief as well as natural. They should endeavour to describe an event on paper just the way they would tell it verbally.

There is another class of newspaper correspondent, who usually gets off a good deal better than he deserves. It is the man who writes to the paper to deny or correct something which has appeared. If he would stick to his point it would be all well and good. A newspaper in regard to an item has no more feeling one way or the other than a log of wood. It is always cheerfully prepared to correct false impressions. Yet the outside writer will invariably try to take a slap at the paper or the person who he believes to be the original writer. And yet, if the paper let nine letters out of every ten go in the way they are written, it would make their authors the laughing stock of the town. Even in the case of educated men, letters are generally badly punctuated, words are sometimes misspelled, others are capitalized when they should not be, and are not capitalized when they should be. And the grammar; oh! the grammar is sometimes fearful. And yet the paper that the writers of these letters so frequently abuse, has to go to the trouble of overhauling the epistles to save the authors from general ridicule.

Ayer's Pills, being composed of the essential virtues of the best vegetable aperients, without any of the woody or fibrous material whatever, is the reason why they are so much more effective and valuable than any other cathartics. The best family physic.

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5 75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 290 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

Protect Your Horses, etc.

Nothing is more needed for horses at this inclement season of the year than a waterproof horse cover. I make them to order and keep them in stock as well. Hoods, heads, backs and breasts in black waterproof, impervious to water, soft and pliable. Any kind or style of ordered goods required. Lap rugs, strictly waterproof. Also cheese covers as requested by members of the Cheese Board, and for covering all kinds of goods liable to damage from wet. A. KINGSCOTTE, Tent, Sail and Awning manufacturer, 344 Water street opposite market

LOOK AFTER THE ADS.

Why Merchants Sometimes Fail to get Good Returns for the Money They Invest in Printer's Ink.

The man who says it doesn't pay to advertise is usually the man who does not take the trouble to look after his advertising when he does try the experiment. The merchant who lets his "ad" concerning a Christmas sale run until April or May or his spring goods run through the fall months need not expect his advertising to pay. The newspaper is like any other field. If it is attended to it will produce a crop more or less bountiful; if it is not it will run to waste.

Some merchants have not enough confidence in themselves to write a new and catchy advertisement. Others imagine they have not time. If they have not they should allot the work to somebody who has. In larger cities many merchants employ "ad" writers. One ad. writer will do the work of three or four concerns, charging each so much and making a fair living out of them all. He calls on the firms daily, gets the points they want particularly described, writes them up for the various papers, and gives the papers instructions concerning style of type, etc., to get them in. By this means, at small cost, the advertiser gets better return than he possibly could if he did the work himself, because the "ad" writer is better posted.

A HANDSOME CARD.

A very handsome and appropriate coloured card given away by the Canadian Pacific Ry. announces that as usual that great railway has been looking after the interests of everybody and is now prepared to talk about cheap rates for the Christmas and New Year's Holiday.

Teachers and students for one first class one-way fare and one-third can procure return tickets enabling them to go from Dec. 11th to 24th, and return until January 11th, 1897.

Commercial Travellers get round trip tickets for single first class fare, good going from Dec. 19th to 25th, and to return until Jan. 4th, 1897.

To the general public tickets will be issued at single first class fare for the round trip starting Dec. 24th and 25th, returning until Dec. 26th, also Dec. 31st and Jan. 1st, returning until Jan. 2nd, 1897; and for single first class fare and one-third return tickets can be purchased good to go from Dec. 23rd to 25th, and Dec. 30th and 31st and Jan. 1st, good to return until and including Jan. 4th, 1897.

Everyone should obtain a card and follow the route of Mr. Santa Claus.

VENEZUELA SNUBS UNCLE SAM.

Venezula is kicking against the Guiana settlement which the United States on its behalf made with Great Britain. Accordto the very influential Venezuelan who was ambassador to England when the relations of the two countries were severed because of this trouble, Venezula will not consent to the self-appointed position the United States assumes toward it, that of a protector or suzerain in foreign affairs. His declarations that the treaty is a 'British trick,' and that Venezula could probably gain more by war than by this agreement, and the acceptance of them by the Venezuelan people will probably teach the United States something of the lack of understanding and the impracticability of the Spanish-American nations, which, being only about half civilized, are filled with vanity. The United States probably did not look for gratitude from Venezula, but it probably did not expect to fare as meddlers between nations generally fare. Crespo will have his way, and the treaty will go through, unless, indeed, Venezuela is ready for another revolution, and that depends largely upon whether General Blanco, who is in Europe at present, wants to become president again or not.

A MESSAGE TO MEN.

Proving that True Honesty and True Philantrophy Still Exist.

If any man, who is weak, nervous and debilitated, or who is suffering from any of the various troubles resulting from youthful folly, excesses or overwork, will take heart and write to me, I will send him confidentially and free of charge, the plan pursued by which I was completely restored to perfect health and manhood, after years of suffering from Nervous Debility, Loss of Vigor and Organic Weakness.

I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble. Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. Geo. G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich.

Mrs. John Gough, Dresden, Ont., says: "Miller's Compound Iron Pills cured my daughter of St. Vitus' Dance; one hand was uncontrollable and the muscles of her face twisted very badly." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

CHOOSING A BRIDE.

A Singular Christmas Custom In the Land of the Czar.

An ancient custom is yet maintained in Russia at the Christmas season, in which the festivities of the day are made to play a permanent part in the lives of those who are chief in the frolicking.

Some person of importance in the district announces that the annual fete will be held at his house. Thither, at the appointed time, hasten the young men of the countryside. Thither come no less eagerly, but with decorous tardiness, the maidens of the place. There are dances and songs, games and feasting, but all else is but the prelude to the great event, when chance is made the handmaid of love. At the arrival of the proper hour the hostess gives a signal and withdraws into an apartment, accompanied by all the girls. The lasses are ranged upon long benches, where they pose, a tittering phalanx of freshness and beauty.

The hostess is supplied with long strips of broadcloth, and with these she straightway muffles each and every maiden. She twists a strip deftly about the head until hair and features are hopelessly veiled. She winds it about the neck, the shoulders, the waist and on until the sprightly and lissom figure of the girl is merged in the rude outlines of a papoose.

This is the preparation. The action follows, when one by one, in an order determined by lot, the young men of the party enter the room. Each in turn approaches the veiled row of loveliness and examines it. Eyes and ears are useless. Touch is everything. The puzzled suitor seeks to penetrate the baffling folds and locate the personality of his idol. When at last he has made his choice, he is privileged to remove the swaddling clothes and behold the identity of his prize.

It is the law of custom that this pair should become man and wife. If the custom is broken, a heavy forfeit must be paid by the unwilling person. But it is rarely that happiness fails in the result. Chance, it is well known, is open to a bribe. And the lovers who would fail to offer her bribes would hardly deserve happiness. In their whispers before the hour of trial amorous conspiracies for the cheating of ill fortune are made, and the lover may depend upon his ingenious inamorata to convey to him the concerted signal whereby will be determined her identity and their mutual happiness.

Fine Fruits.

Extra quality Currants and Raisins. Every pound is cleaned by patent fruit cleaner. The finest groceries for Xmas and very lowest prices at
ALEX. ELLIOTT'S
Palace Grocery.

The Wabash Railway Trains

running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled from end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

To remove worms of all kinds from children or adults Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe and sure remedy.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. is on every wrapper.

YOU CAN'T QUARREL WITH OUR PRICES

If you were to put the price on yourself, you would put it higher than we do.

But now be honest with yourself, which is the most sensible? To wait for a more forcible reminder of winter, or to pick out your Cloth for a **Suit and Overcoat** now? Be wise.

OVERCOATS—Beavers, Kerseys, Meltons, Friese. See the cloth, fix the price.

SUITS—Cashmere, Tweeds, Cheviots, Worsteds—all the best fabrics. You don't have to take a Suit of all one cloth.

ROBERT WEIR

Merchant Tailor and Outfitter.
Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

DR. RYERSON,
EYE, EAR AND THROAT
60 College Street, Toronto
May be consulted at Oriental Hotel
Peterborough, Saturday, Dec. 26.

Has Come at Last!

Ready-made Clothing at Panic Prices.

We're determined to relieve the pressure caused by our gigantic stock. At no time in the last ten years has there been such excitement in the wholesale Clothing trade as in the past six weeks. Owing to the exceedingly mild weather trade has been disappointing, consequently immense stocks are on hand. When the demand is light prices are low. This season trade was so light that prices were simply paralysed. We were offered from time to time the very finest clothing at prices usually asked for the lowest grade. Unable to resist such tempting offers we bought almost $20.000 worth of Clothing. Now that we have it we find ourselves with a "white elephant" on our hands. The Clothing was bought at our own prices, but as there is little demand for heavy goods these mild days our position is about the same as the farmer and his apple crop. Sighing and thinking of what might have been will do no good. Quick action is necessary. For the balance of this season we close our eyes to real worth and inaugurate a selling soiree that is destined to stand unequalled in our mercantile history.

Take Your Choice at 50c. on the $.

$ 4 00	Overcoats and Ulsters, now				$2 00
6 00	"	"	"		3 00
8 00	"	"	"		4 00
10 00	"	"	"		5 00
12 00	"	"	"		6 00
15 00	"	"	"		8 00
18 00	"	"	"		10 00
20 00	"	"	"		12 00
5 00	SUITS, NOW	-	-	-	2 50
6 00	"	"	-	-	3 00
8 00	"	"	-	-	4 50
10 00	"	"	-	-	5 75
12 00	"	"	-	-	7 00
15 00	"	"	-	-	8 75

Remember, the sale is absolute. We will astound you with bargains, and with every sale we give a guarantee to refund the money if the sale is not bona fide or just as advertised. It is the greatest sale of Clothing in recent years, and to see is to buy—so come and see. No money can buy so much as the dollar that will be spent here.

Gough Bros.

The Wonderful Cheap Men, - - 375-379 George Street, Peterborough

P. N. CORSETS
Are made with special reference to the needs of Canada's daughters. Fits you like a glove and you like to wear it
Sold by E. FAIR.
183 George St. 1odw

JAMES G. BURNHAM
BARRISTER, &c., &c.
London and Canadian Chambers, 103 Bay Street, Toronto.
MONEY TO LOAN
In the County of Peterborough and surrounding district at 5 % on Gilt Edge Securities.

"MIST" 10c.
COUGH LOZENGES.
Will clear your Throat in a Minute
Manufactured by
THE KEY MEDICINE CO.
306 Yonge St. Toronto
For sale by all Druggists.

PANTS....
Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $5.00—[illegible] a pair.
Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for - - $3 00
No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.
W. J. GREEN,
No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

ON WITH THE RUSH!

A particular purpose influences this Store this week. We want to emphasize Christmas Trade and how terribly close the day is drawing. We are already meeting the demands of hundreds—and you would do well to join the army of shoppers at once. If you have'nt the money to spare to-day, pick out your Gifts, and if your purchases are bona fide we will lay them aside for you in our storage department, to be called for any time before Chrismas. We expect tremendous crowding in a few days more.

OUR GREAT TOY DEPARTMENT

is the talk of the Town. Nowhere else can such a variety be seen of New Mechanical Toys, the choicest productions of American and foreign makes :—

—Steam Railways
—Steam Engines
—Steamboats
—Toy Horses
—Rocking Horses
—Metal Soldiers
—Toy Swords
—Animals
—Iron Banks
—Tool Chests
—Beds
—Chairs
—Building and Architectural Blocks
—Girl's and Boys' Sleighs
—Hundreds of Dolls
—Rubber Dolls
—Dressed and Undressed Kid Bodied Dolls
—Musical Dolls
—Dolls' Heads
—Doll's Cradles
—Christmas Cards
—Toy Blocks
—China Sets
—Perfumery
—Jewellery
—Fancy Work Boxes
—Glove Boxes
—Handkerchief Boxes
—Five o'clocks
—Lovely Dresden Ware
—Fancy Porcelain Ware
—Fancy Cups and Saucers

It's a sight well worth seeing, and we guarantee to make the PRICES for any of our newest and most attractive Novelties fully **10** to **15** per cent. lower than at any of the Regular Stores' Closing-Out Sale, or Bankrupt Stocks in or out of town.

WESLEY & CO.

Headquarters for Children's Toys and Fancy Goods,
306 GEORGE STREET, NEXT BANK OF TORONTO.

The Daily Examiner.

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Stationary or Higher Temperature.

East to north winds; unsettled; local falls of snow or rain; stationary or a little higher temperature.

R. F.

EVERYTHING IN READINESS NOW

For two weeks of the biggest business this store has ever known. We've laid ourselves out to double discount all former efforts and make this establishment the most attractive centre for bargains and holiday buying.

Big Assortment
More Variety
More Business

MANTLE DEPARTMENT.

FOR $2.00 Your choice of 20 Heavy Cloth Winter Jackets, former price $6 to $10.

FOR $4.25 Ladies' Winter Coats, formerly sold at $6.50.

FOR $5.00 Ladies Black Curl Cloth Jackets, formerly sold at $9.00.

FOR $5.50 Ladies' Black Beaver Cloth Jackets, former price $7.50.

FOR $5.00 Ladies' Tweed Jackets, former price $7.50.

FOR $8.50 Ladies' Black Curl Cloth Jackets, former price $12.00.

FOR $15.00 Ladies' extra Fine Cloth Jackets, silk lined, former price $20.00.

FOR EVENING WEAR.

FOR 15C your choice of 200 yards Japanese Crepe Silk, in Pink, Sky, Nile, Butter, Mauve, Cream and Black, 27 inches wide, formerly sold at 35c

FOR 50C your choice of 1150 yards heavy Japanese Crepe Silk, (pure) in all the evening shades, 27 inches wide, former price 75c.

We open this week direct from London 2 cases of new shades in evening Laces, Allovers, Chiffons, Vestings, Dresden Ribbons, Pearl Trimmings, all the latest productions from Paris.

Our Reduction Sale in Carpets and Curtains still continues during the month.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES.

At no store will be found a greater variety of handsome and useful articles suitable for Xmas presents embracing as they do, Silver Drinking Cups, Toilet Bottles, Mirrors, Hand Painted Dog Ties, Handkerchiefs in silk, linen and cotton, plain and embroidered.

PERFUMES.

Bring your bottles and have them filled with Harrison's Perfumes at 35c per ounce, former price 60c.

ROBERT FAIR,
DIRECT IMPORTER.
Sign of the GOLDEN LION, 383 George St., Peterborough.

Pins! Pins!
WHAT A SENSATION!

One Cent a Paper, or Ten Cents a Booklet.

But the 10c. Pins are the Cheapest, Handiest and Nicest—unless you care for the RUST that doth corrupt—like the 5c. Waist Steel that perforateth.

December Stock-Taking Sale

Now in full swing. All the goods that can be moved must be moved. Not a line in the store but what is Reduced.

MORE 5c. FLANNELETTE

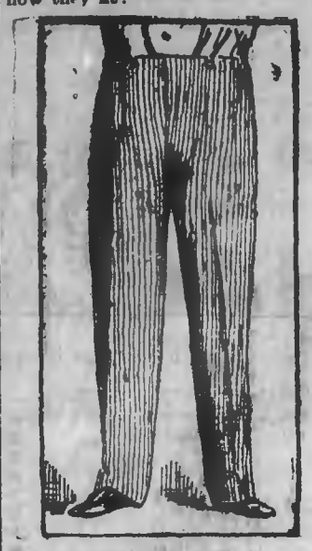
Another big repeat order of that celebrated 5-cent Flannelette, that has caused such a lot of talk in town and country, that cannot be met by any house in town, big or little. It's not how big a store, but how strong the bargains offered.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES

We have secured some rare Novelties suitable for gifts, such as Silver Mounted Mirrors, Silver-Cased Toilet Bottles, Hand-Painted Silk Doylies, Silk Handkerchiefs, Fancy Handkerchiefs, Silk Scarfs. We have the largest and finest display of Infants' Wear in town, such as Baby White Wool Jackets, Bootees, Infantees, Fine Veils, Fur Boas, Silk and Wool Hoods, Wool Mittens, Tams, Touques, and hundreds of other useful things, all at prices as attractive as the goods are handsome.

MISS RUDKINS
412 George St. Crystal Block, Opposite EXAMINER Office.

How about that Extra Pair of
TROUSERS
you promised yourself before New Years? Time to measure you now. We study your style, and when rightly made, a photograph taken from life would look something like this—see how they fit:



P. SIMONS & CO

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

TO LET—NO. 198 KING STREET; HEATED by hot water; bath. Apply to W. RUDKINS, 185 King street. 3d140

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET; central locality. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. 6eod135

HOUSE TO LET—'63 WATER STREET; 7 rooms; city water. Apply to ADAM HALL. dtf

FOR SALE—A GOOD MEDIUM SIZE, J. & J. Taylor Safe with Combination Lock—a bargain. Apply at the EXAMINER Office. dtf

265 HUNTER STREET—FURNISHED Rooms to rent; with or without board.

TO RENT—SEVERAL COMFORTABLY Heated Rooms Bank of Commerce Buildings; suitable for bedrooms or offices. Apply to 437 George street. dtf93

TO RENT IMMEDIATEDY—HOUSE NO. 211 Barnardo Avenue; nearly opposite the North Ward School. Apply at 437 George Street. dtf

OFFICE TO RENT—RECENTLY OCCUPIED as American Consulate and Rochester Star Nursery, No. 41 Water street, next the Post Office; good vault, heated with hot water; all modern conveniences. Apply to DENNISTOUN, PECK & STEVENSON. dtf

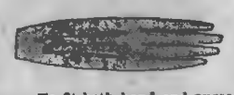
TO LET—NO. 238 EDINBURGH STREET, corner of Aylmer, newly papered and painted. Apply to J. J. Lundy, over China Hall. dtf

TO RENT—IMMEDIATELY—HOUSE No. 403 Park street; $7 a month. Apply to TORONTO SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY, 437 George street. dtf

HOUSE FOR SALE IN ASHBURNHAM—large two story, solid White Brick House, containing 11 rooms, cellar under all; furnace, (hot air); hard and soft water; stable for horse and cow; good orchard; having a frontage on Elizabeth street of 102 feet by a depth of 200 feet. Will be sold at a bargain and on easy terms. Apply to HALL & HAYES, Barristers, Peterborough. dtf87

FOR SALE—FINE TWO STORY BRICK Dwelling, 270 King Street; well built and warm; inside finish hardwood; hard and soft water; heated with hot water furnace; good brick shed and other improvements. Also for sale Lots Nos. 2 and 3, south of Rink street. Apply to THOMAS CORKERY on the premises

What Do You Think
YOU WOULD LIKE TO GIVE SOMEBODY FOR A.....
Christmas Present?



Gloves To fit both hand and purse. $1.30 Ladies' Kid Gloves for $1.00; $1.00 Ladies' Kid Gloves for 80c.; 75c. Ladies' Kid Gloves for 55c; both Black or Coloured, Buttoned or Laced. Far Lined Gloves, Naps Buck Gloves and Mitts, Cashmere Gloves, Ringwood Gloves.

Handkerchiefs If in doubt, give Handkerchiefs. No one ever has too many. Silk Handkerchiefs and Linen Handkerchiefs to suit all.

Neckwear Silk Neckties, Scarfs, Mufflers, Knots, Ready Made Ties, Linen Collars, Linen Cuffs, Cuff and Collar Buttons, Shirt Studs and other Jewelry.

Hosiery Underwear, White Shirts, Flannel shirts, Suspenders, and other *Ladies' and Gentlemen's Furnishings.*

Moccasins All sizes, for Ladies and Gentlemen, Boys and Girls, A nice Xmas *Gift.*

We are cutting Prices in the very busiest season to meet economical ideas.

JAS. McCOMB
Gloves, Furnishings, etc.
138 Hunter St., Peterborough.

NIGHT SCHOOL

How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to improve their Education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book-keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the student.

Many have fitted themselves for better positions by attending our Night School. You can do the same.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings, 7 to 9 p.m.

FRINGLE & McCORMA,
Opposite Post Office. *Business College.*

WANTED.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS DINING Room Girl at once. Apply to GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL. 3d138

WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. Apply at the HUFFMAN HOUSE. 6d137

WANTED—SALESMAN, SALARY PAID weekly; experience unnecessary; permanent. BROWN BROTHERS COMPANY, Toronto, Ont. 13d132-mws

BOARD AND LODGINGS IN A PRIVATE family at 341 Rubidge street. Accommodation for a married couple, or single boarders. Cheap rates by the week during the winter months. dtf

PAINTING, PAPER HANGING AND Kalsomining done in first class style, by the day or by the job, at very reasonable prices. LOUIS MAJOR, 341 Rubidge street. dtf

WE CAN GIVE POSITIONS—TO PERSONS of all grades of ability. Agents, Book-keepers, Clerks, Farmers' Sons, Lawyers, Mechanics, Physicians, Preachers, Students, Married and Single Women, Widows. Positions are worth from $400.00 to $2,000.00 per annum. We have paid several of our canvassers $50.00 weekly for years. Many have started poor and become rich with us. Particulars upon application. State salary expected. T. H. LINSCOTT, Manager, Toronto, Ont. dw

Oxford Rival....

Every Stove Guaranteed
A Perfect Baker
Attractive in Design
Low in Price

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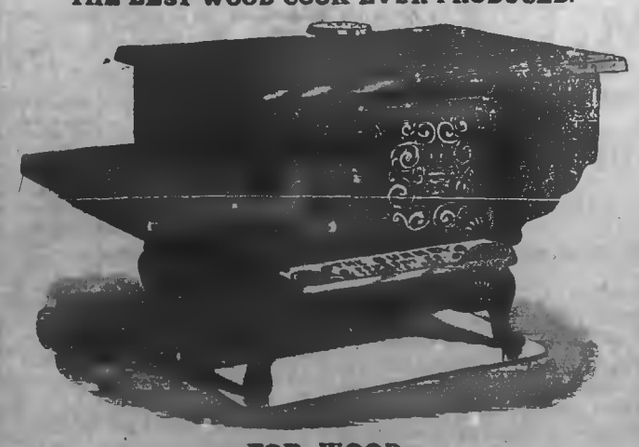

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Of Getting the Embargo on Cattle Removed.

SO NOW CANADA'S GOVERNMENT

Will Deal With the United States—Our Apples Sold Well in Bristol, Eng.—Hog Cholera in Essex—Political Charges Against a Postmaster —News From Ottawa.

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—(Special.)—The Government has given up all hopes of securing the removal of the embargo on Canadian cattle entering Britain, and now purposes an entirely different move. Hon. Sydney A. Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, will open negotiations at Washington this week with the Secretary of Agriculture in Cleveland's Government for the removal of all quarantine restrictions on cattle passing between the two countries. Hitherto cattle passing through Canada from the United States for shipment to the Old Country have had to undergo quarantine, but a change is on the tapis. Americans have on their side shown their good-will by allowing Canadian cattle leaving Boston and Portland to go through without examination. As regards American cattle coming into Canada and Canadian cattle crossing the boundary to the American market, it is thought that the ninety days quarantine is much more than is needed. Another subject which may be discussed is the recognition of Canadian stock in the herd books of the United States.

Mr. White, Gladstonian M.P. for Forfarshire, Scotland, has resigned his seat on account of serious differences of opinion with his constituents. Capt. Sinclair, secretary to the Governor-General, and who formerly represented Dumbartonshire in the Imperial House, has been tendered the Liberal nomination for Forfarshire, and if he accepts will undoubtedly be elected, as Forfarshire is a sure Liberal seat. Several messages from England went to Winnipeg to-day asking Capt. Sinclair as to his intentions. The impression in official circles here is that Capt. Sinclair will not accept. If he does he will be greatly missed at Ottawa, where he is deservedly popular and has rendered himself almost indispensable at state functions.

The Canadian Sault Canal closed on the 10th inst., a total of 5132 vessels having passed through the lock from May to December. The total tonnage of the vessels was 4,395,156, and the tonnage of the freight carried through the lock 4,577,397.

Mr. Ernest Kemp, oyster expert for the Fisheries Department, returned to Ottawa to-day after completing his season's work in the Maritime Provinces. Besides looking after the beds stocked in past seasons, Mr. Kemp has arranged for new beds to be planted next season in other localities.

The monthly report of Mr. John Down, commercial agent for Canada at Bristol, states that Canadian apples have found a good market there. Heavy shipments of choice varieties have been made, which have arrived in good condition. He urges that shippers should study the requirements of the market, and in this way receive good returns. All cattle shipped from Canada to Bristol this summer arrived in good condition. The timber trade between Canadian ports and Bristol is looking up, and Mr. Down thinks that larger importations might be made to that market. Speaking of the poultry trade, he says that Bristol is a good market, but he urges specially that the birds should be picked and treated according to instructions issued by the Government some time ago.

Work on the Dominion Reformatory building at Alexandria continues at a standstill. At the department it is said there will be nothing done till the Minister has had an opportunity of making a full investigation, and, as he stated in Parliament last session, seeing whether it be advisable to proceed with the present structure or build smaller institutions in different parts of the country. According to the arrangements which the late Government entered into, the Minister finds that there would be an expense of $300,000 at least for the erection of the buildings. Bourque's contract is for $95,000.

The veterinary surgeons in the west say hog plague as well as hog cholera exists in Essex County. The plague affects the lungs first and the bowels secondly, although many of them die from the lung trouble of itself.

Postoffice Inspector Spry has been conducting an investigation at Wheatley into charges against the local postmaster, William McLean. It is charged that he posted up political cartoons in the postoffice during the last election and also took an active part in the campaign. Further than this, he allowed drop letters to pass through the office without being stamped, and that also the office was closed in the middle of the day. The inspector has reported the circumstances to the Postmaster-General, whose action is awaited.

In the Exchequer Court, in the case of the Toronto Street Railway Company v. the Queen, judgment was ordered to be entered for $36,044, the amount plaintiffs paid into the customs under protest, to correspond with the amount of duty claimed in respect of certain steel rails imported by them. The plaintiffs' motion for interest upon the same was refused. The plaintiffs have their costs.

In the case of Myles et al v. the Queen and T. M. Woodburn, the learned judge intimated to counsel for the several parties that if they argued upon the facts he was disposed to enter judgment in favor of the suppliants for $425, of which sum Woodburn was to have five per cent. as representing his commission and the balance to go to the other defendants. He was also disposed to give the Crown the costs against the defendants. If counsel agree upon this disposition of the case, he would order judgment to be so entered, and as this was the last day before vacation he would give them leave to signify their agreement or disagreement thereanent in chambers. This case arose out of a contract to supply the Public Works with certain timber by C. J. and A. H. Myles of Toronto.

The Railway Committee of the Privy Council will meet on Jan. 5 for the consideration of cases which have been field. The date originally fixed was Dec. 29, but it has had to be postponed owing to the Minister's absence from Ottawa.

Major Kittson has been gazetted as the new Commandant of the Royal Military College, vice General Cameron, resigned.

Sir Richard Cartwright returned from Kingston to-night.

Mr. Laurier has accepted the banquet tendered him by the Liberal Clubs of Montreal, and which is to be held on the 30th inst.

The jury in the case of the Queen v. H. H. Bailey brought in a verdict acquitting Mr. Bailey on the charge of assaulting Mr. Fetherstonhaugh of Toronto, and occasioning bodily harm. The judge's charge was strongly in favor of Mr. Bailey.

Bishop Hamilton has issued a letter to the congregations in the Ottawa diocese reminding them of the custom to appropriate their offerings on Christmas day to their pastors.

A variety entertainment advertised for Starnes' Hall last evening did not take place for the reason that the Chief of Police, at the instance of the secretary of the Y.M.C.A, sent a couple of men and stopped the show. The chief figure in the proposed entertainment was to be Henry Deslaurier, a young man with ambitions to figure "a la Sandow."

LATEST TIPS FROM WINNIPEG.

Mr. E. B. Osler, M.P., Looking After His Gold Mining Interests.

Winnipeg, Dec. 14.—(Special.)—George Campbell, manager of the Winnipeg Electric Railway, has resigned to go gold mining. He will be succeeded by Mr. McKenzie, a son of the Toronto Street Railway magnate.

E. B. Osler, M.P., of Toronto, is here looking after gold mining interests.

A grand ball was given at Government House to-night in honor of Lord and Lady Aberdeen. Early Tuesday morning they leave for the East.

D. B. Hanna, a well-known Winnipeger, has been appointed general manager of the newly-built Dauphin Railway.

Archbishop Langevin has gone East. He will ask all the Catholic clergy of Quebec to assemble in council to discuss the school question settlement.

THE ALARM MEANT DEATH.

Driver Bertram of the Toronto Fire Brigade Instantly Killed.

Toronto, Dec. 14.

A pool of blood on Richmond-street, about 75 yards west of the fire hall, marks the spot where John Bertram, driver of the Ronald fire engine, was picked up dead at a few minutes after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

At 5 o'clock an alarm was given from box 87, calling the brigade to Yonge and Magill-streets. The steamer was soon in the street, with John Bertram, driver, and Engineer E. W. Brown in charge. The horses had just fairly well started when the front wheel of the steamer's truck went into a rut in the roadway. The driver was thrown off, the front wheel passing over his left leg, almost cutting it off at the ankle and the knee, the hind wheel of the 7500-pound engine grazing the side of his head, taking off the ear and badly lacerating the face and neck. Death was almost instantaneous.

FEDERATION ABANDONED.

The Queensland Government Abandons the Measure Owing to Opposition.

Brisbane, Queensland, Dec. 12.—The Government has abandoned the Federation bill owing to the opposition shown to the measure.

TREE FELL ON HIM.

A Well-to-Do Farmer of Arthur Meets Death in the Woods.

Arthur, Ont., Dec. 12.—This afternoon Mr. John Kidney, a well-to-do farmer, who resides about three miles from town, while in the act of felling trees with some neighbors, had both legs broken by the tree, which they were cutting, falling upon him and holding him till it was removed.

THE DEATH OF MACEO

Spaniards in Havana are Very Indignant

AT UNITED STATES NEWSPAPERS.

Weyler's Organ Calls the Great Republic a Nation of Shopkeepers and Warns Them That Spain is a Nation of Soldiers—"Mongrel Cubans" are Also Warned.

New York, Dec. 14.—A Key West special to The Press says news came from Havana yesterday that the Maceo murder story as cabled from the United States has set the papers wild, and their editors this morning are bitter against the Cubans, who, they declare, have set this false report afloat to gain aid in the United States, and they also declaim against the United States for listening to such "foul and false" stories.

"Spanish honor will not tolerate such practices much longer," says La Lucha in a vainglorious editorial, "and the sooner the nation of shopkeepers knows this the better. The Spaniards are a nation of soldiers, with untarnished honor, and they do not propose to be intimidated by Yankee mercenaries any longer." Notice is given also to the "mongrel Cubans who hover in the midst of safety, hurling their insults at Spain, that they cannot do this much longer." The American journals are also excoriated for their part in giving aid and encouragement to the Cuban cause.

As regards the alleged assassination of Maceo, the papers treat the matter as a false report spread by the Cuban junta to try and aid their cause by making Spain odious. They say that the Marquis Ahumada is a noble gentleman, who would scorn to do any such act, and they deny that Maceo had any invitation to meet him. Rather, they say, Maceo was feeling the effects of Weyler's resistless onward march, and deserted his so-called army and fled to his death. They still declare that Maceo was killed in a fair fight, and that Major Cirujeda gained a signal victory with an inferior force. Denunciations of Americans appear in all the editorials, the language in some being very bitter.

The Cubans here are loud in their threats against the Spanish Government, and mass meetings will be held to protest to the American people, and to ask that the American Congress investigate the murder of Maceo, and, if the truth ascertained be as published, to demand that the belligerency of the Cubans be recognized.

WHAT WEYLER SAYS.

He Thinks There are Not More Than 3000 Rebels in Pinar del Rio.

New York, Dec. 14.—The Herald's special from Havana gives the following account of an interview with Gen. Weyler on Saturday night:

"What can you say of President Cleveland's message?" was asked.

"Nothing; absolutely nothing. I am a military man, not a politician. I can only say I have no feeling against Mr. Cleveland or any other President."

Speaking of Maceo, Gen. Weyler said he regarded the rebel leader as the most important person of the insurrection, and added: "I went to Pinar del Rio myself to cope with him, and thought he would wait for me in his positions, but he did not."

The General added that Maceo was dead beyond doubt.

"How about Ruiz Rivera, now in command in Pinar del Rio?"

"Really," said Gen. Weyler, "he is little known, and it is impossible to estimate his value to the insurgents."

Gen. Weyler said, however, that if Perico Diaz was in command in Havana Province, as reported, the insurgents' cause was lost there. He admitted that there had been six thousand in Pinar del Rio.

"Where are they?"

"The number of insurgents is always exaggerated," replied Gen. Weyler, "and many have died, so there are probably not more than 3000 in the whole province, scattered in small groups."

"You don't claim the complete pacification of Pinar del Rio?"

"Not entirely; but nearly so."

"Will the trocha be maintained?"

"Yes, at present and as long as the situation remains as it is, or until changes in the operation make the troops necessary elsewhere."

"Is it sure that Maceo crossed the trocha by water?"

"Yes, I believe so, but the captains of the gunboats deny it. It is naturally a delicate point, but they were hardly to blame, as the passage there is very easy."

Gen. Weyler said as to the object of attacks on American Consulates in Spain that he thought them aimed against the Spanish Government by its enemies, and not against the United States.

"Why is the American Consulate guarded by soldiers?" was asked.

"Simply as a precautionary measure," Gen. Weyler replied. "I anticipate no trouble here from the Spaniards, but at the same time the celebrations over Maceo's death might lead the insurgents to take an advantage and make trouble between Spain and the United States."

REWARDS TO THE BRAVE.

Medals and Testimonials Presented to 115 Savers at Ottawa Last Night by the Premier.

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—(Special.)—There was a large gathering in the City Council Chamber to-night, when the Premier, at the request of the Royal Canadian Humane Association, presented medals for saving life to Miss Lawless, Mr. F. A. Dixon, and Mr. Clelland, and testimonials in vellum to Beauchamp, who, although only 17 years old, has saved 20 lives, receive a medal and testimonial. The Premier delivered a felicitous address.

Guests of Lord Middleton.

London, Dec. 14.—Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, United States Ambassador, and Mrs. Bayard will be guests of Lord Middleton at Birdsall House, Yorkshire, during the Christmas holiday.

Cripple

The iron grasp of scrofula has no mercy upon its victims. This demon of the blood is often not satisfied with causing dreadful sores, but racks the body with the pains of rheumatism until Hood's Sarsaparilla cures.

"Nearly four years ago I became afflicted with scrofula and rheumatism.

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Running sores broke out on my thighs. Pieces of bone came out and an operation was contemplated. I had rheumatism in my legs, drawn up out of shape. I lost appetite, could not sleep. I was a perfect wreck. I continued to grow worse and finally gave up the doctor's treatment to

Well

take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon appetite came back; the sores commenced to heal. My limbs straightened out and I threw away my crutches. I am now stout and hearty and am farming, whereas four years ago I was a cripple. I gladly recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla." URBAN HAMMOND, Table Grove, Illinois.

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Hood's Pills cure liver ills, easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1896.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

HON. WILFRED LAURIER is to be entertained at a banquet on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Club Nationale, the oldest Liberal organization in Quebec. The banquet promises to be an immense success, worthy of the occasion it celebrates and the great statesman it honours.

TWO accordant opinions by naturally opposed interests:—The British agriculturist on preferential trade: "We might just as well be ruined by Minnesota as by Manitoba." The Canadian manufacturer on preferential trade: "A man might just as well be kicked to death by a mule as by a horse."

THE subsidies, with interest on allowances, now payable by the Dominion to each of the provinces are:

Ontario	$1,339,327
Quebec	1,086,714
Nova Scotia	432,813
New Brunswick	483,570
Manitoba	482,693
British Columbia	242,090
Prince Edward Island	221,002
Total	$4,288,719

THE editor of the Hamilton Times is in need of a liver pad. He calls the Toronto News a "journalistic parasite that is not fit to be used as a winding sheet for a dead dog." And he continues: "We had not thought of it before, but if the collection of postage on newspapers would, as is hinted, wipe off the face of the earth such excrescences as the Toronto News, no stronger argument is needed in behalf of the impost."

THE attitude of Mr. Fisher, Minister of of Agriculture, at the Fruitgrowers' Association the other day, was very good. Though he is a practical farmer, he never poses as such at the gatherings of experts. He told the fruit growers, who asked him for a speech, that he came to learn, not to give information, and he proceeded to specify a number of points on which he wished to get light, especially in connection with the cold storage of fruit for export. A committee of practical men was appointed to deal with the matter.

THE Welland Tribune remarks:—The prediction that the Tory party, deprived of the gifts of pap and patronage, would cut a small figure, is proving correct. In Manitoba, where a few days ago the election of a Liberal to parliament was a marvel, the case is now precisely reversed. In Brandon, a few days ago, Hon. Mr. Sifton was elected by acclamation; and now in the Saskatchewan district, where an election is pending to fill the vacancy caused by Hon. Mr. Laurier's double election, the candidates are a regular Liberal nominee and a Liberal-Patron, no Conservative showing up. How are the mighty fallen!

INJURY AND NEGLECT.

He Failed in Health and Strength—His Kidneys Ached and he Took Dood's Kidney Pills.

Deseronto, Dec. 14 (Special)—Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. James Stokes, who for the past fifteen years has been shipper for the Rathbun Company.

Lately he had run down in health and strength to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now as the result of using Dodd's Kidney Pills is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes he said:—

"From over-lifting and strain I suffered greatly from kidney trouble, being advised after all else had failed, to use Dodd's Kidney Pills; from the first dose I got relief, and hundreds of people here can vouch for my cure."

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The Best Cough Cure is Haggart's Pectoral Balsam. It heals the lungs and cures coughs and colds.

ST. PAUL'S AUXILIARY TWENTIETH MEETING.

HELD IN ST. PAUL'S CHURCH ON FRIDAY.

The Secretary's Encouraging Report—Addresses—The Officers Elected.

The twentieth annual meeting of St. Paul's (Presbyterian) Auxiliary to the Women's Foreign Missionary Society, was held on Friday evening. There was a good attendance, which included in addition to the members of the Auxiliary, several members of sister societies connected with other town churches.

Miss Dickson, president, occupied the chair, and after devotional exercises, gave a brief address in relation to the work and condition of the society.

The next order of business was the presentation of the reports of the Treasurer and Secretary. The latter presented by Mrs. A. E Lech was as follows:

The Twentieth Annual Report of the St. Paul's Auxiliary of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society.

In reviewing the work of the past year, we feel called upon to gratefully acknowledge the goodness of God for the continued and increasing interest shown by the members of the Auxiliary in the monthly meetings, many having taken part that never did so before. The same plan as last year has been followed in arranging for our meetings, namely, a committee of two members responsible for the programme for each month.

Eleven meetings have been held during the year, the average attendance being thirty-six, an increase of five over the previous year. The total number of members is seventy-seven, of whom sixty-one are members of the General Society and of these, twelve are life members—one life member being added this year.

The amount contributed this year is $301.71, an increase of $9.47 over last year.

At the close of last year a welcome contribution of five dollars was received from the Stewart Settlement Sunday School, but being too late to add to the funds that year, it has been placed to the credit of this year. Our contribution this year to the Northwest Indian Mission was a box of clothing, etc., valued at seventy-one dollars, which was sent to the Indian Industrial School at Birtle.

The members of the Auxiliary have again renewed their subscription for the "Interior," which is sent by them to our lady missionaries in India.

The circulation of the "Monthly Letter Leaflet" is one hundred copies.

In February the annual meeting of the Peterborough Presbyterial Society was held in Cobourg, when Mrs. Mulholland and Mrs. Lech attended as delegates from this auxiliary.

On March 30th a lecture was delivered under the auspices of this society, by the Rev. Mr. McMillan, of Toronto, the proceeds of which went to form an expense fund; so that the members of the Auxiliary would not be called upon for an extra collection any time that incidental expenses arose in connection with the Presbyterial Society, or our own Auxiliary; for, of course, the missionary funds are never used for such purposes. It was also intended that a library, consisting of interesting and helpful literature bearing on mission work, for the use of the Auxiliary, should be started with this fund; but nothing has been done along this line so far, but we hope to see it a reality in the near future.

The twentieth annual meeting of the General Society was held in this (St. Paul's) church in April, when we had the pleasure of hearing Miss Sinclair, one of our missionaries who was then at home on furlough from India tell of her work; besides many other earnest and helpful speakers.

In June the semi-annual meeting of the Peterborough Presbyterial Society was held in Centreville, when Mrs. McPherson and Miss Moore represented our Auxiliary and brought back interesting reports.

At our July meeting, which was very largely attended, we were privileged to hear Mrs. Smith, a returned missionary of the American board, give an account of her work at Ahmednuggar, Southern India. We also had the pleasure of an address from Mrs Harvie, of Toronto, in which she gave a delightfully vivid description of her visit to the Indians in the Northwest.

Our annual thanksgiving meeting was held in October, and was a source of blessing to us all; and also made a large addition to our treasury, the thank offering being one hundred and eight dollars.

We regret to have lost the services—through her removal from town—of Miss Flo a Davidson, who has been our faithful and efficient secretary for the past seven years.

During the year our ranks have also been thinned by two of our members, Mrs. Tucker and Mrs. Adam Hall, being called to their eternal rest.

This is but a brief review of our outward career as a Missionary Society, but only our Heavenly Father knows the individual blessings and the growth in grace that has been the result of each endeavour to help on His work; either by a sisting in the meetings or by denying ourselves that we might give more freely to his cause.

And now in beginning a new year, we earnestly plead with all the women of the congregation to join the Auxiliary, and assist in sending the "glad tidings of great joy" to them that know it not.

And let us remember "The light that shines farthest shines brightest at home."

M. H. LECH,
Secretary.

Miss Mary Paterson read the report of the Faithful Workers, and Miss Bessie Connal that of the Fraser Mission Band, which gave evidence of satisfactory interest in mission work. All the reports were approved.

These reports were followed by an interesting address by Miss Nugent, a returned missionary from India, and an address of a similar character by Mrs. Walter Roger on the "Power of the Holy Spirit and His Need in Mission Work."

At the conclusion of her address a season of prayer for the invoking of the presence of the Holy Spirit was held, led by Miss McPherson.

This was followed by an address by Mrs. J. W. Garvin on "Some of the Hindrances to the growth of Foreign Mission Work, and How to remove Them."

The election of officers resulted as below:

President—Miss Dickson.
1st Vice-President—Mrs. McPherson.
2nd Vice-President—Miss Innes.
Secretary—Mrs. A. E. Lech.
Treasurer—Miss Kingan.
Organist—Miss Cameron.
Executive Committee—Mrs. Fife, Mrs. Robt. Hall, Miss Roger, Mrs. R. S. Davidson, Mrs. Jas. A. Hall, Miss Code, Miss Moore and Mrs. Mulholland.

A most successful annual meeting was brought to a close with the usual devotional exercises led by Miss Forsythe.

LUMBAGO CURED

Dodd's Kidney Pills Did What Doctors Failed to do.

CHRONIC RHEUMATISM

Gives Way to this Marvellous Remedy as do all Afflictions Arising from Impure Blood and Disordered Kidneys.

Did you ever after weeding in the garden or working over a low bench or table in a stooping posture try to straighten up and feel a sharp pain as of a knife thrust through his kidneys?

That is lumbago.

When it becomes chronic it is one of the most agonizing forms of rheumatism. Sufferers from it have been known to commit suicide. They would gladly pay any price for surcease of pain.

Did you ever have it? Do you know what will cure it? Do you know that the same remedy that has made marvellous and many cures of kidney diseases of all kinds and descriptions, acts as a magic charm upon this excruciating affliction?

The following are copies of letters written the Dodd's Medicine Company of Toronto, the makers and distributors of this wonderful proprietary medicine:

"Gentlemen,—I have been troubled for over two years with the first stages of Bright's Disease. I have used other medicines, but to no avail. I was so bad that I passed blood. Doctors told me I could get no relief. I heard of the wonderful cures Dodd's Kidney Pills had done. I concluded to try them. I have used ten boxes and I am completely cured.

"THEODORE YOUNG,
"Smith's Falls, Ont."

"Gentlemen,—I have been troubled for over one year with female weakness and urinal trouble. I have consulted a doctor, who gave me medicine that seemed to make me worse at times. I would be deaf and short-sighted. I was told of Dodd's Kidney's Pills. I got one box, and I have used part of the box, and I am completely cured. My urine is natural now. You may publish this if you like, that it may help others.

"MRS. GEORGE BARNES."

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Our Boys' Department

What could you get that would be more acceptable for a Christmas Gift for your boy than a nice Suit. We have them in Worsteds, Cheviots, Serges and Tweeds, made to fit and wear well. Mothers it will be to your advantage to see them, as we have made great reductions in the prices.

See Our Cyclone Overcoat at $1.72.
See Our Sell-fast Overcoat at $2.47.

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W. J. WATTAM, Manager. The One Price Clothiers.

More Elbow Room.

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While we are planning to double our capacity we want to clear the goods out of the way rapidly, and for this purpose have started a

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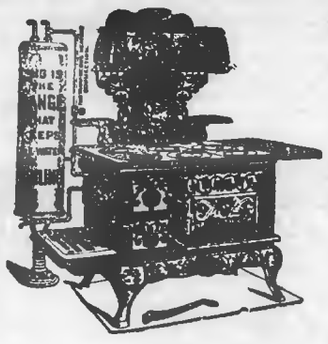

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

A Good Deal of Interest in the Cuban Question.

PARTICULARLY MACEO'S DEATH

Mr. Call of Florida Wants the Killing of the Rebel Leader Avenged—A War Blast Also Against Turkey—Senator Morgan Wants Information on Several Points.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The reported assassination of the Cuban General, Antonio Maceo, while under the flag of truce, was the text of a resolution to-day offered in the Senate by McCall (Dem., Fla.), and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. The resolution characterized the affair as a violation of the rules of civilised warfare and as a cowardly act of treachery. It declared the Government which authorised or permitted it or failed to punish the assassins "An outcast from the family of nations and the pale of civilization and public law." The Committee on Foreign Relations is instructed to enquire into the facts, and to report to the Senate at an early date. Another resolution of Mr. Call's, which was similar to the one referred to, requests the President of the United States to demand the release of all United States citizens held by the Spanish Government as prisoners in Cuba.

A war blast was also blown against Turkey in the shape of resolutions passed by a church congregation in New Hampshire, presented and approved by Senator Gallinger, of that State, declaring that Armenian outrages should be suppressed by the civilized powers, even at the cost of dismemberment of the Turkish Empire.

A resolution was offered by Mr. Popper (Pop., Kas.), and laid on the table for the present, for the appointment of a commission of five, one from each of the four parties, Republican, Democrat, National Democrats and Populists, and one other to be chosen by these four, to examine and study the general subject of finance in reference to its practical relations to business.

A resolution offered last week by Mr. Allen (Pop., Neb.), denying the constitutional power of any State to impair the obligation of contracts, was taken up and made the basis of a speech by him, in which he defended the Populist Governor and Legislature of Nebraska from all imputations of an intention to enact legislation hostile to capital, and declared that all such fears were groundless. He especially disclaimed all purpose to act in hostility to railroad companies.

The resolution was referred to the Judiciary Committee

The Immigration bill was taken up, and went over under an agreement that a vote shall be taken on its passage at 4 p.m. on Thursday.

Mr. Morgan (Dem., Ala.,) offered the following resolution, upon which he gave notice he would to-morrow address the Senate:

"Resolved, That the President is requested, if it is not in his opinion incompatible with the public service, to send to the Senate copies of the papers relating to the condition of affairs in the Island of Cuba, which were referred to in the report of the Secretary of State that accompanied his last annual message; also a statement of the several amounts of the claims lodged in the Department of State by citizens of the United States against Spain, growing out of the alleged insurrection now existing in the Island of Cuba; also all correspondence with the Spanish Government relating to the Competitor case and the persons captured with or on that vessel, with a statement of the charges pending in any court in Spain or Cuba against such persons, and the proceedings of such court in these cases, and the place of their imprisonment and the character of their treatment while in prison, and the condition of their health, whether such prisoners have had the privilege of counsel of their own selection in any trial that is taking place on such charges, or were represented by any counsel, attorney or other agent of the United States."

The bill amending the copyright laws, particularly in regard to dramatic productions, together with the House amendment, was laid beore the Senate and the amendment concurred in. The bill makes piracy a misdemeanor and makes an injunction granted by one circuit judge enforceable in any other circuit. The effect of the amendment is that the injunction shall not be granted without due notice to defendants. The bill now goes to the President.

By unanimous consent, the House to-day postponed consideration of the District of Columbia bills until Thursday, and devoted the day to miscellaneous business. By a vote of yeas 98, nays 85, the House refused to pass over the President's veto a bill granting a pension to the divorced wife of Lowell Taft of the Connecticut volunteers. A joint resolution was passed providing for a holiday recess from Dec. 22 to Jan. 5.

Mr. Hull (Rep., Ia.,), chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs, reported the army appropriation bill.

On motion of Mr. Dingley (Rep., Maine,) at 4 o'clock the House adjourned until to-morrow.

A joint resolution recognising the independence of Cuba was introduced in the House to-day by Mr. Howard (Pop., Ala.,). It recites the profound regret of the American people at the reported brutal assassination of the Cuban leader Maceo, and declares that Spain is conducting a brutal and guerilla-like warfare against a patriotic people, who are struggling for independence.

It resolves, therefore, that the United States shall recognize Cuba as a free and independent government, and shall accord to her people all such rights in the ports and within the jurisdiction of the United States.

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PRINCESS KILLS HERSELF.

A Grand Niece of Gen. Pulaski Takes Laudanum and Dies.

Brooklyn, Dec. 12.—Miss Josephine Jeroski, aged 55, the alleged Polish Princess and grand-niece of General Pulaski, committed suicide this morning by taking laudanum. She recently wrote to the editor of The Washington Star threatening to take her own life, and was found ill in her room, half-starved. The neighbors and charitable persons then contributed to her wants. Recently she had plenty to eat and was comfortable. Miss Jeroski frequently asserted that the United States Government had $2,000,000 belonging to her, which had been deposited with it by the Russian Government to satisfy a claim for damages made by the descendants in America of General Pulaski, and that the United States were trying to cheat her out of the money. She was thought to be mentally unbalanced.

A FARMER IN TROUBLE.

A Grenville County Man Speaks his Mind—Feels Like a New Man—Cured by Four Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Cardinal, Dec. 7 (Special)—Mr. Robert McIntosh, a farmer widely known in this county, and living near this village, has been in a painful and dangerous condition as the result of kidney disease affecting the bladder. When called upon he said: "During three years, until quite recently cured by using four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease which kept going from bad to worse though I was doctoring all the time."

Under advice I began using Dodd's Kidney Pills, at once realizing great help. I now feel like a new man and am perfectly cured of kidney trouble in any form.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is dull, with no sales reported. Straight rollers are nominal at $4, Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—There is a quiet market, with rather better feeling. Red and white are quoted at 82c outside. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 94c, Toronto freight, and at 80c, afloat, Fort William.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 28½c to 29c.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 1 is quoted at 31c and No. 2 at 27c outside, and feed barley at 20c to 21c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 18c, and mixed quoted at 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices unchanged at 40c, north and west.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales at 34c to 35c outside west.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 26c outside and old at 27c to 28c.

BRITISH MARKETS.

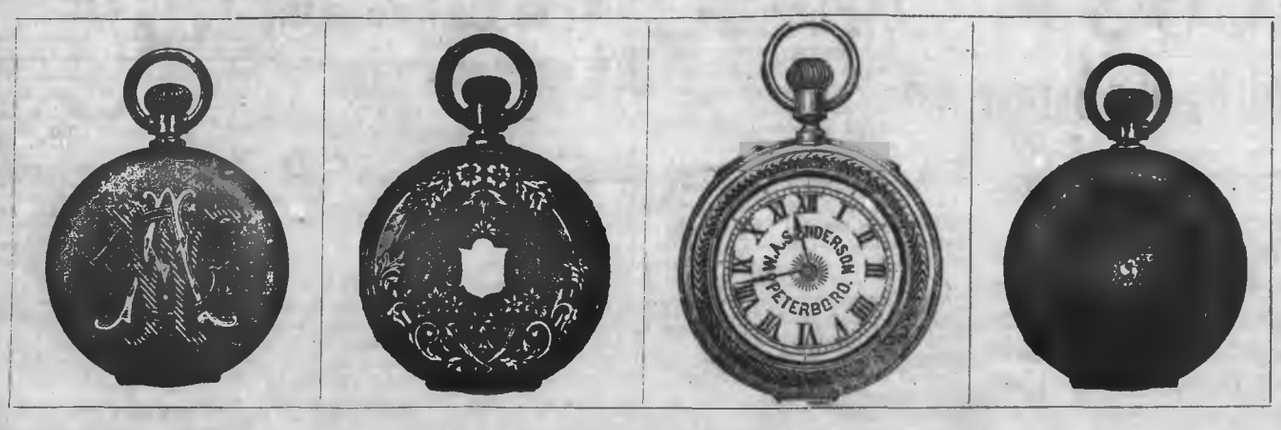
Liverpool, Dec. 12.—Spring wheat, 6s 8½d to 6s 9½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 3d to 7s 4d; corn, 2s 9½d; peas, 4s 5½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 20s 9d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 29s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 28s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat firm; futures firm at 6s 7¼d for Dec., 6s 8½d for Jan., 6s 8¾d for Feb., and 6s 9d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 9¾d for Dec., March, April and May, and 2s 9½d for Jan. and Feb. Flour 25s.

London—Close—Wheat on passage 3d higher. Maize on passage quiet and steady

There doesn't seem to be very much the matter with your child. He doesn't actually lose weight, but there is no gain. He belongs to that large class of children that don't seem to prosper. You look at him a little more thoughtfully than you do at the rest and say "He is not doing well." Failure to gain in weight in a child is a danger signal. Scott's Emulsion should be taken at once. It puts on fat where health demands it, strengthening the digestion.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Belleville, Ont.



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Genuine Quadruple Plate,
Exquisite Presentation Pieces,
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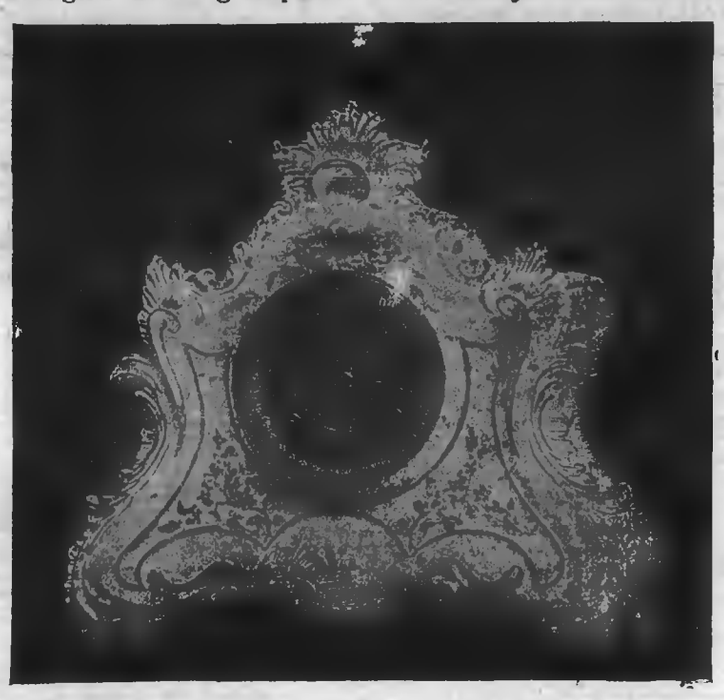
Elegant Banquet Lamps,
Gilt Onyx Tables, in Polished Brass,
Brass and Silver Kettles,



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Sterling Silver Spoons and Forks,
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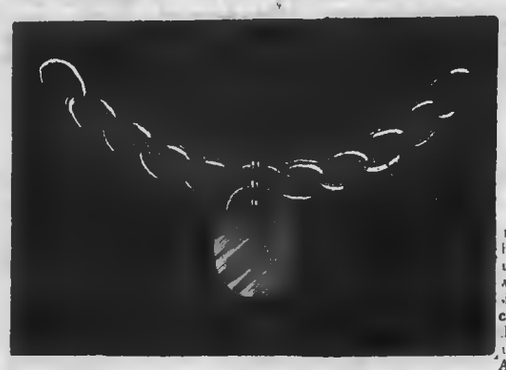

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LEPROSY AT THREE RIVERS.

A Chinese Laundryman Said to be Afflicted With the Disease.

Three Rivers, Que., Dec. 12.—A suspected case of leprosy is in this city, and the Chinese laundry is guarded by a policeman, who does not permit any communication with the inmates.

Two doctors visited the patient for the second or third time, and fear that it is a genuine case of the awful disease.

One of the doctors in attendance being the City Health Officer, he made the affair known to Mayor Cook, who sent a police officer to quarantine the laundry until the Provincial Board of Health be communicated with.

Hog Cholera Still Flourishes.

Windsor, Dec. 12.—Hog cholera does not appear to be abating in Essex county, and three more townships, Sandwich East, West and South, have been quarantined. In these townships no hogs may be slaughtered unless the owner makes a declaration that there has been no disease on his farm for three months. A person making a false declaration is liable to a heavy fine.

The Bishop of Buffalo.

Rome, Dec. 13.—The Pope has approved of the selection of Rev. James E. Quigley, D.D., to be Bishop of Buffalo, N.Y.

Ayer's Pills, being composed of the essential virtues of the best vegetable aperients, without any of the woody or fibrous material whatever, is the reason why they are so much more effective and valuable than any other cathartics. The best family physic.

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One Laxa-Liver Pill taken each night during 30 days will cure Constipation, after-returning Headaches and irregular action of the bowels. Laxa-Liver Pills leave no unpleasant after-effect.

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Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.00, now $ 75
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Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.75, now 1 25
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.50, now 2 00

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 60
Lacing Gloves..... were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour d.... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1.25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves .... were $1 25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
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Black Cashmere Hose..... were 30c, now 20c
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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cures.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel on Saturday, Dec. 26th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. dw

Attractive Holiday Card.

One of the neatest and most attractive cards sent out during the holiday season by the various stores, are those E. F. Mason & Co. are sending their customers with Christmas orders.

Grafton & Co's Handsome Prize Pictures are going very fast now let received over 100 to choose from

In the Central for 18 Months.

The Chief of Police received word to-day from Ingersoll that the boy Weese, of Peterborough, who was arrested there for pocket-picking, had been sent to the Central Prison for 18 months.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Disturbing the Army.

Fred Eastland charged with disturbing the Army was discharged this morning by the magistrate. On the same charge Thomas Radford was fined $10 and costs or twenty days in gaol. He was committed.

Christmas Ale and Porter.

Special brewings of Cristmas stock now ready at reduced prices to private families during the holidays. Kegs, $1.35 ; quarter, $1.75 ; one-third, $2 50. Bottles, 13 to doz. $1 00 Terms Cash. H. CALCUTT, brewer and maltster. Telephone 98.

A Good Judge of Meat

Is a blessing to any household. She knows that for prime roasts, juicy steaks and chops, fresh poultry and delicious sausage, J. J. HOWDEN'S, 461 George street, is the favourite meat shop for her. Hams, bacon and lard always on hand. Telephone 30.

St. Joseph's Christmas Tree.

The public are reminded that the Christmas Tree entertainment, under the auspices of the Sisters of St. Joseph, will be held in the Catholic Association rooms, Cox block, on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons and evenings, Dec. 22nd and 23rd. Admission 10 cents. Those desiring luncheon can procure it for 15 cents. 3d

Last Night's Play.

The Marks Bros'. company commenced their second week's entertainment in the Opera House last evening by producing to a large house the very pleasing and sensational comedy drama entitled "The Great Diamond Robbery." Tom Marks in his character of Peter Grump, a lawyer, created lots of fun. The specialties were highly appreciated, as was shown by the great applause which they received. This evening will be produced the Irish play "Shaun Rhue."

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EVENING WEAR

A Perfectly Fitting and Handsomely Tailored Dress Suit, all Silk Lined, for **$31.50 SPOT CASH.**

Material brought specially from England.

Don't start the Holiday season without a Black Suit.

Mercer's

BANQUET TO HON. SENATOR COX.

The Preliminary Arrangements have been made as Appended.

A meeting of the committee having in charge the preliminary arrangements for the banquet which is to be tendered to the Hon. Senator Cox, was held last evening in the Town Clerk's office.

The banquet promises to be the most sumptuous ever given a public man in Peterborough, and will be thoroughly representative of the various interests of the town. Some of Toronto's most prominent citizens have signified their intention of being present, as have the mayors of the various surrounding towns. Amongst those who have accepted invitations are :

Sir Mackenzie Bowell, ex-Premier of the Dominion ; Geo. R. R. Cockburn, M.P., President of the Ontario Bank ; Hon. S. C. Wood, Hon. J. M. Gibson, Minister of Crown Lands ; Robt. Jeffray, President of the Globe Printing Company ; W. R. Brock, President of the Canadian General Electric Company ; C. McGill, General Manager Ontario Bank ; B. E. Walker, General Manager Bank of Commerce ; D. W. Dwight, General Manager G.N.W. Telegraph Co.; John Bertram, J.J. Kenny, General Manager Western Fire Assurance Co.: J. W. Leonard, General Passenger Agent, C.P.R.; J. H. Plummer, Assistant General Manager Bank of Commerce ; Frederic Nicholls, General Manager Canadian General Electric Co ; A. White, Grand Trunk Railway ; D. M. Mellor, Merchants Bank, Toronto ; C. H. Willison, editor-in-chief Toronto Globe ; J. Douglas, Toronto Mail : the mayor of Lindsay and the mayor of Port Hope.

A committee has been appointed to receive the arriving guests at the 7.45 p.m. train, to which a special Pullman car will be attached for their comfort and convenience. The guests will proceed at once to the Oriental Hotel parlours, where a reception will take place, open to those who have cards for the banquet. The reception will be brought to a close at half-past eight o'clock sharp, at which hour the banquet will begin.

The Battalion Band will render selections during the evening and prominent vocalists will also contribute to the programme.

Dr. Hooper,
Prof. G. W. Mulligan,
Miss Stevens,
Mrs. A. L. Davis,
Miss McAllister,
on Friday night, in the Sons of England Hall.

AUTUMN SITTINGS.

The Case of Hull vs. Stevenson Concluded—Judgement Reserved.

Hull vs. Stevenson.—This is an action brought by Robert Hull, blacksmith, against James Stevenson, James P. T. Hogue, the Midland Loan and Savings Company, Mary J. Daubes, the Bank of Montreal, the Dominion Bank, John Douglas and Alex Macdonnel for a declaration of the rights of all parties interested in lots No. 1 and 2 in block E on registered plan No. 11 for the town of Peterborough upon which Mr. Douglas had erected a brick dwelling and Mr. Hull a house and blacksmith shop when they had purchased it from Mr. Stevenson. The Peterborough Canoe Company occupied the property to the north of these lots at the time Mr. Hull and Mr. Douglas purchased them from Mr. Stevenson. They did not search the title but each gave back a mortgage to Mr. Stevenson for the full amount of his purchase money. Mr. Stevenson assigned the Douglas mortage to Mr. Hogue, and the Hull mortgage to Mrs. Daubes, neither of whom it appears searched the title. It was afterwards ascertained that at the time Mr. Stevenson sold this property there was a mortgage upon the whole of the property to Mr. Henry Denne, which was subsequently assigned to the Midland Loan & Savings Co., in Dec. 1892, when they made a further advance of $1,500 to Mr. Stevenson upon the balance of the property remaining unsold to Mr. Douglass and Mr. Hull.

Messrs. Douglas and Hull claim that the property south of their's should be sold and the proceeds applied to the payment of the $2,500 mortgage, the mortgage applied to Mrs. Daubes to pay such deficiency.

The defendants contended that the plaintiff is not entitled to these rights and that the action should be discharged.

The different parties to the suit are represented as follows :

Robt. Hull—Wallace Nesbitt, Toronto, and Stratton & Hall.

Mary Jane Daubes—Watson, Q. C., Toronto, and W. H. Moore.

Midland Loan — Charles Moss, Q. C., Toronto, and S. S. Smith, Port Hope.

Bank of Montreal—Hall & Hayes.

Alex. Macdonald—W. A. F. Campbell.

John Douglas—A. P. Poussette, Q.C.

Jas. Stevenson — Dennistoun, Peck & Stevenson.

Judgment in the case has been reserved.

The case of Henderson vs. Henderson is still on.

The prettiest as well as the cheapest line of Calendars is at SAILSBURY'S.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., Box 55.) 12d132

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5 50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's :—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap ! cheap ! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG. 427 George street.

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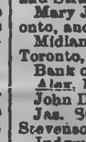
With our fine stock of New Xmas Groceries have arrived
CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S
Celebrated English Peels, Lemon, Orange and Citron—extra quality.
ALEX. ELLIOTT.

YOU Are Invited.



Yes YOU, personally, are most cordially invited to visit the Peterborough Bookstore, and inspect and admire the magnificent stock of every kind of goods suitable for holiday presents. You will be surprised at its magnificent extent and variety. We won't say anything about buying. That question will settle itself when you see our stock and take in its beauty—and learn the low prices. The buying will look after itself. Come and see us. All heartily welcome A. H. STRATTON & Co.

THE MAYOR VOTES FOR THE WORKINGMAN.

EXTENSION OF TIME FOR THE PAYMENT OF TAXES.

Mayor Yelland Thinks That the Passage of the Bylaw Now Has the Exact Effect for Which it was Drawn in Only Benefitting Those Who Found it Impossible to Pay up on the Fourteenth.

A special meeting of the town council was called last evening for the purpose of extending the time for the return of the collectors roll and also for the extension of the time for the payment of taxes without the additional charge of five per cent. Those present were the Mayor and Councillors Best, Wm. White, Denne, Mills, Phelan, Weir, Sawers, Moore, Langford, Graham and Jno. White.

The bylaw was introduced by Councillor Moore, and passed its first reading without an objection being raised, but when the council went into Committee of the Whole for the purpose of giving the bylaw its second reading, with Mr. Jno. White in the chair, the trouble began.

The clerk read a letter from Mr. E. B. Edwards, town solicitor, in which he stated that he enclosed a communication rom the Guarantee Company, stating that the validity of the collector's bond would not be effected.

The letter read as follows :

RE BOND DENNE.

We have your favour of the 11th inst. and note the council's action in regard to payment of taxes. A copy of the bylaw mentioned can be forwarded to us and attached to the employer's form, so that the validity of the bond will not be effected.

A. J. HUBBARD,
Manager.

Several of the councillors expressed themselves as thinking the letter was satisfactory.

Councillor Moore was surprised to hear anyone say that the letter was satisfactory.

HE COULD NOT SEE

that there was any waivure of right in regard to the cancellation of the bonds and even if it could be regarded as such there was no waivure from the personal sureties of the collector.

Councillor Best stated that Mr. J. J. Lundy was one of Mr. Denne's sureties. He had expressed himself as satisfied and he thought he was good for the whole amount.

Councillor Langford thought it was a mistake to cancel a bylaw which had worked satisfactorily for several years. It was not fair to those who had already paid their taxes, it would establish a precedent and people would not be willing to pay their taxes next year, as they would naturally expect to have the same thing done again. Fully two-thirds of the people had paid their taxes and the action would be most unjust to them.

Councillor Phelan stated that a great many citizens had spoken to him about the matter and all were in favour of the extension of the time. He desired to put himself on record as favouring the passage of the bylaw.

The mayor thought that this was just the time to pass the bylaw. All those who were able to pay their taxes had done so and this bylaw would therefore only benefit the poor man, as was intended. If it had been passed earlier those who were able to afford paying their taxes would have held off to the last minute possible. Now all those able to pay had paid and those to whom payment was a hardship and and totally impossible would be given until January 15th to pay up. He thought the bylaw would thus accomplish the very object for which it was drawn and the town would not be hampered through those were able to pay holding back.

Councillor Langford said that he would put himself on record as a friend of the poor man by

STRIKING OFF OF THE FIVE PER CENT.

entirely and moving for the repeal of the bylaw authorising its imposition.

Councillor Graham was also in favour of striking off the five per cent. altogether.

Councillors Langford and Graham therefore moved in amendment to the bylaw that the five per cent. be thrown off altogether.—Lost.

Councillor Moore held that it was apparent that no waivure had been received from any of the bondsmen and, therefore, he stated his intention of voting against the bylaw. It simply meant, in his opinion, the cancellation of the bonds of the collector if the bylaw was passed.

The bylaw passed its second reading, and Councillors Best and Wm. White moved for its final final reading and passage.

In amendment Councillors Moore and Langford moved that the bylaw be recommitted, with instructions to strike out all clauses with the exception of that referring to the extension of the time for the return of the collector's roll.

The yeas and nays were called for on this motion, resulting as follows :

Yeas — Councillors, Sawers, Moore, Langford, Graham and J. White.—5.

Nays—Councillors Best, Wm. White, Denne, Mills, Phelan and Weir.—6.

The motion was declared lost.

Councillors Moore and Langford then

MOVED IN AMENDMENT

again, "that the bylaw be recomitted, and that a rider be added to it that it do not take effect until the sureties of the collector have given their consent to it in writing, and deliver the same to the town clerk, which they have not yet done."

Yeas — Councillors Sawers, Moore, Langford, Graham and John White.—5.

Nays—Councillors Best, W. H. White, Denne, Mills, Phelan and Weir.—6.

Lost.

Councillors Langford and Sawers moved in amendment that the bylaw be recommitted for the purpose of striking out certain clauses so as to repeal entirely the bylaw which provided for the addition of 5 per cent to the taxes at any time.

Yeas — Councillors Sawers, Moore, Langford, Graham and John White.—5.

Nays—Councillors Best, Wm. White, Denne, Mills, Phelan and Weir.—6.

Lost.

Councillor Langford then called attention to the rules of the council, which he stated called for a two thirds majority of the whole council before a bylaw could be read a third time in one evening.

The rules, however, did not call for such a majority and the bylaw was passed on the following division :

Yeas—The Mayor, and Councillors Best, Wm. White, Denne, Mills Phelan and Weir—7.

Nays—Councillors Sawers, Moore, Langford, Graham and Jno. White—5.

The bylaw was declared carried and formally signed and sealed by the Mayor.

A communication was received from Mr. E. B. Edwards, enclosing the taxed bill of costs in the case of Jackson vs. Peterborough, amounting to $173. On motion of Messrs. Moore and Langford a cheque will be issued out of the appropriation to Streets and Bridges.

The Best Remedy For Corns

Is Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Rapid, painless, its action is a marvel to all who have tried it. Fancy getting rid of painful corns in twenty-our hours. "Putnam's" does it.

Windsor Salt

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

MR. PAKENHAM'S APPOINTMENT.

An Old P. C. I. Boy Receives High Honours.

The Minister of Education has offered Mr. W. Pakenham, Principal of the Collegiate Institute, Brockville, the Chairmanship of the Provincial Board of Education, formed at the last session of the Legislature. Mr. Pakenham will likely accept.

The Board in Brockville very much regrets his departure, as he is acknowledged to be one of the best Principals in any institution in Ontario. The Minister of Education is to be congratulated on having secured the services of such a valuable man. He is also an athlete as well as an educationalist, and is a star wing of the Brockville Rugby football club, the intermediate champions of Ontario. He will be greatly missed by that organization. Mr. Pakenham is a graduate of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute, and a former resident of this town, where his parents still reside.

ANCHOR ICE IN THE RIVER.

An Inspector of the Fire Underwriters Arrives on the Scene.

Anchor ice formed in the river at one o'clock this morning, and in consequence the intake pipe at the water works pump house became clogged at about that hour and the water was shut off until twenty minutes after ten.

To make matters worse a Fire Underwriter inspector swooped down on the town and an alarm of fire was sent in from the Dickson Company's office at ten o'clock. The engine was hurriedly taken out and both it and the hose wagon were up at the mills in an incredibly short space of time.

Guessing Contest.

All may compete. A barrel of currants stands in the window of E. Brown & Co's, and the quesiion is, How many currants in the barrel ? Any person who buys upwards of $5 worth of groceries at any time may compete ; the one who guesses the correct number will get a pound of currants or raisins as a Christmas present. The count will take place on the 29th of February. Come one, come all. E. BROWN & Co., groceries, wines and liquors.

TINTED COVERS

Really well worth the attention of the Ladies, the price being only 35c at Miss Melville's, 424 George street.

YOU CAN'T QUARREL WITH OUR PRICES

If you were to put the price on yourself, you would put it higher than we do.

But now be honest with yourself, which is the most sensible? To wait for a more forcible reminder of winter, or to pick out your Cloth for a Suit and Overcoat now? Be wise.

OVERCOATS—Beavers, Kerseys, Meltons, Friese. See the cloth, fix the prices.

SUITS—Cashmere, Tweeds, Cheviots, Worsteds—all the best fabrics. You don't have to take a Suit of all one cloth.

ROBERT WEIR

Merchant Tailor and Outfitter.
Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

McCLELLAND

To parties who may intend purchasing a WATCH for Christmas we cheerfully invite our inspection of the

Only Time-Tested Watch Case

in the market. These goods contain only the best movements, and will be a special inducement to buyers.

We also show this week a line of Canadian Enamelled Spoons and Pins which are quite national, and will make a pleasant Souvenir.

McClelland

333 GEORGE STREET.

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BALL & CO.

Can suit everybody. They keep the latest style of goods to make up to your order, and will give you the new fashionable cut with perfect fit, as only a practical tailor can.

TAKE NOTICE.—No garment can ever fit if it has to be altered and dragged to pieces, after being out to your measure.

Good Goods, no misfits or trying on requir

—AT—

BALL & CO'S.

PRACTICAL TAILORS,
Cox's New Block Water Stree

THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE. | A. H. Stratton & Co | 417 GEORGE ST. PHONE 285.

417 GEORGE STREET, December 14th, 1896.

Ready For The Throng!

We have put the armour on for a great week's selling in Christmas Gifts. Sorry we have'nt more room. With such preparations as we have made it would require twice the space to display the quantity of beautiful goods we have to offer.

But if you want to select your Gifts in the quietest moments of the day, come early in the morning. We are ready for you at 8 a.m. If you don't want to buy come any way. We welcome everybody to the freedom of the store. The best time to shop is while the stocks are at their best, and the best time to buy is before the choicest things are gone. The best things go first, of course. This statement is good enough to remember. Commence to-day. We can lay aside your purchases for future delivery, if you desire.

	From	Down to
Mirrors	$10 00	15c
Medallions	4 50	25c
Onyx Tables	20 00	$5 00
Photo Frames	7 00	5 00
Purses	3 50	5c
Purses Sterling Silver Mounted	3 50	1 00
Gent's Pocket Books	2 00	25c
Gent's Leather Wallets	3 00	35c
Ladies' Companions, in celluloid	7 50	25c
Ladies' Writing Portfolios	10 00	35c
Hand Painted Porcelain Ornaments, all prices	5 00	75c
Jewel Cases, all prices	3 00	15c
Fancy Novelties, with views of Peterborough, assorted	75	15c
Brush and Comb Sets, all prices	2 00	75c
Pin Trays, all prices	1 00	10c

	From	Down to
Manicure Sets	5 00	75c
Neck Tie Cases	3 00	75c
Smoking Sets	3 75	50c
Handkerchief Cases	2 00	25c
Collar and Cuff Boxes	3 75	50c
Shaving Cases	5 00	1 00
Table and Office Bells	1 50	25c
Ink Stands	4 50	10c
Fountain Pens	4 00	25c
Gold Pens and Pencils	10 00	1 00
Perfume Bottles	2 50	25c
Work Baskets, all prices	3 50	25c
Dolls, away down	3 50	5c
Games, lower than ever.	1 00	5c
Picture Books	1 00	3c
Children's sets of Dishes	1 00	10c
Doll Carriages, Bicycle Steel Wheels, nicely finished	2 50	1 35
Sleighs of all kinds	1 00	25c
Rocking Horses	3 50	75c

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BUY USEFUL Christmas Presents ...AT... HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S. Great Realization Sale.

With Christmas in sight we have turned our whole attention to clearing out such lines as are both suitable and useful for Christmas gifts. We will consider it a pleasure to show you what we have, whether you buy or not.

Presents for the Baby.

(Everyone buys something for the baby)

Infants Lawn Robes 75c, $1, $1.25, $2, $3, $3.50 special price.
Infant's Cashmere Robes $1.75, $2.75, $3.25, $4, $4.25, lovely goods.
Children's Dresses $1, $1.50, $2, $3, $4, $6.
Children's Pinafores 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, new goods.
Hemstitched Lawns for aprons 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c, sale prices.
Ladies' White Aprons 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Underwear, Golf Jerseys, Underskirts all at sale prices.

Children's Coats.

(Both comfortable and pretty)

Children's Cider Coat Fur Trimmings $1, $1 50, $2.50, $2.75, $4, $4.50 and $5.50.
Children's Hoods to match all the Coats at 25c and up.

Ladies' Ruffs.

Ladies' Fur Neck Ruffs $1.50, $1.75, $3.75, $4, $4.50 and $5. These goods are fully 25 per cent cheaper than you can buy them elsewhere.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, pink, sky and cream 75c.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, black, 25c, 40c and 50c.
Ladies' Ostrich Neck Ruffs, black $2 and $3 00.
Ladies' Capes $5, 7.50, $9, $10.50 in cloth, new styles.
Ladies' Plush Capes $12, $15, $18, special value.
Ladies' Fur-lined Cloaks, special sale price $9.50.
Better goods $12, $15, $18, $20, latest styles.
Ladies Dressing Jackets, (a very appropriate gift) $1.35 in all shades.
Jackets $8 goods for $6 50, better goods $10, $12, $15.

Handkerchiefs.

(A very suitable gift)

100 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, 10c quality, sale price 5c, or 6 for 25c.
20 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 15c quality, sale price 8c.
White Embroidered Handkerchiefs 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Hemstitch Silk Handkerchiefs 10c, 15c, 25c.
Fancy Gaiters, Needle Cases, Purses, Collarettes, Silk Shawls, Umbrellas.

Men's Christmas Presents.

(Ladies' attention to this)

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs 15c, 20c and 25c special sale prices.
Men's Hemstitched Lawn Handkerchiefs, sale price 15c.
Men's Hemstitch Linen Handkerchiefs 25c, 30c and 40c.
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs 25c and 50c.
Men's White Hemstitched plain silk Handkerchiefs 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c
Fancy Brocaded Silk Handkerchiefs 45c, 50c 60c 75 cents.
Men's Cashmere Mufflers 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Men's Silk Mufflers $1.25, $1.50, very special.
Men's Neck Ties, 4-in-hand 25c, 35c, 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Neck Ties, made up 2's, 35c, and 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Braces 25c, 35c, 50c special.
Men's Unlined Kid Gloves, special quality to go at $1.
Full stock of Underwear, Top Shirts, Night Shirts, Collars and Cuffs.

Millinery.

(Always interesting at Christmas time)

Children's Fur Caps $1, worth $1.50.
Hats $1.50, $1.75, $2, $3, reduced to sale price.
Wool Tams 35c and 50c special.

Dress Goods and Silks.

25 Dress Costumes, all we have left at 25 per cent. reduction.
Tweed Dress Goods 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
Silks for Dresses, special $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2.75, $1 95.

Linen Table Cloths and Napkins.

Linen Cloths $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $3, $4, $5.
Linen Napkins 75c, $1, $1.25, $1 50, $2, $3.
Linen Tabling in all qualities.
Blankets 75c, $1.10, $1.35, $2.50, $3.50, $4 special.

Kid Gloves and Hosiery.

The greatest assortment of New Gloves you can find all at special prices.
Guaranteed Kid Gloves 75c, $1, $1.25.
Hosiery Cashmere 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
All mail orders receive special attention.
Rugs and Carpets at special prices
Carpet Sweepers the best in the trade.

There is no place where you can buy so many useful gifts as at our store. Our stock is everything you could desire and prices are all in favour of the buyer. Everyone welcome to call and see our Christmas Display of Dry Goods Novelties. SPOT CASH. ONE PRICE. SMALL PROFITS.

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130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

$10 in Gold

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370 GEORGE STREET,

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Also at Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston and Toronto.

To the person who will send us the greatest number of words of more than two letters formed from the the letters contained in "Stroud's Tea," using no letter more times than it occurs in "Stroud's Tea." The letters may be taken backward or forward, but must form complete, English words, for example, start, eat, star, etc. For the second largest number of words, $5.00; for the third, $3.00; for the fourth, $2.00, and for the next five $1.00 each will be rewarded. This contest is open to all. The only condition governing the contest is that you shall satisfy us that you have bought five lbs. of our Tea during this month. If you are good at word-making this is your opportunity to procure a New Year's gift for a little effort. This generous offer is made to introduce "Our Celebrated Tea" and give the young folks a chance to earn some money. The contest will close at noon, January 1st, 1897. Each list of words must be numbered and written in alphabetical order, on only one side of the paper with name and address written plainly. To be in a sealed envelope, addressed to W. R. Stroud, 370 George street. Remember this is a bona fide offer made by a bona fide firm. We do this simply as a method of advertising i.e. to bring us more prominently before the Peterborough public. Our Teas and Coffee are, without exception, the best sold in Canada.

$25 in Cash Prizes.

Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1896.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

MURRAY STREET BAPTIST TEACHERS AND OFFICERS.

Reports Presented by the Secretary-Treasurer and Librarian—Advance along the Various Lines of Work.

The annual business meeting of the Murray street Baptist church Sunday school was held in the school room room on Monday evening.

After routine, Miss Mary Stratton presented the report of the secretary-treasurer as follows:

Annual Report of the Murray Street Baptist Church Sunday School for the Year Ending December 14th, 1896:

Balance on hand from 1895..... $ 61 33

RECEIPTS.

Ordinary Sunday collections:

December	$11 48	
January	11 28	
February	9 09	
March	12 35	
April	9 30	
May	12 79	
June	6 66	
July	10 66	
August	9 31	
September	5 00	
October	9 17	
November	12 79	
		130 38

Missionary collections:

Special (Foreign Mission) Dec 29	6 00	
1st quarter Foreign Mission	13 79	
2nd quarter Home Mission	11 27	
3rd quarter Grand Ligne	9 16	
British Columbia Mission Church	3 09	
Special (Armenian Fund)	10 00	
Entertainment (Entertainment) Arm	16 00	
		69 31
Process is from S S tea		45
Interest on money loaned Park street church		7 83
Interest on deposit		1 05
Total		$259 25

EXPENDITURES.

Am Baptist Pub Society	$60 25
A H Stratton & Co	1 70
Expressage extra	3 85
Casing and binding books	5 00
Foreign missions	37 13
Home missions	30 23
Grande Ligne Mission	26 16
Contribution to Armenians	25 00
British Columbia Mission Church	3 14
Annual S S grant	6 90
H Newton, furniture	7 66
Pledge expenses	10 87
Balance in bank	30 74
	$259 25

All outstanding accounts have been paid with one exception; that of books purchased for the library amounting to $11.47.

Of the $30 74 on hand $7.88 properly belongs to the Library Fund, leaving a balance of $22.86 to commence our New Year.

The total class collections amounted to $120.23, an increase of $21.30 on last year.

The highest collection during the year was $12.79, May and November being equal. Lowest September, $5. Average collection per Sunday, $2.31.

Number of scholars on roll 132. Decrease of 12 on last year.

Teachers and officers on roll, 23.

Average attendance of scholars, 144; increase of 23 on last year. Average attendance of teachers and officers, 17; increase of one on last year.

The largest attendance during the year was 178, March 2nd and July 5th being equal. The lowest attendance was 98, on June 7th.

Twice during the year all the teachers and officers were present on June 14th and October 4th.

The lowest attendance of teachers and officers was 15, on August 30th.

Two classes of girls were formed from the infant class and promoted into the body of the school. Miss Taylor taking class formed on April 19th, and Miss Haggare teaching class formed on Nov. 8th.

Number of visitors to our school during the year, 214.

Our school has contributed to Missions $103.66, an increase of $34.66 on last year.

The last Sunday of each quarter special collections are taken for Home, Grande Ligne and Foreign Missions, also one half of the school fund is divided equally between them, the remaining half being necessary for the current expenses of the school. Extra calls have been made from time, which have been a great drain on us and seem too much for a school of our size. I would suggest that more consideration be given this subject. We cannot report any increase in numbers, but during the past year the average attendance has been much better. We regret exceedingly to report so many of our scholars having left our school, forty-five in number; some we know have removed from town, the remaining ones we suppose have joined other schools.

One of our scholars in Miss Aldridge's class has been converted and united with the church, also two others have put on Christ by baptism, and one, we are pleased to say, is a successful teacher in the school.

Again as teachers and officers we are permitted to see the close of another scholastic year. Can we say we have done our best? it is a matter for deep reflection. May we this coming year go forward with renewed energy and zeal, determined to do more and better work for Christ than in the past. At times we have been discouraged, not seeing the spiritual results we would like, but we have God's promise "sure" and "steadfast" that our work is not in vain.

Respectfully submitted.

Adopted.

Mr. L. Croly presented, as appended,

THE LIBRARIAN'S REPORT:

To the Teachers and Officers:

We beg to report as follows:

No. of exchanges made during the year 2 517, increase over last year 255. The average exchange per week has been 54 (47 sundays),—the highest average we have had for five years. Total number of volumes on the shelves, 511; 23 more than reported last year. During the year we have purchased 30 books. Of this number eight were to replace volumes lost during the past few years—since 1891, the balance 31 are new works.

The amount expended upon the library this year is $24 65, all being for the purchase of books. This money is still in the hands of our treasurer, being the interest due, and paid by the Park street church upon loan.

There is one thing we desire to bring to your attention connected with the purchase of our Sunday School books. At different times the question has been asked—why do you not buy your books from the Standard Publishing Co.? The argument is that the profit on books purchased there goes directly to denominational objects. This year we decided to divide the amount as our discount and expend half with the Standard and half with local dealers. This was done as a fair test case. The result is that we find the books purchased in Toronto could have been procured from local dealers at 10 per cent less than they cost us. We would like to be advised as to your judgment in this matter, whether we should purchase at the Book Room, or where the goods can be got cheapest.

A large number of our books require repairs. Some 20 of them should be placed in the binders hands. The balance, probably 70 or 80, most of them from among our oldest volumes, might be rendered serviceable for a while longer if repaired by ourselves. 23 books are still out. Of this number two may be counted as lost, one during this year and one previously.

A printed catalogue is much needed to place in the hands of the children. It would cost some $8 or $10. Is it advisable to expend this money? Your librarian have just completed a written catalogue of the entire library for their own desk use, but it would not be suitable for scholars.

The class of reading called for remains about the same as in former years. The Annie Swan books are the favourites among the girls, and books of adventure among the boys. We wish to state that there is now in the library an excellent biography of Adoniram Judson written by his son, Rev. Ed Judson. Another book purchased this year, and very highly recommended as an interesting and wholesome missionary story, is "The Bishop's Conversion," written by Ellen B. Maxwell. We hope to see this book out continually during next year. Those who have already had it bear out the recommendation in a marked degree. Besides these we might mention, among the books for boys bought:—Two stories by Ed. L. Ellis, "The Cabin in the Clearing" and "On the Trail of the Moose; also "Captain Rayley's Heir," by Henty; "Grey and Gold," by Warbois; a "Canadian Story," by McDougall; "Forest, Lake and Prairie," and "The Old Curiosity Shop" and "Oliver Twist," by Dickens.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

L. CROLY, Librarian,
(Miss) L. HUGHES, Ass't Lib.

Adopted.

After the adoption of these the following

OFFICERS WERE ELECTED:

Superintendent — Mr. E. A. Stanley, (re-elected.)

Assistant-superintendent—Mr. Harding.

Secretary-treasurer—Miss Mary Stratton, (re-elected.)

Assistant Secretary-treasurer — Miss Dolly Langford.

Librarian—Mr. L Croly, (re-elected.)

Assistant Librarian—Miss Hughes, (re-elected.)

The requisite supplies for the year were ordered, and other routine business transacted.

PARK STREET BAPTISTS.

Officers and Teachers of the Sunday School Meet.

The officers and teachers of the Park street Baptist church held their annual meeting last night, and elected the following officers:

Superintendent—Miss M. Mann.

Assistants—T. G. Gillespie and A. L. Grover.

Secretary—Miss B. Hunt.

Assistnat Secretary—H. Martin.

Librarian—A. L. Grover.

Assistant Librarian—Miss L. Miller.

Organist—Miss J. Harmer.

The school has been very prosperous during 1896, and has progressed to a greater degree than in any previous year in its history. Every department is in good working order.

It is often a mystery how a cold has been "caught." The fact is, however, that when the blood is poor and the system depressed, one becomes peculiarly liable to disease. When the appetite or the strength fails, Ayer's Sarsaparilla should be taken without delay.

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PRESBYTERIAL YOUNG PEOPLE'S ASSOCIATION.

REPRESENTATIVES MET IN ST. PAUL'S CHURCH YESTERDAY.

Delegates Present From All the Presbyterian Societies in the Presbytery—Two Most Interesting Sessions Were Held.

There was a large attendance yesterday afternoon in St. Paul's church at the convention of the Presbyterial Young Peoples Societies of the Presbytery of Peterborough. Out of thirty societies twenty three were represented, and from some there were two and three delegates. Amongst those present were:

Keene—Miss Launderville and Miss Andrews.

Centreville—Rev. Cattanach.

Warkworth—Wm. M. Piles.

Peterborough (St. Paul's)—A. J. Johnston and T. H. Martin.

Hastings—Miss Rear, Mr. Rear and Jas. Thompson.

Cobourg—Rev. Jas. Hay.

Grafton—Miss Rose and Miss Johnston.

Vernonville—Miss Robinson.

Peterborough (St. Andrews)—Miss Forsythe and Miss Baptie.

Janetville—Rev. Mr. Oswald.

Pontypool—Miss Windle.

Port Hope (First church)—T. L. Anderson.

Centreville—Miss Robinson and J. A. Porter.

Port Hope (Methodist church)—Rev. Alex. Laird.

Millbrook—Mr. Hales, Miss Hunter, Miss Kerr.

Warkworth—Rev. Mr. Sutherland.

Lakefield—Miss McWilliams and Rev. A. C. Reeves.

North Smith—Mrs. Grier and Aleck Preston.

Norwood—J. Roxburgh and Miss Chandler.

Omemee—Miss Lamb and Rev. Mr. Tanner.

Campbellford—D. H. Douglas, Rev. Mr. Laird and Mr. Clark.

The chair was occupied by the president, Rev. John Hay, B.D., of Cobourg, and the convention opened with a service of praise and devotional exercises.

A business committee was appointed, composed of Messrs. Rev. Laird, Porter, Martin, Anderson and Green.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Rev. Mr. Lord, of Grafton, corresponding secretary, called attention to the work done by the Executive Committee in reference to the employment of a home missionary. He had corresponded with Rev. Dr. Sutherland, superintendent of Northwest missions, in regard to the matter, and in reply had been strongly urged to induce the society to undertake the work of placing one in the field as the special charge of the Peterborough Young People's societies. He had then communicated with all the societies in the district and had received very encouraging replies. The large majority had expressed their willingness to assume their share of the responsibility of raising $250.00 towards the support of a missionary. The Executive thought, however, that the feeling was not sufficiently unanimous to warrant them in carrying out the project. This was a question with which the present meeting would have to cope.

Miss Forsythe, of Peterborough, treasurer, reported that there were no funds on hand but that the expenditure had not exceeded the receipts.

Rev. John Hay, B.D., the president, did not think that any result was being obtained by simply holding conventions, but if by united efforts the societies could support a missionary in the Northwest then a grand work would be accomplished.

The time would come when the efficiency of the regular weekly meeting of the branches would cease. It would not be as consecutive a course of study as was required. A new system would have to be introduced for the study of doctrine, etc., but all this would form, he understood, the subject for an interesting address in the evening.

A HOME MISSIONARY.

The matter of the appointment of a home missionary, who would be supported to the extent of $250 by the societies of the Presbytery, was then taken up for discussion.

Rev. Mr. Sutherland, of Warkworth, asked two questions. (1) Would it be regarded as interference with the Home Mission Committee, and (2) Could the Society not indicate the field in which they would like the missionary to work?

The President in answer to the first question stated that it was not at all an independent scheme, but would be accomplished through the regular authorities. He thought the second question a capital suggestion, and was sure Rev. Dr. Robertson would gladly accede to it.

Rev. D. A. Thompson, of Hastings, thought the members should look over their own field and consider the advisability of placing a man in the north country before looking further afield.

Mr. A. J. Johnston, of Peterborough, asked how many societies there were in the Presbytery, and how many members in these societies.

Rev. Mr. Lord stated that seventeen of the thirty societies had reported a membership of 659, which would run the total membership up to about 1,000. In reply to a question concerning the allocation, he suggested that so much per capita be charged—say 25 cents.

Mr. Johnston continued to say that he was not at all in sympathy with the idea of holding these conventions. Peterborough was having too many of them and there was such a thing as riding a horse to death. Still he was heartily in sympathy with the scheme of assuming the responsibility of supporting a missionary to the extent stated. He advocated, however, that a man be placed in the Northwest.

Rev. J. G. Potter, of St. Andrews, upheld the idea of holding conventions and assured the delegates that they were heartily welcome to Peterborough. These periodical gatherings, he thought, renewed enthusiasm. Many new societies were organizing and the holding of conventions would help to keep them in line.

Rev. Mr. Tanner, seconded by Miss Robinson, of Centreville, moved that the society undertake to raise $250 towards the support of a home missionary for the year 1897.—Carried.

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CLEVER ENTERTAINMENT.

Ramsay and Rich are two Clever Humourists.

Otonabee Lodge, I.O.O.F., is bringing Ramsay and Rich to Peterborough for a matinee and evening performance on Christmas day, and this is what the Kingston Whig has to say of them:

"Laugh and grow fat" is a wise vulgarism, and the world would be the better for it if the injunction was observed by a greater number of people. A splendid opportunity presents itself for long-visaged cynics to overcome their pessimism by witnessing a performance of the "Merry-makers," Messrs. Harry Rich and W. E. Ramsay, who are warranted to make affairs of this world appear the brighter and to wrest a smile from such visages as have become figuratively ossified from lack of exercise in the happy art of smiles.—They created laughter last night as broad and as long as the opera house, because the house was filled to overflowing and everybody laughed. The witticisms of Ramsay, the rambler, were as "rich" as the ore in a Rossland gold mine and the two humourists were most liberal with the wealth of humour at their command. All their songs were brand new, in fact the "brand" had not had time to become blarred from use. Every feature of the entertainment was fresh, not rehashed, but served up before a Kingston audience for the first time. The closing skit was worth double the price of admission had there been no other item on the lengthy and well-balanced programme. The entertainment was the finest, purest and most satisfactory witnessed here in some time, as anyone who was present and enjoyed it will testify. The same couple give a performance to-night.

The reserved seat plan is now ready at Ormond & Walsh's Drug Store.

Dr. Hooper,
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Miss Stevens,
Mrs. A. L. Davis,
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These prices end on the 24th.

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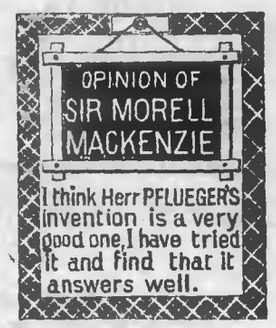
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"I want to express my heartfelt thanks for Dr. Pierce's valuable medicine," writes Mrs. Rufus Bell, of Wise, Monongalia Co., W. Va. "My eldest daughter, a girl of 15, caught cold and we had the best doctors but could get no lasting relief. Oh, how she suffered! Often I have heard her pray for death to end her sufferings. I bought one bottle of each of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, 'Favorite Prescription,' and 'Pleasant Pellets.' Before our daughter used half the medicine her cough was all gone, and she was on the high road to health—which means to happiness."

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VIEWS OF FARMERS

Will Next be Taken on the Tariff Question.

MANUFACTURERS HAVE SPOKEN

And Will Not be Allowed to Have All the Say—Major McGillivray With Quit Politics and Stick to Forestry —General News From the Capital.

Ottawa, Dec. 13.—(Special.)—It is announced that immediately the new year is ushered in the Tariff Committee of the Cabinet will make arrangements to hear delegations from farmers' organizations, for the purpose of obtaining their views on the suggested tariff revision. Hitherto nearly all the evidence submitted has been in favor of the maintenance of the present tariff, or increased protection, but it has been decided that the manufacturers are not to do all the talking.

John A. McGillivray, M. P. for North Ontario, was in town to-day. To-morrow he will be an ex-M. P. He informed your correspondent to-night that he had definitely made up his mind to resign his seat in the House and will so inform Mr. Speaker Edgar to-morrow. He will not offer himself for re-election, but devote all his energy to his Forestry work. Mr. McGillivray returned to Toronto to-night.

Last month the revenue from customs alone fell away by $267,291. The net decrease in revenue for five months is $230,000, while the expenditure has increased $134,000.

The oil boom in Bothwell has led to many enquiries being sent to the Geological Survey Department for information regarding the experimental borings for oil in that district many years ago. In 1865-67 there was quite a boom in Bothwell and many wells were sunk, but unfortunately accurate "logs" of the operations were not kept. Dr. Dawson, Director of the Geological Survey, points out that it would be a great advantage to the survey and would enable information to be readily given to applicants if a careful record were kept of boring work as it proceeds. In this way there would soon be obtained a clear knowledge of the underground structure of the whole of the Ontario Peninsula. The greatest depth to which boring for oil or natural gas has been carried in Ontario is 2400 feet. The wells in the Petrolea oil field average from 350 to 400 feet. As the Bothwell district promises to be a very prolific one, it would be well for prospectors to act upon Dr. Dawson's suggestion.

Mr. Nat Boyd, M. P., arived here today from the south. During the past two or three weeks he has been buying stock in Kentucky, and has shipped a carload of yearling thoroughbreds from the famous blue grass region to his ranch at Carberry. Mr. Boyd is doing good work for the improvement of Manitoba stock.

Dr. W. T. Bradley, son of Mr. A. P. Bradley of Ottawa, was married in France, on Nov. 24, at Dinard, Brittany, to Mlle. Antoinette, youngest daughter of the late M. Paul Robberechts of Dinard. Recently Dr. Bradley, who is a B. A. of Toronto University, and M. D. of McGill, passed his qualifying examinations for membership in the Royal College of Surgeons, England, and for licentiateship of the Royal College of Physicians. Dr. Bradley intends returning to Ottawa shortly.

Speaking of his intentions in regard to Canadian public works, Mr. Tarte said yesterday that not a single undertaking of importance will be commenced without a personal knowledge of the situation. He has covered the western country now, he says, and will visit the Maritime Provinces and Ontario in due time.

Hon. L. H. Davies leaves for Ottawa next week.

Montreal parties will apply to Parliament next session for an act to incorporate The Royal Victoria Life Insurance Company.

The Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo Railway will apply for an act to amend the several acts relating to the said company, authorising the issue of debenture stock, and empowering the company to issue debenture stock and preferred stock, to change the head office of the company from Toronto to Hamilton, and to confirm the several agreements made between the company and the Canadian Pacific.

Withdrawals exceeded deposits in the Government banks last month by $20,000.

New postoffices were opened in Ontario Dec. 1 as follows: Ansonia, Algoma; Burridge, Addington; Folger Station, North Lanark.

The appointment of Senator McClelan as Lieut.-Governor of New Brunswick was gazetted yesterday.

Col. Hamilton of the Q. O. R., Toronto, left for home last night.

Hon. William Paterson returned from Cornwall last evening.

Hugh O'Leary of Lindsay is appointed a commissioner to investigate certain charges preferred against D. J. McPhee, Indian agent on the Rama Reserve.

A proclamation was issued yesterday proroguing Parliament pro forma to Tuesday, Jan. 26.

Dr. Borden left for Nova Scotia yesterday for a few days.

Major James Sutherland, chief Government whip, came up from Cornwall to-night. He is satisfied with the Liberal outlook there.

It is definitely settled that W. D. Lovitt of Yarmouth is to succeed the late Senator Kaulbach in the Upper House. The order-in-council is only awaiting the Governor's signature.

BRADLEY GUILTY, TOO.

The Conspiracy Case Concluded at Brampton—Sentence Deferred.

Brampton, Ont., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—The conspiracy of Guy Fawkes is no longer looked upon by natives of this district as the greatest event of that kind recorded. It has paled into insignificance before the magnitude that the alleged acts of John A. Bradley and Francis Clark have assumed in local eyes. They are the universal topic of conversation, and every day the attendance at court of townspeople and ruralites has grown. Last night the trial received its first recognition from local society and the gallery and grand jury box were bright with millinery, and Crown Attorney McFadden sported a rosebud in honor of the event.

It was a large and appreciative audience which greeted business man and actor Francis Clark when he made his bow in the box this morning, more so than welcomed him a year ago, when he appeared as Uncle Josh, or the versatile leading man in "Little Bell" and "Fisherman's Luck." Then, as Clark remarked in his evidence, the people of Brampton did not appreciate a good thing.

Clark had a great many seemingly peculiar transactions to smooth out, and he was certainly adroit if not truthful. He was overhauled on every sale or purchase mentioned in the three days' evidence. He described his connection with J. A. Bradley during the six months that man was in business as manager without salary, and yet he did a great deal of driving about with a wagon full of furniture during that time. The Burton mortgage was a perfectly straight affair in so far as he was connected with it. Bradley, he was aware, was looking for a moneyed man to take a mortgage, and Burton suggested himself to Clark's mind in that capacity, for he understood that man had struck it rich in an elocutionary tour in British Columbia. Anyhow, Burton was to have his well-to-do father come to the rescue. The peculiar process of exchanging a $2000 mortgage for one and two-year notes was but a makeshift to gain a few days to enable Burton to scrape up the money. He professed that at the time of the assignment he did not know whether Bradley had received the money or not. He had not been near Caledon East for months before the fire, only off and on. He denied Burton's story that he suggested the letter to the assignee, and everything Burton told about the bogus mortgage was untrue. Clark said his account of things was absolutely true, and where Bradley didn't agree with him the latter was wrong. Clark admitted telling Lawyer Shaw after the assignment that he knew nothing at all about any mortgage recently put on the farm. Clark's answer to Mr. McFadden, that he did not consider such a denial a straight lie, shows the mental twist of the man. Clark could explain how it was that the man he had been representing as worth $7000 had about the same time to sell a $20 set of furniture at an auction room to raise money to keep afloat. He tried to reconcile the expense of living for a man like him without salary who had to pay $12 per month rent and had stocked a house with $800 worth of furniture and a $150 piano, with a statement that he had perhaps $200 when he left Caledon East, and an additional $350 borrowed from his sister, besides $100 profits from a four weeks' theatrical tour. Finding the task difficult he found refuge by saying his wife had some money. The sales to the theatrical people were charged by Bradley to his account, and the proceeds from the numerous sales on which evidence has been given were turned into the business and went to pay Bradley's debts. Clark had to admit that himself and everybody he had connection with as employes had been unfortunate in accs. There have been no less than five—at Glenwilliams, Bolton, Mono Road, and two at Caledon East. He was asked if, when living at Glenwilliams, he had not spread a story that he had been robbed of $1000 or other sum of money, and he vehemently denied the allegation.

The defence put Mrs. J. T. Bradley, whose husband, a son of the prisoner, is charged with concealing goods, in the box to identify a large quantity of the goods found at the Bradley farmhouse, as being properly her husband's, her uncle's or brother-in-law's lawful property, acquired by lawful purchase. The uncrated refrigerator found stowed away in an out of the way barn was bought for her with her money. She did not see anything queer in buying such an article in the fall. The witness told a good story for the defence. While the witness was identifying Uncle Joseph's extensive wardrobe of plain and colored laundered shirts Pat Heffernan, who was dealing the cards, tried to work in the same shirt twice on her, but Mrs. Bradley was too smart and got the laugh on Pat by exclaiming "You showed me that before."

Two Church of England pastors and an ex-M.L.A. and an ex-M.P. were passed along in review to show Bradley's previous excellent character. The Crown recalled Mr. Cleland to prove that the statement of claims shows the liabilities were all incurred within six months, and that therefore there could be no old debts to account for the deficit.

Nell Burton, who is the central figure in mortgaging the farm, was recalled to deny Clark's statements.

Detective Pat Heffernan, to whose skill the immense amount of evidence in the case is owing, was one of the men to whom Bradley admitted he had said the mortgage was a scheme. Bradley admitted this in a talk he had solicited with the detective. There was not the slightest pressure used in securing the admission. At 4 p.m. the case closed and T. Blain, for Clark, began speaking.

At 9.20 the jury retired, and at 10.20 brought in a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to mercy for Bradley. The judge deferred sentence.

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ALBANI AT OTTTWA.

The Canadian Prima Donna Visits Scenes of Her Early Days With a Distinguished Company.

Ottawa, Dec. 13.—(Special.)—Mme. Albani and her husband, Mr. Gye, arrived here last evening, and are registered at the Russell. This afternoon, on invitation of the directors of the Hull-Aylmer Electric Railway, they visited the village of Aylmer, where Mme. Albani spent a portion of her girlhood days. The piano on which she used to practice as a child is treasured by Mr. Beaudry, one of the inhabitants of Aylmer. A large and fashionable party had been invited to accompany Mme. Albani. Among those on board the car were the Premier and Mme. Laurier, Hon. R. W. and Mrs. Scott, Sir Henri and Lady Joly, Mr. and Mrs. Fielding, Mrs. Blair and others. At Aylmer President Conroy did the honors at his residence. To-night the Premier and Mme. Laurier gave a dinner party in honor of the great diva. To-morrow Mme. Albani sings in Brockville, returning here on Tuesday.

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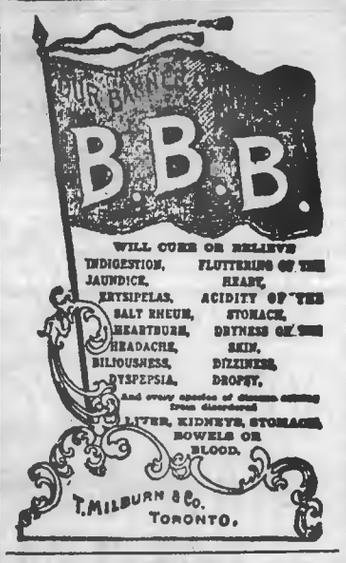

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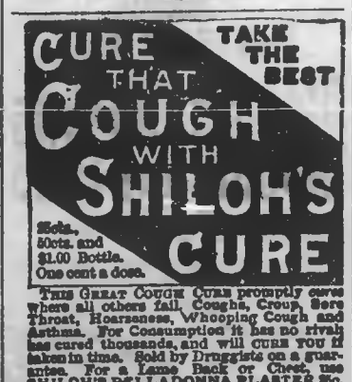

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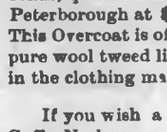

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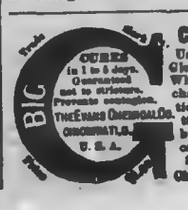

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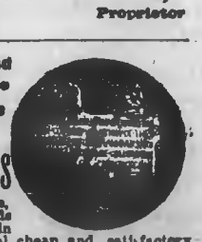

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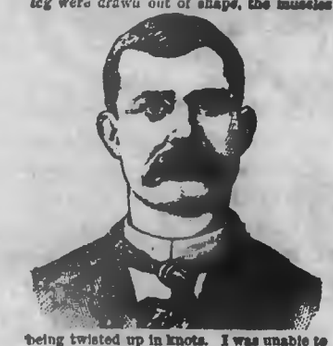

being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 165 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

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THE CHRISTMAS CALF.

By EMILY MEREDYTH AYLWARD.

[CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.]

"Miss Gascoigne," said Mrs. Merington, her voice growing higher and her utterance more and more rapid as she went along, "is it possible you can ask me why? Is it possible you are not fully aware that that miserable calf is starved? It's not credible that the wretched brute can have been chasing all round the country destroying property—yes, property of both house and land—in search of food without your knowing it."

"I never heard a word," said Miss Minna, "before last night, and then only enough to make me suspect something. I was just going over to learn the truth now."

"Just this moment," continued Mrs. Merington, "I have chased the brute out of Mr. Merington's studio. Will you think of it? Will you think of that starved brute actually demolishing a corner of my husband's canvas? It has done it. It has licked his palettes. It has smeared, torn and trampled everything. It has literally ruined the studio. It has wound up by eating the crown out of my husband's hat."

A tear stood in Miss Minna's eye. She was overwhelmed at this chapter of destruction, yet sorrow for the calf was uppermost.

"Poor Christmas!" she said. "Mrs. Merington, I am sorry for all this. What on earth shall I do about it?"

"Get it back, get it back without a day's delay. If you don't, there's no telling what will happen. The whole neighborhood is up in arms and those Willoughby people don't care for anything. Nothing will rouse them. Oh, what that poor brute has suffered from those imps, those perfect fiends of children! The first thing they did was to make a horse of it; one rode it while the other pulled its tail to make it go. Oh, we've seen it all! How the brute has lived through it, how you have never heard of it—I understand neither!"

"And I thought," put in Miss Minna feebly, "that Christmas would be so happy. They said they would care for her so, and the lovely house they had for her!"

"House! The beast has never seen the inside of a house. The house is filled with coal. It wandered the other night over to the Holts', and Mr. Holt gave it shelter for the night. Next morning it broke out and devoured his crocus bed. Oh, what and where has it not devoured!" she cried, gripping her umbrella and extending it with a sweeping right arm gesture which seemed to embrace land and sea. "That calf has simply been everywhere."

The case was looking dreadful. Miss Minna felt as though she could have sat down by the roadside and wept, but the hour was one for action, and with fear at her heart she pulled herself together to confront the Willoughby household. "I am going there direct now," she said. "I will see what can be done. If they were people who could be made to see things like anybody else, I would have no anxiety; but, unless they actually want to get rid of the calf, hints will avail nothing. Mr. Willoughby lives in literary dreamland, and, unless Mrs. Willoughby wants to, she simply won't see anything."

"Well," said Mrs. Merington, giving with every word she spoke a savage pound on the sod with her umbrella, "they've got to be made to see it. Complaints have gone in day after day with no result. Those people would drive any one frantic, and if you can't bring matters to a crisis the village soon will and condemn that calf as a public nuisance."

With this parting shot, Miss Minna moved mournfully forward, and Mrs. Merington stamped away.

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As she entered the Willoughby gate she could see the ample, light hearted mistress of the household busily plying a rake round the hydrangea bush. Mr. Willoughby, with a pen still moist in his hand and his usual, anxious, absorbed expression of countenance, stood on the doorstep. At sight of Miss Minna, after a cordial greeting, he plunged into the subject uppermost in her heart.

"She's busy raking up after the calf," he said. "Lots of that to do all the time. Great institution, that calf."

"Ah," thought Miss Minna, with a bound of hope, "this is my opportunity." And a smile lit up her face. "Yes, that's just what I was thinking, Mr. Willoughby. I came over to ask Mrs. Willoughby to lunch on Friday, but I thought at the same time I would speak of, say, borrowing the calf—borrowing it just at this time, you know, when it could have such a splendid run through our big paddock. In the spring all calves long for freedom and will burrow at everything, you know, if they haven't lots of space."

"Bless your heart," said Mr. Willoughby cheerily, "nothing of the kind. Spring makes no difference. This calf is always cheerful, always burrowing—turn up everything from the day we got her. Children adore her. Let her go everywhere she wants, do what she pleases."

"Heigho!" gasped Mrs. Willoughby, joining the group, her buxom figure and good natured face betraying results of hard exertion. "I'm so glad to see you, Miss Gascoigne. I've been raking up after the calf. It has a perfect mania for the hydrangeas."

"How is the calf, Mrs. Willoughby? You know I've never seen her since Xmas day."

"Oh, flourishing. I should say it is flourishing—got life and energy enough for six calves. I never see it myself, that's a fact. But I see it's traces, and it certainly must be the liveliest, strongest calf that ever was born. It tears up everything."

"Yes," said Miss Minna, a spice of acidity in her tone which no amount of the Willoughby ignorant amiability could induce her to repress, "I have just heard that it got into Mr. Merington's studio and tore everthing to bits, Mr. Merington's hat included."

"Did it?" said Mrs. Willoughby genially, not a ruffle disturbing her face. "That's just the way it does everywhere. Just yesterday it demolished the cook's bonnet."

"Well, it's been a great boon to us, anyway," said Mr. Willoughby. "We hardly see the children since we've had it. Don't let it get at my papers, my love, today. They're strewn about there. I must be off. Perhaps you'd better lock the door?"

Despair was settling in Miss Minna's breast. One might as well come in contact with a stone wall as with the Willoughby understanding. "Do you think, Mrs. Willoughby," she said timidly, "that it wouldn't be well—your place is small, you know—to take Christmas over to our place for a little change? I always," said Miss Minna, steeling herself to the falsehood, "intended to ask you that when weather like this came round."

"Let her go? My dear, not for a day. I couldn't keep house with the children. And as for room, why, my dear child, that calf isn't confined to this place. Why, it goes all round the country. There could not possibly be another calf with anything like the freedom. Oh, no," said Mrs. Willoughby, wagging her head with determination; "we will never, never part with the calf."

"You will come on Friday, then," said Miss Minna, who felt that she could not stand five seconds longer of this, or possibly take a view of the calf.

She made her round of calls, and at every house she entered she had to sit and listen to more recitals of damage done by the calf, more pleadings that she would take some prompt action, and more and more revilings of "those heedless, headless, reckless Willoughbys."

With a sense of hopeless depression, she made her way home. The world just then looked very black, for it was a characteristic of Miss Minna to take a darkly gloomy view of even ordinary trials, and the case of the calf she felt to be no ordinary trial whatever. As she turned up the avenue she heard a hurrying footstep behind her, and looking up found Greville beside her.

"I thought I would run out this morning—that you wouldn't mind having me to lunch. I thought probably that I might do something—that you might be worried—that, in fact, you might have seen the calf."

"I haven't seen her," said Miss Minna sadly. "I don't think I could bear to, but I've heard everything—more even than you suspect. Oh, Mr. Greville, I would give anything in the world to get that calf back!"

"I appreciate your feelings, and I feel deeply, deeply sorry for you," said Greville earnestly. Very handsome and manly he looked, too, as he said it, looking down sympathetically with his blue eyes into Miss Minna's gray ones. It mattered little to Greville, the cause petty or great, of Miss Minna's sorrow. She was the woman he loved, and sorrow in her from any cause roused his every instinct of chivalry and emotion.

"You are the only one, I believe," she said, "who has any real sympathy with me."

Jack came bounding across the lawn. "Have you—oh, have you," he said, thumping his sides as if from some most jovial recollection, "seen the calf?"

"Have you seen it?" was Miss Minna's question put anxiously in reply.

"Yes, down at the station. It was poking its nose in at the ticket office. It had a trailing vine painted on its back and a sunflower on its forehead. By Jingo, never saw such a beauty! I guess 'twas looking for a ticket to New York. Must be about tired of the suburbs."

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The spring days were lengthening into summer. The calf had come to be a tabooed subject in the Percy household. At mention of any calf Miss Minna's face dropped into gloomy melancholy, and Mr. Percy displayed a nervous irritability which sometimes resulted in his getting up and leaving the room. The truth was that the history of Christmas had colored Miss Minna's whole existence and made of her a chatelaine more prone to moods and anxiety than of yore. Mr. Percy was nothing less than sick of the subject, and his evident worry and disgust, combined with Miss Minna's keen distress, had put the neighbors on their guard, who now felt that any redress should come through their own efforts, and that to press the matter with the Percys might only serve to chill friendship.

Nevertheless, after every neighbor had thrown out his hint and put in his plea without causing a ripple of change in the imperturbably good natured Willoughbys, an indignation-meeting was held one fair June morning in the train going down.

"There goes Miss Gascoigne," said Mr. Reginald Holt. "She's having a tennis tournament at Elmhurst tomorrow. Never saw a girl so out up. Better not come near the subject of the calf. They say she's strung up to an awful pitch about it."

"Infernal brute!" muttered Vaughan testily. "Percy ought to be spoken to about it. He had no business placing that calf in a position to become a menace to property and order."

"Oh, look here, Vaughan, be humane! The brute's starved, that's all there is about it," said Holt.

"I say it is infernal," repeated Vaughan. "That beast is possessed of the very devil himself. Why, only last night it darted forth in front of my horses and kept tearing to and fro until I thought we would be backed into the ditch."

"I swear by everything," put in Dick Trevor, "if Percy doesn't emancipate that animal before another week's out I'll shoot it at sight myself. It's the most cursed beast that ever defaced a neighborhood. When I think of my broken conservatory glass and my wife's azaleas!"

"It truly is an omnipresent calf," said Holt, chuckling. "My dear fellow, it's

JACK CAME BOUNDING ACROSS THE LAWN.

seeking refuge from those children. It isn't that it has any more yearning after hothouse blossoms than even the wayside herbage; it's the shelter it's after. From all I hear the calf has a peculiar and even vulgar appetite."

"Peculiar? Yes, I should say it has," remarked young Percy Latham morosely. "Don't know about vulgar—nothing so vulgar about it's chewing my best Dent gloves off the garden seat when I was calling the other day on Miss Gresham."

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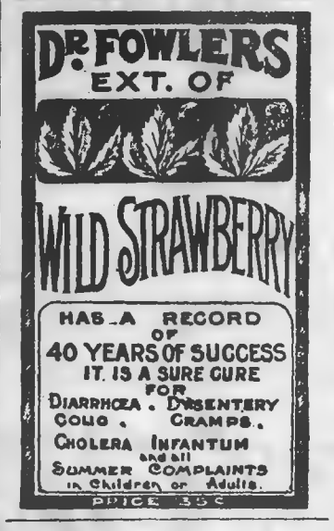

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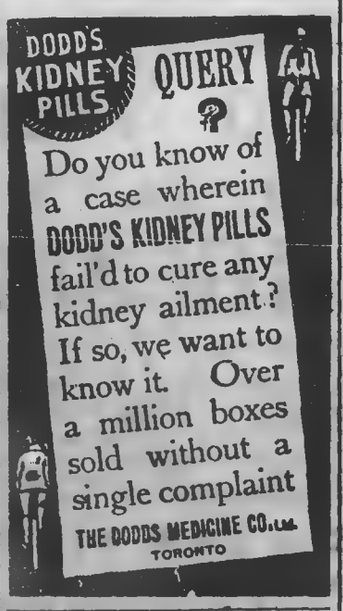
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Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper—that portion containing the heading "SUNLIGHT SOAP." These (called "Coupons") are to be sent carefully with a short letter or brief note and address, and the number of Coupons sending, postage paid, to Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto, marked on the Postal Wrapper (top left-hand corner), with the NUMBER of the DISTRICT Competitor lives in.

NO. OF DISTRICT	NAME OF DISTRICT
1	Western Ontario, consisting of Counties York, Simcoe & all Counties W. and S. of these
2	East'n Ontario, consisting of Counties Ontario, Muskoka & all Counties E & N. of "
3	Province of Quebec
4	Province of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the districts named above, [illegible]

2. Competitors who send in the largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Bicycle, value $100.

3. Competitors who send in the next largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Gold Watch, value $25.

4. The competition will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

5. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

6. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

7. Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., will endeavour to award the prizes fairly to the best of their ability and judgment, but it is understood that all competitors agree to accept the award of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., as final.

LEVER BROS., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto

The Bicycles are the celebrated Stearns', manufactured by E. C. Stearns & Co., Syracuse, N.Y., & Toronto, Ont. Each wheel is guaranteed by the makers and has complete [illegible]

Mason & Risch Pianos

Probably the most striking fact in connection with MASON & RISCH PIANOS is their suitability to all conditions. That they satisfy the social and aesthetic sense is evidenced by the fact that our cultured homes, from Rideau Hall down, use them. The fact that

...Nearly Every College And Music School...

of importance in Canada is supplied with them, gives testimony to their musical excellence, and even in the homes of far off British Columbia, deep in the forest and far removed from the tuner's visit or care, they are still to be found standing hard usage like a rock, and cheering the distant home with their musical tone.

The Mason & Risch Piano Company Limited.

32 King St. West TORONTO.

"Going to Insure."

THE Man who is simply "going to insure" is usually no better than the man who has'nt made the decision. In fact he is usually worse, because he has considered the subject and been convinced of his duty, but has not done it. "Nothing is done so long as anything remains undone." On application to either of the undermentioned gentlemen, full particulars will be furnished in regard to the Unconditional Accumulative Policy issued by the

Confederation Life Association

H. RUSH, Local Agent, PETERBOROUGH

J. W. BENNET, District Agent, PETERBOROUGH

Discharge the Doctor and Stick to the Creamy

DIAMOND ♦ ALE

For a Spring Tonic This is both Medicine and Advice. In Pints and Quarts. Brewed from the Finest Hops and Choicest Malt by the Toronto Brewing and Malting Co. L'td.

India Pale Ale
Amber Ale
EQUALLY WHOLESOME and FATTENING
Extra Stout
Half and Half

CARLOAD JUST RECEIVED AT

ALEX. ELLIOTT'S

Palace Grocery. George Street. - Sole Agen for Peterborough

MANUFACTURERS'

Accident and Guarantee Co.

THE ACCIDENT ROLL OF THE MANUFACTURERS

For the Month of July, August and September.

	CLAIMS PAID.	ORDINARY ACCIDENT.	EMPLOYEES' LIABILITY.	EMPLOYEES' COLLECTIVE.	TICKETS
July		$5,950.36	$3,240.73	$179.65	
August		502.64	1,032.01	181.90	$4.55
September		1,020.67	2,465.67	184.90	

GEO. GOODERHAM, President. J. F. JUNKIN, General Manager

GEORGE J. HOSKINS, District Manager.

There are Others--But None as Fine as

O'KEEFE'S ALE AND LAGER

Warranted Equal to the Finest Imported. A Fresh Shipment Just Arrived at

ALEX. ELLIOTT'S

PALACE GROCERY.

Sole Agents Peterborough. For Sale at Toronto Price

OYSTERS

SELECTS AND STANDARDS.

FISH.

—Salmon Trout, —Kippered Herring,
—Whitefish, —Sicecos,
—Finnan Haddie, —Fresh Herring,

FRUIT.

—Catawaba Grapes —Bananas,
—New Lemons, —Cheeswts,
—New Oranges, —Cranberries,

RELISHES.

—New Canadian Club House Cheese,
—Heinz's Gerrhan Relishes,
—Curtis' Bros. Catsups,
—Curtis' Preserved Fruits,
—English Worcestershire Sauce,
—Boston Baked Beans.

VEGETABLES.

—Bermuda Onions, —Parsnips,
—Celery, —Cauliflowers,
—Sweet Potatoes, —Carrots,
—Cabbage,

CANNED FRUIT,
CANNED FISH,
CHOICE CONFECTIONERY

OKE & CO.

Oyster Importers & Fruit Merchants, 413 George St. Telephone 304.

For Sale

—AT THE—

RATHBUN CO. AGENCY

COAL.

2,000 Tons Nut, Stove, Egg and Crate.
FINEST GRADES.

WOOD.

4-foot Hardwood, dry. 2-feet Hardwood, dry.
Mixed Dry Wood. Dry Hemlock Slabs.

200,000 ft. Dry Hemlock Lumber.
IN THE ROUGH AND DRESSED.
Shingles at prices from 80c. up.

DRY PINE LUMBER,
A FINE ASSORTED STOCK.

Doors, Sash and all kinds of House Finish.

Star Portland Cement and Salt.

No. 248 Murray Street.

Waterbrash

Heartburn, Sick Headache, and all Stomach Troubles,

POSITIVELY CURED BY

HALL'S STOMACH PILLS.

Ask your Druggist for them.

PRICE 25c. dw

For Sale by John McKee, Druggist.

BLOOD POISON

A SPECIALTY Primary, Secondary or Tertiary BLOOD POISON permanently cured in 15 to 35 days. You can be treated at home for same price under same guarantee. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay railroad fare and hotel bills, and no charge, if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, iodide potash, and still have aches and pains, Mucous Patches in mouth, Sore Throat, Pimples, Copper Colored Spots, Ulcers on any part of the body, Hair or Eyebrows falling out, it is this Secondary BLOOD POISON we guarantee to cure. We solicit the most obstinate cases and challenge the world for a case we cannot cure. This disease has always baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians. $500,000 capital behind our unconditional guaranty. Absolute proofs sent sealed on application. Address COOK REMEDY CO., 167 Masonic Temple, CHICAGO, ILL.

ARE YOU DIZZY ?

- - TRY - -

One Minute Headache Cure--10c.

For Sale at all Druggists and 395 Yonge Street, Toronto.

INVERLEA PARK GROCERY

This is not the ordinary little corner Grocery where supplies are poor and meagre, and often unsatisfactory from an economical point of view—but a full-grown, thoroughly stocked Grocery with a grand selection of new, fresh, sweet and clean Groceries and Provisions fit for the best families in the land. Prices are, of course, lower than down town, because rent, taxes and other expenses are lower—see?

Farmers' produce taken in exchange for goods and highest prices allowed

HUGH McINDOE,

Cor. Water and Smith Sts. Opp. Inverlea Park

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY,

Incorporated by Act of Legislature, 1896

Information requested. Informant's name kept strictly private. FINCH W. MILLER Agent and Asst. Secy. OFFICE—Town Buildings Office Hours—10 to 11 a.m. and 5 to 6 p.m. Children for Adoption.

Sensible Gifts!

FURS!

Specials for Xmas.

Mink Ruffs, $2.00 up.
Coney Muffs, 50c.
Good Fur Muffs start at $1 50.
Sable Muffs, special, $7.50.
Storm Collars from $1.00 up.
Fur Caperines, $10.00 up.
Sealette Gauntlets, $1.00 up.
Fur Gauntlets, special, $5.00.
Alaska Seal Gauntlets, $12.50 & $15.00.
Caps start at $1.00, special $3.00, extra $8 00 and $10.00.
Fur Lined Ripple Cloaks, $15 00.
12 New Stylish Cloaks, 30 inches long' full circle sweep, Hampster lined, Black Worsted outsides, beautifully trimmed, for $25.00 and $30.00 each.
Fur Shoulder Capes, $5.00 up; Greenland Seal, 30 inches long, $22.50; Coney, Ripple, 24 inches long, $10.00, etc. etc.
Fur Jackets, Astrachan, Persian Lamb, Electric Seal, Coon, Alaska Seal, and a large assortment of specials for children.

If you have $1.00 to spend or $10.00 come and see our stock.

FAIRWEATHER & CO.

MANUFACTURING FURRIERS.

George Street, Peterborough | 101 Yonge Street, Toronto | Kent Street, Lindsay.

PRESBYTERIAL YOUNG PEOPLE'S ASSOCIATION.

(Continued from Fifth Page)

Rev. Messrs. Lord and Thompson moved that the matter of allocating this amount be left to the Executive.—Carried.

Rev. A. C. Reeves moved that the money be contributed towards the support of a missionary in this Presbytery and that the field be settled by Rev. Dr. Robertson.

Messrs. A. J. Johnston and Harry Martin moved in amendment that the money go towards the support of a missionary in the Northwest.

The amendment, however, was lost, and the original motion carried.

THE NEW OFFICERS.

The Business Committee handed in the following slate as being the officers recommended for the ensuing year. They were all elected:

Hon. Pres.—The Moderator.
Pres.—Rev. J. G. Potter of St. Andrew's.
1st Vice-Pres.—Mr. E. Fogarty of First Church, Port Hope.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Miss Ross, Grafton.
Rec.-Sec.—Mr. J. E. Roxburgh, Norwood.
Cor.-Sec.—Rev. A. Laird, Port Hope.
Treas.—Miss Forsythe, Peterborough.
Executive Committee—Miss I. Duff, Lakefield; Mr. Porter, Centreville; Miss L. Fowlds, Hastings; Mr. Bills, Warkworth, and Mr. S. Hales, Millbrook.

The committee also recommended that hereafter the convention do not meet alternately at Peterborough and Port Hope but scatter over the Presbytery as decided at each convention. This however was allowed to stand as a notice of motion.

The Evening Session.

In the evening a large audience met in the school room of St. Paul's church. The chair was occupied by Rev. J. U. Tanner, B. A., moderator of Presbytery. After two-minute reports were received from the several societies in the Presbytery and the following responded:—Keene, First church, Port Hope; Warkworth, St. Paul's, Peterborough; Hastings, Cobourg, Baltimore and Cold Springs, Grafton, Varnonville, St. Andrew's, Peterborough; Janetville, Centreville, Mill street, Port Hope; Millbrook, Lakefield, North Smith, Omemee, Campbellford, Pontypool, Norwood and Bobcaygeon, which last organized a society last night. Most of the societies were those of Christian Endeavour, and the general tenor of the reports presented the fact that, while there was no marked increase of membership, there was a marked increase of interest and activity. Nearly all the societies raised greater or smaller sums for the purposes of missions and some of them assisted in meeting the current expenses of the church to which they are attached. Most of them report valuable assistance by their pastors and nearly all have adopted the scheme of topics recommended by the General Assembly.

Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., made a short address, based on the 26th Chapter of the Acts of the Apostles. He began by pointing out that God had been blessing the working of the young people on this continent, as an auxiliary to home religion. In 1881 there were only 60 Christian Endeavourers, in '86, 50 000 members, and in 1896 there were 2,600,000. In reference to the incidents of the chapter chosen, his subject was 'fettered hands' as to St. Paul and 'fettered hearts' as to Agrippa who represented those bound in sin, while St. Paul was a picture of the spirit and power of Christ. The speaker pointed out the great work that lay before the young people in helping to unbind the fettered hearts of the unbelieving and benighted. Thousands at home and abroad were anxious and waiting to be saved, and to meet these conditions the speaker urged the Christian Endeavour societies to unite in prayer and work, and to make special efforts to see that there was to be no lost ground in mission work and other vital interests of the church. Reference was made in detail to the needs of the mission fields and to the encouragement that came from the good work that was being done.

Rev. J. A. Turnbull, LL.B., of West church, Toronto, gave an address. This end of the present century was distinguished by special activity in mission work and the prominence that was given to the work of young people, but he felt his duty to sound a note of warning, that dependence should not be placed on enthusiasm and organization but on the spirit of God, for without this living link, the work of the young people would be in vain. The work of the society should not be undenominational—being associated with the church they must necessarily be denominational. The distinguishing characteristics of belief, if honestly held, could not be honestly waived. While denominationalism was inevitable, it was a blessed feature of the times that the dead wall between denominations was being lowered, and that all the great evangelical churches were one in all the greater essentials of religious truth. The speaker pointed out the necessity of the Young People's Societies of the Presbyterian church, being instructed in the doctrine and polity of the church. The same practice was followed by the Methodists and Baptists. The Presbyterian church stood, the speaker said, for a doctrine that was founded on the word of God, and these should be taught. The polity of the Presbyterian church was a distinct one that was founded upon the word of God, that is, its essential characteristics, and we are not guiltless if we failed to teach that polity. The history of the church was also an important study, the young should study the lives of the great fathers of the church, that they might be inspired to great works. We should also study the Westminster Assembly and the doctrine it formulated, and also the work of the church. The speaker in closing urged the society to be undaunted and undiscouraged. The darkest days of a society were sometimes the testing time, the prelude to great success. They were urged to greater fidelity. God never commended the "good and successful servant," but the "faithful" servant. We should all be prepared to face the question in relation to the salvation of our fellow-men, "Did I do my part?"

The meeting, which was a very successful one, closed with devotional exercises.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years, he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich, red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice, it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

Mrs. John Gough, Dresden, Ont., says: "Miller's Compound Iron Pills cured my daughter of St. Vitus' Dance; one hand was uncontrollable and the muscles of her face twisted very badly." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Protect Your Horses, etc.

Nothing is more needed for horses at this inclement season of the year than a waterproof horse cover. I make them to order and keep them in stock as well. Hoods, heads, backs and breasts in black waterproof, impervious to water, soft and pliable. Any kind or style of ordered goods required. Lap rugs, strictly waterproof. Also cheese covers as requested by members of the Cheese Board, and for covering all kinds of goods liable to damage from wet. A. KINGSCOTTE, Tent, Sail and Awning manufacturer, 344 Water street opposite market

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COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Cadadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

THE PRIZES AWARDED.

In Fairweather & Co's Advertisement Writing Competition—The Firm Carries Out its Pledge.

The following is the report of the judges appointed to award the prizes in Fairweather & Co's advertisement writing competition:

Messrs. Fairweather & Co., Peterborough:

GENTLEMEN,—Having carefully considered the copies of the adverti ements submitted to us as ju ges in your recent advertisement competition for boys and girls, we have pleasure in handing you our decision.

We have carefully examined both copies in print and in manuscript, and wish to remark on the very great excellence of composition shown in a large number submitted. They are certainly very creditable to the juvenile writers.

We beg to advise you that the order of merit be as follows:

First boys'—Richard O'Brien.
Second boys—R. J. McClennan.
First girls'—Ellen or Smith.
Second girls'—Sybil Stethem.

We also suggest that the advertisement written by Mary Maud Libbey, comes so close to the second winner as above, that some additional recognition might be given.

Yours respectfully,
J. R. STRATTON,
F. H. DOBBIN,
W. H. ROBERTSON.

We shall be pleased, at any time they will call at our store, to present the winners with their prizes as follows:

First prize, boys—Persian lamb cap.
Second prize, boys—Neutria cap.
First prize, girls—Grey lamb gauntlets.
Second prize, girls—Grey lamp cap.

And for the extra prize suggested we will give a grey lamb cap.

FAIRWEATHER & Co.

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62 All Wool Frieze and Tweed Overcoats, in brown, fawn, blue and grey, with high collar, side pockets, strap on back, with fancy check, heavy lining, sizes 22 to 28, worth from $3.50 to $4.25. Grafton & Co's Xmas sale price..... **$2.50**

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Good skating on Spaulding's Bay.

—It is very rough travelling on the country roads.

—About $25,000 in taxes was paid in to the collector yesterday.

—The edge of the river is being fringed with ice, and huge frozen chunks are being brought down with the current.

—The finest assortment of Xmas Booklets and Calendars in town at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

—Don't forget the auction sale of watches, jewelry, fancy goods, etc., tonight commencing at seven o'clock. All goods are guaranteed as represented.—Myers Bros., proprietors, dtf

—Three young men were in the police court this morning charged with stealing honey from Arthur Rush a year ago last summer. The case is enlarged until a week from Wednesday.

—Splendid chance for buying Christmas gifts at the auction sale in Newton's old stand, George street, opposite Cox & Davis' office, where you can buy goods at your own price.—Chas. Stapleton, Auctioneer. dtf

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5 75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 230 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

To remove worms of all kinds from children or adults Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe and sure remedy.

Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Christmas trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea:—

Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Chiffon Collars and Neckwear
Veilings and Nettings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c.
Cloth for a Mantle
Winter Jackets
Winter Underwear
New Corsets
Lace and Embroidery

No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

MISSES CAHILL

403 George Street.

Has Come at Last!

Ready-made Clothing at Panic Prices.

We're determined to relieve the pressure caused by our gigantic stock. At no time in the last ten years has there been such excitement in the wholesale Clothing trade as in the past six weeks. Owing to the exceedingly mild weather trade has been disappointing, consequently immense stocks are on hand. When the demand is light prices are low. This season trade was so light that prices were simply paralysed. We were offered from time to time the very finest clothing at prices usually asked for the lowest grade. Unable to resist such tempting offers we bought almost $20.000 worth of Clothing. Now that we have it we find ourselves with a "white elephant" on our hands. The Clothing was bought at our own prices, but as there is little demand for heavy goods these mild days our position is about the same as the farmer and his apple crop. Sighing and thinking of what might have been will do no good. Quick action is necessary. For the balance of this season we close our eyes to real worth and inaugurate a selling soiree that is destined to stand unequalled in our mercantile history.

Take Your Choice at 50c. on the $.

$ 4 00	Overcoats and Ulsters, now			$2 00
6 00	"	"	"	3 00
8 00	"	"	"	4 00
10 00	"	"	"	5 00
12 00	"	"	"	6 00
15 00	"	"	"	8 00
18 00	"	"	"	10 00
20 00	"	"	"	12 00
5 00	SUITS, NOW	-	- -	2 50
6 00	"	"	- - -	3 00
8 00	"	"	- - -	4 50
10 00	"	"	- - -	5 75
12 00	"	"	- - -	7 00
15 00	"	"	- - -	8 75

Remember, the sale is absolute. We will astound you with bargains, and with every sale we give a guarantee to refund the money if the sale is not bona fide or just as advertised. It is the greatest sale of Clothing in recent years, and to see is to buy—so come and see. No money can buy so much as the dollar that will be spent here.

Gough Bros.

The Wonderful Cheap Men, - - 375-379 George Street, Peterborough

P. N. CORSETS

Are made with special reference to the needs of Canada ladies. Fit you like a glove and you like to wear it. Sold by E. FAIR, 353 George St.

JAMES C. BURNHAM

BARRISTER, &c., &c.
London and Canadian Chambers, 103 Bay Street, Toronto.
MONEY TO LOAN
In the County of Peterborough and surrounding district at 5 % on Gilt Edge Securities.

Folding Card or Work Tables.

Sizes 20 x 37 and 24 x 42.
Made in Alternate Slips. Very Pretty and Useful for any Purpose.
Prices $1 and $1.25
Until Dec. 31st, 1896.

J. J. Turner & Sons,

383 and 383½ George St, South, Peterborough.
TELEPHONE 180.

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $5.00—it is a snap.
Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for $3 00
No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

W. J. GREEN,

No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

The Sale That Eclipses and Overtops All Others

IS UNQUESTIONABLY

ROUTLEY'S SWEEPING CLOSING SALE

More customers every day. Crowds all eager to buy now as we will not be here to sell you another year. Fathers, Mothers, Daughters and Sons, now realize that this Sale means what we advertise, A BIG SAVING ON THEIR PURCHASES.

Our 'Xmas Goods are all opened up this week. They had all come to hand before I decided or even thought of selling out, and now that I have made the decisions out the goods must go. No stock in town equal as to variety and newness of goods. Only two weeks more and Xmas will be over. Help yourself by saving money and you will help me.

WE ENUMERATE A FEW LINES.

DRESSING CASES.
PHOTO HOLDERS,
SILVER, PLUSH AND LEATHER JEWEL CASES,
MANICURE AND NUT SETS,
ORNAMENTAL GOODS,
FINE LEATHER GOODS,
GAMES, BLOCKS,
TOYS, SLEIGHS,
DOLLS, BEDS AND CRADLES,
CARRIAGES, (SMALL AND LARGE)
BOYS' TOOL CHESTS,
TEA SETS, (LARGE AND SMALL),
VALISES AND TRUNKS.

Thousands of Goods too numerous to mention. WE GUARANTEE FREEDOM FROM MISREPRESENTATION.

C. B. ROUTLEY, 379 George Street.

The Daily Examiner.

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Stationary Temperature.
Moderate winds; fair weather; little change in temperature.

R. F.

EVERYTHING IN READINESS NOW

For two weeks of the biggest business this store has ever known. We've laid ourselves out to double discount all former efforts and make this establishment the most attractive centre for bargains and holiday buying.

Big Assortment
More Variety
More Business

MANTLE DEPARTMENT.

FOR $2.00 Your choice of 20 Heavy Cloth Winter Jackets, former price $3 to $10.

FOR $4.25 Ladies' Winter Coats, formerly sold at $6.50.

FOR $5.00 Ladies Black Curl Cloth Jackets, formerly sold at $9.50.

FOR $5.50 Ladies' Black Beaver Cloth Jackets, former price $7.50.

FOR $5.00 Ladies' Tweed Jackets, former price $7.50.

FOR $8.50 Ladies' Black Curl Cloth Jackets, former price $12.00.

FOR $15.00 Ladies' extra Fine Cloth Jackets, silk lined, former price $20.00.

FOR EVENING WEAR.

FOR 15C your choice of 300 yards Japanese Crepe Silk, in Pink, Sky, Nile, Pewter, Mauve, Cream and Black, 27 inches wide, formerly sold at 35c

FOR 50C your choice of 1150 yards heavy Japanese Crepe Silk, (pure) in all the evening shades, 27 inches wide, former price 75c.

We open this week direct from London 2 cases of new shades in evening Laces, Allovers, Chiffons, Vevings, Dresden Ribbons, Pearl Trimmings, all the latest productions from Paris.

Our Reduction Sale in Carpets and Curtains still continues during the month.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES.

At no store will be found a greater variety of handsome and useful articles suitable for Xmas presents embracing as they do, Silver Drinking Cups, Toilet Bottles, Mirrors, Hand Painted Doylies, Handkerchiefs in silk, linen and cotton, plain and embroidered.

PERFUMES.

Bring your bottles and have them filled with Harrison's Perfumes at 25c per ounce, former price 60c.

ROBERT FAIR,
DIRECT IMPORTER.
Sign of the GOLDEN LION, 383 George St., Peterborough.

Pins! Pins!

WHAT A SENSATION!

One Cent a Paper, or Ten Cents a Booklet.

But the 10c. Pins are the Cheapest, Handiest and Nicest—unless you care for the RUST that doth corrupt—like the 5c. Waist Steel that perforateth.

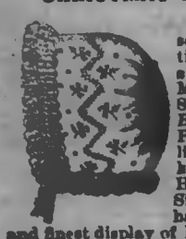
December Stock-Taking Sale

Now in full swing. All the goods that can be moved must be moved. Not a line in the store but what is Reduced.

MORE 5c. FLANNELETTE

Another big repeat order of that celebrated 5-cent Flannelette, that has caused such a lot of talk in town and country, that cannot be met by any house in town, big or little. It's not how big a store, but how strong the bargains offered.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES



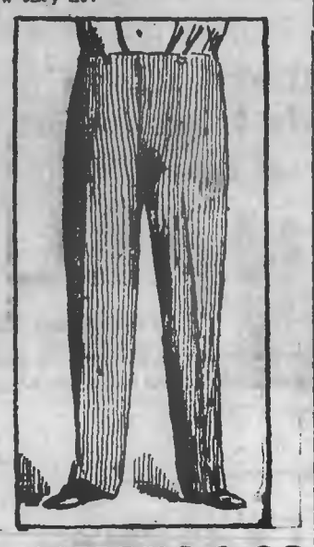
We have secured some rare Novelties suitable for gifts, such as Silver Mounted Mirrors, Silver-Cased Toilet Bottles, Hand-Painted Silk Doylies, Silk Handkerchiefs, Fancy Handkerchiefs, Silk Scarfs. We have the largest and finest display of Infants' Wear in town, such as Baby White Wool Jackets, Bootees, Infantees, Fine Veils, Fur Boas, Silk and Wool Hoods, Wool Mittens, Tams, Toques, and hundreds of other useful things, all at prices as attractive as the goods are handsome.

MISS RUDKINS
612 George St. Crystal Block, Opposite EXAMINER Office.

How about that Extra Pair of

TROUSERS

you promised yourself before New Years? Time to measure you now. We study your style, and when rightly made, a photograph taken from life would look something like this—see how they fit:



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CASE OF MR. FARROW

Brussels' Postmaster Before the Commissioner

CHARGED WITH ACTIVE PARTISANSHIP

Spoke Against the Liberal Party During the Last Election Campaign—The Postmaster Said to Have Taken the Place of the Candidate, Who Was Ill.

Brussels, Ont., Dec. 15.—This afternoon Barrister Lazier, Q.C., of Belleville, began an investigation into charges laid against Postmaster Farrow, of Brussels, for offensive partisanship in connection with the last Dominion election contest in the Town Hall, Brussels, a large audience being present.

After the commissioner had stated the object of his visit, Lawyer Sinclair, on behalf of complainant, and Lawyer Taylor, for the respondent, discussed some preliminary points, as what should be included in the investigation.

Charge 3 was taken up. The first witness called was Jonathan Moore of Walton, who testified that he had heard Mr. Farrow speak at a Conservative meeting last June in Walton village, in the interest of Mr. Dickenson, the Conservative candidate, and in opposition to the Liberal party.

James McDonald, a ratepayer in Grey Township, was also at the Walton meeting. Mr. Farrow opened the meeting. There were three Conservative speakers against one Liberal. Mr. Farrow's speech was entirely partisan. He showed that if the Liberals were elected the duties would be removed and American wheat, oats, and barley would come pouring into Canada to the sacrifice of the home market. "I interrupted Mr. Farrow and he asked me to take the platform, which I declined."

James McFadyean of Grey Township attended the Walton meeting at which Mr. Farrow was one of the speakers on the Conservative side, and compared the expenditures of the late Government with the Mackenzie regime. "I considered it an unfair criticism. He showed that the times were prosperous and warned the electors of what the result would be if the Liberals were returned. As to free trade, is was a partisan speech. I never heard Mr. Farrow before. He closed with an appeal to have the electors support the Government."

David Campbell of Grey attended the Walton meeting and heard Mr. Farrow speak on behalf of the Conservative party and closed his speech in the usual way. "The speech was jughandled, but can't remember the statements made. I don't want to do Mr. Farrow any harm."

Andrew Johnston saw Mr. Farrow at the Walton meeting and heard him speak on the Conservative side. He heard him speak once before. The speech he made last June was good for his side of politics. No doubt as to which side he was speaking on. He said when the people asked Mackenzie for bread he gave them a stone. Mr. Farrow said the Postoffice Department had checked him for using two envelopes when one would have done.

Jas. J. Denman of Morris was called as witness for the respondent. He was agent for the Conservative candidate, and spoke at the Walton meeting. "Mr. Farrow spoke at the instance of Mr. Dickenson, as the latter was ill. Mr. Farrow was at the meeting, and I asked him to speak for Mr. Dickenson, and he consented, after pressure. He said he was not there intending to speak, but that he had driven out to hear the addresses. Did not think his speech was partisan; thought it weak. I thought he could have done better, comparing it with former efforts. He dwelt on the development of Canada and its growth, nothing a Liberal could take offence at. Did not hear him mention the name of either candidate nor request electors to vote for either party. I asked Mr. Farrow to do some canvassing, but he declined owing to his position. Have known Mr. Farrow for years, and looked upon him as out of politics, since taking the Brussels Postoffice."

Mr. Blair conducted the cross-examination.

Mr. Denman said he thought he was not asking Mr. Farrow to do an improper act in soliciting his aid, as a citizen has a right to have a say in the laws by which he shall be governed. Mr. Farrow said he would do no canvassing owing to his position as postmaster. Speaking may be done from an independent standpoint, but in canvassing it narrows down to party lines. I wanted Mr. Farrow, at Walton, to take the place of Mr. Dickenson as the latter was ill. He spoke of the progress of the country, and contrasted it with the Mackenzie regime. Don't remember the National Policy being mentioned, but he spoke of removal of duties; not positive whether he referred to expenditures or revenues. It was a loyal speech, but don't think it helped the Conservative party. He did not refer to either candidate. Was present at a convention at Gorrie, when Mr. Dickenson was nominated. Mr. Farrow's name was mentioned as a candidate. The persons so proposed adjourned to a room to discuss this subject; remember meeting Mr. Farrow in the convention club room. Mr. Farrow was proposed as a Conservative candidate at Gorrie, but an adjournment was made before a decision was arrived at, and another convention called. Was present at the American Hotel, Brussels, to arrange for a protest against Dr. McDonald; among others present was Mr. Farrow; don't remember Mr. Farrow speaking. He was there about 20 minutes. He spoke and said he did not think the protest would be successful. A subscription was to be taken to defray expenses, but I didn't see the Brussels list.

Charge seven was taken up. Charles Eaket of Grey swore he knew Mr. Farrow for about two years, and knew him to be postmaster at Brussels. He heard him make remarks about Dr. McDonald. He said Dr. McDonald was the biggest political liar he ever knew. Alex. McDonald was present; it was before voting. The statement was made before Mr. Barker of Brussels. Mr. Sinclair served me with a subpoena.

An adjournment was made until Wednesday morning at 9.30 o'clock.

COUNTERFEITING VERY EASY.

No Trouble at All to Make Bogus Silver Coins That Defy Detection—A Government Test.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Treasury officials are in a worse quandary than ever over the question of how to stop the counterfeiting of silver coins. It has been ascertained and proved to their great dissatisfaction that the expensive engraved dies used for stamping the coin can be duplicated at a trifling expense from the coin itself, by what is known as the "hot metal" process.

These "hot metal" dies will do as good work as will the engraved dies, the only difference being that they have not as long life. A set of these dies were made by a mint employe in Philadelphia, and coins were struck from them so perfect that they withstood all tests. This was done at the suggestion, and in the presence of mint officials, who had doubted the possibility of the feat.

The conclusion is reached that counterfeiting is being carried on extensively in several places. Occasionally a counterfeit coin is found which, on assay, is found to be of different fineness from the standard, 900 fine, or of different weight, but since it otherwise defies the tests the inference is plain that by making the coin 900 fine and of just the right weight, any quantity of counterfeit silver can be coined and floated with safety from detection.

No change of device will afford any protection, so long as millions of the old coins are outstanding, nor has any device been suggested which in reality offers any great difficulty for counterfeiters to overcome.

Where the counterfeiting is being done is equally a mystery. If the director of the mint had directly under his control a number of special officers he might be able to break up the gang of operators, but the secret service is a separate branch and has so far proven unable to grapple with the situation.

When it is remembered that the thousands of internal revenue officers and deputy marshals can only in a degree check the making of moonshine whiskey, it is small wonder that the immensely profitable work of counterfeiting silver coin should be rapidly developing.

There is a strong suspicion that machinery from some of the numerous independent Mexican mints, which have of recent years been bought in and closed by the Mexican Government, has been transported to quiet places in the mountains in the vicinity of one of the railroads and near the border line, and that its output gets across the line in the form of United States dollars.

It is an easy matter to dispose of coins which defy Treasury experts, and there does not seem to be any remedy for the situation except free coinage.

SLAVE TRADE STILL FLOURISHING

Half a Million Lives Sacrificed Every Year in the Hideous Traffic in Africa.

New York, Dec. 15.—Hell Chatelain, a traveler in the Dark Continent, lectured before the American Geographical Society at Chickering Hall last evening on "The Internal Slave Trade in Africa."

"If anyone thinks that slave trading is a thing of the past," he said, "he is mistaken. Among the 200,000,000 of people in Africa, at least 50,000,000 are slaves." If a British estimate, to which he referred, was correct, Mr. Chatelain said 500,000 lives were sacrificed every year in the traffic. In a large part of the interior slaves were the regular currency. Parents sold their children.

"In Morocco," the lecturer added, "slave trading is carried on under the protection of our Stars and Stripes. Moroccan Jews, who are prohibited by law from holding slaves, place themselves under the protection of our flag in order to carry on the traffic." He showed pictures of slaves who had been abandoned to die along the caravan roads. According to the report of a German Consul, strangers who knew not the road to one city had only to keep in the middle between the two lines of bleaching bones of slaves who had been left there to die, and they could not miss their way.

Attempted Murder and Suicide.

Detroit, Dec. 14—Dr. Chase, a son of old Dr. Chase of Ann Arbor, author of Chase's Recipe Book, shot his wife and then suicided to-day.

He married his wife, a Miss Hankin, in Toledo, 18 years ago. At that time Chase was well-to-do, but became dissipated and ran through his property. The physicians at the hospital now say that Mr. and Mrs. Chase have a slight chance to live.

NEWS FROM OTTAWA

Rich Lumbermen to Have a Big Lawsuit

MEDICAL MEN HOLD A MEETING

To Arrange for Unionmity With the Old Country—The Government Asked to Buy Bale des Chaleurs Railroad and Make it a Part of the Intercolonial System.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Alex. Fraser, the millionaire lumberman, has entered suit against the Hull Lumber Company to compel them to remove the power-house and sawmill off the northwest corner of the celebrated Table Rock at Chaudiere. Successful termination of the suit for Mr. Fraser would practically drive the Hull Company from the Chaudiere, as the claim is made for the portion of Table Rock at which the power to run the mills is derived. The suit is the outcome of the dissatisfaction over the merging of the old Buell-Hurdman Company into the Hull Lumber Company, and it is a significant fact that this suit is entered in the Quebec Court simultaneously with the action entered by the Hurdmans in the Ontario courts.

A number of Quebec politicians were here to-day in reference to the Baie des Chaleurs Railway matter. The delegates was headed by Senator Thibaudeau and Mr. Prefontaine, M.P. The report of the two engineers who were deputed to go over the line is now under the consideration of the Government. The railway is about 80 miles long and extends from Metapedia Junction, on the Intercolonial Railway, to Paspebiac, in Bonaventure County. It is ultimately intended to build to Gaspe Basin, 120 miles further east. Senator Thibaudeau and his associates want the Government to buy the line and operate it as a branch of the Intercolonial Railway.

Over forty of the medical practitioners of the city met to-night and organized an Ottawa branch of the British Medical Association. Similar branches have been formed in Montreal, Halifax and Winnipeg. The object is to assist in unification of the laws bearing on the practice of medicine throughout the British Empire. The formation of these branches in Canada is opportune in view of the approaching annual meeting of the parent association, which is to be held in Montreal next August. Dr. Roddick, M.P., of Montreal, president of the Medical Association, was present to-night, and spoke of the importance to Canada of the contemplated visit of 1000 British medical men next year. He mentioned incidentally that two of the Allan steamers, which it had been proposed to engage to convey delegates to Canada, were in the meantime chartered by the Spanish Government to carry troops to Cuba. Dr. Roddick is the first colonial president of this important body. The officers elected to-night were C. R. Church, president; L. C. Provost, vice-president; W. C. Cousens, treasurer; C. P. Dewar, secretary. The meeting was a most enthusiastic one. The local doctors are highly pleased at the prospective visit to Ottawa of this important body.

Sir Richard Cartwright and Hon. Mr. Fielding left for Montreal this afternoon to resume the tariff inquiry. The Controller of Customs leaves in the morning.

The Premier and Hon. W. R. Scott will address a meeting in Cornwall tomorrow.

Thomas P. Anderson of Napanee has been appointed collector of customs at that port.

Sir John Carling is in town, also Hon. Peter Mitchell.

The Marine Department is inviting tenders for the crib work substructure for Rainy River range lights. The plans will be on view at Rat Portage.

A free Dominion dairy school in the Maritime Provinces will be held at Sussex, N.B., from January to March. Last year 54 students attended a similar school.

A blue book, which will be of great benefit to settlers in the west, has just been issued by the Interior Department. It deals with the progress of irrigation in the territories.

Mr. Mara, ex-M.P. for Yale, was in the city to-day. He left for Toronto to-night.

Mr. Bostock, M.P., who was Mr. Mara's successful opponent in the last election, arrived from England to-day. He says there is a growing interest in England in British Columbia as a field for investment.

There are 10,399 voters on the Ottawa municipal lists.

Through trains between Ottawa and Parry Sound will commence to run next Monday.

Mr. Harwood, M.P., and Mr. Beausoleil, M.P., were in the city to-day.

The investigation into the manner in which the recent fire on Sparks-street was handled by the brigade is being held with closed doors.

WINNIPEG NOTES.

W. F. McCreary Elected Mayor in a Quintangular Fight—Sifton Banquet a Big Success.

Winnipeg, Dec. 16.—(Special.)—Winnipeg had an exciting fight to-day for the mayoralty. There were five candidates, Ald. W. F. McCreary heading the poll, but only a hundred or so ahead of E. F. Hutchings. Alex. Black was third, Alex McMicken fourth and Ald. Sproule last.

The Sifton banquet to-night at the Hotel Manitoba was a great success. A number of prominent Conservatives attended and made the affair politically colorless. Mayor Jameson presided and Mr. Sifton made a splendid speech, declaring that population was the great need of the west, and to obtain population he would earnestly labor.

Mr. Sifton goes east to-morrow with Premier Greenway.

Drowned Like Rats in a Hole

London, Dec. 14.—While the British steamer Orotava, which arrived here Dec. 2 from Sydney, was coaling to-day at Tilbury, 20 miles below London, she suddenly careened and an immense quantity of water poured through her port holes, which were open. Four men who were working below were drowned before they could reach the companion ways.

Mate Brann on Trial.

Boston, Dec. 14.—The trial of Thomas Brann, mate of the barque Herbert Fuller, who is charged with murdering Captain Nash and his wife, was begun here to-day. A jury was impannelled after a good deal of difficulty and the court adjourned till to-morrow.

Boils

It is often difficult to convince people their blood is impure, until dreadful carbuncles, abscesses, boils, scrofula or salt rheum, are painful proof of the fact. *It is wisdom now*, or whenever there is any indication of

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THE HARVEY SCHOOL QUESTION.

To the Editor of the Examiner

DEAR SIR,—I wish you would allow me space in the columns of your paper to correct some of the statements made by L. T. H., under the heading "The Harvey School Question," in your last week's issue. In it L. T. H. said that he thought a half truth was more misleading than a whole falsehood. Well, I suppose he lived up to his belief and wrote accordingly. Be this as it may we will not discuss it at length, neither will we discuss the merits of the respective teachers, but just some of the main facts. In the first place he said that the account of the affair was garbled by the correspondent who wrote it, which is not the case, as it was true in every particular, only it did not suit the dissatisfied ones, hence the letter. Then he goes on about the secretary-treasurer supressing part of the inspector's report, but there is no need of touching on that subject here, as it will be fully threshed out at the annual meeting, which is the proper place for such matters. The charges then can can be answered to the satisfaction of parties interested. With regard to the petition that was sent to the inspector, many who signed it did so more from a wish to keep the salary as low as possible, rather than a wish to retain the teacher and not, as L. T. H. would have us believe, by incensed parents who wished to retain her services. As to the choice of a trustee to fill Mr. Gerrard's place, as he represented one part of the section, it was no more than fair that they should have another in his place. As Mr. Richmond lived in that part of the section, he was chosen, and I think they made a very good choice, as he is well respected by all, and although younger than Mr. Ventress, is possessed of just as clear and impartial a judgment, and they will find that Mr. Richmond can assert himself as well as Mr. Ventress, and not make any noise over it either. About the distance he lives from the school, I never knew before that a trustee had to live in sight of the school house. I don't think such a thing has been called in question before, so long as they lived in the section. L. T. H. makes a very misleading statement when he says that Mr. Ventress received sixteen votes out of twenty eight of men who had children attending school from their homes, and only gives Mr. Richmond credit for eleven heads of families. Where this statement is misleading is that those sixteen are mostly farmers' sons, who have votes. As near as I can make out, Mr. Ventress had only eight heads of families who had children going to school, but L. T. H. did not give Mr. Richmond credit for any votes, only heads of families, which was hardly fair, to say the least. I think if it was sifted, the sixteen votes would be made smaller, so where is the great victory, and people awakening out of their lethargy, that L. T. H. raves about? Those true statements that he gathered so carefully are too much exaggerated, and his comparisons too far-reaching (as he goes all the way to England after them) to be taken seriously. I am afraid he will be worse off than Mr. Richmond's bugler, for he won't have breath enough left after such a long winded epistle even to blow his own trumpet, unless it was intended for his death song.

Thanking you for the space kindly given in your valuable paper, I remain,

Respectfully yours,

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Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years, he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich, red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice, it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

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SELWYN LITERARY SOCIETY.

The regular monthly meeting of the Selwyn Literary Society was held on Dec. 11th, when the following programme was rendered:

Chorus	Glee club
Critic's report	Mr R Pearson
Reading	Miss M Branch
Instrumental music	Messrs Pearson and McConkey
Reading	Mr A Mallmoyle
Speech	Mr N Nicholls
Vocal duet	Messrs McKee and Scecee
Reading (history)	Mr A Walton
Instrumental music	Miss Pobert
Paper	Editor

The short but interesting programme was then brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

HARVEY.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. C. Fairbairn, ex-M. P., of Verulam, has put a small gang of men to take out wood and logs. We understand that he has sold the land to Jas. Richmond, but he retains the timber, which he has the privilege of taking out in a limited time.

Mr. McGrath, culler for the Rathbun Co., has been around visiting the jobbers on Squaw river for the past week.

John O'Donnell has over seven thousand pieces cut and James Richmond has upwards of a thousand.

Now that the time of the year is fast approaching for the election of the new county councillors the ratepayers of Harvey should be united in their support of Robert Shaw to the office. He has been in the council now for several years and has performed the duties of his office both with credit to himself and benefit to those he represented. We see no reason therefore why Mr. Shaw should not receive the loyal support of all and let Harvey have the honour of having a representative in the first of the new county councils.

Louis King, who has resided here for a number of years, has removed to the neighbourhood of Sandy Lake.

KINMOUNT.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The union Sunday school is preparing for a grand time on the first Sunday and Monday of January. They intend having Conductor Snider preach two sermons on Sunday, and lecture on Monday evening. Subject of lecture, "On the road and the people we meet." The choir is working hard to give the best musical treat on this occasion ever produced in Kinmount. Every person should hear Conductor Snider, and help along the Sunday school as the proceeds are to be spent in purchasing suitable reading matter for the young people of our village.

Mr. John Oglestone returned from the shanty with a bad cut in his foot. He is able to go about with crutches.

Mr. Jas. Ritchie, while chopping in the woods last week gave himself a bad cut in the foot. Angus Gillespie did the same thing.

Mr. J. C. Craig of our village, the well known lock inventor, is now the inventor of a gearless lever mowing machine. Preparations are being made for a field trial in July of 1897. Several mechanics who have carefully examined the construction of the invention, think that a field trial is scarcely necessary, the construction being so simple and practically constructed, that no doubt exists as to the utility of the machine or success of a field trial. The invention is said to be one of the most peculiar constructions of mowing machines that the scrutineers of the patent office have had to contend with for years. No long pitman is used, no pitman shaft and no gearing. Not one single cog wheel is used in the entire construction. The chains are very strong which, together with the drawings, were prepared by Henry Grist, of Ottawa, Mr. Craig's attorney, one of the smartest patent counsellors in Canada. A brass model, in perfect working order, has been on exhibition for some time. The cutting bar of this machine folds up without stopping the reciprocation motion of the knives, and having many other advantages together with the working parts being constructed with many pieces less than the Toronto mower.

Mr. Craig intends proceeding with the construction of a steel binder to tie the sheaves with its own straws, if his success is good in a field trial of the mower in July. An invention of this kind is well known to be worth hundreds of thousands of dollars. Mr. Craig has already built a model of a binder of this kind, but some further valuable improvements, which he has lately thought out, will necessitate the building of a new model.

It is often a mystery how a cold has been "caught." The fact is, however, that when the blood is poor and the system depressed, one becomes peculiarly liable to diseases. When the appetite or the strength fails, Ayer's Sarsaparilla should be taken without delay.

WARSAW.

From an Our Own Correspondent.

Lots of mud.

Jas. and Allan Kidd spent Sunday in Peterborough.

Miss Wilson, of North Dummer, was in town Sunday evening.

Misses Hughes and Crow, of Peterborough, spent Sunday visiting friends in town.

Miss Crow, of North Dummer, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Miss Rondan is visiting at Mr. Garbutt's.

Doctor Cook, of Norwood, spent Sunday in town.

Bert May, of Peterborough, is visiting friends in the village.

A meeting of the hockey club was held in Morgan's hotel on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Sedgewick, of Toronto, was in town Sunday last.

An entertainment will be held in the Presbyterian church on Friday evening next. The best local talent has been secured.

Harry Clemens has his new shop nearly completed, and will be open for business in a few days.

Donald Macintosh lost a horse on Friday last.

The annual concert and Christmas tree in connection with the Methodist church will be held in the basement of the church on Christmas eve. The anniversary services will be held on New Year's Day and a lecture will be given the following evening.

A FARMER IN TROUBLE.

A Grenville County Man Speaks his Mind—Feels Like a New Man—Cured by Four Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Cardinal, Dec. 7 (Special)—Mr. Robert McIntosh, a farmer widely known in this county, and living near this village, has been in a painful and dangerous condition as the result of kidney disease affecting the bladder. When called upon he said:

"During three years, until quite recently cured by using four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease which kept going from bad to worse though I was doctoring all the time."

Under advice I began using Dodd's Kidney Pills, at once realizing great help. I now feel like a new man and am perfectly cured of kidney trouble in any form.

Every person who is deprived of outdoor air and exercise should take Miller's Compound Iron Pills. They keep the bowels regular and tone up the nervous system. 50 doses for 25 cents. Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

PRICES CUT IN TWO!

Our Men's Department

We are making special efforts in this department to clear out our stock of Suits and Overcoats, and in order to do this we are offering them at unheard of prices. Not only have we cut off the profits, but have marked some below the wholesale cost. We invite you to inspect the Goods, as we are sure they will meet with your approval.

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What could you get that would be more acceptable for a Christmas Gift for your boy than a nice Suit. We have them in Worsteds, Cheviots, Serges and Tweeds, made to fit and wear well. Mothers it will be to your advantage to see them, as we have made great reductions in the prices.

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—Finnan Haddie, —Fresh Herring,

FRUIT.

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—New Lemons, —Chocnuts,
—New Oranges, —Cranberries,

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—New Canadian Club House Cheese,
—Heinz's German Relishes,
—Curtis' Bros. Catsups,
—Curtis' Preserved Fruits,
—English Worcestershire Sauce.
—Boston Baked Beans.

VEGETABLES.

—Bermuda Onions, —Parsnips,
—Celery, —Cauliflowers,
—Sweet Potatoes, —Carrots,
—Cabbage,

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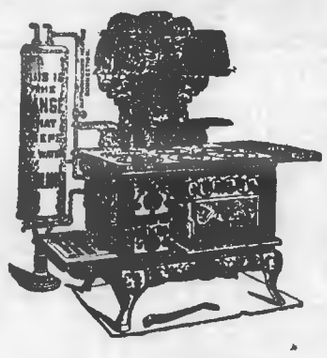

and all and every one of our splendid line of Buck's Stoves must be moved out by customers, who wish to take them away, at about their own prices. The store and the storey above are both full of them. Thirty days will hustle them all out if the people know a good thing when they see it.

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LATEST CABLE NEWS

A General Massacre in the Philippine Islands.

SOLDIERS KILLED BY PRISONERS.

The Latter in Turn Shot Down Indiscriminately—English Papers Caution the United States in Regard to Spain and Cuba—French Steamer Lost With All Hands—European News.

Madrid, Dec. 15.—A despatch received from Singapore says that the natives of Mindanao Island, which, after Luzon, is the largest of the Philippine Islands, have revolted and that many of the native troops are deserting to the insurgents. It is further stated that the situation at Manila is full of anxiety. Bands of insurgents frequently approach that town, which is the capital of the Philippine Islands, and situated on the Island of Luzon, and at night time fire volleys into the place.

A despatch to The Imparcial from Singapore admits that there has been a general massacre at Caville, the fortified seaport town on the Island of Luzon. It adds that 150 prisoners revolted, killed six soldiers, seized arms and tried to raise the native inhabitants against the garrison. The advices say that the revolt failed, that the rebels were shot down in the streets and that a general massacre followed during the night. Scores of corpses were picked up, and many of the prisoners who were recaptured were shot the following morning.

A despatch to The Imparcial from Manila, the capital of the Philippine Islands, says the rebellion in those islands is spreading, and bands of insurgents infest the outskirts of the city of Manila. Advices from the Caroline and Marianne Islands say risings are imminent there. The Cabinet Council, which was held yesterday, decided to purchase the English transport steamer Prince of Wales in order to expedite the transportation of troops to Manila, and it was also decided to purchase a complete equipment of new rifles for the troops.

A WORD OF WARNING.

London Papers Caution the Yankees in Regard to Spain and Cuba.

London, Dec. 15.—The Times, commenting on the Cuban situation, expresses the hope that the Spaniards will "continue to disregard the vituperation of the Jingo Senators and abstain from imitating them," adding: "The American Government maintains a correct and neutral attitude, and as long as it does so Spain can afford to smile at Senator Chandler's off-hand recognition of the Cuban Republic."

The Globe says: "When these wild men rave at England, British feeling regards them as amusing lunatics, whose grotesque antics do not carry much danger to either country. But the Spanish are more easily inflamed in danger. There are many indications that this passive submission to insult will not last much longer. It would be well, therefore, for the Washington Government to place restraint on Senator Chandler and his colleagues. If Spain is goaded to uphold her honor by arms, a naval war might have results not at all agreeable to the American Chauvinists."

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentry, Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. Never travel without it. Price 35c.

FOURTEEN SAILORS DROWNED.

French Coasting Steamer Went Down in the English Channel.

London, Dec. 15.—The French coasting steamer Marie Fanny has been lost off the Island of Alderney in the British Channel, and her crew of fourteen men were drowned. The Marie Fanny was a steel screw steamer of 574 gross tonnage. She was built in Sunderland in 1878 and owned by D'Orbigny & Faust of LaRochelle.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Death of the Earl of Darnley, Who Sat in the House as Lord Clifton.

Dublin, Dec. 15.—John Stuart Bligh, sixth Earl of Darnley, died suddenly to-day, aged 69. He sat in the house as Lord Clifton.

The Royal Family Visits the Tomb of Albert the Good at Frogmore.

London, Dec. 15.—The Queen, the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of York, Prince and Princess Christian, the Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise, Princess Beatrice of Battenberg and her children, and the entire court attended a memorial service in the Mausoleum at Frogmore yesterday, in commemoration of the Prince Consort, who died Dec. 14, 1861.

Will Not Resign

Paris, Dec. 15.—It is semi-officially announced to-day that the statement that Baron de Courcel, the French Ambassador to the Court of St. James, has retired, is premature. He is expected to return to his post.

Baron James De Hirsch and Emile Chatrousse, the sculptors, are dead.

Colon is Free From Smallpox.

Colon, Colombia, Dec. 15.—The port of Colon is now free from smallpox, which disease was brought here on Dec. 7 among 600 African laborers on board the steamer Castle Eden, from Sierra Leone. The port authorities are now giving clear bills of health.

Ivory's Trial Goes Over.

London, Dec. 15.—Counsel for Edward J. Ivory, alias Edward Bell, the alleged Irish-American dynamiter, appeared in the Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey, this morning, and obtained a postponement of the trial of his client until the January sessions.

"THE DEVIL MADE HER DO IT."

Little Colored Girl Commits Curious Crimes at His Command.

Newburg, N.Y., Dec. 15.—A few weeks ago the Associated Charities Organization here found a home for a colored girl of 14 years, named Rosa King, in the family of Rev. J. Wood, at Mountainville, this county. The family did what they could for her, but she proved incorrigible. One evening they noticed that their tea had a peculiar taste, and it was thrown away. The girl confessed that she emptied a bottle of medicine into the teapot, and it has been ascertained that the medicine contained arsenic. A few days ago Rev. Mr. Wood's barn was burned and the girl, upon being questioned by Marshal Perrott today, confessed she set fire to it. She said the devil told her to do it. At another time she built a fire on the floor of a room in the Wood residence, but failed to burn the house down. She will be examined in the Recorder's Court to-morrow.

INJURY AND NEGLECT.

He Failed in Health and Strength—His Kidneys Ached and he Took Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Deseronto, Dec. 14 (Special)—Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. James Stokes, who for the past fifteen years has been shipper for the Rathbun Company.

Lately he had run down in health and strength to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now as the result of using Dodd's Kidney Pills is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes he said:—

"From over-lifting and strain I suffered greatly from kidney trouble, being advised, after all else had failed, to use Dodd's Kidney Pills; from the first dose I got relief, and hundreds of people here can vouch for my cure."

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Must Handle it Gingerly.

New York, Dec. 14.—Nathan M. Murphy, delegate to Congress, came from Washington Saturday night to stay over Sunday. In talking about the Cuban question last night he said: "A majority of both Houses is unquestionably in favor of doing something to help the Cubans, but the Senators and Representatives do not know precisely what to do or how to do it. I sat near Chairman R. R. Hitt of the Foreign Affairs Committee, and I gathered from what he said that nothing would be done this week, but that the question *might* be brought before the House by the committee next week.

"The financial interests of this country have enormous influence in legislation, as no doubt they should have. The money interests do not want anything to happen that shall disturb credit and confidence. I suppose every Senator and every member of Congress has received telegrams, and letters from prominent persons whom they know, asking that the Cuban question be treated with great caution and deprecating any course that might result in war."

A MESSAGE TO MEN.

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I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble. Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. Geo. G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich.

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10 00	"	"	- - -	5 75
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15 00	"	"	- - -	8 75

Remember, the sale is absolute. We will astound you with bargains, and with every sale we give a guarantee to refund the money if the sale is not bona fide or just as advertised. It is the greatest sale of Clothing in recent years, and to see is to buy—so come and see. No money can buy so much as the dollar that will be spent here.

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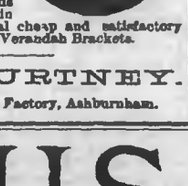

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—Fancy Porcelain Ware
—Fancy Cups and Saucers

It's a sight well worth seeing, and we guarantee to make the PRICES for any of our newest and most attractive Novelties fully 10 to 15 per cent. lower than at any of the Regular Stores' Closing-Out Sale, or Bankrupt Stocks in or out of town.

WESLEY & CO.

Headquarters for Children's Toys and Fancy Goods,
396 GEORGE STREET, NEXT BANK OF TORONTO.

COST

Will Not be a Barrier

to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts	were $1.00, now	$ 75
Ladies' Underskirts	were $1.25, now	1 00
Ladies' Underskirts	were $1.75, now	1 25
Ladies' Underskirts	were $2.00, now	1 40
Ladies' Underskirts	were $3.50, now	2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves	were $0.75, now	$ 60
Lacing Gloves	were $1.00, now	75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and coloured	were $1.00, now	0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured	were $1.25, now	1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves	were $1.25, now	1 00
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.20, now	12½c
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.30, now	0 20
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.35, now	0 25

Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose	were 30c, now	20c
Higher Grades at Cost.		
Heavy Wool Hose	were 20c, now	15c
Heavy Wool Hose	were 25c, now	20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

ROBERT HALL

385 George Street, Peterborough,
Telephone 171.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers in the DAILY EXAMINER to ensure a prompt change of their advertisement, will please hand in their copy the evening previous to the date the "ad." should appear.

Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Toy Books.

The 50c kind for 35c, the 35c kind for 20c at SAILSBURY'S.

The Dinkeys to Organize.

The ever famous Dinkeys will organize for the hockey season on Monday night at the Oriental Hotel at 8 o'clock sharp.

Received With Thanks.

The committee of management of the Peterborough Protestant Home gratefully acknowledge the sum of $21.43 from the union Thanksgiving service

Marks Bros. Co.

A large and fashionable audience turned out to see "Shaun Rhue" at the Opera House last night. To-night "The Counterfeiters," Thursday "An Irish Hero."

A Big Deposit Slip.

Town Treasurer Brownscombe has the duplicate of a deposit slip which runs into figures aggregating $27,000, being the amount deposited by him yesterday. The money came through the tax collector's office.

Children Free.

Adams & Son's Co., 11 and 13 Jarvis street, Toronto, Ont., are sending out some very handsome paper dolls with moveable heads and bodies. They send a set of sixteen for nine cents in stamps, or a sample one for the children free.

Xmas Rush.

The trade this year for Xmas fruits has been exceptionally good with Mason & Co. and is accounted for by the fine clean goods they are sending out. If you desire the best value in holiday requirements try MASON & Co., 429—431 George street.

Marvellous to Consider.

It is a marvellous fact, but true, nevertheless, that Marks Bros. are still drawing crowded houses every night. Although the company is in its second week here, interest never seems to flag and a new play is put on nightly.

St. Joseph's Christmas Tree.

The public are reminded that the Christmas Tree entertainment, under the auspices of the Sisters of St. Joseph, will be held in the Catholic Association rooms, Cox block, on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons and evenings, Dec. 22nd and 23rd. Admission 10 cents. Those desiring luncheon can procure it for 15 cents. 3d

The Merrymakers.

The plan for the sale of seats for the Christmas afternoon and evening entertainment of Otonabee Lodge I. O. O. F. is now open at Ormond & Walsh's Drug Store. Of Rich and Ramsay the Hamilton Herald says :—Rich and Ramsay are rightly named the Merrymakers. Ramsay was as humurous as ever and responded to encores after each number. Harry Rich kept the audience in roars of laughter while on the stage, while the two with their comic sketches brought down the house.

ESTABLISHED 1897.

As the Twig is Bent So is the Tree Inclined.

GIVE YOUR BOY A CHANCE TO LOOK HIS BEST IN A SUIT OF NEW CLOTHES ON CHRISTMAS. CLOTHES HELP THE BOY'S BEHAVIOR TO A GREATER EXTENT, PERHAPS, THAN YOU THINK.

FOR BOYS 3 TO 10 YEARS OLD WE HAVE FINEST ALL-WOOL SUITS IN BLUES, BLACKS AND SCOTCH MIXTURES.

REEFERS, ULSTERS, AND OVERCOATS IN A LARGE VARIETY OF PATTERNS AND PRICES.

Mercer's

WEDDED IN LONDON.

Nuptials of Captain Kirkpatrick and Miss Helen Dennistoun.

The following cablegram refers to a wedding, which took place in London, England, this morning, and in which Peterborough is deeply interested, the lady being one of our most charming and accomplished young ladies, Miss Helen Dennistoun. THE EXAMINER extends the cordial congratulations the occasion calls for.

London Dec. 16.—Capt. C. M. Kirkpatrick, son of Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick, Lieut.-Governor of Ontario, was married in St. Peter's church, in this city, this morning, his bride being Miss Helen Dennistoun, daughter of the late J. F. Dennistoun, Q. C., Peterborough, Ontario.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon A. F. Kirkpatrick. The service was full choral. The bride wore a dress of white satin trimmed with chiffon lace and orange blossoms. The groomsman was Captain George Cartwright, of Kingston, Ontario. The bride's mother gave a large reception after the wedding. Among the guests were Sir Donald A. Smith, Canadian High Commissioner, Hon. R. R. Dobell and wife, John Paton and wife, J. D. Mackenzie and wife and Admiral Dennistoun. The brid's travelling dress was of fawn coloured cloth trimmed with blue velvet.

THE MAYORALTY ELECTION.

Mr. W. H. Moore Accepts the Candidature.

The following indicates that Mr. W. H. Moore, councillor for No. 3 Ward, has accepted the candidature for the mayoralty of the town :

16th Dec., 1896.

Messrs. Thos. Brady, Thos. Irwin, J. W. Miller, Jas. Burnett, Wm. Might, W. S. Cocks, Jas. Montgomery, Adam Kernaghan, Wm. Saxby, Wm. Curtis, Wm. Hartley, Wm. Cooper, John Kemp, Fred Mitchell, E. B. Clegg, H. B Mcharry, J.J. Turner, Henry Green, E. F. Mason, Thos. A. Redner, Arthur Smith, M. Boyce, Wm. A. Henry, and over 150 other municipal electors :

DEAR SIRS,—I beg to acknowledge the honour done to me by your presentation of so large and representative a request asking that I permit myself to be put in nomination as a candidate for the mayoralty for 1897. I accept the responsibility implied, and I assure you and the ratepayers of the town generally, that if elected, I shall, on all occasions, exert myself to the utmost to advance in every respect the best interests of the town.

It will be impossible for me to make any general canvas of the town, and I have suggested to Mr. Yelland, who I believe is to be a candidate, that neither of us solicit votes personally of the electors, but instead call a public meeting to discuss the various municipal matters, in which the ratepayers are interested, and leave it with them to decide whom they prefer. He has declined to do this, and therefore, as the time is limited, and my business cannot be wholly neglected, I must ask these electors who requested me to be a candidate, and the many others who have personally me urged to the same course, that they do their share in assisting in my election. I am,

Dear sirs,
Your very obedient servant,
W. H. MOORE.

PERSONAL

Mr. Fred. McKibbin, of McGill College, Montreal, is in town for a few days.

Mrs. D. Freel, of Detroit, Mrs. J. E. Chambers, of Winnipeg, and Mr. J. D. Brook, of Winnipeg, are in town on a visit with their mother, Mrs. D. Brook, McDonel street.

The committee in charge of Dr. Hooper's lecture on Friday night have met with universal support, and it is certain a large audience will assemble to hear the eminent divine in his lecture "Modern Cures."

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Otonabee Lodge, I. O. O. F., holds a special meeting to-night.

—Court Forest Queen, Canadian Order of Foresters, meets to-night at 8 o'clock for induction of seven new members and the election of officers.

—The Chief of Police wants an owner for a lady's muff with two pair of gloves in it, and also for a roast of meat, which was purchased on the market on Saturday and insufficient directions left for its delivery.

—The auction sale last evening at 432 George street was a great success, but no greater than the bargains. People from all parts of the town flocked in to secure the bargains offered. Sale again to-night. Private sale all the time.

42 All Wool Friese and Tweed Overcoats, in brown, fawn, blue and grey, with high collar, side pockets, strap on back, with fancy check, heavy lining, sizes 32 to 38, worth from $3.50 to $4.25, Grafton & Co's Xmas sale price..... **$2.50**

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cures.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel on Saturday, Dec. 26th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. dw

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Great Auction Sale

To-night at 7.30, in H. Newton's old stand, 433 George street, opposite Cox & Davis' office. Goods at your own price. Positively no reserve. Stock consists of general assortment of Christmas novelties, fancy goods, watches, jewelry, silverware, cutlery, etc. This stock must be sold. This is a genuine bona fide sale. All goods guaranteed as represented. CHARLES STAPLETON, auctioneer.

English Peels.

With our fine stock of New Xmas Groceries have arrived
CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S
Celebrated English Peels, Lemon, Orange and Citron—extra quality.
ALEX. ELLIOTT.

Christmas War Cry.

The Christmas number of the War Cry is to hand, and it is one of the handsomest numbers yet issued. A beautiful lithograph cover, containing scenes of happiness for the soldiers, and a fine picture of Commissioner Booth envelopes the Cry. The inside pages are made up of fine-toned paper, and contain most interesting matter and excellent half-tone illustrations in great profusion. Altogether the Christ-War Cry is a most creditable production, and should find a place in every home.

Silver Gifts.

Just opened out at the Peterborough Hardware Company, a very fine display of the most elegant designs in Silverware. Many of the patterns are entirely new, and have never been shown here before. The stock embraces tea sets, coffee sets, fruit dishes, nut bowls, fern dishes, waiters, carving sets, knives, forks, spoons, etc. Every piece is absolutely guaranteed. These elegant and strictly high-class goods should enlist the attention of heads of households and all lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome as well as serviceable and permanent presents. Special prices quoted during the holiday season.

A CORDIAL WELCOME TO REV. A. T. DYKEMAN.

THE MURRAY STREET BAPTISTS GREET THEIR NEW PASTOR.

The Right Hand of Fellowship—Town Pastors Join in the Greeting and Welcome—The Preliminary Banquet.

Last night the congregation of the Murray street Baptist church most heartily united in extending a most hearty welcome to their new pastor, Rev. A. T. Dykeman, and his estimable wife.

From six to eight a banquet was enjoyed in the basement—banquet because the refreshments provided were of a quality and abundance, and served with an elegance that fully justifies the term. There was a large attendance of the congregation, besides many from other churches.

Adjournment was made after supper to the auditorium of the church. Mr. E. A. Stanley occupied the chair and briefly stated that they were assembled to signalize the occasion of formally welcoming a new pastor, Rev. A. T. Dykeman, to the pastorate of the church. The further purpose was to give an opportunity to the members of the congregation to become acquainted with the pastor and his wife.

The proceedings began by the hearty singing by choir and congregation of the hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus name. A selection by the choir was also sung—"Come Holy Spirit," the solo being taken by Mrs. (Dr.) Scott.

Mr. Benjamin Matthews, the senior deacon of the church, on behalf of the church, extended the right hand of welcome to Rev. A. T. Dykeman, and added a few words of verbal welcome, coupled with the prayer that his pastorate might be fruitful of good works, and that his stay amongst the people of the congregation and in the town would be a happy one.

At this point two charming little girls—Rosie Kidd and Pansy Kemp, advanced to the pulpit platform, fairly bending under the weight of a large and beautiful bouquet of flowers, which they gracefully presented to Rev. Mr. Dykeman.

THE PASTOR'S REPLY.

Rev. Mr. Dykeman said he did not know what words to use to express his thankfulness and heartfelt gratitude for the warm-hearted and cordial welcome that had been extended him. He believed God put it into their hearts to call him to this work, and that God had put it in his heart to accept. He said that he had left, in his flock in Digby, the best and warmest-hearted people on the face of God's footshot. Their farewell remembrance of him was something he and his wife would not soon forget. Yet he felt that it was his duty to leave them and accept the call to Peterborough. Though he felt very deeply the welcome of the adults, what touched his heart most deeply was this (holding up the beautiful bouquet of flowers)—the tribute of the little ones. He regarded it as an indication that the bond of sympathy extended through all the conditions of his flock.

A vocal trio was well given by Misses Grace and Nellie Stanley and Miss May Routley.

REV. DR. TORRANCE,

of St. Paul's, opened his remarks by a playful reference to the chairman's hint that speakers were to be brief, but in his case it was obviously a physical impossibility for him to be brief. (Laughter.) After telling a pleasant story, Dr. Torrance said it gave him a great deal of pleasure to be present to welcome Mr. Dykeman to Peterborough, whom he regarded as a general would regard the arrival of reinforcements to his army. He was glad to welcome Mr. Dykeman as a strong addition to the forces in Peterborough that were fighting all the forms of evil. Dr. Torrance concluded by saying that he had been present at the reception of Mr. Trotter, and though it gave him great pleasure to be present to welcome Mr. Dykeman, he hoped that he would never again be called upon to attend another such occasion in the Baptist church in Peterborough.

MR. JAMES KENDRY, M P.,

gave a few words of welcome on behalf of the public laity of the town, and hoped Rev. Mr. Dykeman's stay would be long and pleasant.

REV. MR. KIRKPATRICK,

the pastor of the Baptist church, Bailliieboro, also extended a cordial welcome to the new pastor, as one of the Baptist pastors of this Association. He felt sure that under his pastorate the church would prosper.

REV. E. C. MCLEOD,

of the Gilmour Memorial Baptist church, as the oldest pastor, with one exception, in the Association, gave a graceful welcome and the right hand of fellowship. A pastor might labour faithfully, but if he laboured successfully he must have the earnest co-operation of the people. Pastors and officials and people ought to be one in extending help in sustaining his hands.

Miss Grace Stanley contributed a pleasing vocal solo.

Rev. Mr. Tapecott of the Baptist Mission could not be present, but sent a letter of regret as well as welcome to the new pastor.

Rev. J. G. Potter of St. Andrews, in a brief speech, referred to the fact that the Maritime Provinces had furnished three pastors to Peterborough—Rev. Dr. Dykeman, late of Digby, N. S., Rev. Father Scanlan of the Cathedral, late of Halifax, and Mr. Potter himself, late of Halifax. He most warmly welcomed Rev. Mr. Dykeman as a co-worker in the common work for God in which all the churches are engaged. He, (Mr Potter) though only a short time resident in Peterborough, could speak very highly of the hearty hospitality of the citizens, and Mr. Dykeman could be assured that the longer he lived in Peterborough the better he would like it and its people.

Rev. W. C. Beer of Ashburnham, wished to heartily join with others who had spoken in cordially welcoming Rev. Mr. Dykeman to the pastorate of the church, and to the town. The flock would best show their appreciation of their pastor's work by practising what he preaches.

Mrs. (Dr.) Scott contributed a well sung solo, "Come unto Me."

The chairman stated that Mr. Stratton, M. P. P., who was present earlier in the evening, had to leave on account of an engagement, but he left a message of welcome and congratulation.

REV. W. R. YOUNG,

of the George street church, on behalf of his congregation extended a most hearty welcome to Rev. Mr. Dykeman both as a Christian co-worker and as a citizen, feeling sure that he would always be found on the side of the right. He could speak from experience very highly of the hospitality of the people of Peterborough, and he particularly emphasized the warm welcome he had enjoyed outside the social circles of his own flock.

Rev. Mr. Dykeman, who seemed deeply touched, acknowledged in feeling terms the cordial reception that had been extended himself and Mrs. Dykeman. Before he came to Peterborough he heard a good report of the place and his experience since he came seemed to fully justify such a reputation.

The occasion was brought to a close by the singing of "Blest be the Tie that Binds."

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

THE MAYORALTY CONTEST.

By an announcement appearing in another column, it will be seen that Mr. W. H. Moore, at present a councillor in No. 3 Ward, has accepted the candidature for the office of mayor, and will therefore oppose Mr. Mayor Yelland, in the contest thus brought about. As has before been pointed out it is an understood arrangement that a mayor who has been elected after a contest is entitled to a second term unopposed : and it would seem that Mr. Yelland's services to the town during the past year justify him in claiming the benefit of such an understanding as to an unopposed return. However, Mr. Moore, as he has a right to do, has seen fit to ignore the understanding referred to, and, as he has a similiar right to do, announced himself as a candidate for the mayoralty. Mr. Moore has been in the council on various terms and his record is before the people. During the past year he has been chairman of the Finance Committee and now aspires to the highest municipal office in the gift of the people. The contest will likely be an animated one as both candidates claim to have a good following and both enter the field with a determination to win.

Games.

"Round the World With Nellie Bly," "Jack Straws," "Golf," etc., etc., from 5c to $1.25 at SAILSBURY'S.

Christmas Ale and Porter.

Special brewings of Cristmas stock now ready at reduced prices to private families during the holidays. Kegs, $1.25 ; quarter, $1.75 ; one-third, $2 50. Bottles, 13 to doz. $1 00 Terms Cash. H. CALCUTT, brewer and malster. Telephone 95.

Guessing Contest.

All may compete. A barrel of currants stands in the window of E. Brown & Co's, and the question is, How many currants in the barrel ? Any person who buys upwards of $5 worth of groceries at any time may compete ; the one who guesses the correct number will get a pound of currants or sleins as a Christmas present. The count will take place on the 29th of February. Come one, come all. E. BROWN & Co., groceries, wines and liquors.

COAL OIL ! COAL OIL !

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Cadadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

MARRIED.

KIRKPATRICK — DENNISTOUN. — On Wednesday, the 16 h December, 1896, at St. Peter's church, Cranley Gardens, London, England, by the Rev. Canon Kirkpatrick, of Cambridge, Mary Lydia, third daughter of the late James Frederick Dennistoun, Q. C., of Peterborough, Canada, to Capt. Geo. Macaulay Kirkpatrick, Royal Engineers, eldest son of the Hon. Geo. A. Kirkpatrick, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario. (By cable.)

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $8.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for .. **$3 00**

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

W. J. GREEN,

No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

McCLELLAND

To parties who may intend purchasing a WATCH for Christmas we cheerfully invite our inspection of the

Only Time-Tested Watch Case

in the market. These goods contain only the best movements, and will be a special inducement to buyers.

We also show this week a line of Canadian **Enamelled Spoons and Pins** which are quite national, and will make a pleasant Souvenir.

McClelland
383 GEORGE STREET.

All are Invited!

BALL & CO.

Can suit everybody. They keep the latest style of goods to make up to your order, and will give you the new fashionable cut with perfect fit, as only a practical tailor can.

TAKE NOTICE.—No garment can ever fit if it has to be altered and dragged to pieces, after being cut to your measure.

Good Goods, no misfits or trying on requir

—AT—

BALL & CO'S.

PRACTICAL TAILORS,
Cox's New Block Water Street

THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE. **A. H. Stratton & Co** 417 GEORGE ST. PHONE 285.

417 GEORGE STREET, December 14th, 1896.

Ready For The Throng!

We have put the armour on for a great week's selling in Christmas Gifts. Sorry we have'nt more room. With such preparations as we have made it would require twice the space to display the quantity of beautiful goods we have to offer.

But if you want to select your Gifts in the quietest moments of the day, come early in the morning. We are ready for you at 8 a.m. If you don't want to buy come any way. We welcome everybody to the freedom of the store. The best time to shop is while the stocks are at their best, and the best time to buy is before the choicest things are gone. The best things go first, of course. This statement is good enough to remember. Commence to-day. We can lay aside your purchases for future delivery, if you desire.

	From	Down to
Mirrors	$10 00	15c
Medallions	4 50	25c
Onyx Tables	20 00	$5 00
Photo Frames	7 00	5 00
Purses	3 50	5c
Purses Sterling Silver Mounted	3 50	1 00
Gent's Pocket Books	2 00	25c
Gent's Leather Wallets	3 00	35c
Ladies' Companions, in celluloid	7 50	25c
Ladies' Writing Portfolios	10 00	35c
Hand Painted Porcelain Ornaments, all prices	5 00	75c
Jewel Cases, all prices	3 00	15c
Fancy Novelties, with views of Peterborough, assorted	75	15c
Brush and Comb Sets, all prices	2 00	75c
Pin Trays, all prices	1 00	10c
Manicure Sets	5 00	75c
Neck Tie Cases	3 00	75c
Smoking Sets	3 75	50c
Handkerchief Cases	2 00	25c
Collar and Cuff Boxes	3 75	50c
Shaving Cases	5 00	1 00
Table and Office Bells	1 50	25c
Ink Stands	4 50	10c
Fountain Pens	4 00	25c
Gold Pens and Pencils	10 00	1 00
Perfume Bottles	2 50	25c
Work Baskets, all prices	3 50	25c
Dolls, away down	3 50	5c
Games, lower than ever.	1 00	5c
Picture Books	1 00	3c
Children's sets of Dishes	1 00	10c
Doll Carriages, Bicycle Steel Wheels, nicely finished	2 50	1 25
Sleighs of all kinds	1 00	25c
Rocking Horses	3 50	75c

A. H. STRATTON & CO.

PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

Agent for Butterick's Patterns. Telephone No. 285

THE GRAMOPHONE

... OR ...

TALKING MACHINE

Free Entertainment

... AT ...

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S.

All are cordially invited to call and see and hear this wonder of the nineteenth century. A machine that will talk, laugh, sing and whistle to your amusement.

We have marked many lines of goods to your advantage for this week.

BUY ONLY Textile Buckskin ... IT IS ... Waterproof and is lower in price than any first class interlining

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

A Gold Mine

of health and good cooking for every household where they use the purest and best Cream of Tartar Baking Powder.

It makes the most delicious cakes and doughnuts, and makes light, delicious flaky pastry.

PURE GOLD

Baking Powder.

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Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1896.

THE TOWN COUNCIL'S STATUTORY MEETING.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT SHOWS A SURPLUS.

Nine-tenths of Last Year's Extra Mill was Eaten up by Uncontrollable Expenditure—Seven-tenths went to the Schools.

The statutory meeting of the Town Council was held last night, and the members did not go into session until a quarter to ten o'clock. Those present were the Mayor, and Councillors Best, W. White, Mills, Weir, Sawers, Moore, Langford, Graham and John White.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and referred as follows:

From Emmeline Lilly, applying for remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Dennistoun, Peck & Stevenson, enclosing plan showing poles to be erected by the Auburn Power Co., and asking the council's approval.—Received.

From Mrs. Mary Godfrey, asking remission of taxes.—Remitted on motion of Councillors Sawers and Wm. White.

From Robt. Grant, stating that if a cheque for $378 46 be not immediately issued him by the town he would issue a writ.—Ordered to be paid when certified to by the Town Engineer.

From Peter Hamilton Mfg. Co. as follows:—Your petitioners would respectfully ask your attention to the following:—That we were connected with the old sewer at the intersection of King and Water streets: that the connection so far as we were concerned was all that was required: that owing to the falling in of the old sewer east of Water street and the filling up of the same by the town officials we were compelled to have connection made to the new sewer: that when the new part of the sewer was being constructed on King and Water streets we were not connected with it. We know that all those on George street that were connected with the old sewer were protected and provision made in the contract for the new sewer to make these connections. We feel that are quite within our rights to ask you to give us the same consideration given to others and assume the cost incurred making the connection to the new sewer on King street.—Granted on motion of Councillors Best and Wm. White.

From W. J. Overend asking remission of dog tax.—Granted on his taking the statutory declaration.

From Stewart Fanning asking remission of poll tax.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

ACCOUNTS

were received and referred to the Finance Committee as follows:

Alex Reid	1 50
J W Brisbin	6 60
J Smith	4 00
H Wills	4 21
Jas Job	2 50
R Duncan	2 00
T J Michiel	6 00
Peterborough Hardware Co.	7 92
Jas Murty	32 50
Fowler & Co	2 00
Jas Morrison Co	3 60
G T R	19 50
A Peters	1 00

The accounts of H. Wills, Jas. Jobs, Alex Reid and Robert Duncan were ordered to be paid.

COST OF SEWERS.

Councillor Best submitted the following statement:

Summary of lengths and cost per lineal foot of the several sewers executed in the town of Peterborough, including Edison intercepting sewer, 15 h Dec. 1896:

Length in ft.	Description	Tl. cost.	per ft
Brick..9 064	3x2x3 sewer	$22,466 37	2.14
Pipe..4 9·4	12 in sew. pipe	5,858 00	1.11
Pipe...2,091	15 in sew. pipe including Edison intercepting sewer	5,042 80	1.60
Tl ft..17,121		$30,367 27	
No. 18 gulleys on streets set with traps and grating karbs, e.e.		455 00	
Total		$30,822 27	
Memo—Difference from Lake street to Townsend street, between brick and tile as originally intended by bylaw			$ 1,405 65
Memo—No 1 and 2 outfall, to cost of construction of outfall sewer		17,649 80	
To paid to date on Law and Arbitration		1,684 00	
To assumed amount to close		815 00	
		$20,149 85	
Amount Debentures		21,000 00	
Cost Outfall		20,149 85	
Surplus to date		850 15	

Received.

Councillors Langford and Moore moved that the council approve of the plan for the erection of the poles for the transmission of power by the Auburn Power Co. and allow them to be placed as shown on the plan.—Carried.

The line will run:—"On private property until we strike the north end of George street, then along the west side of George to Smith, along the north side of Smith to Aylmer, along the west side of Aylmer to McDonel, along the north side of McDonel to Bethune, along the west side of Bethune to Townsend, along the south side of Townsend to the Canadian General Electric Company."

THE CHARITY COMMITTEE

through its chairman, Councillor Sawers, reported as follows:—

1. The amount paid out on charity account this year, up to date, is $2,248.25, but we have on hand wood to the value of $242.75, which makes the actual expenditure to date $2,005.50, as compared with $2,293.75 expended last year up to the same date, showing a saving of $288.25, as compared with last year.

2. Your committee desires to acknowledge and return thanks for the valuable assistance it has received during the year from charitable citizens and especially the clergymen of all denominations and the officers of the Children's Aid Society, and we would commend the Children's Aid Society to the support of all citizens.

Adopted.

Moved by Councillors Best and W. H. White, "That the Ontario Sewer Pipe Co.'s account of $159.32 for one car load of vitrified sewer pipe be paid, as per agreement, also that the freight of $19.20 for the above car of pipes be paid the G. T. R. Co., which has been deducted from the amount of their account."—Carried.

Councillor Moore, Chairman of the Finance Committee, presented the following financial statement:

Statement of Receipts and Payment from Dec. 14th, 1895, to Dec. 31st, 1896:

RECEIPTS.

Balance due by Ontario Bank, 14th, 1895	$ 27,249 91
Arrears of taxes	11 10
Collector of taxes	571 31
Dog tax	2 00
Licenses	131 00
Police court	8 80
	$28,021 62

PAYMENTS.

Assessments	$ 50 00
Admin. of justice	498 10
Charity	81 40
Fire Dept.	839 35
Health	50 00
Heating	18 75
Hydrants	1,010 33
Law	125 00
Light	500 00
Municipal Gov.	197 80
Refunds	21 61
Special grants	62 50
Sewerage "contract No. 3"	15 00
Streets and bridges	78 16
Due by Ontario Bank	24,474 92
	$28,021 62

Statement of Receipts and Payments from January 1st, 1896, to December 14th, 1896:

RECEIPTS.

Balance due by Ontario Bank	$21,474 92
Administration of Justice	67 33
Arrears of taxes	1,269 78
Collector of taxes (1895 roll balance)	11,862 93
Collector of taxes (1896 roll on acct)	51,612 43
Debentures	4,000 00
Fire Dept.	175 00
Hall R and McGill C Trustees	10,000 00
Law (Dep re "Mason" case returned)	926 42
Licenses	6,190 80
Miscellaneous	400 00
Market sales	2,132 50
Public School's, Gov grant	936 00
Police Court	519 46
Railroad damages	50 00
Sewer connection fund	138 00
Dog Tags	840 00
	$115,334 97

PAYMENTS.

Assessments	$10,014 75
Admin of Justice	15,428 44
Health	837 80
Int and S F school deb on acc	1,897 51
" " town " "	8,617 27
Coll Institute	7,000 00
Charity	2,248 25
Municipal Govt	1,850 80
Elections	72 00
Fire Dept	2,622 41
Heating	224 85
Hydrants	3,014 00
Interest	880 97
Insurance	17 75
Law	2,571 78
Light	6,183 61
Miscellaneous	908 95
Market	50 60
Public Schools (Govt grant)	936 00
Public Schools	16,500 00
Police Court	75
Printing and stationery	741 64
Property	261 67
Refunds	228 90
R C Separate School's	3,750 00
Railroad damages	50 00
Streets and bridges (ordinary)	9,633 80
Streets and bridges (extra ordinary)	3,000 01
Snow ploughing	163 70
Special grants	1,487 48
Street watering	977 18
Sewer contract No 4 (raising Geo st)	2,000 00
Sewers, outfall	3,768 23
Sewers, Contract No. 3	353 05
Sewers, Contract No. 4	10,630 09
Sewer connections	54 00
Voters' lists	140 48
Water	26 00
Dog tax	18 70
Balance in Ontario Bank	15,525 63
	$115,334 97

COLLECTOR'S ROLL, 1896.

Amount of Roll	$74,744 26
Amount collected to Dec. 14th	51,612 43
Remaining unpaid	$23,131 95

Statement of Assets and Liabilities, 14th Dec. 1896:

ASSETS.

Uncollected taxes	$23,131 95
Less estimated loss	2,600 00
	$20,131 95
Village of Ashburnham	800 00
Amount expended on sewers—contracts 3 and 4 for which debentures are to be issued	15,326 02
Due by Ontario Bank	15,325 63
	$51,581 60

LIABILITIES.

Due commissioners	$17,805 72
Salaries due 31st Dec	1,786 40
Accounts presented and not paid; other accounts due 31st Dec., 1896	5,8[illegible]
Due R. Hall and C. McGill, trustees	25,000 00
	$49,591 12
Surplus—Assets more than Liabilities	1,990 48
	$51,581 60

In commenting on the statement Councillor Moore drew attention to the following particulars. The Charity Committee's expenditure is $300 less than last year, and its disbursements were not given in a niggardly spirit but were properly applied. Elections cost $108 last year and $72 in 1896. The Fire Department cost $3,409 in 1895, and $3,209 in 1896, and yet 100 extra feet of hose was purchased and a team of horses. The interest account is $50 less. Law cost $393 more, without taking into account the costs of the Jackson suit.

The Mayor stated that the costs of the Mason suit should not be charged to this year, as they were incurred about four years ago.

Councillor Moore pointed out that lighting was costing $100 more, and in reference to a $100 fine imposed by the town and paid over to the county, he thought that legislation should be asked concerning such matters, as although the criminal code directed the payments of fines imposed in indictable cases to be paid to the county, yet the town was apart from the county and therefore should demand special legislation on this point. The grant to Roman Catholic schools was increased by $250. The Streets and Bridges account was swelled on account of the extra expenditure on the new bridge across the creek on George street and the raising of that thoroughfare to more thoroughly cover the mains. The special grants amounted to about $450 less this year than last. The street watering account had run into larger figures, but a new cart had been purchased. The amount of the roll showed that nearly $5,000.00 more had been raised this year than last. The rate had been a mill higher, but only one-tenth of this amount had gone to the town proper. Seven-tenths had been given the schools and two-tenths had to be raised for the Town Trust. Therefore, nine-tenths of the extra mill should be credited to the uncontrollable expenditure.

SOME RESOLUTIONS.

It was moved by Councillors Moore and Langford, "That the town treasurer be instructed to credit the streets and bridges account and carry to the debit of the town sewers account, on Sewer No. 3, north of Townsend street, the sum of $2,000, the cost of raising George street, required to be done to protect the sewer mains."—Carried.

A bylaw was introduced by Councillor Moore to provide for the transfer of surplus moneys from the accounts of certain committees to the accounts of others at present overdrawn. It received its several readings and was passed.

Councillors John White and Graham moved that a light be placed on the corner of Smith street and Benson avenue at the railroad crossing.—Carried.

The council then adjourned.

PETERBOROUGH PRESBYTERY.

Quarterly Meeting held Yesterday in St. Paul's Church.

The Quarterly Meeting of the Peterborough Presbytery was held yesterday in St. Paul's church, with the following clergymen present:

Revs. F. Andrews, Keene; Wm. Bennett, Peterborough; Sutherland, Warkworth; Dr. Torrance, St. Paul's, Peterborough; D. A. Thompson, Hastings; John Hay, Cobourg; Richard Hyde, Warsaw; J. R. Gilchrist, Baltimore; C. S. Lord, Grafton; D. P. Oswald, Janetville; J. K. Smith, D. D., Port Hope; James Cattanach; Centreville; Alex. Laird, Port Hope; R. Laird, Campbellford; Wm. Johnston, Millbrook; A. C. Reeves, Lakefield; J. F. Somerville, Norwood; J. U. Tanner, Omemee; J. G. Potter, St. Andrews, Peterborough; Bryce Innes, Bobcaygeon.

THE FOLLOWING ELDERS

were also in attendance.—Wm. Matheson, Havelock; W. Buttars, Hastings; Jno. S. Fitzgerald, Lakefield; G. M. Roger, Peterborough; Rev. A. McNaughton, Port Hope; Alexander Smith, Warsaw; Jno. Clark, Campbellford; Robt. Tully, Peterborough; and James Ferguson, Mount, Pleasant.

A unanimous call was extended to Rev. A. J. McMullen, B. A., to the charge at Springville and Bethany. He will be ordained and inducted on January 14th at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Tonner, of Omemee, will preside, ordain and induct on the occasion. Rev. A. C. Reeves, of Bobcaygeon, is to preach; Rev. Dr. Torrance will address the ministers and Rev. Mr. Johnston, of Millbrook, will address the people. It was agreed to make application to the Augmentation committee for a grant of $200, for this charge, so as to raise the salary to $800 per annum.

Mr. Walter M. Roger was received into convention with the Presbytery, being transferred from Hamilton.

Rev. A. C. Reeves was appointed to visit the congregation at Warsaw in connection with Augmentation. Rev. Mr. Somerville will visit Havelock; Rev. J. G. Potter will go to Janetville; Rev. Dr. Torrance to Springville, and Rev. Mr. Tanner to Bobcaygeon, in the same connection.

REPORTS WERE RECEIVED

from the mission fields of Apsley and Harvey. The Home Mission Committee was authorized to provide missionaries for these fields, as they may deem best.

Rev. A. C. Reeves gave notice of motion for next meeting to fix the time of the retirement of aged and infirm ministers at 65 instead of 70 years.

An extensive consideration of the claims of Home and Foreign Missions was given. It was agreed to appoint a missionary committee for the purpose of arranging for missionary services in the several congregations of the Presbytery. The committee consists of Rev. J. G. Potter, Rev. D. A. Thompson, and G. M. Roger. The fourth Sabbath of February was appointed as Missionary Sabbath for the purpose of bringing the mission schemes before the several congregations.

The next Presbytery was appointed to meet in the hall of the Flrt church in Port Hope, on the second Tuesday in March, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

It was agreed that in future delegates to the assembly be chosen in part by rotation and in part by election, in the proportion of 4 to 3.

The report of the treasurer of the Presbytery fund was read, showing that the fund was in a healthy condition.

Rev. John Hay was appointed to represent the Presbytery at the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society in St. Andrew's church, in February next.

A Good Judge of Meat

Is a blessing to any household. She knows that for prime roasts, juicy steaks and chops, fresh poultry and delicious sausage, J. J. HOWDEN'S, 461 George street, is the favourite meat shop for her. Hams, bacon and lard always on hand. Telephone 39.

The Date.

The date of China Hall's Christmas opening will be Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 16th and 17th, when the stock will be at its very best. The assortment of lovely new goods is the largest ever carried, and we will guarantee our prices the lowest in town. All are invited on the above days, especially in the evenings, when the store will be illuminated. Store open every evening till 10 o'clock until after Xmas.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The first meeting of the Board of Directors since the illness of General Secretary Mr. Smith, was held last evening in the parlour. Mr. Cole, the travelling secretary, was present.

The unsatisfactory financial condition of the Association was discussed.

The Board recognized the efficient services of Master Harry Frowde as a substitute during Mr. Smith's illness, by making him an adequate grant of money.

The General Secretary filed his resignation, to take effect on 1st January.

On motion it was resolved to accept the resignation, to take effect on 1st February instead of 1st January.

An important resolution relative to the expenditure of money on the new building was passed, and the Board then adjourned.

Lots of 5 and 10 cent games at SAILSBURY'S.

Xmas Turkeys.

If you desire a toothsome fowl for your Christmas dinner buy one that is young and well fattened. MASON & Co. have an extra quality of turkeys coming in and it will be to your advantage to see them before making your selection, prices very low. 31141

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., Box 55.) 123132

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

YOU Are Invited.

Yes YOU, personally, are most cordially invited to visit the Peterborough Bookstore, and inspect and admire the magnificent stock of every kind of goods suitable for holiday presents. You will be surprised at its magnificent extent and variety. We won't say anything about buying. That question will settle itself when you see our stock and take in its beauty—and learn the low prices. The buying will look after itself. Come and see us. All heartily welcome A. H. STRATTON & Co.

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Trousers..... $3, $4, $5

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Handsome Ties and Braces for the Xmas trade.

ROBERT WEIR

Issuer of Marriage Licenses. Arrangements made to meet the wishes of those desiring same. 422 George St., North of Foot & McWhinnie.

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Large Size Only -- $1 Each

When hot applications are required for Inflammation of any kind, for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Cold Feet or Earache there is nothing so useful as the

Rubber Hot Water Bottle

Every Bottle Guaranteed, Call and see them.

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Chemist and Optician.

Hunter St. - Peterborough.

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4 lbs. Choice Raisins.....for 25c

4 lbs. Choice Currants.....for 25c

Scheppe No. 1 Cocoanut.....per lb 25c

Choice Fresh Mixed Peel.....per lb 25c

3 lbs. Mothers Mince Meat.....per lb 25c

Figs, Dates, Oranges, Lemons, Table Raisins and Delicious Confectionery. Just watch for our candy advertisement, an Eye Opener.

GEO. CARTON'S

A. C. CHAMBERS Manager. Table Supply House

Chase and Sanborn's Coffee

The *quality* of the *Coffee* we sell under our *trade mark* is our best advertisement.

This Seal is our trade mark, and guarantees perfection of quality, strength and flavor.

BOSTON. MONTREAL. CHICAGO.

TALBOT BROS.

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough

have on hand $5 000 worth of assorted Christmas Goods, consisting of the **Highest Grade of Imported and Canadian Hand-made Cigars, Pipes, Tobaccos, Cigarettes,** and Smokers' Supplies of the Latest and Best quality, which must be disposed of within 30 days, to make room for New 1897 Goods.

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The **Morrel Mackenzie Pipe** in the three popular shapes—"Bulldog." "Crooked" and "Straight."

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OUR SPECIAL OFFER.

1 Tray, 1 Spirit Lamp, 2 Cups, 2 Spoons.
1 Water Boiler, 2 Salt and Pepper Castors,
1 Bottle Methylated Spirits,
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Round Steak, 3 lbs. for	25c.	Briskets,	3c.
Rib Roasts,	7c.	Necks (boiling)	2c.
Shoulder Roasts,	5c.	These prices end on the 18th.	

Our Canned Goods are being sold **BELOW COST.**

Every pound of Lard we sell is guaranteed.

A few goods we have are:—Mince Meat, Butter and Eggs, Long Clear Bacon Pigs' Cheeks, Pigs' Heads, and Pigs' Feet, Fresh Shanks, Spare Ribs and Leaf Lard.

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If you wish to leave your orders for Turkeys, Geese, Chickens and Ducks we will be pleased to fill them. First come, first served,

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TO GIVE OR GET THAN A PLANT IN BLOOM?

—Carnations, —Azaleuas,
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—Begonias, —Heliotropes,
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Now in Flower and will Flower all Winter.

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Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Chiffon Collars and Neckwear
Veilings and Nettings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c.
Cloth for a Mantle
Winter Jackets
Winter Underwear
New Corsets
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No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

MISSES CAHILL

403 George Street.

CONGER'S FAIR

Closing-Out Sale

Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

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IRISH LINEN AND LAWN HANDKERCHIEFS RIGHT FROM THE OLD SOD. WORTHY QUALITIES AND RARE STYLES, SUCH AS MEN OF TASTE WOULD CHOOSE, OR WOMEN, WHO HAVE A BETTER KNACK OF JUDGING—AND CHOOSING TOO.

PUT UP IN PRETTY BOXES OF HALF DOZENS SUITABLE FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

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A wonderful remedy for weakness and disease of the organs that make wifehood and motherhood possible is found in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts directly on these organs. It makes them strong and healthy. It has transformed thousands of suffering, pain-racked women into healthy, happy wives and mothers. It allays inflammation, soothes pain, and steadies and invigorates the nerves. It prepares for wifehood and motherhood. It insures inherently healthy children. All good druggists sell it. There is nothing "just the same" or "just as good." The druggist who tells you there is, is either mistaken or dishonest.

Mrs. Joseph Simmons, of Hazelgreen, Grant County, Wis., writes: "Inclosed find postage stamps, for which please send me the 'People's Common Sense Medical Adviser.' I have used your Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and his Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets' and have received a great deal of benefit from them."

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UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO.

Who the Examiners Will be for 1897 as Passed by the Senate at Its Last Meeting.

Toronto, Dec, 15.

At the regular meeting of the Senate, held on Friday evening last, the following members were present: President Loudon, Rev Dr Caven, Chancellor Burwash, Prof Hume, Prof Macallum, Prof Alexander, Dr Ryerson, Rev Father Guinane, President Mills, Principal Galbraith, Dr Badgley, Dr Dewart, Rev Father Ryan, Mr Wood, Mr Seath, Prof Baker, Mr Dale, Prof Hutton, Mr Houson, Prof Reynar, Dr Maclaren, Dr Carman, Dr Hough, Mr Steele.

EXAMINERS, 1897.

The following report of the Committee on Examinations was unanimously adopted:

— Arts —

Classics and Ancient History—A J Bell, M.A., Ph.D.; J Fletcher, M.A., LL.D.; W M Logan, M.A.; W S Milner, M.A.; J C Robertson, B.A.; H J Cody, M.A.; G W Johnston, B.A., Ph.D.

Mathematics—A T DeLury, B.A.; E A Thompson, B.A.; Miss L D Cummings, B. A.; W J Rudk, B.A.

Physics—J C McLennan, B.A.; G F Hull, B.A.

English—F H Sykes, M.A., Ph.D.; W Pakenham, B.A.; W S McLeay, B.A.

French—J Squair, B.A.; J Petch, M.A.; J H Cameron, M.A.

German—W H VanderSmissen, M.A.; W Fick, Ph.D.; G H Needler, B.A., Ph.D.

Italian and Spanish—P Toews, M.A., Ph. D.

Italian—E J Sacco.

Phonetics—J H Cameron, M.A.

History and Ethnology—G M Wrong, M A.; W J Robertson, B.A., LL.B.

Constitutional History and Political Science—J Mavor, S J McLean, B.A., LL.B.

Constitutional Law, English Law, Roman Law, International Law, and Jurisprudence—Hon D Mills, LL.B.; Hon W Proudfoot.

Chemistry—F J Smale, B.A., Ph.D.

Mineralogy and Geology—W A Parks, B. A.

Zoology and Physiology—R Ramsay Wright, M.A., B.Sc.

Botany—E C Jeffrey, B.A.

Philosophy and Logic—A Kirschman, Ph. D.; W R Lane, M.A.; A H Abbott, B.A.; Rev Dr Tracy.

Oriental Languages—J F McLaughlin, M. A., B.D.

— June Senior Matriculation —

Classics and Ancient History—W J Bell, M.A., Ph.D.; W S Milner, M.A.

English—F H Sykes, M.A., Ph.D.

French, German, Italian, Spanish and Phonetics—P Toews, M.A., Ph.D.

Hebrew—J F McLaughlin, M.A., B.D.

Mathematics—A T DeLury, B.A.

Physics—J C McLennan, B.A.

Biology—E C Jeffrey, B.A.

Chemistry—F J Smale, Ph.D.

— Applied Science —

Thermodynamics and Hydraulics—W Minty, B.A. Sc.

Applied Electricity—W A Lee, B.A. Sc.

Strength Elasticity of Materials—J A Duff, B.A.

Mortars and Cements—J Keele, B.A. Sc.

Chemistry—W Lawson, B.A. Sc.

Mineralogy and Geology, Metallurgy and Assaying—A P Coleman, M.A., Ph.D.

— Engineering —

Civil Engineering—W T Jennings, C.E.

Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—J Langton, M.E.

Mining Engineering—G R Mickle, B.A.

— Music —

Theory—A E Fisher, Mus. Bac.

Practice—J E P Aldons, B.A.

— Pedagogy —

Psychology with its application to Pedagogy—J Watson, M.A., LL.D.

Science of Education, History of Education and Criticism of Educational Systems—J Waugh, B.A.; B Paed.

School Organization and Management and Methods in Classics—J E Hodgson, M.A.

Methods in English, French and German —F N Sykes, M.A., Ph.D.

Methods in Mathematics—A T DeLury, B.A.

Methods in Science—W H Jenkins, B.A.

FOURTH YEAR MATHEMATICS.

A statute was passed, which defines the work in the fourth year in the Honor Department of Mathematics, as follows: Astronomy, Differential Equations, Higher Plane Curves with introductory course in Modern Geometry, Quarternions with outlines of similar space analyses, also any two of the following courses, the selection to be made by the Mathematical Department at the beginning of each year: 1. Invariant Theory; 2. Theory of Numbers; 3. Theory of Substitutions; 4. Elementary Theory of Functions; 5. Elliptical Functions; 6. Tangential Co-ordinates and Trilinear Co-ordinates, outlines of one with fuller treatment of the other; 7. Projective Geometry and Modern Synthetic Geometry, outlines of one of these with fuller treatment of the other; 8. Theory of Probability. A statute was passed which defines the conditions for obtaining an scholarship as "first-class honors in the department to which the scholarship is attached."

A statute was passed which relieves the students of the present third year in Mathematics and Physics of the Physical Chemistry of the second year.

Hereafter on special application to the Senate it may be possible for the payment of a scholarship to be deferred for a period longer than the one year which is permissible under the present regulations.

ANNUAL REPORT.

The following are the most interesting items of the annual report, which was unanimously adopted by the Senate: The number of degrees conferred in Arts was 175, in Medicine 59, in Law 25, in Agriculture 10, in Pedagogy 3, in Dentistry 30, in Music 5, in Pharmacy 68, in Engineering 2, in Applied Science 8. The number of candidates examined in Arts was 1044, in Medicine 206, in Law 20, in Agriculture 12, in Pedagogy 4, in Dentistry 85, in Music 20, in Pharmacy 68, in Engineering 2, and in Applied Science 11.

AGAINST CANADA.

Congressmen Mahony and Wilbur Want to Keep Our Young Men Out of the Great Republic.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Two drastic bills have been introduced in Congress, which, while they do not make any distinction between nationalities, have been evidently framed with the express purpose of operation against Canadians.

One of the bills, introduced by Congressman Mahony of Buffalo, N. Y., aims at the more complete shutting out of Canadian labor in the cities along the border. It reads as follows: "Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, that on and after the passage of this act it shall be unlawful for aliens, unless they have declared their intentions to become citizens of the United States, and can show an uninterrupted residence in this country of one year from the date of such declaration, to be employed in any capacity on work to be constructed or completed by the Government, or by contractors under contracts entered into subsequent to the passage of this act.

"That for each and every violation thereof there shall be imposed a fine of not less than $100 or more than $500, or imprisonment for not less than one month nor more than three, or both penalties, in the discretion of the court."

The other bill is by Congressman Wilbur of New York. It provides that every male immigrant of 18 years and over shall pay a duty of $100; each immigrant shall bring from the American consul of his sailing port a certificate that the amount of duty has not been advanced by any syndicate, corporation or employer, and that the bearer is a man of good repute; each immigrant shall read and write; immediately upon landing he shall renounce his allegiance to his mother country and declare his intention of becoming an American citizen, to which he shall take a prescribed oath.

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OLD BOXERS AT IT.

Jem Mace and Donovan Greeted by a Large Crowd at Broadway Athletic Club.

New York, Dec. 14.—About 2500 people attended the Mace-Donovan benefit at the Broadway Athletic Club to-night. In addition to the ex-heavyweight champion of the world and the one-time American middleweight champion, a host of other bygone stars were in evidence. The science of the present day was represented by James J. Corbett. Among the spectators were men well-known in the higher walks of life, who were present to show their appreciation of the manly art. The fun commenced with a three-round bout between Charley Norton and Dan Keefe of Newark. Jim Hall, the Australian, and Pete Burns of Harlem then gave a lively go, which pleased the crowd immensely. Old veterans George Rooke and John Donaldson, both of whom have felt the force of John L. Sullivan's blows, were the next pair. They smiled as they played at jab and counter for three one-minute rounds, and got a great ovation.

A tremendous burst of applause greeted John L. Sullivan as he was announced to make a short speech. He spoke briefly, thanking the audience for their hearty reception, and bespeaking for pugilism a successful revival in this country if the managers of the sport were true to it and careful of keeping faith with the public. He was received with an ovation as he retired.

Billy Edwards, the ex-lightweight champion, and Arthur Chambers of Philadelphia, his old rival, then sparred three rounds. Chambers was quite fat, but Billy was down fine. They did not bother about the gong, but sat down when they were tired, and the three rounds were more than enough for them.

Bob Armstrong, the colored heavyweight, from Chicago, was pounds heavier and inches taller than Tommy Kelly of Hoboken, and the latter had a hard time to keep away for the three rounds. Barney Aaron and Dooney Harris followed. Barney got a big floral horseshoe before he put on the gloves. George Dixon was heartily cheered when he was introduced, as was Kid Lavigne. Neither would make the loudly-requested speech. A great reception was accorded to Corbett as he came into the ring to box three rounds with Jim McVey, his sparring partner. The champion looked in good shape. They gave a good exhibition of science.

Joe Choynski and Peter Maher were next introduced and bowed their acknowledgments.

When the stars of the evening came on there were 2500 people in the house. Mace and Donovan entered the ring at 10.30. Parson Davies acted as master of ceremonies. He spoke in behalf of the beneficiaries, thanking the press and public for the generous support accorded to the enterprise. He especially thanked Al. Smith, and that gentleman was called to the platform and cheered loudly.

The veterans had on long white trousers and were stripped above the belt. Parson Davies, who acted as referee, stated that there would be no decision, as the set-to was to be a scientific exhibition of a friendly nature. Donovan was very active on his feet and danced all around the Englishman, tapping him lightly on the face and body with open gloves. Mace, despite his years, was quick, and used his left well.

In the second round Mace took out his false teeth and threw them to his seconds. In the third round Mace shoved his left in straight a couple of times, and Mike sent a pretty hot one to the jaw. They did some lively tapping in the last round, and the old fellows looked to be in earnest for a second, when Parson Davies called time. They shook hands and there were loud cries of draw. Both men were loudly cheered at the conclusion.

The final event was a ten-round bout between Jack McKeek and Jimmy Rose, both of New York, at 115 pounds. Dick Roche was the referee. In the earlier rounds McKeek did the better work by far, shooting his left to the heart frequently. He stopped nearly all of Rose's rushes with straight punches on the face. Rose woke up in the eighth and reached McKeek's jaw several times. The ninth was evenly contested. McKeek did most of the leading in the tenth, though Rose did some clever stopping. The referee awarded the bout to McKeek.

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Hale will soon start on a tour of the country giving exhibitions. Most of the others will go to Washington to take part in a six-day race to be held there beginning Dec. 28. The local management has decided to hold a six-day race annually, and has already secured the Garden for next December.

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THE CHRISTMAS CALF.

By EMILY MEREDYTH AYLWARD.

[CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.]

"Yes, but isn't the comical side of those Willoughbys delicious?" remarked the philosophic Holt. "I tell you their obliviousness is a superlative joke. Can't help relishing it even when it's against myself. When I complained to Willoughby of the damage done my terrace, he made not a word of apology; simply pointed round his own devastated place and said it was the same everywhere. You can't get at those people; they won't see incongruities."

"They'll be got at before long," chimed in a chorus of voices. "Percy's got to be dinned at till he gets at them and has that calf either killed or locked up. Something must positively be done."

It was a large gathering next day at Elmhurst. Not for a long time had Miss Minna looked so well. The day was glorious, everything was a success, and in the general satisfaction and excitement she looked more like her old buoyant self than she had managed to look since the calf had entered into her existence. For the time being she forgot the dark and cruel episode which had cast such a shadow on her horizon, and in the sympathy of genuine enjoyment the guests forgot it too. She had gone out little during the later spring. The fact was she had a cowardly shrinking from any allusion to the calf, and now, on the eve of her departure for Europe, she was satisfied in the realization that her farewell-entertainment was going off with eclat. Deep down in her heart she had qualms and anxieties about the calf. Her feelings were a mixture of longing and dread for news of it, and a sort of blind hope that its existence might have gone into safer keeping. She had long made up her mind that indirect appeal was useless, and that direct appeal would only sever the Willoughby connection. They were not voluntarily cruel, she knew. Their sins were sins of omission, and they would never forgive the cause of cruelty being directly brought home to them. And so things had gone, and today for the first time in months the ever gnawing recollection had for the moment ceased to oppress her.

Refreshments were served on the lawn, and then there was a crush for the drawing room to hear the last fashionable tenor sing. After that there would be the final leavetakings of Miss Minna, and tomorrow she would set sail for Europe and try to forget the calf.

The tenor had his music unfolded. The guests were bonneted and wrapped ready for departure when he would have sung. Suddenly there was a noise, as though a late party of the guests were coming inside from out of doors. Whoever they were, they made a big noise about it and seemed to be bringing down tables and chairs in their wake. There was a sound as of the overturning of a hatrack, on top of it the unmistakable smash of a lamp, on top of that a rush and a rumble as of a domestic earthquake, finally a flinging backward of the drawing room door, as though from the momentum of a thousand fists, and then in the midst of the waiting party stood the calf.

"Hi, there!" screamed Mrs. Willoughby, darting forward and wrenching his umbrella from beneath the tenor, who, being gracefully propped upon it in a picturesque attitude to sing, nearly lost his balance and barely escaped being prostrated on the carpet. "Hi, there—sh—out, out, hi! Did you ever in your life! Hey—hi—out!"

And under vigorous brandishes and pokes of the umbrella, through flying columns of tittering women and men swearing under their breath, beneath the dazed melancholy of Miss Minna's fixed gaze, the calf, having made a double circuit of the room, was finally driven out through the French window.

"Well," gasped Mrs. Willoughby, dropping in sheer physical exhaustion on a divan, "the idea, poking in here at such a time! Did you ever know such a contrary animal? Thank goodness, I got it out so soon. Here, Mr. Armitage, here's your umbrella. I'm so glad you can go on with your song. If I hadn't got that calf out, you couldn't."

"Oblige me; sing it. Do," stammered Miss Minna, who was on the borders of collapse, and who stood by in silent torture while the bewildered tenor made the supreme effort of his life."

She knew everything. Christmas—poor, lank, lean Christmas—was still with the Willoughbys. She was still starved.

"Blowed," said Mr. Armitage, tenor, when he got to town that night, "if ever I got my nose into such a bewildering circus of surprises—wild, starved calf tearing round a drawing room; women tittering; men swearing; woman owner grabbing my umbrella and nearly upsetting me to poke it out; hostess repressing hysteria; man in love with her glowering at the whole community; host looking as if last straw had been piled on his endurance; host's son howling with delight and nearly strangling himself on sofa. What's the secret of the whole business? What is up in that blooming village?"

Late that night, after an evening spent in gloomy quietude by all except Jack, who snickered all over the house and made more than one allusion to "the bully show," Miss Minna said goodby to Greville. For the first time in his life he saw her in tears.

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And now it was Christmas again. In one week more the bells would ring out the joyful good wishes of the nativity. It was a cold, clear, glistening Christmas, with its trees decked with diamonds and its paths white and crisp with little crackling furrows of ice. Miss Minna had just got home, and, aided by Jack, was hanging up the ivy garlands with the rich, bright mixture of scarlet holly berries intwined.

"I am so happy to be home," she said. "I hardly know what to say or do first. Jack, I feel somehow now you won't laugh at me as much as you would a year ago, but do you know I could be utterly, completely happy but for the calf."

"I've never laid eyes on her since the autumn," said Jack. "She didn't look very bully then. Every one seems to have shut up about her, though from time to time, I'll admit, I've heard what Jeames Plush would call 'gashly tails.'"

"Then let's not say any more about her now," said Miss Minna. "I know Cousin George can't bear it, and I don't want to get worked up so that he might suspect anything. I'm running in to town for an hour after lunch to finish up my presents."

An hour earlier than expected Miss Minna got her train back. There was no carriage to meet her, and as she faced to walk homeward her old friend, Colonel Holbrook, testy, crusty, but sterling, overtook her with his trap and offered to drive her home. She took her seat beside him cheerfully and chatted brightly of everything at home and getting back to it all with a zest in which the colonel sympathized, for he was thoroughly glad to see her.

As they turned into the drive the colonel slackened speed, conversation lapsed suddenly, and his face assumed a grave and portentous expression.

Miss Minna was wise from experience, for how many weary months had she not learned to read any graveness of aspect in the neighbor's face as the preface to some recital about the calf? She felt what was coming, and she could almost have gone on her knees to the old soldier to implore him to keep it back from her.

"Miss Gascoigne," he began gravely, "I'm sorry to be obliged to speak. I wouldn't spoil your home coming willingly for the world. But it can't be helped, you know; something has got to be done. Will you, my dear Miss Gascoigne, for pity's sake, for charity's sake, do something about that calf?"

Poor Miss Minna! Her worst enemy would have been sorry for her then. She buried her face in her hands in an attitude of absolute shrinking, and the colonel could barely catch her little timorous question, "Are things so very bad, then?"

"Bad!" echoed the colonel, who, in the excitement of a year's recollections, was fast letting his testy side come uppermost. "Bad? They're devilish. It's a case for the intervention of a savage."

"What—what," said Miss Minna feebly, "is to be done?"

"I don't know what's to be done. You alone, Miss Gascoigne, can tell that. That's what we've all been waiting for, and, for God Almighty's sake, I implore of you—not for my sake, but for God Almighty's sake—to do something."

"Oh," said Miss Minna, wringing her hands despairingly, "I would do anything! What can I—what shall I do?"

"I repeat," said the colonel, "I don't know myself what you can do, but you're the only one who can do anything, and I beg of you again to do something. You gave it to them, and you must get it away from them. It's the most pitiful object in all Axminster county. Why it's not dead long ago no one can tell, but it can't last another week as things are."

Miss Minna was too choked to say goodby. She jumped from the trap, up the steps into the hall, her veil well pulled down, so that her distress could not be seen by Mr. Percy, whom she brushed past quickly on the staircase. "I've asked Greville to dinner," he said to her, and she managed to gasp out a usual sounding "All right" before she closed the room door on her despair.

It was bitter, black despair. She flung herself upon the bed and made up her mind there and then that, with the wretched existence of the calf to face, life was an unbearable burden. "Only this morning," she thought, "I said I could be utterly happy but for the calf. I little imagined then how bad things were. Now I feel because of it that I can never be

"MAY I KEEP IT FOR ALWAYS?" HE SAID.

happy again. It has been the bitter current of my life—poor, innocent Christmas!"

"Mr. Greville, miss, would like to see you," put in the maid, who could not see Miss Minna's tear stained face in the wintry dusk.

"Yes, he is dining," answered Miss Minna. "I shall be down to dinner."

"But he says he wants to see you urgently before, miss, and begs you to come down now."

Miss Minna rose, bathed her face and mournfully descended the staircase.

"I want you to stroll down the avenue a moment before dinner," said Greville. "It will do you good."

She turned out with him without asking why. It didn't occur to her to ask why about anything. Again it was beneath the rays of a shining section of white moon. "Do you remember," said Greville, "it was just this night one year ago that you took me down to show me Christmas for the first time?" And here they had just reached the very door which then he had pushed open for her.

He opened it once more. Within, a fresh blue ribbon round her slender neck, stood also Christmas again. "I brought her back to you," said Greville. "I thought you would like her for a Christmas gift. We'll have her jolly and fat again in no time. Everything's all right, and the Willoughbys are coming to see you tomorrow. Do just tell me once that you are glad."

Miss Minna could say nothing. One arm she placed round Christmas' neck and laid her head down upon it, undone for the moment in her glad surprise. The other she stretched forward and across the back of the Christmas calf laid her hand in Greville's.

"May I keep it for always?" he said. And with a little answering pressure she let it lie in his.

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"And just to think," said Greville, "that we should have found each other out over the calf."

"And just to think," said Mr. Percy, "that the harrowing tale could have ended so delightfully."

"And just to think," said Jack, "that we're going to have a bully wedding, and that our dear Phil and Philkins should join hands over the Christmas calf.'"

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A SUCCESSFUL MEETING OF THE INSTITUTE.

Addresses on Topics of Interest to Farmers—Dairying, Farm Buildings and Poultry Dealt With—Mr. S. R. Payne Talks on Winter Dairying.

A fairly largely attended meeting of the West Riding Farmers Institute opened in the County Council Chamber, Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Wm. Collins, president, occupied the chair, and introduced the first speaker,

Mr. A. A. Elliott, of Galt, who gave an address on "The Dairy Farm." At present our best market for the Canadian farmer was the British market, in case we supplied what was wanted. We had gained the cheese market by furnishing good cheese of honest character. It was a hard market to get a foothold in but easy to hold if the quality of the produce was kept up. Dishonesty or lack of knowledge were hinderances to introducing Canadian goods into the British market. It should be the object of the Canadian farmer to meet the conditions and the best way was keep the right kind of dairy stock. The better the stock the better we should care for them, for we would naturally not feed an animal so well that would give a poor return. The true milk form was common to all breeds. The Shorthorn grade was perhaps the best general purpose cow, but those who wished to pay special attention to dairying could not afford to keep a general purpose cow. He cited the chief points that constituted the best form of a dairy cow—head fine, full eye, broad forehead, fine neck, rather inclined to "ewe-neck"; fine shoulder like that of race horse rather than a beef cow; spine, long and large jointed, showing a large spinal cord as a continuation of the brain; the back need not be broad, the pelvis should be roomy, tail long, thigh incurved and the flank curved upward; brisket broad but not pendant, the general shape, wedge-shape from all points of view. The udder was the important part, all other points of good form might be present, but if the udder is not right the dairy cow was not there. The udder, the business part of the cow—should extend well up behind and well forward, should not be fleshy nor flabby nor pendent, teats should be of fair size, placed well apart and hang straight down. Calves for the dairy herd should be taken from the best cow, and carefully fed. The milking habit should be formed after the first calf. The importance of a well-balanced ration for milch cows was urged. Special importance was placed upon keeping cows in the greatest comfort. A large part of food was spent in providing natural animal heat, and the warmer cows were kept the less food would be required for this purpose. Keep cows as comfortable as possible, and fed to the full extent of their capacity. Speaking of the management of factories, the speaker advocated cheese making in summer, and butter making in winter. Have our cows come in in the fall and we should be able to make a full bill of cheese and a profitable butter product in the winter. Corn was the model food for dairy purposes. He favoured the silo as the cheapest form of keeping corn. Co-operation was advocated for farmers as the condition of success, and prosperity invariably followed co-operative dairy farming, which also developed the intelligence of the farmers.

In answer to a question Mr. Elliott said the round silo was the best form of silo; there being no corners there was less spoiled silage. In a silo depth was better than large area — there would be less waste while using. Silos could be underground if there was perfect drainage.

Milking should be done before feeding in the morning. Good silage will not taint milk or butter. Oat sheaves cut, paid better than feeding chopped oats. About 5 lbs of turnips fed after milking was all it was safe to feed.

EVERY FARMER HIS OWN MASON.

Mr. A. McNeil, of Windsor, spoke on the subject, "*Every Farmer his own Mason.*" By the use of concrete, composed of one part water lime, two parts of sand and three or four parts of gravel, every farmer could be his own mason. Concrete is strong—a one-foot wall would support any building on the farm, and one foot of concrete is as frost proof as two feet of stone wall. Concrete will never gather moisture in winter. Concrete floors for stables were healthy and the liquid parts—the most valuable in manure—are saved. Points in making walls and floors for all sorts of farm structures, cisterns, ben houses, etc., were given. The speaker went into interesting details of the manner of putting a concrete wall under a standing building, of laying collars and stable floors and even of making a pig feeding trough, etc., etc. A good deal of interest was shown in this subject by numerous questions asked.

A TALK ON POULTRY.

Mr. Thomas A. Duff, of Toronto, gave an admirable address on "Diseases of Poultry and Simple Cures." He referred to poultry raising as an industry that, for the capital invested, yielded the largest returns. The real cause of disease in poultry was neglect—especially in cleaning pens. Another cause was the lack of ventilation. Ventilators should reach from outside the roof to within a foot of the floor. Poultry houses should be built on dry sites and with a southern exposure. Cleanliness is the best preventive of disease—houses should be cleaned out at least once a week—once a day is better. Two teaspoonfuls of carbolic acid to a gallon of water should be sprayed about the building. Coal oil also should be used to destroy vermin on perches. Distemper was not roup. A remedy for distemper: Bathe the fowl's face twice a day with vinegar and water, one to ten, and give a 1-grain quinine pill, once a day, and this would cure the distemper, which, if neglected, would end in roup. Dry roup is treated by rubbing scales off the scabs and burning the scabs with caustic—this was a certain cure. Canker called for isolation. Clean out the throat with a match and remove the white scales and rub the bleeding spots with caustic, and several applications will cure. Canker is hereditary, and a fowl once troubled with canker should not be used for breeding. "Bumblefoot" is cured by lancing, squeezing out matter and poulticing. Chicken diarrhœa could be cured by mixing equal parts of cayenne pepper and rhubarb and black antimony with a quart of shorts and feeding to the infected fowls which must be isolated. Cholera is cured by five grains rhubarb, two grains cayenne pepper and ten drops of laudnum given twice a day with a teaspoonful of brandy between doses. Cramps from clogged crops is cured by giving sweet oil and manipulating the bunch in in the crop till it softens; if this fails cut open crop and remove. This is a simple operation and had always been successful in the speaker's hands. "Feather-eating" was due to lack of exercise and of fresh meat. To cure egg-eating, starve fowls for a couple of days, and then feed egg shells; a better way was to feed eggs dosed with thin mustard. To destroy lice, remove fowl and wash the inside of house with 1 gallon of limewash to 3 or 4 tablespoonfuls of refined carbolic acid, fumigate with sulphur and cover perches with coal oil. The speaker concluded by asserting that poultry, carefully treated to prevent disease, etc., was one of the best investments on the farm.—(Hear, hear!) Ninety-nine per cent. of the poultry in the country was over-fed, and they required a properly balanced ration as well as cows did. Mr. Duff's incidental remark that he had taken the highest prizes three years in succession at the Crystal Palace Exhibition, London, England, for his exhibits of barred Plymouth Rocks, and that he was willing to share the secrets of his success with all who wished the information was received with loud cheers. He advised that the Poultry Association should hold its next annual meeting either in Peterborough or Lindsay, and after the meeting he had a conference with local poultry men with a view of reviving the Peterborough Poultry Association.

WINTER DAIRYING.

Mr. S. R. Payne made a few remarks on "Preparing for Winter Dairying." He thought we should make as great success of winter as we had of summer dairying. The longer cows are milked the less the cost of production. If other competing countries milk their cows ten months a year, while we milked them only seven months, we could not expect to keep the lead. The Americans were waking up and we must be prepared to meet their competition. One of the obstacles to winter dairying was the bad roads through the winter. Our position was improving in the English butter market which shows in increased demand of 500 per cent. in two years. And we must have improved stables, warmer and better, and change our cheese factories as the need requires. He had hopes of winter dairying so coming to the front that before long our wives and daughters would no more think of making butter than they do now of making cheese. The establishment of creameries would stimulate farmers to better milk production—when they knew that they could get better a market for their milk. Better attention should be paid to housing our cows and feeding them properly and teaching them to milk longer.

FODDER CROPS.

Mr. J. B. Ewing, of Dartford, spoke a few minutes on "Fodder Crops." Scarce fodder has taught us the value of straws. He had found pea straw valuable for feeding sheep. He cut his pea crop when it was about half ripe; they threshed well and left a straw that was as valuable for food as good clover hay. Nearly all straws cut on the green side had their feeding value greatly increased. He planted his corn always in hills, because thus it grew more leaves. He cultivated both ways. He had grown turnips as large as his head between rows of corn 3½ feet apart, but he could only cultivate one way. Clover was our best crop and should be cut in full bloom.

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It is stated that J. R. Quick, general baggage agent of the G.T.R., is gradually accomplishing the re-organization of his department, and that when the heavy traffic commences in the spring an entirely new system will be in vogue. He is engaged at present preparing a code of rules similar to that now in force for lines west of the St. Clair river, but which has hitherto not been used in Canada. These regulations contain instructions to officials on every conceivable subject, and are intended to obviate the necessity of frequent telegraph messages with regard to baggage misplaced or lost. It is believed that after they come into force more of the articles left on trains and in stations will be recovered and that passengers' effects generally will be more carefully guarded.

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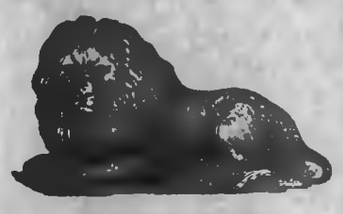

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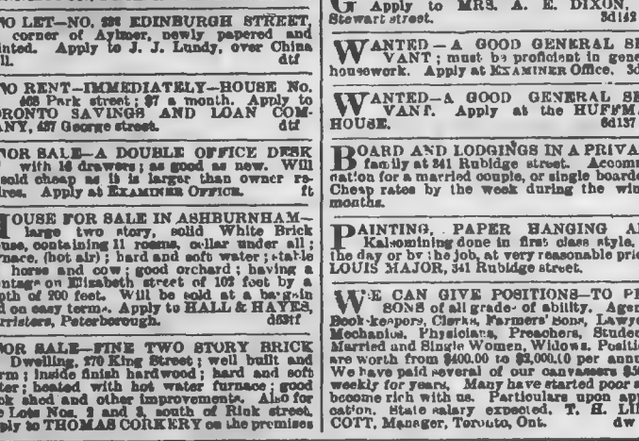

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BRUSSELS ENQUIRY.

The Taking of Evidence Was Concluded Yesterday.

MR. FARROW ON HIS OWN BEHALF

Mr. Lazier Says He Will Give His Decision on the Evidence, and That Party Considerations Will Not be Allowed to Influence—Thanks for Courtesy.

Brussels, Ont., Dec. 16.—The examination of Postmaster Farrow was resumed this morning at 9.30 o'clock, taking up charges five and six.

Thompson Snider of Brussels related a conversation with Mr. Farrow at the Conservative Committee room prior to last election, in which Mr. Farrow canvassed him for his vote. Mr. Gerry was reading letters in the room; Mr. Farrow asked Mr. Gerry if he had canvassed certain parties. Went to committee room to see Mr. Lindsay; did not go there as a spy; told Mr. Birt about it, but did not mention it to Mr. Scott; had received one dollar from witness for coming here.

F. S. Scott, Brussels, knew Mr. Farrow, and had heard him speak at every election for years. Was Conservative M.P. for a number of sessions, and had lived in Brussels for about seven years as postmaster; had taken part in municipal elections here; heard him speak three times on political platform since being postmaster; twice in the '91 election and once in '96, the meetings being at Brussels and Walton; had seen Mr. Farrow in Conservative committee rooms in '91. He spoke against Dr. McDonald himself at two meetings at Brussels. He referred to increase in expenditure under Mackenzie regime and the advantage of the National Policy for support for the then Government. Considered it a strong party speech, never heard him deliver anything else; closed his speech by asking for support from the then Government. I am an active worker for the Liberal party, and knew that in case of a change of Government, my head would be taken off within twenty-four hours. A circular was printed by the local president of the Liberal Association, asking the opinion of outside Liberals. Have aided in preparing the statement; have no fault to find with Mr. Farrow as postmaster.

James Ferguson, Grey, knew Mr. Farrow, and had heard him speak on various occasions, once in the last campaign at Brussels, before nomination; thought he spoke a half hour on the political questions, making reference to the National Policy; his speech was much like that delivered by him on former occasions, and was one-sided.

W. F. Scott, Brussels, knew Mr. Farrow, and heard him open Mr. Dickenson's meeting, and he spoke one half hour, in which he praised the Conservative party and denounced the Liberals. Personally have nothing to say against Mr. Farrow, but am opposed to him politically.

John R. Smith, Brussels, had known Mr. Farrow for ten or fifteen years, and heard him speak several times, the last time in Brussels in the last campaign. It was a Conservative speech. I am and always was a Liberal; might be an applicant for bailiff if Mr. Scott were appointed postmaster.

Thomas Miller, Morris, testified as to charge one. Was present at a Conservative meeting in the Town Hall, Morris. Mr. Farrow was in the audience, and interrupted the meeting by questioning the speakers. Reeve Mooney was in the chair, and asked to have the harangue stopped.

W. H. Kerr, Brussels, was at Brussels and Morris Town Halls; heard Mr. Farrow speak at former meeting and interrupt at the latter; the speech was made in the interest of the Conservative party, but was not other than witness expected. Had no grudge against Mr. Farrow.

G. F. Blair, barrister at Brussels, took part in the campaign, as did Mr. Farrow; heard him at Brussels when he had half an hour; it was not a strong speech, the leading questions being left to Mr. Dickenson. Was at Morris Town Hall meeting; heard him interrupt Mr. Kerr; was at a local meeting in Brussels, and issued the circulars spoken of by Mr. Scott.

An adjournment was then made for dinner.

In the afternoon the inquiry was continued, A. Hislop, Deputy Reeve of Grey being the first witness, who testified to Mr. Farrow being at the Walton meeting; his speech was mild and had reference to the National Policy and other political questions; it was not an unfair speech from his standpoint; have said I disapprove of the attempt to have Mr. Farrow removed from office.

The first witness called was S. B. Smale. Always have been a Liberal; attended the Liberal meeting at the Queen's Hotel as referred to; would not swear to how many were present; there were four kicked against the resolutions passed; I objected to Mr. Farrow's dismissal, as it would mean the removal of the postoffice; I only told Mr. Baeker at the meeting that I was an applicant for the position. Made a copy of the resolution out of my head that night.

Allan Cochrane, Morris, had charge of the Conservative committee room in Brussels during the last election; saw Mr. Farrow three times in ten days; took no part in the work there; thought he was careless as an old politician, and inactive; Liberals occasionally dropped into committee rooms.

B. Gerry, Brussels: Am president of the Conservative Association for East Huron; had superintendence of the committee room in Brussels; saw Mr. Farrow at the rooms twice, but he took no active part; only knew of one meeting held in Brussels to consider the protest against Dr. McDonald. I asked Mr. Farrow to go and he said he would see, but he did not go.

Mr. Denman was recalled and said he was of the impression now that Mr. Farrow was not at the protest meeting in the American Hotel, of which he testified yesterday, and wished to correct the statement.

George Beaker, Brussels, was present at the protest meeting held in town. Mr. Farrow was not there, nor did he remember him being at a meeting to look over voters' lists. Made no threats to boycott witnesses in the enquiry.

W. F. Van Stone, Brussels, did not see Mr. Farrow at the protest meeting at the American Hotel. Mr. Farrow was not at the meeting for the revision of the voters' lists. Mr. Farrow did not attend the convention at Gorrie on May 11. Heard Mr. Farrow's speech at Walton and did not think it partisan. It was not offensive.

E. B. Dickenson, barrister, of Wingham: Was Conservative candidate at the last election in East Huron and spoke at a number of meetings. Mr. Farrow was a speaker at Walton at my request, as my throat failed me owing to five weeks' campaign. Asked Mr. Farrow at the opening of the campaign to speak at meetings and he declined. He spoke at Walton to oblige me. It was a moderate speech. Don't recollect him asking the electors to vote for me. At Brussels his speech was short and dealt largely with provincial politics. Don't think Mr. Farrow's speech won me a vote. Sir James Grant was billed for Brussels, but failed to come and I pressed Mr. Farrow to open the meeting. He spoke twenty minutes. Was at the American Hotel protest meeting. Did not see Mr. Farrow there, nor was he at the meeting last May in Gorrie.

James Bolgar, Morris: Was chairman at the Walton meeting and remembered Mr. Farrow speaking at it. The prosperity of the country was his theme, and he found fault with the penuriousness of the Government. Don't remember him asking electors to vote for Dickenson.

Robert Armstrong, Brussels: I am a Liberal in politics and know Mr. Farrow. I built the postoffice. He is a first-class officer and have heard no complaint against him.

Henry Mooney, Reeve of Morris: Was chairman at the town hall meeting and think Mr. Farrow's interruption was about the close of Mr. Kerr's speech. My opinion was that Mr. Farrow wanted to show by his question that Mr. Laurier's platform was no better than the other party on the temperance question.

Mr. Farrow: Am respondent in this case. I attended Walton after tea. Met W. F. Van Stone and went with him to Walton at his request; would not have gone otherwise. Mr. Denman told me Mr. Dickenson was poorly with his throat and Mr. Dickenson urged me to fill the gap and I did. Am an Englishman and delight in the progress of the country. From my storekeeping experience I showed the difference in prices. Showed my Eaton two-ninety suit. Did not mention the name of either candidate. Made no unfair comparisons, nor did I intend making a party speech. I had no intention of speaking at this meeting, but did so at the request of Mr. Dickenson. Had declined earlier in the campaign to assist. Don't think it was offensively partisan. I spoke for twenty minutes. Did not touch on the N. P., but spoke on provincial affairs and showed their financial standing, and called up the expenditure and debt of the Dominion. Did not denounce Liberal party; made no appeal to electors; was at the committee room twice; rendered no assistance and gave no advice. I asked Mr. Snider to vote for a municipal candidate last January, but he had no vote; don't recollect asking him to vote at the June election; if I said what Snider swore to I said it as a joke. Offered a reward of fifty dollars to anyone who could prove that I canvassed a vote; no one ever came to claim the reward; was at the Morris meeting in 1894 when a Conservative candidate was to be brought out. Had heard my name might be proposed, so went to object to it; five or six were mentioned; said I declined in a short speech, that I considered myself out of politics; don't remember being at a second meeting there; was not at the Morris meeting last May; attended no meeting in Brussels as to the revision of the voters' lists; was not at the meeting asking for the protest against Dr. McDonald, M. P.; don't remember being scrutineer at the McDonald-Holmes election, but acted for a municipal election. Elections are not run here on party lines, as I was elected a school trustee by acclamation. Had been asked to do some canvassing for the Conservative party, but declined even to influence some of my relatives who voted for Dr. McDonald. Have been postmaster for seven years and have had no complaints as to my work. I built a convenient postoffice here. My position is a matter of importance to me at my time of life.

An adjournment was made for supper.

The evening session did not open until nearly 9 p.m., when Mr. Blair proceeded with the cross-examination of Mr. Farrow, but nothing new was brought out.

J. J. Denman swore he asked Mr. Farrow to attend a meeting at Sperain's school house, but he declined to go and said it was too far.

Alex Ross, deputy postmaster, had been in the office for four years. Mr. Farrow attended to business as regularly as usual during the election campaign. All parties were treated alike at the office. My politics is Liberal. Attended a jollification in honor of Dr. McDonald's election. Mr. Farrow did not bring me to task for it.

Other unimportant evidence was taken. There was no argument by the counsel engaged.

Barrister Lazier returned thanks for the courtesy shown him and for the good order. He did not know what the result would be, but, as far as he was concerned, the decision would be given on the evidence produced; no political bias would influence him in arriving at conclusions. He did not believe in Government officials taking part in elections except to vote. He had been grossly maligned over the last election by newspapers, and, while many editors said what was square many others did not. He hoped this investigation would be taken as a warning for all time to come. This was his first visit to Brussels and he hoped it would be the last on any such mission.

OVER THE SPUR LINE.

First Train Over the Link That is to Furnish Another Railroad Between Hamilton and Toronto.

Hamilton, Dec. 16.—(Special.)—The connection between the T., H. and B. spur and the Grand Trunk main line has been completed and the first train was run over the Desjardins Canal bridge and onto the tracks of the older road this morning. The completion of the spur connecting the main lines of the T., H. and B. and G. T. R. is in accordance with the conditions of the agreement entered into between the Canadian Pacific, as lessees of the T., H. and B., and the management of the Grand Trunk, and signalizes an important epoch in the railway history of Hamilton.

A number of prominent railroad men were present at this informal opening, among them being the following, who reached this city by special train shortly after 11 o'clock: Sir William Van Horne, President of the C. P. R.; President Ledyard of the Michigan Central Railway, General Superintendent E. VanEtten of the New York Central, R. H. L'Hommedieu, general superintendent of the M. C. R.; Thomas Tait, Assistant General Manager of the C. P. R.; J. W. Leonard, General Superintendent of the C. P. R.; N. Kingsmill, Q. C., Toronto, solicitor for the C. P. R.; O. W. Ruggles, General Passenger Agent of the C. P. R.; Chief Engineer Torey of the M. C. R., Chief Engineer Peterson of the C. P. R., Col. Pope, Boston; H. D. Hyde, Boston, director of the T., H. and B.; H. P. Dwight, Toronto; Senator Meinnes, this city, director of the C. P. R.; J. N. Beckley, President of the T., H. and B.; F. S. Upton, J. N. Young, H. Carscallen, Q. C., solicitor of the T., H. and B.; J. G. Shewan, secretary of Thomas Tate, and C. R. Smith.

Chauncey M. Depew, President of the New York Central, had been expected to be present, but he found it impossible to tear himself away from the cares of business.

The party went over the spur line to the G. T. R. connection and seemed thoroughly pleased with the appearance of all they saw. They declined to state, however, when the regular running of trains to Toronto would begin, further than that the details would all be shortly arranged at New York city.

The distinguished gentlemen did not remain beyond half an hour in the city, and proceeded immediately on their journey to Waterford, where at 3.30 o'clock several of the party repaired to New York, where they will arrange the details of the transfer of the T., H. and B. Railway to the Michigan Central and Canadian Pacific Companies. While in the city Sir William Van Horne took occasion to pronounce his reported resignation from the presidency of the C. P. R. as entirely groundless.

REV. A. M. PHILLIPS DEAD.

The Well-Known Methodist Minister Passed Away Last Evening—Sketch of His Career.

Montreal, Dec. 16.—(Special.)—Rev. A. M. Phillips of the Douglas Methodist Church and formerly of Toronto and Brampton, died this evening, aged 59 years. He was born in Prince Edward County. The remains will leave her Friday morning, and will be buried in Toronto. Deceased was pastor of St. Paul's, Brampton, Euclid-avenue and Avenue-road churches, Toronto.

Mr. Phillips was a Canadian, the son of a United Empire Loyalist. He began life as a school teacher, subsequently entering Victoria College, where he graduated in divinity in 1873, in which year he was ordained. His ministerial work has been spread over a wide area, embracing Sombra, Sarnia, Oil Springs, Chatham, St. Thomas, Galt, St. Mary's and Toronto. His activity in many spheres was marked. He was the first secretary of the Theological Union, from which sprung The Methodist Quarterly, which Mr. Phillips edited. He filled various posts in temperance organizations. He was formerly chairman of the St. Mary's district and secretary of the Conference Board of Examiners. He was also College Examiner in Hebrew and Old Testament exegesis. Whilst in charge of Euclid-avenue Church, Toronto, a charge of heresy was preferred against him, but the Committee of Enquiry found that in his broad church views he had not exceeded Methodist liberty.

SHERMAN NOT IN IT.

Can Be More Good in the Senate Than in the Cabinet A Horde of Place Hunters.

Canton, O., Dec. 16.—It is now known that Senator John Sherman will not be a member of the Cabinet. His feeling is that he can be of more service to Major McKinley's Administration and to the Republican party by remaining in the Senate, and he will be a candidate for re-election.

Mark Hanna said to a friend to-day that more than 5000 citizens of Ohio had filed applications for appointments to Federal office under the McKinley Administration.

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built me up and restored my health so that, although the doctor said I would not be able to work hard, I have since done the work for 20 people. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured my husband of the boils, and we regard it a wonderful medicine." MRS. ANNA PETERSON, Latimer, Kansas.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1896.

NORTH MONAGHAN.

Evening Meeting of West Peterborough Farmers' Institute Held at North Monaghan on Tuesday Night.

A well attended evening session of leading farmers was held at the town hall, North Monaghan. Mr. Collins, President, in the chair, made a brief addresss.

Mr. H. D. Williamson gave a well received cornet solo.

Mr. McNeil, of Windsor, gave an interesting address on the "Social Side of Life." He dwelt on the importance of farmers cultivating the social instinct by frequent meetings to enjoy games, chat and other amusements. Mr. McNeil closed with the broad statement that farmers have the best opportunities for success, of any other class, on the farm.

Mr. Benson's comic song in costume was loudly encored and he responded.

Mr. Thos. A. Duff, of Toronto, gave an address on "Canada our Home." Canadians were justly proud of their country. Ontario was described as the most fertile agricultural country on the continent. Our thrift, energy and industry, and the natural advantages of the soil have placed us in the front rank in agricultural matters. For instance, Canadians captured $900 of the $953 offered in prizes at the New York horse show, and Canadians brought back $1,100 out of the $1,200 offered in prizes at the poultry show in the same city, besides two pianos offered as premiums. Canada was no longer regarded as a country of frost and snow, but had one of the finest climates and was one of the finest farming countries in the world. In conclusion Mr. Dent pointed out the advantage of the Agricultural College and of Farmers' Institutes.

Mr. Williamson contributed another fine cornet solo.

Mr. Elliott, of Galt, spoke on Economy. He began by pointing out the economy involved in furnishing comfortable housing shelter and inside water for stock. He showed the waste of leaving implements lying loose about fields during the winter. A good education is good economy, but the trend of our education to send sons off the farms was to be deplored. Our aim in education should be to give practical knowledge, such as would instil a taste for farm life.

Mr. Benson gave another of his side-splitting character songs, and Miss Dearborn, of Oshawa, closed the programme with a splendid reading.

Council Meeting.

The council met at the town Hall at one o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 15th December, pursuant to the statutes, all the members present, the reeve, Mr. Jos. Forster, presiding. The minutes of the meeting of Nov. 6, 1896, were read.

On motion of Messrs. Hunter and May, the figures $20.50, in paragraph No. 7, page 243, minutes of Nov. 6th, were struck out and the figures $23 substituted therefor, and as this carried the minutes were confirmed.

From Mr. McIntosh, commissioner on digging drain and grading on quarter line in con. 9, reporting the work done in a satisfactory manner, and certifying to accounts for same as follows:—Jas. Boyd, 3 days, $3.00; J. W. Taylor, 3 days and team, $7.50; J. Armstrong, 3 days and team, $7.50; J. McIntosh, 4 days and team, $10.00; R. Coin, 2 days and team, $5.00.

Mr. Forster, for Finance Committee, reported in conjunction with clerk having issued an order for the sum of $200 to retire note due Dec. 3, 1896, and also for the purpose of supplying funds to pay pay-sheet No. 1, in Commutation Fund, until the collector makes sufficient returns—having borrowed the sum of $200 for one month: also an examination of certified accounts filed by Mr. McIntosh for work done on the fourth line. We have issued orders in payment thereof. We have also issued an order for the sum of $4 to J. Boyd for underbrushing on fourth line on certificate of J. Johnston, pathmaster. Of all of which I would respectfully ask your approval.

J. FORSTER, Reeve.

A communication was read from W. J. Payne regarding wrong assessment for a dog in 1895, and asking to have his statute labour expended next year in front of his lot. No action was taken re dog, and statute labour application left over. A communication was read from Mr. J. F. Poulsom, complaining of a pond of water requiring proper drainage in front of his lot.—Referred, and clerk instructed to notify Mr. Poulsom that no action can be taken in regard to the matter this fall.

From T. Bradburn, enclosing financial statement of the treasurer for 1896, as required, received and referred to clerk to have 150 copies posted and distributed.

Moved by Mr. May and Mr. Hunter, that the report of Mr. McIntosh and Mr. Foster be received, and the transactions as therein detailed are hereby confirmed—Carried.

The following

ACCOUNTS

were presented:

A McDonald, material for culvert, per McIntosh and Johnston	$ 6 95
Jas M Davidson, as saitary inspector	5 00
Jas M Davidson, filling in wash-out on drain road	3 25
Jos Patton, 2 stone hammers per May and Johnston	2 40
W Clark, work in S con, certificate of A Laing	2 50
Jos Thompson, work on S con, certificate of A Laing	2 50
Alex Laing, pathmaster, work on 8th con	2 50
Saml Thompson, 1 day work with team on road grader on Div. No 10	2 00
Chas Fisher, 5½ days breaking stones on Commutation Dist	5 00
D Johnston, putting in culvert on drain road	1 00
W West, 4 days breaking stone on drain road	4 00
G W Bennett, disbursements, postage and service of notice re widening road between pks 5 and 6, con 11 and publishing minutes 1896	10 12
R Sanderson, supplying material and repairing town hall floor	3 00

Moved by Mr. May and Mr. Hunter, that the accounts, as presented, be passed.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. McIntosh and Mr. Johnston, that the statement showing that the sum of $65.60 had been paid for local witnesses on sewer arbitration be received, and an order drawn in favour of Jos. Forster for the above amount of disbursement.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Hunter and Mr. McIntosh that F. Brown be refunded $1 for wrongful assessment for statute labour in 1896.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. McIntosh and Mr. May, that the account of the county treasurer for interest on overdue county rates as presented at a former meeting be accepted and an order drawn in favour of Joseph Forster for $49.99 with which to pay the same.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Johnston and Mr. McIntosh, that Mr. H. Rush be granted $12.50, one-half the amount required to purchase a road allowance of park lot 21, township lot 12, concession 11, along G. T. R. track to connect Erskine avenue with McKellar street.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Johnston and May that Mr. T. Hooper be empowered to employ men and teams and to employ men and teams and to draw sand and gravel, the road designated "Loop Line extension" and also that each man and team be paid at rate of 25c per hour and men shovelling at rate of 10c per hour.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. McIntosh and Johnston that this council deeply regret the loss by fire suffered by A. Dobbin on the night of Dec. 3rd and hereby authorize the remission of his taxes for 1896.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. McIntosh and Hunter that the account of W. Campbell for shovelling and R. Colin for recovering culvert on quarter line, in concession nine, be paid as soon as properly certified and filed.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Hunter and McIntosh that Mr. Johnston be empowered to purchase 100 lbs. flour charity for W. Close.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Johnston and May that the taxes of W. Close for 1896 be remitted.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. May and Mr. Johnston, that the reeve and councillors McIntosh and Hunter be a committee empowered to purchase chairs for the town hall.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. May and Mr. Johnston, that the reeve and each councillor be paid $4 each as last year's salary, and $10 each for committee work 1896, and also that the clerk's half yearly salary and the caretaker's salary and account for oil, etc., 1896, be paid.—Carried.

On motion, Bylaw No. 430, naming town hall as place of nomination meeting at the hour of one o'clock p.m., and J. J. Bennett and W. W. Mabee as D. R. Os. to hold the election for 1897, was introduced and passed.

On motion of Mr. Johnston and Mr. May Council adjourned until Saturday, 19th Dec., to meet in treasurer's office at 2 p.m. for purpose of passing bylaw to widen street between park lots 5 and 6, lot 13, con 11.—Carried.

It is often a mystery how a cold has been "caught." The fact is, however, that when the blood is poor and the system depressed, one becomes peculiarly liable to diseases. When the appetite or the strength fails, Ayer's Sarsaparilla should be taken without delay.

NORWOOD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.

Last Friday the closing exercises of the Model School were held in the town hall. W. H. Stephenson occupied the chair. The programme consisted of choruses, solos, duets, recitations, etc., and selections by the Model School orchestra. The special feature of the entertainment was Dr. O'Hagen in his vocal interpretation of literature. Mrs. Perney sang a solo in her usual pleasing style. Miss Roxburgh and Mr. Porter sang a duet.

Miss E. Lewis, of Orono was visiting friends in town a few days last week.

Misses L. Chandler and M. Eaton and Mr. J. E. Roxburgh were the delegates to the Presbyterian young people's rally held in Peterborough, Monday.

The Model School has closed for this term and those who have been in attendance have all left the village for their homes.

The mangement of the rink expect to have ice by the end of the week.

The Norwood Hockey Club have entered a team in the junior league.

Miss Roxburgh, of Keene, was visiting her parents a few days last week.

Miss A. Fraser, of Norwood, read the valedictory for the Model class this year.

Miss Blanch Pearce returned this week from visiting friends in Toronto.

Our merchants are preparing for their Christmas trade.

Messrs. Kirkpatrick and Buck have bought out the business of J. D. Richardson. The new firm expect to open for business in a few days.

Messrs. H. G. Buck and R. J. Stuart are candidates for the reeveship this year.

INJURY AND NEGLECT.

He Failed in Health and Strength—His Kidneys Ached and he Took Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Deseronto, Dec. 14 (Special)—Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. James Stokes, who for the past fifteen years has been shipper for the Rathbun Company.

Lately he had run down in health and strength to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now as the result of using Dodd's Kidney Pills is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes he said:—

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YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The roads are in good condition once more.

Mr. W. C. Young has a number of men taking out wood about four miles north of the Point.

The Young's Point Dramatic Club is holding a concert in Mr. Heard's hall on Christmas night. The programme will consist of songs, dialogues, recitations, etc, the whole to conclude with a laughable farce entitled "Stage-struck Yankee."

Good skating on the lake here.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years, he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich, red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice, it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

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While we are planning to double our capacity we want to clear the goods out of the way rapidly, and for this purpose have started a

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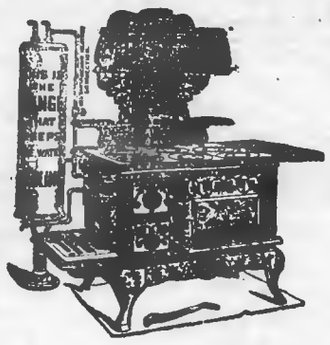

and all and every one of our splendid line of Buck's Stoves must be moved out by customers, who wish to take them away, at about their own prices. The store and the storey above are both full of them. Thirty days will hustle them all out if the people know a good thing when they see it.

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—New Oranges, —Cranberries,

RELISHES

—New Canadian Club House Cheese,
—Heinz's German Relishes,
—Curtis' Grec. Catsups,
—Curtis' Preserved Fruits,
—English Worcestershire Sauce.
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Has Not Yet Been Taken Over by the Government.

BUT WORK IS BEING DONE UPON IT

Hundreds of Tons of Canadian Flour Ordered in Australia—It is Shipped to Hong Kong and From There to Sydney and Queensland—News From Ottawa.

Ottawa, Dec. 16—(Special)—So far no formal transfer of the Baie des Chaleurs Railway to the Dominion authorities has taken place, but the company are putting the road in condition to be operated this winter. Heretofore the Baie des Chaleurs has been run merely as a summer route, so that considerable improvement will require to be done to get the line into shape for winter traffic. The cost of keeping this road open during the winter months will add considerably to the expenditure of the Intercolonial system, on account of the great depth of snow which prevails throughout the district which it traverses.

In a recent interview Mr. John Mather of the Lake of the Woods Milling Co. stated that large consignments the company's flour were being sent direct to the Australasian markets. Since then it has been learned that the company has engaged space for 500 tons of flour on each of the C.P.R. steamers, leaving Vancouver for Hong-Kong for the three months ending with March. The flour will be reshipped at Hong-Kong for Sydney and Queensland. The steamer Warrimoo took 20 tons of flour and 10 tons of hops for Australia on her last clearance from Victoria.

Captain Spain, R.N., will leave to-morrow for Owen Sound to conduct an investigation into a collision which took place last summer between the cruiser Petrel and a merchant vessel in the St. Clair Canal. The damage resulting from the collision was inconsequential, but the Minister considered that an enquiry was desirable under the circumstances.

Six dollars and thirty cents in conscience money reached the Controller of Customs to-day through the usual confidential channel of Her Majesty's mails. A slip of paper accompanying the cash informed the department that it represented the duty at twenty per cent. upon a consignment of "seven revolvers at $4.50 each." The duty was neatly figured out at $6.30, and appended to the statement were the simple words; "Conscience money."

Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. T. W. Scott and Mr. C. R. Devlin, M. P., left for Cornwall to-day. The Premier speaks at Cornwall to-night and at Moose Creek to-morrow. The contest is said to be so close that betting is about even. Mr. Devlin is taking the place of Solicitor-General Fitzpatrick, who is in the west.

Hon. L. H. Davies, since his arrival on the Pacific coast, has been busy examining the signal stations and lighthouses and enquiring into the necessity for new structures. Mr. Davies left for the east to-day.

Their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberdeen, accompanied by Lady Marjorie Gordon, the Hon. Archie Gordon and Capt. Sinclair, the Governor-General's secretary, are now on their way from the west and are expected to reach Ottawa to-morrow afternoon, proceeding by a later train the same evening to Montreal for a few hours' stay there, and returning to Ottawa on Friday for the winter.

Mme. Albani and her company appeared in the opera house to-night to a large and fashionable audience. The diva was never in better voice.

The temporary staff in the Government service will be paid on Dec. 23. An order-in-council has been passed permitting this.

The Department of the Interior has prepared a return showing that 1400 homestead entries were made, representing 4174 persons, against 1950 entries in 1895, representing 5689 persons. In 1896, 40 entries were made by returned Canadians from the United States, against 88 in 1895.

Archbishop Langevin passed through the city to-day on his way to Montreal to visit Mgr. Fabre, who is dying. The Archbishop spent a few hours with Archbishop Duhamel at the Palace.

The Kingfisher, the last of the fisheries protection fleet, has gone into winter quarters, having escorted the American fishing fleet away from our coasts.

Of all the nerve-tonics—bromos, celeries or nervines—your doctor will tell you that the Hypophosphites are best understood. So thoroughly related is the nervous system to disease that some physicians prescribe Hypophosphites alone in the early stages of Consumption. Scott's Emulsion is Cod-liver Oil, emulsified, with the Hypophosphites, happily blended. The result of its use is greater strength and activity of the brain, the spinal cord and the nerves.

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SUICIDE AT WINNIPEG.

Ernie Butler, Formerly of Toronto, Quarrels With His Wife and Takes a Dose of Carbolic Acid.

Winnipeg, Dec. 16.—(Special.)—Ernie Butler, a prominent and popular young Winnipegger, has suicided. He was a nephew of Mr. Hammond of Osler & Hammond, financial firm, Toronto, and came here from Toronto several years ago, being connected with prominent families there. A year or so ago he met a young Englishwoman, Mrs. Gillingham, who was then seeking a divorce in Dakota. When she obtained the divorce Butler married her, and a few weeks ago a child was born to them. One day last week the young couple had their first quarrel, and it deeply affected the young husband. He went to his office, arranged carefully all his affairs, and then procured a dose of carbolic acid. Engaging an apartment at a city hotel, he there took the deadly dose. He died in great agony early this morning. To-morrow the body will be taken to Toronto for interment.

Frank Maxwell of Winnipeg, teacher of languages, last night attempted to force his way into the residence of his wife, from whom he had been separated for a year. The woman seized a dipper full of boiling lye and dashed it in Maxwell's face. If he recovers he will likely be sightless and will certainly be terribly disfigured. Both are well known in the city. Maxwell says he visited his wife on her invitation.

W. W. Ogilvie, the milling king, who is visiting here to-day, sent his cheque to the Winnipeg Hospital for $1000 and to St. Boniface Hospital for $500.

Premier Greenway left for Ottawa to-day. Hon. Mr. Sifton goes to-morrow.

F. W. Ferguson has resigned as liquidator of the defunct Commercial Bank. I. M. Ross succeeds him. The cost of liquidation to date has been $96,000.

The Mate Was Lost

Nantasket, Mass., Dec. 16.—A three-masted schooner, name unknown, came ashore on the beach back of the Surfside House this afternoon. The crew of the life saving station rescued the vessel's crew with the exception of the mate, who was lost.

The Best Remedy For Corns

Is Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Rapid, painless, its action is a marvel to all who have tried it. Fancy getting rid of painful corns in twenty-our hours. "Putnam's" does it.

TOOK ROUGH ON RATS.

A Methodist Preacher and His Family and Guests Had a Narrow Escape.

St, Louis, Dec. 15.—Rev. Barada McKane, pastor of the Rock Springs M.E. Church, and his wife and 6-year-old son, with Yampey Henry and R. W. Everett, friends of the family, were poisoned while eating supper last night, and the condition of Rev. Mr. McKane and Mr. Everett is critical. An examination showed that they were suffering from a dose of "Rought on Rats," which is supposed to have been accidentally mixed with the potatoes while they were being prepared for the meal by the wife of the minister.

WEYLER DENIES IT.

Says Maceo Was Killed in Battle and He Can Prove It.

New York, Dec. 15.—The World publishes a despatch from Havana, signed by Captain-General Weyler, in which that officer states that Maceo's death was due to the feeble state of the insurgent bands at Havana. He says Maceo placed himself at the head of these bands, and his death was the result. He denies that Maceo was ambushed. He says he can prove that Maceo died in action, and points to the fact that the insurgents were strong enough to re-take the bodies of Maceo and young Gomes. He denies that Maceo was en route to hold a conference with him. He gives two reasons to prove that such was not the case: First, that, being in the Province of Pinar del Rio, he could not summon Maceo to the Province of Havana; second, that, knowing the desperate situation that Maceo was in in Pinar del Rio, he (Weyler) would not be so innocent as to agree to a conference with Maceo, where the latter would be out of the trocha.

Key West, Fla., Dec. 15.—Havana advices state that on Dec. 10 the rebels entered Placites, the most important town in Santa Clara Province, remaining from 7 p.m. until 4 a.m. They sacked the stores, but burned no houses. Twenty Spaniards were killed. The rebels were commanded by Chico Montiagudo, and it is said he entered the town without resistance on account of the officers of the garrison being relatives of some of the insurgents.

Every person who is deprived of outdoor air and exercise should take Miller's Compound Iron Pills. They keep the bowels regular and tone up the nervous system. 50 doses for 25 cents. Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

CRESPO CALLS IN GUNS.

Venezuela's President is Apparently in Fear of a Revolution Citizens Must be Unarmed

Caracas, Venezuela, via Hayti, Dec. 16.—A decree has just been issued ordering private citizens owning arms and ammunition to deposit them at the Ministry of the Interior. The time set by the decree will expire on the day that Congress convenes. Much comment has been caused by this action of the executive. It has not developed whether it was due to a fear of a revolution as the outcome of the hostility to Crespo on account of his willingness to agree to the Olney-Pauncefote arbitration treaty.

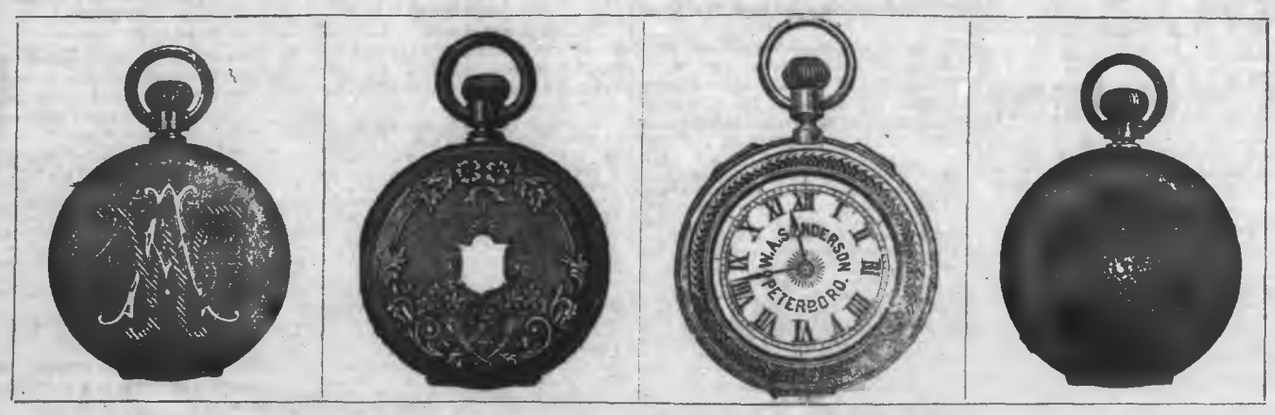
What Wool Growers Want.

Washington, Dec. 16.—The National Wool Growers' Association of the United States met at the Ebbitt House to-night and adopted resolutions opposing the passage of the Dingley bill unless these amendments are incorporated therein: First, removing the provision that the law shall continue until 1898, and second, that the duties on woolen shoddies, wastes and other wool substitutes shall be practically prohibitory.

The association also passed resolutions urging Congress to incorporate in any tariff bill that may be passed this session or next the wool schedules adopted by the Wool Growers' Association at its meeting held in Washington in December, 1895.

Two Children Burned to Death.

Windsor, N. S., Dec. 16.—At Wentworth, near Windsor, this morning Frederick Cochrane's house was destroyed by fire and his two children, aged two and four years, were burned to death. Cochrane had gone to work and Mrs. Cochrane was outside milking a cow when the fire occurred, the supposed cause being the upsetting of a lighted lamp.



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Elegant Banquet Lamps,
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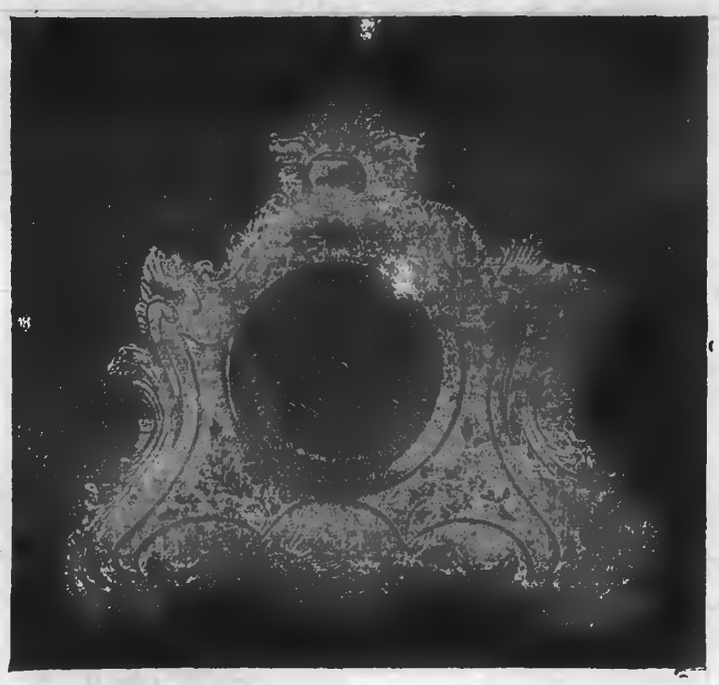

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—Initial Silk Handkerchiefs.
—Reindeer Gloves, Aug ra lined.
—Kid Gloves, lined and unlined.
—Dressing Jackets
—Silk Umbrellas, Silver Mantled tight rolling, with silk or leather covers.
—White Silk Handkerchiefs.
—White Dress Shirts.
—New Collars and Cuffs.
—White and Coloured Sweaters.
—Hockey Stockings.
—Fancy Velvet and Corduroy Vests
—Silk Embroidered Suspenders.
—Natural Wool and Fine Scotch Underwear.
—Men's Good Wearing Ulsters from $5.00 up.
—Men's Fine Suits from $3.75 up.
—Boys' Ulsters from $2.50 and up.
—Boys' Fine Suits all reduced in price

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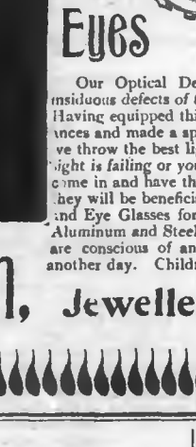

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to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.00, now $ 75
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.25, now 1 00
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.75, now 1 25
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2 00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $3.50, now 2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 60
Lacing Gloves..... were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour d..... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves, in black and coloured..... were $1 25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves .... were $1 25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose..... were 30c, now 20c
Higher Grades at Cost.
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 20c, now 15c
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To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

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Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Goods were Slaughtered

Last night at the auction sale. This is one chance of a life time. Come and see for yourself. Newton's old stand.

Suicide of Ernie Butler.

A reference is made on the third page to the suicide of Ernie Butler. He will be remembered by many as the clerk at the Grand Central Hotel here some years ago.

Notice.

All persons indebted to Mr. R. Nimmo, dentist, are respectfully requested to settle their accounts without further notice. After the 31st Dec. his solicitors will be instructed to collect over-due accounts. 3d

Children's Aid Society.

The agent of the Children's Aid Society states that he has three little girls who are badly in need of clothing, being unable to attend school on account of their need. Their ages range from three to ten years.

Children Free.

Adams & Son's Co., 11 and 13 Jarvis street, Toronto, Ont., are sending out some very handsome paper dolls with moveable heads and bodies. They send a set of sixteen for nine cents in stamps, or a sample one for the children free.

Marks Bros.

"Counterfeiters" was put on by the above Company to a good house last night. The story of rustic life seems to be just as popular as ever. It pictures life in old England in a manner that is always pleasing. To-night—"An Irish Hero."

St. Joseph's Christmas Tree.

The public are reminded that the Christmas Tree entertainment, under the auspices of the Sisters of St. Joseph, will be held in the Catholic Association rooms, Cox block, on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons and evenings, Dec. 22nd and 23rd. Admission 10 cents. Those desiring luncheon can procure it for 15 cents. 3d

The Banquet to Senator Cox.

The banquet to be given to Hon. Senator Cox, in recognition of the honour conferred by his elevation to the Senate, takes place at the Oriental Hotel to-night. All the arrangements are complete, and the indications are that the banquet will be the grandest occasion of the kind which has ever taken place in Peterborough. The prominent public men who have accepted invitations to be present, will give a large importance to the addresses to be delivered.

An Old Landmark.

The great house at corner of Elizabeth and Lake streets, Ashburnham, erected over *fifty* years ago, will soon disappear, as the property is to be sold by auction. A new plate glass front grocery will no doubt go up in its stead, as the site is the best in the village. A peculiarity of the place is that all traffic east of the river concentrates at and is compelled to pass that corner. Many attempts have been made to buy the property, but the Ellsworth family held on to it, knowing its value. Mr. Cahill offered $3,000 for it but the offer was refused. Death, however, makes many changes and now it is offered in five parcels, which will no doubt be eagerly sought after.

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DIPHTHERIA IN THE NORTH COUNTRY.

The Disease has Spread from the Lumber Camps.

There has been an outbreak of diphtheria in five or six different townships in the northern part of this and the adjoining counties. The disease is traced directly to the lumber camps, from which patients have been sent to their homes, and thus the infection spread into the townships named. The Provincial Health authorities have been advised of the state of affairs and have taken prompt measures to prevent any further developments. The lumber camps have been rigidly inspected, and all possible precautions taken. The owners of camps have had their duty in the premises very strongly impressed upon them, and will no doubt be more careful in the future. Diphtheria is something like a forest fire; if taken at the start and isolated it will be confined to the place of origin, and can be easily controlled.

CANADIAN FORESTRY.

Progress Already Made by Court Forest Queen.

Court Forest Queen, No. 634, C.O.F., has had two field nights this week.

On Monday evening twenty-three new members were installed into the Court by the fine degree team of Court Peterborough, which took up the floor work of the new ritual, and conducted the imposing ceremony in an admirable manner. The attendance was very large, a number of visitors being present from sister lodges. Enthusiasm ran high during the evening and several hours passed very enjoyably.

Last evening this new and prosperous young court held its election of officers, resulting as follows :

Bro W J Wattam.....Past Chief Ranger
" J Crane.....Chief Ranger
" J Smith.....Vice Chief Ranger
" Ald Terrill.....Rec Sec
" R A W Hay.....Fin Sec
" James C Best.....Chaplain
" W Pringle.....Treas
" Daniel Mennie.....Sr Woodward
" H W Morphe.....Jr Woodward
" W H Sowland.....Sr Beadle
" S Bellegham.....Jr Beadle
" Dr Eastwood.....Ex Physicians
" Dr McCullough.....Ex Physicians
" Duncan Davidson.....Trustees
" R H Kells.....Trustees
" A E Dixon.....Trustees
" W L Saltch.....Auditor

At the conclusion of the election a candidate was initiated who was unable to be present on Monday evening when the big catch was put through.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

Arrangement for Evangelistic Meetings in February.

The Ministerial Association of Peterborough has arranged the meetings during the week of prayer, beginning January 4th, as follows :—

Monday—St. Andrew's church—"Church and Missions;" speaker, Rev. A. T. Bickman.
Tuesday—Charlotte street church—"The Home;" speaker, Rev. J. G. Potter. Mark street, Ashburnham—"The Home;" speaker, Rev. Dr. Torrance.
Wednesday—George street church—"Institutions—Charitable, speaker, Rev. J. J. Rae.
Thursday—St. Paul's church—"Institutions—Educational;" speaker, Rev. W. R. Young.
Friday—Murray street Baptist church—"Social Reform;" speaker, Rev. W. C. Beer."

Definite arrangements have also been made with Evangelist H. L. Gale, whose services are said to have been eminently blessed in many quarters throughout Canada and United States. These meetings will be held during the month of February and will be immediately followed by the opening of the new Y.M.C.A.

MIDLAND CENTRAL POULTRY ASSOCIATION.

The Fruits of the Holding of the Farmers' Institute—Officers Elected.

At the conclusion of the Farmers' Institute meeting in the county council chamber on Tuesday, a number of gentlemen who were interested in poultry, remained and had an interview with Mr. T. A. Duff, of Toronto, who was one of the delegates, and one of the leading poultry men on this continent. It was decided to form a poultry association, and the following provisional officers were elected :

President—J. Fred Davidson.
Vice-President—Geo. Pratley.
Secretary-Treasurer—Wm. Collins.
Directors—Messrs. Jno. A. Davidson, H. Lush, Smith Milburn and J. Dormer.

A meeting will be held in on Wednesday, 23rd, at 7.30 p.m., for more complete organisation. Everyone who takes an interest in poultry and their product are cordially invited to attend and join the association.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Union No. 47, of the Tailors Hold a Meeting.

The local Tailors' Union held its annual meeting last night, at which there was an unusually large and enthusiastic attendance. The following officers were chosen :

M Hickey.....President
F English.....Vice President
A Picard.....Cor Secretary
J McAuliffe.....Fin Secretary
D O'Connell.....Treasurer
E Hickey.....Sergeant-at-Arms
R Fitzgerald and W Stinson.....Auditors

Grafton & Co's. for all Xmas Presents.

Xmas Rush.

The trade this year for Xmas fruits has been exceptionally good with Mason & Co. and is accounted for by the fine clean goods they are sending out. If you desire the best value in holiday requirements try MASON & Co., 429—431 George street.

Christmas Ale and Porter.

Special brewings of Cristmas stock now ready at reduced prices to private families during the holidays. Kegs, $1.25; quarter, $1.75; one-third, $2 50. Bottles, 12 to doz, $1.00 Terms Cash. H. CALCUTT, brewer and maister. Telephone 98.

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Great Excitement.

Special sale to-night of gold and silver watches, diamonds, jewelry, silverware, fancy goods, musical instruments, opera and field glasses and Christmas novelties, at H. Newton's old stand. Private sale during the day. Auction sale to-night at 7.30, and every night this week. Charles Stapleton, auctioneer.

English Peels.

With our fine stock of New Xmas Groceries have arrived
CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S
Celebrated English Peels, Lemon, Orange and Citron—extra quality.
ALEX. ELLIOTT.

Ladies and Gentlemen, too, who desire to make a particularly happy hit in the way of a Present are advised to stop at MISS MELVILLE'S FANCY GOODS STORE, 424 George Street. Save you much thinking.

AUTUMN SITTINGS.

The Court Adjourned Yesterday Afternoon.

The docket was cleared yesterday afternoon at the Autumn sittings and Justice MacMahon has returned to Toronto. Judgment has been reserved in a great many of the cases.

Henderson vs. Henderson was an action by the executors of the late David Henderson, of Otonabee, to recover the possession of the west half of lot 13, in the ninth concession of Otonabee, devised to them trust under the will of Mr. Henderson. An action had been brought by the plaintiffs against Mrs. Robert Henderson, which was heard on the 19th March, 1895, when Justice Street gave judgment to the plaintiffs. The defendants appealed to the Divisional Court, which was divided in opinion, Justices Robertson and Ferguson holding that the defendant was entitled to the lands, while Justice Meredith took an opposite view. The majority being in favour of the defendant, the judgement of the trial judge was set aside. The plaintiffs then appealed to the Court of Appeal of four judges, and on June 30th, 1896, a unanimous judgment was given holding that the plaintiffs were entitled to the land and the trial judge's judgment was restored. Upon proceeding to enforce this judgment a claim was set up in behalf of Mosie Henderson, a daughter of the defendant. Mrs. Henderson then gave up possession, but left here little daughter there in charge of her uncle, Mr. G. Helson. And this action was then commenced by the plaintiffs in the former action against the daughter. At the present trial the same evidence was adduced with some additional evidence as on the former trial and, in order to save time, the printed evidence used in the Court of Appeal in the former action was put in to be read by the judge, and to give him an opportunity of doing so, judgment was reserved. George H. Watson, Q.C., and L. M. Hayes for the plaintiffs, David and John Henderson; and E. B. Edwards for the defendant, Mosie Henderson.

Roy vs. G.T.R. Co.—Mr. R. M. Roy was engaged by Mr. Hannaford, Chief Engineer of the G.T.R. Co., to act in the capacity of tie inspector at a salary of $500. Mr. Roy's salary increased from time to time until 1884 when it amounted to $1,000 per annum. At that time the tie and lumber department was transferred from the Chief Engineer's into the store department under the charge of Mr. John Taylor, who in 1889, recommended an increase of salary of $200 a year, which was duly approved. On the 14th of May last Mr. Roy received notice from the company that his services would be dispensed with on the 31st of the month, and he was offered his salary up to 15th of June. This he declined to accept, contending that he was entitled to proper notice, which could only take effect on 1st March, 1897—the end of this year. The company refused to acknowledge his position and the present action was consequently brought to recover $1,000 damages for wrongful dismissal made up of 9 months' salary at the rate of $1,200 a year, together with the value of full allowance to which he was entitled. The evidence was all taken, except that which had been taken under commission in London, England, which has not been returned. The trial has been adjourned until the return of the commission and is to be finished in Toronto some time in Christmas week. A. P. Poussette, Q.C., for the plaintiff; B. B. Osler, Q.C., and John Bell, Q.C., for the Grand Trunk railway.

Brasley vs. Brasley—Action brought by Wm. Brasley against J. J. Brasley to recover possession of a house and lot on Water street. The land was formerly owned by the late Charles Brasley, who died in July, 1895, and by his will devised the land to the plaintiff. The defendant went into possession as tenant of Charles Brasley and afterwards refused to give up possession.

Judgment for the plaintiff for possession of the land with costs of action. Dennistoun, Peck & Stevenson for plaintiff; Jas. J. Brasley for defendant in person.

Fordham vs. Scarlett.—Settled out of court. Stratton & Hall for plaintiff; J. E. Hellwell for defendant.

Aunger vs. Boyd.—Action regarding the fixing of a side line. The plaintiff claimed $200 for damage to his property by the defendant and the costs of the action. John Burnham, Q.C., for the plaintiff, E. B. Edwards for the defendant. Judgment reserved.

PERSONAL.

Miss O'Sullivan is reported to be very low to-day. Her recovery is almost despaired of.

Rev. W. L. Armitage arrived in town last evening to assume his duties in connection with St. John's church.

Mr. D. A. McFee and family, who have been visiting friends in this vicinity, returned to their home, Lennox, Iowa, this morning.

The marriage in England yesterday of Miss Mamie Dennistoun appears to be exciting great social interest in Toronto. The daily papers publish pleasing references to the affair.

Messrs. Connal, Ferguson, Burnham and McKibbon, are all home for the holidays from McGill University. On the occasion of the visit of the McGill Glee Club on New Years they will be tendered a reception by the above named young gentlemen at the Huffman House.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Lindsay is enjoying curling already.

—The roads are again in shape, and it is in order for one more "last ride of the season."

—Oak Hall has just put in two large new plate glass windows, replacing two which were cracked.

—Wm. Long, and Alf. Stewart, two vags, were ordered to get out of town by the Magistrate this morning.

—James Johnston, a tramp, was sentenced to a month in gaol by the magistrate this morning. He was begging in the stores, and because he met with a refusal from Messrs. Clark & Gibson, he was going to throw a stone through the plate glass window.

—The EXAMINER has to thank the local office of the Canada Life Assurance Company for one of their very convenient desk calendars for 1897. Those who last year received the file may procure a pad for '97 to replace that which will have been used up by January 1st.

—Mr. H. Calcutt is distributing a beautiful calendar for '97 advertising his brewery business. It is an artistic production in colours, and is highly ornamental as well as useful. Mr. Calcutt is also issuing a convenient match striker advertising his Christmas ale and porter.

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5.75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 230 Charlotte street. Telephone, 398.

Protect Your Horses, etc.

Nothing is more needed for horses at this inclement season of the year than a waterproof horse cover. I make them to order and keep them in stock as well. Hoods, heads, backs and breasts in black waterproof, impervious to water, soft and pliable. Any kind or style of ordered goods required. Lap rugs, strictly waterproof. Also cheese covers as requested by members of the Cheese Board, and for covering all kinds of goods liable to damage from wet. A. KINGSCOTTE, Tent, Sail and Awning manufacturer, 344 Water street opposite market

DR. HOOPER'S LECTURE.

A Letter Commendatory From Rev. J. G. Potter.

To the Editor of the Examiner :

DEAR SIR,—In the interests of truth, righteousness and common sense, I desire to testify to the value of the lecture on "Popular Modern Cures," to be given by the Rev. R. Hooper, M.D., of the Beverly street Baptist church, Toronto, to morrow night in Sons of England Hall.

How many silly men and women are often drawn away because of the semblance of pietism about the "dealers-out" of mind-cure, faith-cure; and as we might next expect to see in the near future, teeth-cured or extracted in some other way than the natural and providential. Dr. Hooper deals very fairly, yet respectfully with all these.

Yours sincerely,
JAMES G. POTTER.

Overwhelming money saving chances at Grafton & Co's Xmas Sale.

Guessing Contest.

All may compete. A barrel of currants stands in the window of E. Brown & Co's, and the question is, How many currants in the barrel? Any person who buys upwards of $3 worth of groceries at any time may compete; the one who guesses the correct number will get a pound of currants or raisins as a Christmas present. The count will take place on the 29th of February. Come one, come all. E. BROWN & Co., groceries, wines and liquors.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

DIED.

DEMILL.—In Toronto, on Wednesday, 16th of December, 1896, Annie Murphy, wife of Mr. Alfred Demill, aged 24 years.

Funeral on Friday morning, at 9 o'clock, from the residence of her father, Mr. Connor Murphy, 233 Rink street.

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Silver Watches for your friend.
Silver Watches for Boys and Girls.
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Good Goods, no misfits or trying on requir

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Our Own Make of Candies are pure and unadulterated, and altogether different from the kind sold at grocery stores.

ENGLISH HOLLY just received—in excellent condition, thick with red berries, just the thing for Xmas decorations.

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Ready For The Throng!

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But if you want to select your Gifts in the quietest moments of the day, come early in the morning. We are ready for you at 8 a.m. If you don't want to buy come any way. We welcome everybody to the freedom of the store. The best time to shop is while the stocks are at their best, and the best time to buy is before the choicest things are gone. The best things go first, of course. This statement is good enough to remember. Commence to-day. We can lay aside your purchases for future delivery, if you desire.

	From	Down to
Mirrors	$10 00	15c
Medallions	4 50	25c
Onyx Tables	20 00	$5 00
Photo Frames	7 00	5 00
Purses	3 50	5c
Purses Sterling Silver Mounted	3 50	1 00
Gent's Pocket Books	2 00	25c
Gent's Leather Wallets	3 00	35c
Ladies' Companions, in celluloid	7 50	25c
Ladies' Writing Portfolios	10 00	35c
Hand Painted Porcelain Ornaments, all prices	5 00	75c
Jewel Cases, all prices	3 00	15c
Fancy Novelties, with views of Peterborough, assorted	75	15c
Brush and Comb Sets, all prices	2 00	75c
Pin Trays, all prices	1 00	10c
Manicure Sets	5 00	75c
Neck Tie Cases	3 00	75c
Smoking Sets	3 75	50c
Handkerchief Cases	2 00	25c
Collar and Cuff Boxes	3 75	50c
Shaving Cases	5 00	1 00
Table and Office Bells	1 50	25c
Ink Stands	4 50	10c
Fountain Pens	4 00	25c
Gold Pens and Pencils	10 00	1 00
Perfume Bottles	2 50	25c
Work Baskets, all prices	3 50	25c
Dolls, away down	3 50	5c
Games, lower than ever	1 00	5c
Picture Books	1 00	3c
Children's sets of Dishes	1 00	10c
Doll Carriages, Bicycle Steel Wheels, nicely finished	2 50	1 25
Sleighs of all kinds	1 00	25c
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$25 in Cash Prizes.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1896.

MARMORA GOLD MINING.

British Gold to Develop Canadian Gold.

There is at present considerable development of the gold mines in Marmora, and promises of a big boom in the spring.

An English syndicate, at the head of which is supposed to be Barney Barnato, the African gold king, has purchased the Delora mine in Marmora, besides having obtained options on 17,000 acres of mining lands. The company has at present about 125 men employed, but in the spring it is reported the number will be increased to 1,000. There has been about half a million spent already, and there is promise of a big boom when the season opens. A large crusher is being built alongside the railway, and a spur line will be built to convey the ore from the Delora mine to this crusher. The indications are that the mineral wealth of this district will be very largely developed in the near future.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ENTERAINMENT

Union Sunday School of S. S. No. 3, Smith, held a successful concert Friday evening, Dec. 11th. The following programme was well rendered:

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"	
Prayer	Rev Mr McClure
Chorus, "Bring them"	School
Address	Chairman
Recitation	Norman Adamson
Instrumental	Mr and Miss Scott
Recitation	Harry Milburn
Recitation	Chas Lewis
Solo	Miss M Milburn
Recitation	Miss L Middleton
Dialogue	Effie Lee and Lottie Forsythe
Recitation	Jessie Sanderson
Club Swinging	Ida Henderson, Ruth Scott, Mary Head, H Milburn, W. Bretherson, B Brumwell.
Sunday School Report	Mr Cockburn
Reading	Miss A Blewett
Duet	Miss Udy and Rev Mr Clare
Recitation	Miss Lewis
Recitation—"Sunday School"	School
Instrumental	Mr and Mrs Scott
Recitation	Elmer Sanderson
Speech	Mr Jas Middleton
Recitation	Cora McMullen
Duet	Misses Blewett
Recitation	Mabel Richardson
Speech	Mr Castle
Recitation	Maggie Brotherson
Chorus—"God is Love"	School

LILY LAKE LITERARY SOCIETY.

The regular meeting of the Lily Lake Literary Society was held on Thursday, Dec. 10th, at which quite a number were present and a good programme given:

Address	President
Report	Secretary
Critic's report	Critic
Chorus	Glee Club
Recitation	Miss Lillie Middleton
Speech	Mr Joe Middleton
Reading	Mr G A Reid
Instrumental	Messrs Agnew and Joe Tully
Dialogue	Valley Tully, Joe Tully and Fred Tully
Speech	Mr G A Reid
Instrumental	Lena Tully
Recitation	R Ferguson
Reading	Mr R Biggs
Solo	Clara Middleton
Recitation	Miss L Middleton
Chorus	Glee Club

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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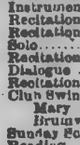

Yes YOU, personally, are most cordially invited to visit the Peterborough Bookstore, and inspect and admire the magnificent stock of every kind of goods suitable for holiday presents. You will be surprised at its magnificent extent and variety. We won't say anything about buying. That question will settle itself when you see our stock and take in its beauty—and learn the low prices. The buying will look after itself. Come and see us. All heartily welcome A. H. STRATTON & Co.

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They are the originators of the peculiar combinations that are now so popular in Men's Cycle and Golf Hose. The hose with the ribbed leg has a top of a plain knit, with a tartain plaid ornament in bright colours. The leg is one colour. They are made thick in the legs where warmth is needed. The leg is of a quiet heather mixture. Also Scotch Wool Travelling Rugs. We have fine qualities in Half Hose as well.

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TWO VOTES FOR A COUNTY COUNCIL CANDIDATE.

The Clause of the Act Bearing on the Subject—A Sample Ballot in Explanation.

Some persons have difficulty in understanding the provision of the County Councils Act of 1896, permitting a municipal elector to vote twice at the same election for one county council candidate. Therefore the following section of the Act is given in explanation:

25. When county councillors are to be elected, and the voter desires to give two votes for one candidate, he shall place two crosses thus, x x, on the right hand side opposite the name of the candidate for whom he votes, or at any place in the division which contains the name of such candidate; but no person is allowed to give two votes for one candidate except two county councillors are to be elected.

This means that each elector is entitled to two votes; he may give one to each of two candidates, or he may give both to one candidate. To make this clearer a sample ballot is here presented:

JOHN OATS, Farmer.	X X
JAMES WHEAT, Farmer.	

This ballot indicates that there are two candidates and that the elector has given both votes to John Oats. If he wished to divide his vote he could vote once only for each candidate if he so desired.

SMITH.

Gilmour Memorial Church—Successful Missionary Services.

Special missionary services were held at this church and at Selwyn on Sunday when special and specially interesting addresses were given by Rev. J. E. Davis, B.A., of Coconada Mission, India. A well attended address was also given in the Gilmour church on Monday evening. The address went into details of the work, and gave interesting details of the work, its progress and prospects in this far away field of labour.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

Mr. Harstone, secretary of the Lindsay Club, yesterday received a letter from Mr. D. Foulis, of New York, secretary of the Grand National Curling club of America, making inquiries as to the coming Lindsay bonspiel, and stating that he will probably be present with a rink.

Local curlers are anxious for frost as there is no chance of making ice in the rink while the weather remains mild. It takes a good many degrees of frost to chill the rink.

Lots of 5 and 10 cent games at SAILSBURY'S.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cures.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel on Saturday, Dec. 26th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. dw

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., Box 55.) 12d133

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Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

Xmas Turkeys.

If you desire a toothsome fowl for your Christmas dinner buy one that is young and well fattened. MASON & Co. have an extra quality of turkeys coming in and it will be to your advantage to see them before making your selection, prices very low. 3d141

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Cadadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL 407 George Street. dwtf

WEST RIDING FARMERS LISTEN TO ADDRESSES.

A SUCCESSFUL MEETING OF THE INSTITUTE AT LAKEFIELD.

Addresses on Topics of Interest to Farmers—Dairying, Farm Buildings and Poultry Dealt With—Three Sessions Held.

Three sessions of the Farmers' Institute were held at Lakefield yesterday.

There was a large attendance at all the meetings, especially afternoon and evening, and the gatherings were in every way successful. Mr. McNeil, of Windsor, gave an address on "Every Farmer his Own Mason," already reported in the EXAMINER and Mr. Elliot, of Galt, an instructive address on "Growing and Feeding of Turnips."

At the afternoon meeting interesting papers were presented, particular attention being given the poultry talk by Mr. T. A. Duff, of Toronto, already reported in the EXAMINER.

At the evening session the hall was well filled and the following excellent programme presented:

Chairman's address	W H Casement
Song	Miss Tully
Address—"social side of Life,"	A McNeil, Windsor
Song	Mrs McKibbon
Reading	Mr C J Bloomfield
Address—"The Value of Farmers' Institutes,"	Thos A Duff, Toronto
Instrumental	Messrs Wilson and Miss Wilson
Address	W A Evans
Duet	Misses Wilson
Club swinging	Miss Kathleen Wilson
God Save the Queen.	

Mr. McNeil's address on "The Social Side of Life," was dealt with in our report of the North Monaghan meeting.

Mr. Thos A. Duff delivered a very interesting paper on "The Value of Farmers' Institute." He stated that some people had the impression that the speakers engaged for these meetings received a magnificent remuneration—well they were paid $2.50 per day, and he could tell them that it would pay better to remain at home and look after their business. The speaker then called attention to the many advantages enjoyed by farmers who had joined the institute, and said that in the matter of free literature alone they received thirty times the value of the membership fee.

Mr. Duff said he understood an effort was being made to have the provincial fat stock show held in Peterborough next year, and if proper steps were taken he thought the Ontario poultry show could be secured. The association receives a grant of $900 a year on condition that it be held at different points, and for that purpose $100 were allowed for travelling expenses, hence the town would have nothing to pay. The speaker then alluded to the prizes won by Canadians at the World's fair, and at stock and poultry shows in New York, and said no better way could be selected to bring the Dominion into prominence. He had repeatedly heard Americans say "Doesn't it beat all to have these people come here and win so many prizes." In 1883, 1884 and 1885, he had personally enjoyed the pleasure of winning the £20 premium offered at the Crystal Palace Poultry Show London, England.

Farmers should read the agricultural papers—if they did so there would be no occasion to hold farmers' institutes meetings. The best of these publications were Farming and the Farmers' Advocate, and members of the institute could get these at reduced rates. Farmers can make this country what they want it, as over 60 per cent. of the voters are agriculturists. He had been greatly impressed by the intelligent way the afternoon discussions had been conducted, and was pleased to be able to say that one farmer had told him afterward that his (Mr. Duffs) remarks about unfertile eggs were alone worth $50 to him. In concluding the speaker expressed the hope that every person present would join the institute.

CHRISTMAS AT HAND.

Winding up the Year at H. LeBrun & Co.'s With Rousing Reductions in Prices all Over the Store.

No matter what may be the preparations you are making for the Christmas celebration, one of the most important of all is to dress in becoming economical clothing and furnishings. There's no excuse for being shabbily dressed with such specially good chances to buy as are presented by Messrs. H. LeBrun & Co., of the City Clothing Store, from now until the end of the year. This firm as usual is already prepared and primed for the occasion. They have anticipated the varied needs of men, youths, boys and children. They congratulate themselves on having had a satisfactory year's business, and are pleased and contented all round. And now as the last merry days of the year go out they are prepared to give their numerous friends a substantial benefit. They have been friends to the gentlemen and youths of Peterborough for a good many years and are getting better every year. Great table loads of clothing, ulsters, overcoats and suits are awaiting seekers after bargains. Your size is there, and whether your purse is big or little the firm can suit you. Merchants mechanics, bankers, clergymen, lawyers, doctors, youths, boys and children are being clothed from H. LeBrun & Co.'s reliable stock, because they have so much confidence in it. You can't afford to waste a single cent these days, and that's why it looks as if this firm were prepared to serve people who want honest goods without charging them loaded prices. Made to order or ready-made—its all the same—the prices have been dropped down for the balance of the year, to help make shoppers hearts all the lighter and merrier. In neckwear the display is unexcelled, and the drop in prices makes the selling go lively. Then they have received many other new and attractive things for Christmas gifts in the way of silk scarfs, mufflers and handkerchiefs, gloves, hosiery and underwear, handsome smoking jackets, leather-covered umbrellas, dress shirts, &c. You can't shop at the City Clothing Store without striking a bargain. Just throw in your line and you land a prize every time. H. LEBRUN & Co. dw-tf

Games.

"Round the World With Nellie Bly," "Jack Straws," "Golf," etc., etc., from 5c to $1.25 at SAILSBURY'S.

THE MAYORALTY

PETERBOROUGH, 16th Dec., 1896.

Messrs. Thomas Brady, Thomas Irwin, J. W. Miller, James Burnet, William Might, W. S. Cooke, James Montgomery, Adam Kernegan, William Saxby, William Curtis, William Hatrley, William Cooper, John Kempt, Fred Mitchell, E. B. Clegg, H. B. Meharry, J. J. Turner, Henry Green, E. F. Mason, Thos. A. Redner, Arthur Smith, M. Boyce, William A. Henry and over 150 other municipal electors:

DEAR SIRS,—I beg to acknowledge the honour done to me by your presentation of so large and representative a request asking that I permit myself to be put in nomination as a candidate for the Mayoralty for 1897. I accept the responsibility implied and I assure you and the ratepayers of the town generally that if elected, I shall on all occasions exert myself to the utmost to advance in every respect the best interests of the town.

It will be impossible for me to make any general canvass of the town and I have suggested to Mr. Yelland, who I believe is to be a candidate, that neither of us solicit votes personally of the electors, but instead call a public meeting to discuss the various municipal matters in which the ratepayers are interested, and leave it to them to decide whom they prefer. He has declined to do this and, therefore, as the time is limited and my business cannot be wholly neglected, I must ask these electors, who have requested me to be a candidate and the many others who have personally urged me to the same course, that they do their share in assisting in my election,

I am, Dear Sirs,
Yours very obedient servant,
W. H. MOORE.

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Trousers..... $3, $4, $5
Suits..... $12, $14, $16
Double Breasted Ulsters $12, $13, $15.
Handsome Ties and Braces for the Xmas trade.

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Arrangement made to meet the wishes of those desiring same. 422 George St., North of Foot & McWhinnie.

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Real Estate, Insurance and Employment Office.

Good value in houses, lots and farms to sell, rent or exchange. Insurance in good companies and at low rates.

A Splendid Brick House, Furnace, Bath Double Lot, Stable, Nice Situation. $2600.

Good 2-story Brick House, nine Rooms, Good Garden, Spruce and Maple Trees. $1,350.

Telephone 359. Rents Collected.

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Under Market Hall. 326 George Stree

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Charming Xmas Novelties.

If in doubt where to buy your Christmas Gifts, do your shopping at Mrs. Appleby's New Fancy Goods Store, 426 Water Street.

All the needed material for presents you want to work with your own hands. Children's White Coats and Bonnets to match, Fancy Wool and Silk Slippers, Tea Cosies, Art Linen and Silk Lawn Handkerchiefs, Table Centres, Crepe Paper, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

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4 lbs. Choice Raisins..... for 25c
4 lbs. Choice Currants..... for 25c
Scheppe No. 1 Cocoanut..... per lb 25c
Choice Fresh Mixed Peel..... per lb 25c
3 lbs. Mothers Mince Meat..... per lb 25c

Figs, Dates, Oranges, Lemons, Table Raisins and Delicious Confectionery. Just watch for our candy advertisement, an Eye Opener.

GEO. CARTON'S

A. C. CHAMBERS Manager. Table Supply House

TALBOT BROS.

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough

have on hand $5 000 worth of assorted Christmas Goods, consisting of the Highest Grade of Imported and Canadian Hand-made Cigars, Pipes, Tobaccos, Cigarettes, and Smokers' Supplies of the Latest and Best quality, which must be disposed of within 30 days, to make room for New 1897 Goods.

Try "Our Wonder" Cigars equal to any 10c. Cigar in the market, put up 25 in a box for only $1.00. Great sellers.

The Merrel Mackenzie Pipe in the three popular shapes—"Bulldog." "Crooked" and "Straight."

Wholesale and Retail. Special inducements to large buyers.

No. 382 George Street, Sign of the Indian Queen.

KENNEDY & NELSON

Are Positively Selling the Following:—

Shoulder Steak, 4 lbs. for	25c.	Plate Ribs	4c.
Round Steak, 3 lbs. for	25c.	Briskets	8c.
Rib Roasts	7c.	Necks (boiling)	2c.
Shoulder Roasts	5c.		

These prices end on the 18th.

Our Canned Goods are being sold BELOW COST.

Every pound of Lard we sell is guaranteed.

A few goods we have are:—Mince Meat, Butter and Eggs, Long Clear Bacon Pigs' Cheeks, Pigs' Heads, and Pigs' Feet, Fresh Shanks, Spare Ribs and Leaf Lard.

NOTICE—We have already a large number of orders for Xmas Turkeys.

If you wish to leave your orders for Turkeys, Geese, Chickens and Ducks we will be pleased to fill them. First come, first served.

KENNEDY & NELSON

340 George Street. Phone 275.

What Nicer Present

TO GIVE OR GET THAN A PLANT IN BLOOM?

—Carnations, —Azaleuas,
—Primulas, —Calla Lillies,
—Begonias, —Heliotropes,
—Abutilons, —Geraniums, Etc.,

Now in Flower and will Flower all Winter.

WEST-END GREENHOUSES,

465 PARK STREET, at residence of G. M. Roger.
Telephone No. 21. - - - A. BLADE, Manager.

HOLIDAY HEADQUARTERS

Whatever you want for Christmas in Reliable Family Groceries, sound, clean and wholesome Fruit—**Raisins, Currants, Peels, Essences, Spices &c.,** we have them at economical prices, and a square deal every time.

This would not be the Grocery Store it is if we did not keep close track of the particular needs of each season. Our Teas, Coffees and Sugars are sold as close as first-class reliable goods can be sold.

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Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Christmas trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea:—

Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Chiffon Collars and Neckwear
Veilings and Nettings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c.
Cloth for a Mantle
Winter Jackets
Winter Underwear
New Corsets
Lace and Embroidery

No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

MISSES CAHILL

403 George Street.

CONGER'S FAIR

Closing-Out Sale

Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enameledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc
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Conger's Fair

Folding Card or Work Tables.

Sizes 20 x 37 and 24 x 42.

Made in Alternate Slips. Very Pretty and Useful for any Purpose.

Prices $1 and $1.25

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THE COOK'S BEST FRIEND
LARGEST SALE IN CANADA.

ADVERTISING IN THE EXAMINER PAYS

The jungles of Africa are not the only places in the world where a man courts death from an unseen foe. All the savages of all the barbarous nations of history have not slain one tithe of the men that have been killed by that dread assassin—consumption. One-sixth of all the deaths in the world are due to it.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption. It cures by going to the very root of the evil—imperfect and improper nutrition. It corrects all disorders of the digestion, makes the appetite keen and assimilation perfect. It drives out the impurities from the blood and fills it with the life-giving elements that build up the body. It is the greatest blood-maker and purifier. When you pump rich, red, healthy blood into an organ it cannot long remain diseased. This is true of the lungs. New healthy tissue is built up in them and the germs of consumption are driven out. Thousands have testified to their cure by this great remedy. Druggists sell it.

Ralph Green, Esq., of Williamsburg, Callaway Co., Mo., writes: "Before I commenced your treatment I could not take a drink of water without great suffering in my stomach. I could not eat. I was fast sinking and did not weigh more than 135 pounds. To-day I weigh 157. I had five different doctors examine me, and each one treated me without doing me any good. At last I took four or five bottles of your 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and to-day am in better health than I have been for five years. Whenever I see any of my friends suffering I tell them of your medicine and advise them to write to you."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure It is better to do mending while the damage is slight, than wait until the whole structure is ready to fall. Constipation is the one, all-embracing disorder that is responsible for many other diseases. Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure it. Druggists sell them. They never gripe. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative, and two a mild cathartic. They are tiny, sugar-coated granules. Nothing else is "just as good." A permanent cure.

WANT TO HELP CUBA.

Cuban League Formed in New York Having in View the Independence of the Island.

New York, Dec. 14.—The first steps towards helping Cuba in the fight with Spain by the citizens of this city were taken to-night at the Fifth-avenue Hotel, when the Cuban League of the United States of America was formally organized. The men behind this movement are so well known and carry so much weight that it is beyond a doubt that this is the beginning of a strong movement, having complete independence of Cuba from Spain for its principal object. The meeting was organized with Col. Ethan Allen as president.

LOTS OF VOLUNTEERS.

Cleveland, Dec. 14.—To-day a stream of men pourned into the rooms of A. DeArange, the local Cuban leader, and volunteered to join the Cuban army. It is estimated that there were 150 of them, a large proportion well-dressed young men of good education and apparent good circumstances. They were told that no more men were needed. Eleven women offered to go as nurses. They said they did not want pay, but thought it was their duty to nurse the sick and wounded. The majority bore marks of refinement and some had evidences of wealth. They were advised to write to the Junta in New York.

1000 MEN WILL GO.

St. Louis, Dec. 14.—Volunteers for the relief of the Cuban insurgents are being mobilized in this city, and next Friday if all plans are carried out successfully 1000 men will leave New Orleans for Cuba. Two hundred of these are residents of St. Louis, and the remainder come from East St. Louis and points south of here on the lines of the Illinois Central and Iron Mountain roads.

INCITING THEM ON.

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 14.—The Evening Press editorially urges soldiers in the United States army who may be discharged, and others of military ment. It also suggests that a fund in aid of the Cubans be raised here

HOSTS OF FIGHTERS.

New York, Dec. 14.—The Cuban Junta, in New-street, had more callers to-day than on any one previous day since its establishment. Strong-limbed Americans to the number of between 700 and 800 tramped upstairs, threw out their chests, and in resolute tones asked that they be enlisted in the army of Cuba. Not one of them was accepted. The laws of the United States prohibit the enlistment of men here for foreign armies.

The men who want to fight in the Cuban cause are so numerous that the Cuban leaders here now issue to applicants a printed form declining the services of the sympathizers.

Bodewig and Johnson Sentenced.

Detroit, Dec. 14.—John C. Bodewig and George W. Johnson, who were recently convicted in the United States Court here of train wrecking, were to-day sentenced by Judge Swan to serve 20 months each in the House of Correction and to pay a fine of $2500 each, in addition.

During the A.R.U. strike two years ago a Grand Trunk passenger train was wrecked near Battle Creek and the fireman of the locomotive was killed. Bodewig and Johnson were arrested for the crime and finally convicted.

She Sheltered Many Slaves.

Rochester, N.Y., Dec. 14.—Maria G. Porter died here Saturday night, aged 91 years. She was a well-known figure in the early history of Rochester. She was one of the best friends the anti-slavery movement ever had. The number of runaway slaves who found shelter and concealment under her roof reached into the hundreds.

Indians are Starving.

San Francisco, Dec. 14.—A special to The Examiner from Tacoma, Wash., says: A party of 17 or 18 Yakima Indians starving and freezing to death in the Cascade Mountains. They are snowbound and Judge Erwin, agent at Fort Simcoe, who has charge of the Yakimas, has organized a relief party at Chehalis. The Indians were overtaken and hemmed in by the snowstorm that swept the western part of this State a couple of weeks ago.

Shiloh's Cure

Is sold on a guarantee. It cures Incipient Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure Only one cent a dose. 25 cts., 50 cts., and $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 389 George street.

MRS. STERNAMAN'S CASE.

Judge Coxe Heard Arguments at Utica, But Will Not Give Decision for a Few Days.

Utica, N.Y., Dec. 15.—Before Judge Coxe in the United States District Court in this city this afternoon are being heard arguments on a writ of certiorari in the case of the Dominion of Canada against Mrs. Olive Sternaman. She was arrested in Buffalo and taken before United States Commissioner Fairchild, who decided that it was a proper case for extradition. Upon application to Judge Coxe a writ of certiorari was granted to review the proceedings before the commissioner. Assistant United States District Attorney W. F. Mackey and Charles J. Thomas of Buffalo, appeared for the Canadian authorities, and Frank C. Ferguson and Wallace Thayer, both of Buffalo, in behalf of Mrs. Sternaman. Commissioner Fairchild is also present.

Mr. Thayer opened the argument at 2.40 p.m., claiming that there was no evidence that the defendant had committed a crime, or that any crime had been committed in the premises. He then quoted authorities, holding that to come under the extradition laws there must be reasonable cause to believe that the party arrested had committed an extraditiable offence. He quoted from the treaty between the United States and Great Britain to the effect that the case must be one in which the party would reasonably be convicted under the laws of the place where apprehended. Mr. Thayer next claimed that evidence such as that taken before the commissioner was not sufficient, and held that defendant had done everything consistent with the duties of a faithful and loving wife. He said that with two exceptions—as to the evidence of the undertaker and of the insurance expert—everything alleged before the commissioner was conceded; that, therefore, the question before the court became a matter of law only. He would, however, review the evidence before the commissioner and proceeded to do so.

Judge Coxe said there were two questions to be decided: First, whether or not the facts before the committee were sufficient for him to hold the defendant. He was to say whether a prima facie case had been made out. Counsel for the defendant had conceded that Sternaman died from arsenic poisoning. There was absolute want of motive for the poisoning of Sternaman by his people in Canada. Certainly it could not be said that the commissioner's act was unjustifiable. Had this been a case which had come under his jurisdiction he would have submitted it to the grand jury to say whether an indictment should be found. The court had to decide whether, owing to the insufficiency of the complaint, the commissioner acquired jurisdiction in the case. The court said he would announce his decision in a few days.

The Dominion Government expects that Judge Coxe will decide against the prisoner, in which case extradition papers will at once be issued and Mrs. Sternaman will be taken to Haldimand County, Canada, for trial. Her counsel will use every effort to have her tried anywhere else than at Sternaman's home. Mr. Thayer says that Sternaman's mother has so aroused the people in the county that a fair trial of his client would be impossible there. He has tried to have her tried in Toronto without success. Her counsel, if the decision of Judge Coxe should be against her, will go to Secretary Olney at Washington to argue against the issuance of extradition papers. It is alleged that Mrs. Sternaman's first husband died six weeks after her marriage, his death being similar to Sternaman's.

PORT ARTHUR IS OPEN.

Lighthouse Keeper Rowed in From Thunder Cape—Sawbill Mine Continues to Show Richness.

Port Arthur, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Port Arthur as an open harbor was never better exemplified than to-day, when Captain William Craig, lighthouse-keeper at Thunder Cape, crossed in a rowboat from the Cape to the town, 18 miles. He claims he had a most enjoyable trip.

News from the Sawbill mine to-day is to the effect that the vein in the bottom of No. 1 shaft is 7 1-2 feet wide, and continues rich. The drifts are in 50 feet, and no difference in the rich quality of the ore. A large number of extra men are being sent in, now that the roads are good, to Sawbill, Lake Harold and Hawk Bay.

Ayer's Pills, being composed of the essential virtues of the best vegetable aperients, without any of the woody or fibrous material whatever, is the reason why they are so much more effective and valuable than any other cathartics. The best family physic.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is quiet, with the feeling somewhat better, but no business reported. Straight rollers are nominal at $4, Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—There is a quiet market, and the tone is rather firmer. Red is held at 82c, and white at 84c, outside. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 95c, grinding in transit, and [illegible] Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 28½c to 29c.

Barley—There is a better enquiry and prices are firmer. No. 1 sold at 34c, No. 2 at 30c, and feed at 22c at outside points.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 18c, and mixed quoted at 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices unchanged at 40c, north and west.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales at 34c to 35c outside west.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 25c outside and old at 27c.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 14.—Spring wheat, 6s 8½d to 6s 9½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 3d to 7s 4d; corn, 2s 8½d; peas, 4s 5½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 20s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 26s 6d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast steady, on passage firm and 3d to 6d higher. English country markets partly 6d cheaper. Maize on passage steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures dull at 6s 8½d for Jan., 6s 8⅝d for Feb. and 6s 9d for March. Maize dull at 2s 9½d for Jan. and Feb., and 2s 9⅝d for March, April and May. Flour 25s.

Paris—Wheat 21f 75c for Jan.; flour 46f 30c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 6s 8d for Jan., 6s 8½d for Feb., and 6s 8½d for March. Maize 2s 9½d for Dec., Jan. and Feb., and 2s 9⅝d for April and May. Flour 25s.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quiet. Maize steady.

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ANOTHER SLAP.

The Soo Line and C. P. R. Continue to Make Trouble for the Joint Traffic Association.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—The Soo Line, backed by the Canadian Pacific Railroad, administered another slap to-day to the Board of Managers of the Joint Traffic Association for allowing the Grand Trunk, Wabash and Michigan Central lines to carry the Canadian excursion business from the Northwest via Chicago. The Soo's extension of this business to New England territory, announced last week, has now assumed a more aggravated form by the announcement of the Saa that single fare rates for the round trip will be made from St. Paul and Minneapolis proper to Maine, Vermont and Massachusetts points, to Montreal, for $27.50, and to Boston, Portland and Worcester for $29, with a return limit of three months, tickets good for going Dec 15 to 21. This is an extension of time limit and a further invasion of competitive territory.

As soon as Chairman Caldwell heard of it he sent a letter to Commissioner Donald of the Central Passenger Committee, stating that it was of the utmost importance to the Chicago-St-Paul lines to meet the Canadian Pacific's competition and trusting that immediate authority would be given on behalf of the Grand Trunk, Wabash and Michigan Central to meet the rates. He also wired Commissioner Blanchard at New York to put the eastern roads on a competitive footing, but the danger of demoralization through scalpers is believed to be too great for an order of approval to be expected from the Board of Managers.

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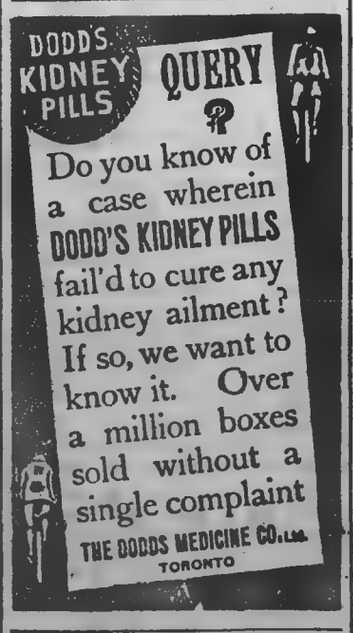
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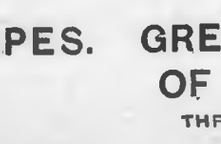

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2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

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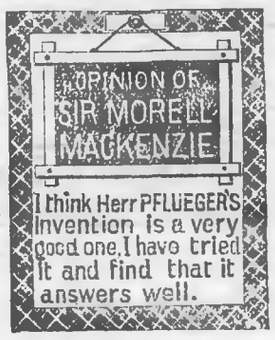
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SOLEMN FUNCTIONS.

Unveiling Ceremony at Fredericton, N.B.—Funeral of Governor Fraser.

Fredericton, N.B., Dec. 15.—This morning the monumental effigy of the late Bishop Medley was unveiled and an oration delivered by the Venerable Archdeacon Brigstocke.

The funeral of Governor Fraser was the largest procession which ever passed through the streets of this city. The various societies and citizens marched four abreast. Preceding the hearse was the Royal Infantry Regiment Band, followed by a guard of honor, furnished by the regiment, composed of 100 men, with reversed arms. In the procession were a delegation of Indians, headed by their chief.

EVERY SHOT HIT.

Execution by Bullet in Utah—The Executioners Were Good Shots.

Salt Lake City, Dec. 15.—Patrick Coughlin was executed in Rich County to-day for the murder of Deputy Sheriff Dawes and Constable Stagg in July, 1895. Coughlin chose shooting as the manner of death. He was pinioned, blindfolded and seated on a chair and six deputies fired simultaneously, aiming at the heart, over which a piece of white paper was fastened. Every shot pierced the mark, and death was instantaneous.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is very quiet and prices generally are unchanged. Straight rollers are nominal at $4, Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market this afternoon was weaker, owing to lower cables and the decline in Chicago. Red sold outside at 80c and white at 81c. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 94c, Toronto freight, and more offer at this price.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 28c to 29c.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 2 is quoted at 27c north and west, and a lot of 10,000 bushels sold at 30c June delivery. Feed barley 20c to 21c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 18c, and mixed quoted at 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices unchanged at 40c, north and west.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales at 34c to 34½c outside west.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 25c outside and old at 27c.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The receipts at the Western yards to-day were larger than of late, there being about 75 carloads. There is nothing doing in shippers, but the receipts consisted of a good many choice cattle for the Christmas trade. The best sold at 4c per lb. and good to choice cattle at 3½c to 3¾c. Medium butchers' sold at 3c and inferior stock at 2c per lb. Milch cows sell at $25 to $40 each and calves at $4 to $9 each.

Sheep and lambs in fair supply and prices are unchanged. Choice sheep sold at 3c per lb. and bucks at 2½c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3½c to 3¾c per lb.

Hogs in liberal supply and prices unchanged. The best sold at 4c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c to 3¼c, lightweights at 3¾c, sows at 2¾c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

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London—Close—Wheat on passage firm. Maize on passage steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 21f 90c for Jan.; flour quiet at 46f 50c for Jan.

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PROVINCIAL HOCKEY.

Clubs in the Different Ontario Districts and Their Schedule of Games.

Toronto, Dec. 16.

The Ontario Hockey Association met at the T.A.C. last night to arrange the schedule. There were present: Vice-President Martin, 2nd Vice-President Hopkins (Peterboro), ex-President Brown, Secretary Beaton, Treasurer Creelman and Committeemen Fitzgibbons (Varsity), Brown (U.C.C.), Morison (Wellingtons), Beecher (London), Noble (Petrolea). C. A. B. Brown was presented with a handsome decanter for his past services. The matches for three series were arranged as follows, to be played on the first-named club's ice in each case:

— Senior Series —

First Round—
No. 1—Peterboro v. R.M.C., on or before Jan. 18. R.M.C. v. Peterboro, on or before Feb. 1.
No. 2—T.A.C. v. Trinity, on or before Jan. 15. Osgoode v. T.A.C., on or before Jan. 23. Trinity v. Osgoode, on or before Feb. 1.
No. 3—Queen's, a bye.
No. 4—Stratford v. Varsity, on or before Jan. 18. Varsity v. Stratford, on or before Feb. 1.

— Second Round —

Winners of 1 v. winners of 3, on ice of 1. Winners of 2 v. winners of 4, on ice of 4, except Stratford be defeated, then on ice to be named by executive.

— Final Round —

Winners of 1 and 3 v. winners of 2 and 4, on ice to be named by executive, on or before Feb. 20.

— Intermediate Series —

Group 1—Victoria v. T.A.C., on or before Jan. 18. Osgoode v. Victoria, on or before Jan. 28. T.A.C. v. Osgoode, on or before Feb. 1.

Group 2—(a) Frontenac v. Crystals, on or before Jan. 18. Crystals v. Frontenac, on or before Jan. 25. (b) Norwood v. Peterboro, on or before Jan. 18. Peterboro v. Norwood, on or before Jan. 25. Winners of A v. winners of B, on or before Feb. 1.

Group 3—Sarnia v. Petrolea, on or before Jan. 11. London v. Sarnia, on or before Jan. 18. Petrolea v. London, on or before Jan. 25.

Group 4—Berlin v. Brampton, on or before Jan. 18. Brampton v. Ayr, on or before Jan. 18. Ayr v. Berlin, on or before Jan. 25.

— Second Round. —

Winners of 2 v. winners of 3, on or before Jan. 8. Winners of 1 v. winners of 4, on or before Feb. 8. Ice to be named by Executive.

— Final Round. —

Winners of 2 and 3 v. winners of 1 and 4, on or before Feb. 16. Ice to be named by Executive.

— Junior Series. —

First Round:
No. 1—Peterboro' v. Norwood, between Jan. 15 and 20, inclusive. Norwood v. Peterboro', Jan. 20-25.
No. 2—Frontenac v. Queen's II., Jan. 15-20. Queen's II. v. Frontenac, Jan. 20-25.
No. 3—Wellingtons v. Osgoode III., Jan. 25-27.
No. 4—(a) Trinity II. v. U.C.C., Jan. 18-22. (b) Victoria II. v. Varsity II., Jan. 18-22. Winners of A v. winners of B., on Jan. 26.
No. 5—Galt v. Guelph, Jan. 15-18. Guelph v. Berlin, Jan. 18-22. Berlin v. Galt, Jan. 23-26.
No. 6—Hamilton Victorias v. Brampton II., Jan. 15-20. Brampton v. Hamilton Victorias, Jan. 20-25.
No. 7—St. Mary's v. London, Jan. 15-20. London v. St. Mary's, Jan. 20-25.
No. 8—Stratford II. v. Listowel, Jan. 15-20. Listowel v. Stratford, Jan. 20-25.
No. 9—Winners of 1 v. winners of 2, Feb. 4, at Kingston.
No. 10—Winners of 3 v. winners of 2, Feb. 4, at Toronto.
No. 11—Winners of 5 v. winners of 6, Feb. 4, place to be decided by Executive.
No. 12—Winners of 7 v. winners of 8, Feb. 4, place to be decided by Executive.

— Semi-Final. —

No. 13—Winners of 9 v. winners of 10, Feb. 11, place to be decided by Executive.
No. 14—Winners of 11 v. winners of 12, Feb. —, place to be decided by Executive.

— Final Round. —

No. 15—Winners of 13 v. winners of 14, place to be decided by Executive.

BRAM ON TRIAL.

The Alleged Slayer of Captain Nash and His Wife Before the Court in Boston.

Boston, Dec. 15.—The trial of Thomas Bram, accused of murdering Captain Chas. I. Nash of the barquentine Herbert Fuller, was practically begun to-day, yesterday having been consumed in securing a jury. All witnesses but experts were ordered to leave the courtroom.

District Attorney Hoare opened the case by relating the incidents of the tragedy last July. He described what a seafaring life meant in many details. Then he displayed a photograph of the barquentine Herbert Fuller and with a diagram of the ship explained the make-up of the deck, rooms, etc. Special attention was given to the arrangements of the rooms with reference to the location of the wheel. Mr. Hoare urged upon the jury the necessity of pressing to the end the investigation against the defendant, and of bringing to justice the real murderer, so that there might be assurance of safety on the high seas under the American flag as on land. Mr. Hoare pointed out that this trial is conducted under national laws, and that in a federal trial there may not be, as under the laws of the commonwealth, degrees of murder. Either he did or he did not kill. Either he is a murderer or an innocent, unoffending man.

Mr. Hoare closed at 11.30 o'clock.

The first witness was J. F. Jones, Deputy Collector of the Port of Boston. His testimony, together with that of W. N. Collins, a clerk in the Custom House, and that of E. B. Grant, United States Shipping Commissioner, was offered to establish the identity of the barquentine Herbert Fuller, her ownership, hailing port, etc.

D. H. Ingraham, United States Consul-General at Halifax, told of the arrest of the crew of the Fuller at Halifax and of their examination and their departure. Mr. Ingraham was questioned by Lawyer Cotter regarding the cross-examination of Bram by counsel for Lester Monks at Halifax.

At this point the court took a recess until 2.30 p.m.

After recess Thomas E. Klein, a Halifax police officer, who brought the crew of the Herbert Fuller to Boston, testified as to the trip, and Alfred Ellis, first mate of the steamer Halifax, on which they came to Boston, gave unimportant testimony.

United States Deputy Marshal Waters testified to meeting the crew and others from the Fuller at the wharf and taking them to the Police Station. Being closely questioned as to any effects taken from the people in custody at that time, Mr. Waters recognized a paper shown him as taken from Bram. It was his discharge from the steamship Marion, at Liverpool, in May, 1896.

Henry N. Nash, an insurance man of Boston, brother of the murdered captain, was the next important witness. He gave a description of Captain Nash and his seafaring life, also told how Captain and Mrs. Nash spent the six months previous to sailing from Boston on July 5 last. The last witness of the day was James A. Ross, a Halifax photographer, who had taken several photographs of the barque Herbert Fuller as she lay in the harbor, which were identified by him and admitted in evidence by the court.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

A FARMER IN TROUBLE.

A Grenville County Man Speaks his Mind—Feels Like a New Man—Cured by Four Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Cardinal, Dec. 7 (Special)—Mr. Robert McIntosh, a farmer widely known in this county, and living near this village, has been in a painful and dangerous condition as the result of kidney disease affecting the bladder. When called upon he said:

"During three years, until quite recently cured by using four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease which kept going from bad to worse though I was doctoring all the time."

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BRITAIN AND HER COLONIES.

Guelph Board of Trade Resolves in Favor of a Grand Consolidation.

Guelph, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—A meeting of the Guelph Board of Trade was held to-night, when an interesting paper on Canada's maritime provision and responsibility was read by W. H. Dunsford. Subsequently the following resolution, moved by J. M. Bond and seconded by Mr. R. L. Torrance, was passed: "That in the opinion of the Board of Trade of the City of Guelph a scheme should be fully discussed between the Canadian and Home Governments by which lines of subsidized mercantile cruisers should be gradually established between the Mother Country and the colonies, to be manned and officered by naval reserve men, as a means of protection to our trade, the development of inter-Imperial and inter-colonial trade, and the consolidation of the Empire." The resolution is in accordance with the scheme recently proposed by the Toronto branch of the Navy League. The board also passed a resolution, signed by the chairman, Mr. James Watt, and the secretary, Mr. A. Scott, inviting the Dominion Tariff Commissioners to visit Guelph at an early date.

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GEO COCHRANE
License Inspector West Peterborough

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J. J. CROWE
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Specials for Xmas:

Mink Ruffs, $2.00 up.
Coney Muffs, 50c.
Good Fur Muffs start at $1 50.
Sable Muffs, special, $7.50.
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Alaska Seal Gauntlets, $12.50 & $15.00.
Capes start at $1.00, special $5.00, extra $8.00 and $10.00.
Fur Lined Ripple Cloaks, $15 00.
12 New Stylish Cloaks, 30 inches long, full circle sweep, Hampster lined, Black Worsted outsides, beautifully trimmed, for $25.00 and $30.00 each.
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If you have $1.00 to spend or $10.00 come and see our stock.

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LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Miss F. Roy, who has been visiting friends in Toronto, returned home last week.

Mrs. Stevenson and son, of Norwich, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Baptie.

Rev. J. G. Potter, of St. Andrew's church, Peterborough, preached the preparatory sermon in the Presbyterian church last Friday afternoon, and while here with his wife visited the families of Mr. S. Nelson and Mr. W. M. Graham, who are members of his congregation.

Mr. Albert Doidge, student at the College of Pharmacy, is home for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. J. J. Turner, jr., and wife, of Peterborough, spent Sunday in the village.

The best selection of Christmas presents for the least money, is at R. Graham & Sons.

Mrs. M. Connal and son, of Carlton, Michigan, are the guests of Mrs. H. Masters.

Mrs. W.M. Graham went on Wednesday to Centreville, and on Thursday she will go to Millbrook to address meetings of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church.

On Friday evening of last week, Mr. T. H. Benson, on the eve of joining the Benedicts, gave his bachelor friends a farewell party at the Queen's hotel. A splendid supper was served in Munro's best style, and was enjoyed by those present, and they spent a jovial hour. After supper Mr. Benson was called to his feet by Dr. Clare, who read the following address:

Mr. Thomas H. Benson, Lakefield, Ont.:

We, your bachelor friends, assembled together this evening, desire to express the esteem and respect with which you are held by us.

We are pleased to learn of the important step which you are about to take and we can assure you that you have our heartiest congratulations, not only of ourselves, but of every one who has been so fortunate as to make your acquaintance since you have resided among us.

We ask you to accept this cane as a token of our best wishes, and also as a memento of the many pleasant evenings spent among us in Lakefield.

We trust that you will accept it, not for its intrinsic merit, but in the spirit in which it is given.

In declining years when its usage may be more required, we hope it may call to your remembrance the many pleasant associations connected with it.

(Signed)

HARVEY CLARE, M.D., J. W. RIDPATH, W. G. COX, J. S. MADILL, A. SAWERS, E. A. TANNER, J. HARRY SHERIN, W. H. CASEMENT, H. A. MORROW.

At the proper time Mr. E. A. Tanner made the presentation of a beautiful ebony gold-headed cane, inscribed "To Mr. T. H. Benson, from his bachelor friends."

Mr. Benson in replying, said "that as the recipient of such kind thoughtfulness and honor, he was completely taken by surprise. He felt too full for utterance—full of joy and full of sorrow, full of surprise and thankfulness. He thanked them for the honour they had done him, and stated it was an incident in his life never to be forgotten. In this unfriendly world it was comforting to feel that there were a few, at least, true friends, who were doing their part to make life's journey smooth, and who were not envious of one's success. He appreciated the gift, not for its real worth, but he appreciated the act itself, the unmerited kindness. This evening and its associations would ever linger in his memory, and would be regarded as an oasis in life's journey."

After speechmaking and the singing of "Auld Lang Syne," an adjournment was made to the parlour, where a pleasant evening was spent.

R. Graham & Son are selling 16 lbs. raisins for $1, 12 lbs. best selected raisins for $1, 12 lbs. of currants for $1, 4 tins corn for 25c, 4 tins tomatoes for 25c, pure lard 10c lb.; also new peels, English mince meat, figs nuts, mixed candy, cream candy and chocolates at lowest prices.

The Baptist Young People's Union held a very pleasant "at home" at the residence of Mr. T. Gordon, on Monday evening. After games, etc., the following programme was rendered:

Opening chorus ..... B Y P A
Prayer ..... Rev E A St Dalmas
Duet, organ and bones ..... Miss McDonald and Mr J A McDonald
Address ..... Rev E A St Dalmas
Solo ..... Miss Laura Quinn
Recitation ..... Miss Clara Sandercon
Duet ..... Misses Graham and McIlmoyl
Reading ..... Mr J A McDonald
Instrumental trio, organ, harmonica and violin Miss M Fitzgerald, Mr C Fitzgerald and Mr E Roxborough
Club swinging ..... Miss E Garbutt
Chorus ..... B Y P U

At the conclusion of the programme refreshments were served to about 90 persons.

HONOUR ROLL.

S. S. No. 14. Otonabee.

A. E. Cromie, teacher.

Class IV—F. Dixon, F. Girvin, L. Dixon, W. Hunter, J. Thompson, L. Miller. Class III sr.—M. Dixon, L. Hatherly, E. Henderson. III jr.—J. Dixon, E. Hunter, J. Thompson, II sr.—M. Gervin, G. Henderson. II jr.—A. Thompson, J. Edwards. Part II sr.—J. Hatherly, J. Edwards. Part II jr.—G. Thompson, E. Armstrong, O. Edwards. Class I—E. Dixon, L. Webster, A. Henderson.

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A Limited Number of Customers Wanted for weekly supply of choice Dairy Butter. No roots fed, satisfaction guaranteed, sample order solicited. Leave your address at the "Examiner" Office. 6od

For stomach and liver trouble use Madill's Stomach and Liver Pill; few doses will relieve.

One Every Night.

One Laxa-Liver Pill taken each night during 30 days will cure Constipation, oft-returning Headaches and irregular action of the bowels. Laxa-Liver Pills leave no unpleasant after-effect.

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The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.* is on every wrapper.

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The Lindsay Post has the following in reference to Mr. Myers, whose advertisement appears in this issue: Mr. A. W. Myers, who has for the past three weeks conducted a business in town, leaves this evening for the city in order to dispose of a stock purchased by him in Toronto last week, but hopes to resume business in town about the first week of December. Mr. Myers has made many friends during his short stay, and we are pleased to learn that he is likely to become a permanent resident.

"Mikado" Still in the Market.

We take pleasure in informing the public that we have completed arrangements by which we can supply our old brands of flour manufactured with every care to suit the requirements of our trade. We can guarantee the same satisfaction that our flours have always given, as we are having them made from our own blends of wheat and under our personal supervision. Orders will be taken as usual at our down town office, corner of Simcoe and Bethune streets. Telephone No. 113. MELDRUM & MCALLISTER Millers.

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Our stock is still large and of first quality. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. by buying from us now. Save it. The whole stock in trade for sale "en bloc," CLEGG'S RETIRING SALE, (Next to Stratten's Bookstore).

COLD SPRINGS, OTONABEE.

From our own Correspondent.

On Monday evening next, the Cold Spring's Union S. school, will hold their annual Xmas entertainment. A choice programme of music, readings, recitations and dialogues, is being prepared and a very enjoyable evening is anticipated. A cordial invitation is extended by the school to all who may wish to attend.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—A private cable from Liverpool to-day said that Canadian cattle sold at 5½d, sheep at 5½, lambs 6½d and American cattle 5½. There were about 600 head of butchers' cattle, 25 calves 900 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. The butchers were present in large numbers and trade was good, with a slight improvement in the price of pretty good stock. There were not many Christmas beeves on the market, and these sold at from 3½ to 4c per lb, pretty good stock sold at from $ 1-2c to $ 1-4c per lb and the common animals at from 1 1-2c to 2 1-4c per lb. Most of the calves were young veals, selling at from $2.75 to $6 each. Mr. Bourassa paid $30 for an extra calf. Mr Geo Nicholson bought ten extra cattle, for which he paid 4 1-4c per lb Sheep sold at from 3 3-4c to 4 1-4c per lb, a few choice lambs being held at 4 1-2 per lb. Fat hogs sold at from $3.75 to $4 per 100 lbs.

Toy Books.

The 50c kind for 35c, the 35c kind for 20c at SAILSBURY'S.

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running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled from end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

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Large Size Only - - $1 Each

When hot applications are required for Inflammation of any kind, for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Cold Feet or Earache there is nothing so useful as the

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Every Bottle Guaranteed, Call and see them.

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Call on us for anything you want in Real Estate in town or country.

Our office in block next to Post Office will be open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

T. HURLEY & CO.

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Ready-made Clothing at Panic Prices.

We're determined to relieve the pressure caused by our gigantic stock. At no time in the last ten years has there been such excitement in the wholesale Clothing trade as in the past six weeks. Owing to the exceedingly mild weather trade has been disappointing, consequently immense stocks are on hand. When the demand is light prices are low. This season trade was so light that prices were simply paralysed. We were offered from time to time the very finest clothing at prices usually asked for the lowest grade. Unable to resist such tempting offers we bought almost $20.000 worth of Clothing. Now that we have it we find ourselves with a "white elephant" on our hands. The Clothing was bought at our own prices, but as there is little demand for heavy goods these mild days our position is about the same as the farmer and his apple crop. Sighing and thinking of what might have been will do no good. Quick action is necessary. For the balance of this season we close our eyes to real worth and inaugurate a selling soiree that is destined to stand unequalled in our mercantile history.

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$ 4 00	Overcoats and Ulsters, now					$2 00
6 00	"	"	"			3 00
8 00	"	"	"			4 00
10 00	"	"	"			5 00
12 00	"	"	"			6 00
15 00	"	"	"			8 00
18 00	"	"	"			10 00
20 00	"	"	"			12 00
5 00	SUITS, NOW	-	-	-		2 50
6 00	"	"	-	-	-	3 00
8 00	"	"	-	-	-	4 50
10 00	"	"	-	-	-	5 75
12 00	"	"	-	-	-	7 00
15 00	"	"	-	-	-	8 75

Remember, the sale is absolute. We will astound you with bargains, and with every sale we give a guarantee to refund the money if the sale is not bona fide or just as advertised. It is the greatest sale of Clothing in recent years, and to see is to buy—so come and see. No money can buy so much as the dollar that will be spent here.

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Verandah, Hon e, Cabinet or other kinds of Turning done in P. BEGLEY'S usual cheap and satisfactory style. See our neat Verandah Brackets.

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WE ENUMERATE A FEW LINES.

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Probabilities.

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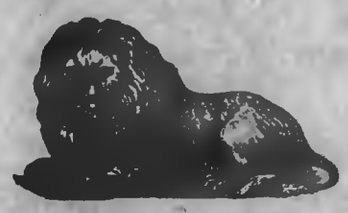
R. F.



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FOR $15.00 Ladies' extra Fine Cloth Jackets, silk lined, former price $20.00.

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FOR 15c your choice of 200 yards Japanese Crepe Silk, in Pink, Sky, Nile, Butter, Mauve, Cream and Black, 27 inches wide, formerly sold at 35c

FOR 50c your choice of 1180 yards heavy Japanese Crepe Silk, (pure) in all the evening shades, 27 inches wide, former price 75c.

We open this week direct from London 3 cases of new shades in evening laces, Allovers, Chiffons, Veilings, Dresden Ribbons, Pearl Trimmings, all the latest productions from Paris.

Our Reduction Sale in Carpets and Curtains still continues during the month.

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At no store will be found a greater variety of handsome and useful articles suitable for Xmas presents embracing as they do, Silver Drinking Cups, Toilet Bottles, Mirrors, Hand Painted Doylies, Handkerchiefs in silk, linen and cotton, plain and embroidered.

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Bring your bottles and have them filled with Harrison's Perfumes at 35c per ounce, former price 60c.

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One Cent a Paper, or Ten Cents a Booklet.

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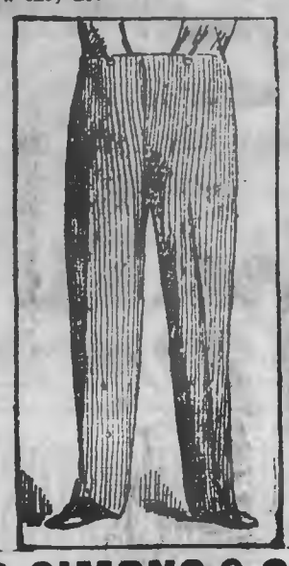

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NEWS FROM OTTAWA

Parliament Likely to Meet Early in March.

GREAT JUMP IN MINING BUSINESS

A Few Civil Servants Who Were Laid Off Get Back to Work—That Case of Leprosy at Three Rivers—New Liberal Newspaper to be Established.

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—(Special.)—Considerable uncertainty prevails in town regarding the meeting of Parliament. The sooner the better, Ottawa people say. The Free Press says: "From what can be gathered in official circles, it is the intention of the Government to summon Parliament to meet at the earliest possible moment, which will probably be the first week in March. It is also the purpose of the Government to go on next session with a new franchise bill, a civil service act, and a new superannuation bill. In accordance with the promises made, steps will be taken to provide the necessary legislation for carrying out the prohibition plebiscite.

A despatch was received to-day from the Mayor of Three Rivers, respecting the alleged case of leprosy in that city. The Premier wired Mayor Cook that he would order the medical expert, Dr. Smith, in charge of the Lazaretto at Tracadie, to investigate the matter, but Mayor Cook states that the suspected Chinaman had been sent to Montreal, the Provincial Board of Health having ordered his release from temporary quarantine, as there was nothing to indicate that he was afflicted with the scourge.

The movement for the establishment of a new evening Liberal newspaper at the Capital is well under way. It is expected that this latest accession to the journalistic field will make its appearance at the end of January. Stock is being canvassed for on the ground that the paper will be the official Liberal organ here, with a job printing and lithographing establishment annexed, which is to get any of the Government business going in that line outside the Printing Bureau. The title of the new concern is The Chaudiere Press.

From the Auditor-General's report it appears that the amount of printing, engraving, lithographing, etc., given out to private firms in Ottawa by the Government last year was about $16,000. Mortimer & Co. got $10,131, George Cox $7218 and Paynter & Abbott $150, these being the full list of beneficiaries.

The customs returns from the mining districts of British Columbia to the department, especially from Trail and Rossland, show business jumping with leaps and bounds. Assistants have been placed in both these places, making a staff of seven in all. The department is still awaiting a nomination for the office of collector at Seine River in the Rainy River district.

A number of Public Works employes who were temporarily laid off are to be found again on the departmental pay rolls, having been taken on within the last week.

Out of the five temporary clerks notified some time ago in the Agriculture Department that their services would not be required after Dec. 31 two have since received a cancellation of that notice, and will continue in the department.

Mr. Dunn, collector of customs at Huntingdon, B. C., has been dismissed on account of offensive partisanship. The notification was sent out from Ottawa yesterday. It was established that he was on the stump during the June elections.

Prof. Robertson, Dominion Dairy and Agricultural Commissioner, is visiting Renfrew and other places in the district in connection with the poultry trade. Large shipments will be sent from the Counties of Carlton and Renfrew to the Old Country market.

Mr. Andrew Onderdonk, the Trent Canal contractor, was here to-day on business with the Railways Department.

Commander Spain left to-night for Owen Sound.

The vacation at the Supreme and Exchequer Courts began yesterday and will last until January.

Judge O'Brien of L'Orignal arrived here to-night. He says the Canadian Pacific's new line to Ottawa is completed as far as Alfred. It is being constructed with a view to its being a double-track road. It is expected that the line will reach Ottawa next summer.

There was not a Minister in town to-day.

H. H. Gildersleeve of Kingston and Mr. Britton, M.P., were here as the advance guard of a Kingston delegation, but had to telegraph their associates not to come, owing to the absence of Ministers.

Mr. Riley, American Consul-General for Ottawa, has his annual report nearly ready. It will show that the volume of exports from Eastern Ontario to the States is quite up to the average.

The Curfew law will go into effect on Jan. 1.

ST. BONIFACE MAYORALTY.

A Hot Contest Won by the Opponent of the Schools Settlement—News Notes From the Prairie City.

Winnipeg, Dec. 17.—(Special.)—St. Boniface town had a hot Mayoralty contest, with the school settlement as the chief issue. The candidates opposed to the proposed settlement, Senator Bernier, won, only by 20 votes.

The election of W. F. McCreary as Mayor of Winnipeg, is to be protested on the ground of lack of qualifications.

The petition to unseat Mr. MacDonnell, Liberal member for Selkirk, is now before the courts. The petition to unseat Mr. Richardson, Liberal member for Lisgar, comes up on Monday.

Hon. Clifford Sifton left to-day via C.P.R. for Ottawa with his family.

WALTER HALL DROWNED.

A Port Perry Boy Was Skating With a Young Lady at Rosseau and Both Went Down.

Rosseau, Ont., Dec. 17.—A sad drowning accident occurred here this evening, when a young man, Walter Hall, while in company with Miss Ethel Beley, skating, fell through the ice. The shouts for help were heard and soon many were at their assistance, but too late to save the life of Mr. Hall. They succeeded, however, in saving Miss Beley. Grappling at once followed, with the result that in forty-five minutes Messrs. George and Arthur Monteith succeeded in recovering the body. Dr. Young after trying artificial respiration for some time gave it up as hopeless. The deceased was from Port Perry and an employe of Homer & Co. of this place.

TARTE'S SHARP REPLY.

A Vigorous Answer to the Article in Archbishop Fabre's Organ Regarding the School Question.

Montreal, Dec. 17.—(Special.)—Hon. Mr. Tarte is going to have it out with the clergy, irrespective of results. He published a signed article to-day in Le Cultivateur, saying as a beginning that as Archbishop Fabre is on his deathbed, His Grace cannot be held responsible for the recent article of La Semaine Religieuse, and adds that the article was written by a Tory pen. "Citizens (as he calls the priests) who have no families on their hands, and who are not fathers of children destined to earn their own living by the sweat of their brows, these gentlemen," continues the Minister of Public Works, "by reason of their religious profession are exempt from paying taxes, the weight of which is borne by the ordinary ratepayer. We do not deny them," says Mr. Tarte, "the right to be heard. On the contrary, we invite them to public discussion before the country, but we do not deny them the right to speak 'ex-cathedra.' They are priests, citizens, men. We are laymen and ratepayers. We are also fathers of families. The children we raise are ours, and we claim the right with an unshaken firmness to speak for them, to speak in their name and in their future interest. Le Semaine Religieuse will only have schools that bear the name of Separate, yet what is there in names and phrases? It is facts that count. We are face to face with the fact that no Government, either in Manitoba or at Ottawa, can re-establish the order of things prior to 1890, and to be frank about it, we would not if we could, and why? What the Catholics want is a school system that puts them on the same footing with those who surround them. Take a trip through Manitoba and you will see that the proportion of our compatriots and co-religionists who do not know how to read and write is terribly alarming. No, we do not want the re-establishment of the order of things prior to 1890, and we declare without fear, that all of our intelligent compatriots in Manitoba are of the same opinion."

Hon. Mr. Tarte adds that in the Province of Ontario thousands of Catholic children follow the public schools, with episcopal consent, and Hon. Mr. Ross affirms that there are more of these children in the Public than in the Separate schools. The policy in Manitoba up to the present time has been disastrous to the French-Canadian race. What is called the Cathedral of St. Boniface is but a little church, smaller than most of the smallest churches in Quebec, and around this are grouped some 1200 people of French origin. They have isolated St. Boniface, and the result has been that our brothers have been abandoned by the rest of the population. Is it therefore not painful to see people attempt to prevent the Catholic population of Manitoba from taking part in the government and development of the province where they reside? We bitterly regret that a portion of the clergy refuses to lend its efforts to the carrying out of a policy that changed circumstances have imposed upon our race. We leave to the Semaine Religieuse, and to those of its school, the responsibility of the destructive work they have set about to perform. Let them not be deceived. They cannot prevent the development of those ideas of legitimate liberty which drive the masses into the party of which Hon. Mr. Laurier is chief."

THE EARTH QUAKED.

Southern England and Wales Shaken Up.

TWO DISTINCT SHOCKS WERE FELT

Houses Trembled, Beds Moved From Their Places and Doors Flew Open—One Woman at Hereford in England Frightened to Death—Other News by Cable.

London, Dec. 17.—Two strong shocks of earthquake were felt throughout Wales, the Midlands and the South of England early this morning. The first shock occurred at 3 o'clock and the second at 5 30 in the afternoon. Houses were shaken; beds moved from their places, doors forced open and furniture overturned. Telegrams from all quarters concur in the statement that the first shock was of 30 seconds duration, and was followed by a loud rumbling sound and minor in tremblings of the earth. The second shock was shorter, but more severe. Many people in Windsor, Cheltenham and other places rushed out of their houses, ut no one was hurt. The Cathedral at Hereford was damaged somewhat, but no other serious damage is reported.

At Hereford the rumbling sound was followed by two crashes. Men and women rushed from their houses into the street and one woman died from fright.

At Ruthven the shocks were accompanied by thunder and lightning and for 13 seconds there was a distinct movement of the earth. At Liverpool the shocks were followed by thunder, lightning, and hail, and there were similar manifestations at Bridgenorth, where the streets at first seemed to be on fire for several seconds. After this there was a violent report, followed by a heavy shock. Only a slight quaking sensation was felt at Manchester, Birmingham and in the northwestern part of London. The damage was not serious anywhere.

The area of the seismic disturbances was unusually wide, extending hundreds of miles from London north to Lincoln, thence west to Lancashire, south through Wales to Taunton, and southeast to Southampton, over 200 towns and villages being affected. There were, however, no fatalities except in the case of the woman who died from fright at Hereford. The telegraph lines were not affected. The attaches of the Greenwich Observatory say that the galvanometer showed a very slight disturbance at the time of the shocks. The authorities at the Stoneyhurst Observatory say that their galvanometers showed no indication whatever of a seismic disturbance.

"COUNTESS" ROSSI ARRESTED.

An American Adventuress and Her Paramour in the Toils at Paris.

Paris, Dec. 17.—A woman who calls herself Countess Rossi, but whose real name is not known, has been arrested here, charged with burglary in having plundered the villa of Count and Countess Rothe at Neuilly-sur-Seine, a mile and a half from Paris, while the owners were sojourning at Monte Carlo. The self-styled Countess was born in Detroit, Mich., of French parents. She asserts that she was married to an Italian Count of the name of Rossi, who is now dead. She has long been known in Paris and elsewhere as an adventuress.

Her paramour, named Gaillard, who professes to be her uncle and secretary, was arrested at the same time, the police having evidence that both were implicated in the robbery.

ASTOR'S DAUGHTER AGAIN MARRIED

Mrs. Coleman Drayton Weds a Rich Whisky Merchant in London.

New York, Dec. 17.—A despatch from London says Mrs. Coleman Drayton, daughter of Mrs. William Astor, who some time ago obtained a divorce from her husband on the ground of desertion and non-support, was married this afternoon by special license at St. Columbia's Church, to George Haig of the firm of Haig & Haig, whiskey merchants of this city. The Rev. Donald McLeod, D. D., pastor of St. Columbia, officiated. The register was signed by Consul-General Collins as witness.

At the request of the bride, the organ played "Mendelssohn's Wedding March as the party left the church and entered carriages to be driven to the bride's residence on Hertford-street, Mayfair, where a wedding breakfast was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Haig left London for Dover at 4.30 p.m., en route for Paris, where they will arrive to-morrow morning. Later they will go to Nice.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cures.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel on Saturday, Dec. 26th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. dw

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

The Scotch
Are Great on Knitting.

They are the originators of the peculiar combinations that are now so popular in Men's Cycle and Golf Hose. The hose with the ribbed leg has a top of a plain knit, with a tartain plaid ornament in bright colours. The leg is one colour. They are made thick in the legs where warmth is needed. The leg is of a quiet heather mixture. Also Scotch Wool Travelling Rugs. We have fine qualities in Half Hose as well.

Mercer's

Boils

It is often difficult to convince people their blood is impure, until dreadful carbuncles, abscesses, boils, scrofula or salt rheum, are painful proof of the fact. It is wisdom now, or whenever there is any indication of

Impure

blood, to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and prevent such eruptions and suffering.

"I had a dreadful carbuncle abscess, red, fiery, fierce and sore. The doctor attended me over seven weeks. When the abscess broke, the pains were terrible, and I thought I should not live through it. I heard and read so much about Hood's Sarsaparilla, that I decided to take it, and my husband, who was suffering with boils, took it also. It soon purified our

Blood

built me up and restored my health so that, although the doctor said I would not be able to work hard, I have since done the work for 20 people. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured my husband of the boils, and we regard it a wonderful medicine." MRS. ANNA PETERSON, Latimer, Kansas.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1.

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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1896.

MUST TELL ONLY WHAT THEY KNOW.

A Ruling by the Behring Sea Commissioners Which Will Save Time

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 17.—A ruling was made yesterday by the Behring Sea Claims Commission on a subject of vital importance, which has frequently been a question of difference between contending counsel. It was regarding the proportion of seals secured outside of those shot by hunters, and Judge Putnam, speaking for the Commissioners, said that it had been decided to restrict the evidence of witnesses on this point to their practical experience, and to also limit the number of witnesses to about half a dozen.

Capt. Byers, the first witness called in regard to seal killing, estimated the number lost at five per cent.

Tug Burnt at Midland.

Midland, Ont., Dec. 17.—Last night the tug Metamora, a large and strong boat, used in the James Playfair & Co. wrecking outfit, was gutted by fire. The boat was being laid up for the winter and was tied up with her two consorts at the Playfair dock. Loss about $10,000, partly covered by insurance.

Children Free.

Adams & Son's Co., 11 and 13 Jarvis street, Toronto, Ont., are sending out some very handsome paper dolls with moveable heads and bodies. They send a set of sixteen for nine cents in stamps, or a sample one for the children free.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

The Wabash Railway Trains

running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled from end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

A Batch of News Notes Culled From the Despatches and Covering All Sorts of Topics.

Viscomte Auguste Margon, French dramatist, is dead at Paris.

The Pacific Cable Conference in London adjourned yesterday till after Christmas.

John Dean, over 70 years old, who lived alone on his farm near Marlboro, Mass., was murdered by robbers last night.

It is said the Carnegie Steel Company has reduced the price of steel rails from $28 to $25 per ton, as one result of the meeting of the steel rail pool and slow sales.

Ex-Alderman Hurtubise of Montreal has filed an abandonment of his property on the demand of G. Dastans. Liabilities about $190,000.

D. M. Hyman of Cincinnati, representing Colorado capitalists, has bought the Enterprise Mine, British Columbia, for $200,000.

Helena Ruetter, widow, and Hans Summerhoff, widower, both of New York, were married in London, Eng., very privately yesterday on a special license.

Hon. G. E. Foster, Sir Adolphe Caron, Mr. J. F. Quinn of Montreal and others addressed a large meeting at Cornwall last night in the interest of Mr. Leitch, the Conservative candidate.

A large number of ocean steamships, which had been held outside Sandy Hook by the storm, came in to New York harbor last night, covered with ice and snow.

Montreal dealers have reduced the price of cut nails from $2.75 to $2.30 per keg, with 10 cents per keg allowance. This is one effect of the collapse of the Wire Nail Trust.

The German Emperor has conferred a decoration upon M. Roux, a noted French chemist, and, contrary to precedent, the Frenchman has accepted the German decoration.

A bill to provide $100,000 for a home for aged and infirm colored people has been favorably reported by the Education and Labor Committee of the United States Senate. The institution will be in Washington.

John S. Hammond, once general freight agent of the Erie Railroad, was too impatient to wait for a train in the yard at Erie to move on last night, started to crawl under a car and was cut in two.

The British Government has purchased 140,000 bushels of corn in the United States, which will be planted in India in the hope of alleviating the famine. The German ship Remus will carry the corn from Philadelphia.

The anthracite coal dealers have an overstock at tidewater and in storage, and there is talk of concessions in prices. The output this year from the mines has been over 2,000,000 tons less than last year. The coal barons admit having made money this year, but claim to have made nothing last year.

It is often a mystery how a cold has been "caught." The fact is, however, that when the blood is poor and the system depressed, one becomes peculiarly liable to diseases. When the appetite or the strength fails, Ayer's Sarsaparilla should be taken without delay.

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5.75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 236 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

Xmas Rush.

The trade this year for Xmas fruits has been exceptionally good with Mason & Co. and is accounted for by the fine clean goods they are sending out. If you desire the best value in holiday requirements try MASON & Co., 429—431 George street.

Christmas Ale and Porter.

Special brewings of Cristmas stock now ready at reduced prices to private families during the holidays. Kegs, $1.25; quarter, $1.75; one-third, $2.50. Bottles, 18 to doz. $1.00. Terms Cash. H. CALCUTT, brewer and maltster. Telephone 98.

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Is a blessing to any household. She knows that for prime roasts, juicy steaks and chops, fresh poultry and delicious sausage, J. J. HOWDEN'S, 461 George street, is the favourite meat shop for her. Hams, bacon and lard always on hand. Telephone 30.

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There is a very pleasant custom connected with the parish of Cumnor in Berkshire, the church of which is a vicarage and a beautiful specimen of the venerable parochial edifices of that kind in England. On Christmas day after evening service the parishioners who are liable to pay any tithes repair to the vicarage and are there entertained with bread, cheese and ale. It is no benefaction on the part of the vicar, but claimed as a right on the part of the parishioners, and even the quantity of good things which the vicar brings forward is specified. He must have four bushels of malt brewed into ale and small beer, two bushels of wheat made into bread and half a hundredweight of cheese, and whatever remains unconsumed by the vicarage payers is distributed next day after morning prayers among the poor.

There was a very curious custom observed at Paddington church, in London, which partakes of the character of Christmas charity. At 8 o'clock on the morning of the Sunday before Christmas it was usual to throw a quantity of bread and cheese from the steeple of the church among the populace. The assemblage on the occasion was generally immense, and a great scramble took place. The custom had its origin in the will of two poor sisters, who, traveling to London to claim an estate, in which they succeeded, and being much distressed, were first relieved in Paddington. The custom was kept up until a few years since, when a less objectionable mode was adopted for the distribution of this charity. It is given in bread and coal by the minister and parish officers to the poor of the district.—Selected.

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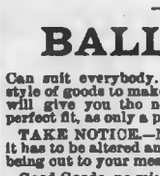

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By an Influential Delegation Representing All Sections of the Province—The Case of the Hotel Men Presented in Clear Language Men. Mr. Hardy's Reply.

Toronto, Dec. 18.

The Ontario License Act seems to please nobody. Some time ago a somewhat numerous deputation of the more extreme temperance advocates asked the Ontario Government for a number of amendments to the law such as would be conformable to their views, while yesterday the Government had the spectacle presented of a delegation, hardly so numerous, but of similar weight in the community, and representing the Ontario License Holders' Protective Association, also petitioning for amendments which would remove many of the restrictions which they allege they are suffering under.

Among the petitioners were noticed the following members of the Association's Executive: Messrs. H. Maxey and T. Crooks, Hamilton; F. Collins, Dundas; John Caffey, Barrie; A. G. Smith, St. Thomas; J. McFarland, Kingston; E. Sullivan, Toronto; M. Bickle, the secretary; and James Haverson, the solicitor of the association. The other representatives were Messrs. W. Hopkins, J. Robinson, R. Allcock, V. T. Bero, J. R. Wilson, G. J. Leslie, John Holderness, T. K. Haffey, Toronto; W. Noble, Thomas Wilson, Hamilton; E. Henderson, Ancaster; John McCarthy, St. Catharines; W. Carr, Webbwood; J. R. Higgins, Bracebridge; N. J. Frawley, Orillia; M. Quinn, Ottawa; John Sutton, Simcoe; W. E. Gladstone, Blackwater; and E. H. Smith of London.

The above-named gentlemen, through their spokesman, Solicitor Haverson, urged upon the Government the advisability and practicability of introducing legislation that would give effect to amendments to the existing regulations as follows:

(1) That the hour of closing hotels and saloons on week nights other than Saturday nights be 12 o'clock p.m., on Saturday nights 9 p.m.

(2) That the power of Municipal Councils to deal with liquor licenses be withdrawn, and the same vested in the Provincial Government.

(3) That holders of shop licenses be permitted to keep for sale upon their licensed premises cigars, cigarettes and tobacco, the same to be sold in unbroken packages. (See section 22 of the Liquor License Act.)

(4) That the removal and transfer of licenses to be in the discretion of the commissioners. (See II. sub-sec. 14.)

(5) That tavern license holders be permitted to supply liquor to guests, travelers, boarders and lodgers during prohibited hours. (Sec. 54.)

(6) That holders of licenses to sell liquor shall be eligible for members of Municipal Councils.

(7) That the License Act be so amended that the bar of licensed premises may be opened after the hours of polling on election days.

(8) That druggists be prohibited from selling liquor at all times or in any quantities, except for dispensing purposes.

(9) That holders of shop licenses be allowed to sell bottled liquors in sealed packages, in quantities of not less than one-half pint.

(10) That the defendant in all cases of infraction of the Liquor License Act be constituted a competent but not compellable witness.

Upon entering the Council Chamber each delegate was received with the cordial handshake of Premier Hardy, who took occasion to remark that he was sorry that the limited accommodation of their hotel would not permit of all the members being seated. Hon. J. M. Gibson, Hon. G. W. Ross, Hon. Richard Harcourt and Hon. E. J. Davis were present at the Council.

Mr. Haverson spoke first. He began to explain that the deputation represented the liquor traffic, and was composed of the Executive Committee and some of the more prominent members of the Licenseholders' Protective Association throughout the province. It had been promised, he went on, time and again that a time would come when the License Act would receive the consideration of the Government. He thought it should do so now. In presenting the question to the Minister, he did so from the standpoint of what they considered a legitimate business, from a license standpoint. On the other hand, the temperance people did not understand the subject with which they were professing to deal. They were at the present time endeavoring to have the Dominion Government kill the traffic by a single blow. But they were not sure that that Government would feel safe in doing so, so they approached the Ontario Government to see if they could not strangle it by a process of restriction.

Their avowed object in coming to the provincial authorities was the destruction of the traffic, and not that it should be placed on a legitimate basis and be fairly controlled by a license act. The License Act in their hands, he said, would simply be a method of destruction.

The first amendment the solicitor asked the Ministers to consider had reference to the hours of closing. With the exception of that one forcing the closing of the saloons at 7 o'clock on Saturday nights there was no statutory enactment fixing the hour of closing them. The hours of closing on week nights, therefore, varied from 9.30 to 12 o'clock at night.

Hon. Mr. Hardy: "What places do you know of which close at half-past nine?"

Mr. Haverson: "In Woodstock the hour is 10 p.m. and in Port Hope 9.30 p.m."

Hon. Mr. Gibson: "Where in the province is the hour later than 11 p.m.?"

Mr. Haverson: "In your own city of Hamilton, Mr. Gibson, the hour is 11.30 p.m."

An outburst of laughter followed this sally.

In Windsor, the spokesman resumed, the hour was 12 p.m. The association desired that the hour of closing be made uniform throughout the province, and suggested that it be made 12 p.m.

Turning to the matter of the hour of closing on Saturday, the advocate of the traffic contended that the law was adopted at a time when wages were paid on Saturday, and was thought advisable because it served to remove temptation out of the way of workingmen. As wages were now no longer paid on Saturday, but in many cases on Friday, the reason for the law, he thought, no longer existed. Why, therefore, be asked, should the hour of closing be 7 p.m. on Saturdays, when every other business man might keep his place of business open as long as he pleased? Taking Windsor and other towns on the border as examples, he asserted that a great deal of Canadian money was being spent in Detroit and other American cities, where bars were open later, rather than in Windsor. It was not unreasonable, he thought, to ask that the hour should be extended to at least 9 p.m.

Turning to the point of the removal and transfer of licenses into the hands of the commissioners, Mr. Haverson pointed out that since the adoption by the Ontario Government of the principle of one man one vote, with the provision that the elector should poll that vote in the district in which he resided, it simply meant that in a large number of polling sub-divisions the removal and transfer of licenses rested with less than a dozen voters, who were in most cases caretakers. He claimed therefore, that commissioners appointed by, and responsible to, the Government would be more capable of dealing with it than would in many cases the electors of a sub-division.

In regard to the amendment proposed to allow the sale of liquor to hotel guests and boarders in prohibited hours, the speaker suggested that, as the hotel was the home of travelers and boarders, it should be supplied with the refreshments which many homes afford. No reason could be given why the trade should be deprived of such a privilege. It was an extremely difficult thing for the license-holder to observe a law which was universally regarded by the traveling public to be unreasonable.

Next the lawyer asked that license-holders be made eligible to sit in municipal councils. He considered it inconsistent that a distiller could be a member of Parliament, while an hotelkeeper could not represent his fellow-citizens in such municipal bodies.

Continuing, the speaker denounced the principle of closing throughout the whole of election days. He could see the point in keeping the bars closed while polling was going on, but saw no reason why they should not be reopened immediately the poll was closed.

Hon. Mr. Hardy: "What hour do you suggest to open them, 7 o'clock?"

Mr. Haverson: "Yes, that would do."

Proceeding, he said that a great deal of odium attached to the illicit sale of liquor came from its sale by druggists. Where a notice was served by a wife, he claimed, prohibiting the sale of liquor to her husband, the effect was destroyed by the fact that by simply signing his name, the latter could procure it from the druggist, who could sell in defiance of any such notice. Druggists were not required to have a license, and thus it was that many of them could afford to pay the penalty for a little illicit selling occasionally.

As far as the proposed amendment dealing with the sale of liquor in shops was concerned, he thought it more in the interests of temperance to allow the sale of quantities of not less than one-half pint than to allow them quantities of not less than a pint and a half.

Touching upon the last clause, Mr. Haverson became very earnest. It was a Russian, not a British practice, to place a man in the box to convict himself. Under the Scott Act, which was a Dominion measure, the defendant was a competent, but not a compellable, witness. Under the Dominion Evidence Act of 1893, the accused was treated likewise. Why, he asked, should a different rule be applied to govern offences against provincial acts? The temptation to perjury was so great, to men who had their license at stake, and who had not too much of the fear of God before their eyes, that any advantages to be gained by the present system were acquired at too great a cost.

And then the speaker turned his attention to the alleged reforms asked for by the Dominion Alliance some time ago. "We know something about the liquor traffic, they know little or nothing about it. All they want is to have it abolished," was his emphatic comment. There were, he went on, but one-half the number of licenses to-day that there were 20 years ago. The Alliance people would have the dealers close the bars at 4 p.m. on Saturdays. Why didn't they ask them to close at 1 p.m., it would have been just as well as asking to have it done at 4 p.m.?

Ald. Spence had said, he continued, when complaining of the liquor selling by the clubs: "Look at the clubs. The very moment that the licensed houses are shut up, then the clubs do their best business, particularly on Saturday night and on Sunday. Men that take liquor are not to be shut off because hotels are closed at early hours. They can get their liquor elsewhere."

Commenting on the alderman's remarks the solicitor said that no one would be better pleased than the liquor dealers if the sale were to be prohibited in the club rooms. They were not licensed and injured the trade.

The temperance people had asked for the abolition of the saloon altogether. Mr. Haverson ventured to remark that all the saloons were restaurants as well and provided as many meals as most of the hotels. He thought they were, therefore, a necessity. An hotel was a place where a man received board, lodging and "spiritual" refreshment. Supposing a man was only wanting refreshment, what harm was there in his going to a place where it was sold?

The temperance people also proposed that a man's license be marked for every conviction, that "convicted" should be written across the face of his license. As the law required a man to expose his license the speaker contended that it was enough for the dealer to be punished in a proper manner without resorting to the ancient process of public branding. Diverting, he claimed that some specified time should be constituted sufficient for an offence to be legally forgotten. As it was, a man might be convicted now, and if again convicted 10 years hence, it would be a second offence. He thought the time allowed should be four years as in the English act. The speaker believed that the demand of the other delegation for the restriction of the age limit from 16 years to 21 years of age was only made to hamper the trade.

In conclusion, he said that all they asked was that the trade be treated fairly, and if they were so treated there was no trade which would endeavor to live up to the laws more than the one he spoke for. They would always be ready to do right in the matter. He hoped they would receive the consideration of the Government when they came to treat the License Act.

Mr. Smith of St. Thomas followed in a short address on behalf of the shopkeepers. He contended that if the licenses were taken away from these gentlemen, instead of selling ale by the dozen to private houses they would simply have to sell it with a wholesale license and deal in larger quantities. He also asked that the shopkeepers be allowed to deal in tobacco. He thought the requests were reasonable.

The spokesmen of the deputation having been heard, Premier Hardy concluded the interview with a few remarks. The question, he said, was a most important one. The case of the deputation had been put before the Government in a very clear and able manner and would receive their serious consideration. It had been said in some of the newspapers that the late Hon. Mr. Balfour had proposed some temperance amendments for adoption. This the Premier characterized as a misapprehension. He knew of none such. He thanked the deputation for attending in such numbers and explaining their case so fully and fairly.

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The banquet given Hon. Geo. A. Cox by the citizens of Peterborough last night at the Oriental hotel, in recognition of his being appointed to the Senate of Canada, was in every way an entire and magnificent success. Never before in Peterborough was such a large and representative gathering convened on a similar occasion. Never before was there a gathering at which there was such complete harmony of feeling and sympathy with its object. Never before was there a gathering so representative of the solid citizenship and our varied industrial, professional and commercial interests. Never before was there a gathering in honour of a public man which was distinguished by so complete and delightful an obliteration of party political lines—where all united in a generous rivalry to show honour to a former fellow citizen, who is still a citizen in his warm interest in everything that pertains to the advancement of the best interests of Peterborough. Not only was the occasion a conspicuous success in all these respects, but in every other besides. The uniform excellence of the speeches given, both in proposing and in replying to toasts, was too conspicuous a feature not to be universally recognized. The matter was good, the manner was good, and while every address breathed only sentiments of the warmest appreciation and veneration for the great Empire, and a pride in being an integral part of it, yet the Canadian national spirit flashed through every sentence, and the many tributes to our beloved Canada, for which the chairman and Mr. Cox set the pace, found a hearty response in the audience, and showed that as highly as we value British connection, warmly as we cherish our share in the traditions of the Empire, the most sacred place in our hearts is given to the best and dearest land "that e'er the sun shone on." Such gatherings as these, animated by so broad a spirit of harmony, where all creeds, all classes, all political denominations, agree to drop the differences that distinguish them in every-day life, and to spontaneously and enthusiastically unite to honour a fellow citizen and pay tribute to his worth, cannot but have a good result in unifying and solidifying our citizenship, and elevating us to a higher plane of action where, no matter how ardently we pursue our course in our more individual concerns, we all unite on common ground in advancing the weal of our town and our country. Hon. Mr. Cox and the citizens of Peterborough have equal reason to be proud of the magnificent success of last night's banquet. In honouring him they honoured themselves. The committee who had the affair in hand are to be warmly congratulated upon the excellent administration they displayed, and it is a pleasure to add that the significant success would have been impossible without the cordial co-operation they received from the foremost citizens of the town.

The guest of the evening, Hon. G. A. Cox, came down from Toronto on a special car attached to the local. He was accompanied by the following Torontonians: Messrs. C. McGill, Hon. G. M. Gibson, H. P. Dwight, Robt. Jaffray, B. E. Walker, W. R. Brock, A. E. Ames, E. W. Cox, H. C. Cox, F. G. Cox, J. J. Kenny, G. R. Cockburn and Stewart Lyon and J. C. Walsh, of the Globe.

The party was met at the station by a committee composed of Messrs. J. R. Stratton, honorary chairman; Robt. Fair, honorary secretary; Richard Hall, R. Mulholland, T. Cahill, T. E. Bradburn, Jas. Kendry, W. H. Moore, Mayor Yelland, Jas. Stevenson, John Carnegie, W. H. Maldram, and escorted in carriages to the Oriental parlours, where a reception was held, and a large number of citizens was presented to Mr. Cox, and personally extended their congratulations on the occasion of the honour of his elevation to to the Senate.

The Banquet.

At eight-thirty the party assembled in the banquetting hall, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion in Turner's best style. The grand old flag was abundantly in evidence, and the tables were laid in a most elaborate and sumptuous manner. There was the glitter of silver, and the glare of ornate banquet lamps in brilliant competition with the blaze of electric lights. The tables were beautifully decorated with flowers, the choicest spoil of the conservatories of Messrs. Jordan Bros. adorned the tables. The appointments of the banquet reflect the highest credit upon the capacity for entertainment and the taste of the management of the Oriental Hotel, and the culinary quality of the viands, and the prompt service, are worthy of special notice. The sumptuous and practically regal character of the repast provided may be gathered from the following copy of the

MENU.

"But hark! the chiming clocks to dinner call"—*Pope.*

OYSTERS.

Baltimore Selects.

The firm Roman great to Egypt sends
This treasure of an oyster."—*Shakespeare.*

SOUP.

Potage of Green Turtle. Consommé natural en Tasse.

"Thou hast described a hot friend cooling."
—*Julius Cæsar.*

FISH.

Sea Salmon. Shrimp Sauce.

"This dish is too good for any but anglers or very honest men."—*Walton.*

BOILED.

Leg of Southdown Mutton, French Capers.
Ox-Tongue a'la Polvrade.

"Much may be said on both sides."—*Addison.*

COLD.

Sugar Cured Ham. Boned Turkey,
Aspic Jelly.

"I do perceive here a divided duty."—*Othello.*

ENTREES.

Breast of Chicken, (larded) Perigord.
Sweetbreads, Financed aux Champignons.
Small Patties of Oysters.
Cheese, Ramequins in Cases.
Pommes a'la Vesuve.

"Not to know me argues yourselves unknown."
—*Milton.*

ROAST.

Sirloin of Beef au Jus.
Goose and Apple Marmalade.
Young Turkey (dressed) Cranberry Sauce.
Domestic Duck, Red Currant Jelly.

"What say you to a piece of beef and mustard"—*Taming of the Shrew.*

GAME.

Haunch of Bear, Grape Jelly.
Roast Loin of Venison, Port Wine Sauce.
Golden Plover, Black Currant Jelly.
Imperial Punch. Claret.

"Let's carve him as a dish fit for the Gods,
Not hew him as a carcass."—*Julius Cæsar.*

VEGETABLES.

Boiled Potatoes, Mashed Turnips.
Petits Pois a'l'Anglaise.
Succotash. Escolloped Tomatoes.

HON. GEO. A. COX, SENATOR AND GUEST OF THE EVENING.

"The common growth of Mother Earth suffices me."—*Wordsworth.*

SALADS.

Lobster, Chicken, Fresh Shrimp,
Mayonaise.

"Of two evils, the less is always to be chosen."
—*Thomas A. Kempis.*

PASTRY.

Plum Pudding (hard) and Brandy Sauce.
Lemon Meringue Pudding, Wine Cream.
Apple Pie. Mince Pie. Peach Tart.
Washington Cream Tart.

"To give satiety a fresh appetite."—*Othello.*

DESSERT.

Rhinewine Jelly. Jamacia Rum Jelly.
Charlotte Russe Decorse.
Assorted Cake. Pineapple Trifle,
Whipped Cream.

"Can one desire too much of a good thing."
—*As you like it.*

Fruits. Cheese, Crackers. Tea.
Coffee. Milk.

Serenely full, the epicure would say,
"Fate cannot harm me, I have dined to-day."
—*Sidney Smith.*

The bill of fare and toast list were an elaborate piece of artistic typography and apropos to the occasion, as will be seen by the following copy of the toast list and the copy of the menu presented above:—

The Queen—

"Your high self,
The gracious mark o' the land.
—*Winter's Tale.*

The Governor-General of Canada and the Lieutenant-Governors of the Provinces—

'Statesman yet friend to truth! of soul sincere,
In action faithful and in honour clear.—*Pope.*

Our Guest—The Hon. Geo. A. Cox, member of the Senate of Canada—

"Your name is great
In mouths of wisest censure—*Othello.*

The Senate and the House of Commons of Canada and the Legislative Assembly of Ontario—

"For Government, though high and low and lower,
Put into parts doth keep one in consent."
—*Henry V.*

The Army: The Navy: The Volunteers—

"All great in courage, conduct, and in fame,
Yet neither envious of the other's praise.
Their duty, faith, and interest too, the same,
Like mighty partners, equally they raise.'
—*Dryden.*

Our Banking, Merchantile and Manufacturing Interests and Agriculture—

"Receive 'em nobly and conduct 'em into our presence."

Henry VIII.

Our Municipal Institutions—

"When public blessings public peace attend,
When glory is our motive, not our end."
—*Young.*

The Learned Professions—

"Lawers are needful, to keep us out of law."
—*Dr. Johnson.*

"Throw physic to the dogs."—*Macbeth.*

The Press—

"Four hostile newspapers are more to be feared than a thousand bayonets."—*Napoleon.*

During the early part of the evening the Fire Brigade band, stationed in the rotunda of the hotel, discoursed a variety of artistic selections which enlivened the feast, and exercised the soothing influence of music upon the guests in preparation for the more exacting intellectual demands upon their attention which followed the enjoyable discussion of the menu, which was prefaced by grace said by Rev. Father Conway, Norwood.

The Feast of Reason.

The chair was occupied by Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., West Peterborough, and on his right was Hon. Geo. A. Cox, the guest of the evening, and on his left Hon. J. M. Gibson, Commissioner of Crown Lands in the Ontario Government, and around the guest's table were seated: Mr. R. E. Walker, Manager of the Bank of Commerce, Toronto; Mr. John Carnegie, ex-M.P.P., Mr. G.R R. Cockburn, ex-M.P., President of the Ontario Bank; Mr. J. J. Kenney, General Manager Western Assurance Company, Toronto; —— Quinlan, Mayor of Port Hope; Mr. Sheriff Hall, Mr. H. B. Dwight, Toronto, General Manager G. N. W. Tel. Co.; Mr. F. J. Rogers, Manager Bank of Montreal, Peterborough; Mr. P. Campbell, Manager Bank of Toronto, Peterborough; Rev. Father Conway, Norwood; Mr. James Stevenson, ex M. P., Peterborough; Mr. William Maneon, Manager of the Bank of Commerce, Peterborough; Mr. Thos. Bradburn, Peterborough; Mr. John Bertram, Toronto; Mr. Peter Hamilton, Peterborough; Mr. Wm. Smyth, Mayor of Lindsay; Mr. Robt. Jaffray, President Globe Printing Co., Toronto; Mr. C. McGill, General Manager, Ontario Bank; Mr. Wm. Clurton, Peterborough, and Mr. Richard Hall, Peterborough. The vice-chair was occupied by Mr. James Kendry, M. P., and the second vice chair by Mr. John Burnham, ex-M. P.

Those Present.

Among the others present were Messrs. Mayor Yelland, Robert Fair, hon-sec. of the Banquet Committee; D. W. Dumble, J. W. Fitzgerald, H. LeBrun, A. J. Gough, B. Shortly, W. H. Hill, H. S. Macdonald, W. G. Morrow, R. A. Morrow, J. M. Irwin, Thos. Cahill, S. R. Armstrong, E. H. D. Hall, R. S. Davidson, R. B. McKee, H. S. Greenwood, C. E., J. B. McWilliams, D. H. Moore, W. A. Stratton, R R. Hall, J. W. Garvin, G. J. Hopkins, W. D. Parker, J. W. Gilchrist, H. M. Allen, R. Stevenson, C. LeBrun, L. M. Hayes, A. L. Davis, R. M. Dennistoun, Col. H. C. Rogers, F.D. Kerr, R. Mulholland, A. E. Dixon, George Edmison, F. D. McKay, F. H. Dobbin, F. R. Yokome, F. J. Bell, Robert Walton, H. J. LeFevre, Lakefield; T. Brooks, Geo. E. Elliott, Smith; P. M. Clark, R. D. Hamilton, A. Gibson, J. E. Belcher, C. E., A. J. Belcher, C.E., A. E. Leon, Geo. Munro, Wm. Hamilton, jr., John McKee, W. H. Moore, H. Morphet, T. A. Hay, R. B. Rogers, C.E., superintending engineer T. V.C.; D. O'Connell, Jas. Davidson, Smith; A. Mercer, E. R. Wood, Toronto; A. Cox, Dr. Clarke. H. C. Winch, E. A. Stanley, Dr. Greer, Dr. Carmichael, S. Belcher, Dr. Caldwell, J. W. Bennett, W. H. Maldrum, Dr. Morrison, C. W. Sawers, T. E. Bradburn, — Paterson, T. W. Robinson, W. Rudkins, W. H. Law, W. J. Green, T. F. Matthews, Dr. Halliday, Henry Best, W. G. Ferguson, John Nugent, C. Fessenden, principal Collegiate Institute; Dr. Grey, B. Morrow, Registrar; J. S. Knapman, J. J. McBain, Jas. Middleton, Smith, warden of the county; Dr. Bell, R. J. Winch, Dr. Eastwood, J. P. Murley, R. H. Kells, Dr. Boucher, —Mallett, D. Bellegbem, G. W. Mulligan, F. Fairen, S. Munro, D. Hopkins, John Hull, Lakefield, Harry Long, T. Dunn, T. Cahill, E. B. Edwards, J. Bertram jr., Dr. Meher and Chas. LeGros, Peterborough.

THE SPEAKING BEGINS.

In introducing the toast list Mr. Stratton said that having received an abundance of creature comforts, so elaborately provided they would now turn their attention in another direction—to what he had every reason to believe would be a feast of reason, and, he hoped, a flow of soul. Before proceeding he claimed their indulgence for a moment while he expressed his sense of the honour done him by placing him in the chair on this most important occasion, and while he disclaimed any special fitness for the position he might say that no one could have been selected more in sympathy with the central object of the gathering, or one who could appreciate the honour more fully for it was the highest source of pleasure for one to feel that he enjoyed the confidence of his fellow citizens. It was his intention to take up as little time in preliminaries as possible. They had surrounding the Board an array of oratorical ability seldom gathered together in Peterborough, and all the time at their disposal could be well employed in listening to their utterances.

THE QUEEN.

Mr. Stratton said the first toast upon the list was one for which, above all others, it seemed superfluous to ask a hearty reception. Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen had now reached the sixtieth year of her reign, longer than that of any precedent British sovereign and longer than that of any other constitutional ruler of history. Not only had her reign been longer but it had been more abundantly freighted with the blessings of good government, the development of civil and religious liberty and all the blessings incidant thereto. During the Victorian age the greatest achievements and advancements in literature, science, art, culture, and the betterment of the condition of the myriads who compose the vast Empire of which we form a part had been accomplished and made, and therefore it seemed to him that the gathering would welcome the opportunity of enthusiastically and loyally honouring the toast to Her Majesty the Queen.

The toast received an enthusiastically loyal reception, the company singing with loyal earnestness "God Save the Queen," accompanied by the band.

THE ABSENT IN BODY—PRESENT IN SPIRIT.

Mr. Fair, honorary secretary, in response to the chairman's invitation, read the list of gentlemen who had sent their regrets at not being able to attend the banquet, and remarked that it was to be noted that all sent their most hearty congratulations of Mr. Cox on the occasion of his being elevated to the Senate. Among them were letters from Hon. Wilfred Laurier, Sir Oliver Mowat, Hon. Wm. Paterson, Hon. Wm. Mulock, Hon. W. S. Fielding, Sir Henri Joly de Lotbinière, Hon. J. D. Edgar, Sir Frank Smith, Hon. G. W. Ross, Hon. David Mills, Hon. Senator Drummond, Hon. G. E. Forster, J. P. Whitney, Hon. Senator Dobson, J. Ross Robertson, J. H. Plummer, D. Coulson, A. White, Thos. Quincy, Chicago; Thos. Blenard, G. H. Johnston, Lethbridge (who though he was not invited sent congratulations); Frederick Nicholls, Sir Mackenzie Bowell and Hon. Thos. Ballantyne.

In proposing the

GOVERNNOR GENERAL AND LT.-GOVERNORS

Mr. Stratton said that among the blessings that Canadians have enjoyed during Her Majesty's reign, have been the appointments made from time to time of excellent Governors-General, and Her Majesty's advisers in Canada have been equally fortunate in selecting the distinguished men who have been appointed to the position of Lieutenant-Governors of the different provinces.

The Toast was duly and loyally honoured.

Mr. T. Dunn then sang in his usually splendid style the sterling song, "Let us Speak of a Man as we Find Him," and was most cordially applauded.

THE TOAST OF TOASTS.

In presenting the toast of the evening, Mr. Stratton said that if ever he felt the necessity of the gift of direct, terse, forcible eloquence, he felt it in rising to propose the toast of the evening. But fortunately the character of the gentleman they had met to honour, relieved him of the necessity of saying very much. Essentially a man of action, the personality of Mr. Cox in our midst for 30 years had impressed his prominent characteristics upon the popular mind. His career in Peterborough was so closely interwoven and associated with the material progress of the town that, to think of one, is very naturally to suggest the other. He submitted that it was most proper that Peterborough should take the lead in recognizing and giving congratulations upon the late honour that had been conferred upon Mr. Cox, for the very bricks of the business blocks of the town, the finest of any place of its size in the Dominion, bore witness to the manner in which he has discharged the duties of progressive and public spirited citizenship. Regarding the splendid business buildings and palatial shops of our chief business streets Mr. Cox might aptly say in reference to a monument to himself, as was said of Sir Christopher Wren in relation to St. Paul's Cathedral, "If you seek my monument look about you." We all know that he began life in Peterborough in a very humble way, but by virtue of his genius for affairs and by virtue of his financial foresight and undeviating integrity, he has developed into one of the foremost financial forces of the Dominion. He was the leading spirit in a host of financial enterprises, and in business affairs his genius for business, like the fabled Midas, had, so to speak, turned to gold whatever he touched. The speaker referred to the great confidence so happily reposed in Mr. Cox as Mayor of the town for several terms, and his discharge of the duties of that office was, like those in other connections, eminently successful and satisfactory. In view of one feature of his career, that of taking a moribund railway in hand and galvanizing it into active and prosperous life, one could perhaps understand, according to some opinions, the fitness of his selection for a seat in the Senate. That body had been regarded by many as having survived its usefulness—to possess too little of the vitality necessary to make its existence as a useful branch of our legislative institutions advisable. But we must remember, Mr. Stratton said, that there had always been a "saving remnant" of able men in that body, and the recent appointments to the Senate of men like Sir Oliver Mowat, Hon. David Mills and Hon. Geo. A. Cox, represented most valuable additions to the able men that occupied seats in that venerable body, and he thought that they would agree with him that with robust veterans in the Senate like Sir Mackenzie Bowell and Sir Oliver Mowat and new blood like Hon. Messrs. Cox and Mills there was life in the Senate yet, and a great future of usefulness in assisting in the legislation required to make this "Canada of ours" one of the greatest countries on the face of the globe—in the completeness of its civil institutions as it now was in the magnificence of its resources. Hon. Mr. Cox had been honoured by being received into the Senate of Canada, and the Senate of Canada had been honoured by having Honourable Mr. Cox added to its membership. (Cheers).

We were met to-night as citizens and admirers of Mr. Cox to congratulate him upon the well-deserved recognition of talents he had received and to rejoice as citizens in the honour done to a former and, yet, fellow-citizen, whom we all delight to honour. As Mr. Cox was not a hard man to please, except, perhaps, in the nature of a security, the speaker was sure that he must be gratified at the character of the recognition and welcome accorded him that evening. When he saw about him all classes, creeds and nationalities of our citizenship assembled for a common object, of which he was the centre; when he noted that all the varied educational, civic, industrial and commercial activities of Peterborough were so comprehensively represented there to-night: when he saw the important economic, governmental and other interests represented by our guests, (to whom he took that opportunity of extending, on behalf of the town, a most hearty welcome); when he saw present his strongest political foes, as well as his warmest political friends; when he saw all this, Mr. Cox would doubtless feel that there was no element nor condition lacking in the earnest and enthusiastic felicitations and honours which the occasion signalized. The great gathering of the evening represented unwritten volumes more than the chairman could hope to express, and therefore he would say no more, but with every confidence in the enthusiasm with which it would be received, had the greatest possible pleasure in asking them to honour the toast of the evening, "Our Honoured Guest, Hon. Geo. Albertus Cox."

Mr. Stratton's remarks were loudly applauded, and the appreciative sentiments found a ready echo in the enthusiastic approval manifested by the gathering.

Mr. Cox's Reply.

Hon. Mr. Cox, in rising to reply, was received with enthusiastic and long-continued applause, the company rising to their feet and giving cheer after cheer. When order was restored Hon. Mr. Cox said:—

I need not tell you, I cannot tell you, how much I appreciate the remarks you

R. FAIR, HONORARY SECRETARY OF THE BANQUET COMMITTEE.

have so kindly made in proposing my health, and the cordial manner in which it has been received.

I desire to say frankly, and at once, that I do appreciate the honour that has been conferred upon me by my call to the Senate of Canada. I appreciate very much the kind manner in which my appointment has been received by my political opponents, by the press of both parties, as well as by my political friends; but nothing has occurred, and nothing could occur, to afford me more profound satisfaction than this expression of approval upon the part of my friends in Peterborough. It is to me a source of pride to see those beside whom I have worked, against whom I have in many cases contended, amongst whom I have lived for nearly forty years, thus laying aside political and social lines and cordially uniting together to endorse my life and labours in their midst. (Cheers.)

It is gratifying to see what may be termed a semi-political gathering so evenly divided as to make it difficult to know whether the majority of those present are Reformers or Conservatives. It reminds me of another evening in this same town some twenty-three ago, when the result was not so pleasant for me as it is to-night. I refer to the contest between the late Mr. Scott and myself in 1873. The circumstances will be quite familiar to many of you, but it will stand repeating for those present who do not know how evenly the parties were divided on that occasion. The returns were all in, with the exception of one polling place in the township of Harvey, and up to that time I was thirteen ahead; it was expected that Mr. Scott would have a majority in that division, and of course we were all waiting anxiously to hear whether it would be more or less than the thirteen. After two or three hours' suspense the information received at my committee room gave Mr. Scott fourteen, which elected him by one, but the information received at his own committee room gave him only twelve, which would elect me by one; there was no means of getting either report confirmed until the next day, and the result was that both parties went home quite willing to desist from any partisan demonstration. When the final returns for the riding were completed it was found that we had each polled the same number of votes, but he had seventeen and I had eighteen spoiled ballots, which gave him a majority of one. Mr. Scott used to tell me some very amusing incidents of the many persons who claimed to have cast that one vote. He ultimately accorded that honour to a man who is said to have reached Bobcaygeon too late for the last boat going to the polling place, and had to swim Pigeon Lake, and got there just in time to get his vote in.

It may not be out of place for me to mention another incident of that election. My father-in-law, the late Mr. Hopkins, one of my very best friends, who was always willing to do anything he could for me and who had already given me his daughter, when is came to a question of giving a Grit vote, at that point he drew a line. These two incidents will demonstrate how keenly our election battles were fought in the past, and will emphasize the pleasure it is to me to see many of the leaders on both sides in these hotly contested elections here to-night. But being made a senator does not by any means make one a better speaker. (Laughter.) This occasion and the presence of Mr. Dwight reminds me of my first attempt to send a telegram. At that primitive day in 1856 it was his custom to go to a village, start an operator, appoint an apprentice and pass on to the next. I was the apprentice on this occasion and one day my superior had to leave the village, and no relieving officer being available I was forced to do my best under my new responsibility. I started by practising on a closed current till I thought I could read a message. I called Belleville and was answered with such startling distinctness that I nearly fell off the high stool on which I was sitting and my legs were all trembling. I have that sensation in my legs every time I attempt to make a speech, and the fact of being made a senator by no means improves one's power of public speaking. (Laughter).

The circumstances under which we have met seems to irresistibly take me back to the first night I arrived in Peterborough. On the 9th of February 1856, a lad of fifteen, I entered the service of the Montreal Telegraph Company in the village of Colborne. On the 12th of May 1858 I received a telegram from the Supt. of the Company to proceed to Peterborough, and report for duty on the morning of the 14th, the operator in charge here having been ordered to leave for Prescott on that day. It is a pleasing coincidence that Mr. Dwight, the gentleman who sent me that

J. R. STRATTON, M. P P., CHAIRMAN.

telegram, 38 years ago, and who is now the President and General Manager of the Company, and who has ever since been my steadfast friend is present here to-night. I started by the six o'clock train the following morning 13th, and although the distance is less than fifty miles I spent the greater part of the day on the train on the old Cobourg road, and did not reach the station in Ashburnham until after dark. The railway facilities then were in striking contrast with what they are now, with Peterborough, practically on the main line of two great trunk railways. I remember as vividly as though it were last night, carpet bag in hand, walking across the old wooden bridge that then occupied the place of the present handsome iron structure the Hunter street bridge. At that time much the larger proportion of the business streets were wooden structures. There were only three brick buildings on what is now the centre block of the town, between Hunter and Simcoe streets. From that time forward I have watched with constantly increasing interest and pride the progress of this town, and the growing importance of this country. When I first crossed the Atlantic I was accompanied by Mr. Jaffray, who was never tired of boasting of the charms of Scotland as the brightest gem in Victoria's crown, and by Mr. D. Hopkins, who claimed the same honour for Ireland. When I returned across the Atlantic and crossed the Suspension Bridge into Canada I felt then as I feel to-night, like saying in the language of Sir Walter Scott—

Breathes there a man with soul so dead
Who never to himself hath said,
This is my own, my native land. (Cheers.)

The fact, Mr. Chairman, that this is my own, my native land makes me more keenly appreciate the privilege of assisting to shape the policy, extend the commerce, and develop the resources of this noble land of ours, in the progress of which we are all so deeply interested. Whatever may be the views of some people as to the composition or the necessity of the Senate, certain it is that the vast and undeveloped resources of this country require and demand the best attention of the best minds of both political parties in every branch of our Legislature, and of every loyal citizen in our land. Our Western Province abounds in mineral wealth and valuable coal fields; in order to assist and encourage their development and to retain in our country the advantages that will result from such development a prompt and judicious railway policy is necessary. Our Prairie Provinces have millions of acres of unoccupied fertile lands that call for a well considered and energetic immigration policy. The already rapidly increasing products of these provinces, augmented by the rich and varied products of our own and other provinces in forcing their way to the sea board will, I am confident, in the near future, demand the double tracking of railways, the completion and deepening of the Trent Valley and other canals, and the enlargement and and cheapening of every avenue that gives to access to the markets of the world. (Loud applause.) I have always taken a very deep interest and pride in the development and progress of Peterborough, especially its business interests and its manufacturing industries. You will permit me to specify the General Electric Works, the William Hamilton Works, the Bridge Works, the Peter Hamilton Agricultural Works, the Lock Works, the flouring mills and other important industries. I feel that I am within the mark when I say at least 1,500 mechanics find employment in these industries, representing with their families at an average of five 7,500 persons, about half of the population of the town. These facts seem to me to be sufficient evidence that the interest I felt in the town was justified. Every farm within a large radius of the town felt the beneficial influence of these industries. It appears to me that the important agricultural, manufacturing and commercial interests of this Dominion are so closely identified, the one with the other, that it ought to be possible to strengthen, to stimulate and to encourage each one of them without embarrassment to any one of them. These and other questions of great importance are now engaging, and will continue to engage, the best attention of the best men of this country. I am glad we have what I regard as a wise and patriotic Government (cheers); I am glad we have an able and vigilant Opposition; I am glad we have a loyal, industrious and contented people (applause); I am glad we have an open Bible and religious freedom, a free and unframmeled press, a healthy and invigorating climate. I am glad we have a country with unlimited possibilities and unlimited wealth in her fisheries, in her forests, in her minerals and in her fertile fields. I am glad that over all these advantages floats the grand old flag that has braved for a thousand years the battle and the breeze. (Loud applause.)

Surely we have in these all the elements from which to build a great and prosperous nation, and if as a humblee member of one branch of the Parliament of Canada, I may, in association with such men as Sir McKenzie Bowell, Sir Oliver Mowat, and other members of that House, assist even to the smallest extent in the extension of the commerce and the development of this country it will indeed be to me a source of pride and satisfaction.

Before taking my seat I desire again to thank you Mr. Chairman and gentlemen for the honour you have done me to-night.

On resuming his seat Hon. Mr. Cox, after his able and eloquent speech, which was received throughout with the greatest cordiality, was greeted with another ovation.

Mr. G. W. Mulligan sang in stirring style the grand patriotic song, "British to the Core," by S. T. Church, of Toronto, and was honoured with an encore, to which owing to the length of the programme he did not respond.

Mr. John Burnham, Q. C.

in proposing the toast of "The Senate and House of Commons of Canada, and the Legislative Assembly of Ontario," called attention to the fact that in 1867 we entered upon the work of building a nation, and we adopted the British plan, which involved the Sovereign, the Commons and the Lords. We were proud to be a part of the British Empire, and we could look forward to being the "Greater Britain" so often spoken of. We adopted in our constitution the Senate and the House of Commons, and a fine tribute was paid to the fitness of these bodies to fulfil the functions belonging to them. We had seen that the United States, in its magnanimity, proposed coming to the relief of Cuba and returning it for the oppression under which it suffered, and it was also proposed to relieve Canada also from the thraldom of British dependence and oppression. After a jocular reference to circumstances that left himself and Mr. Hall out of the House of Commons, Mr. Burnham contrasted the United States and Canadian electoral systems to the great advantage of the latter. In the United States they had an election last fall which resulted in a change of administration, but it would be several months before the will of the people as expressed at the polls, would find effect in a change of Government. In Canada the will of the people, as expressed at the polls, takes effect at once and if they decide they want a change of Government the change is made. Canada enjoyed Home Rule, being practically independent. We manage our own affairs as best suited our interests. Our precedent in regard to self-government was one that Great Britain might follow with advantage. We, however, had no desire to separate from the Mother Country. We appreciated the advantages of our connection and were proud of being the greatest dependency of the greatest empire on the globe. We had not a House of Lords, but we had a Senate. Mr. Burnham approved of the Senate. It was a check on the popular vote and served to protect minorities. He denied the imputation that the Senate was an aggregation of old women. That charge would not lie with such men as Hon. Mr. Cox in the Senate. If we appointed men like him such an objection to the Senate could not be urged. After paying a graceful tribute to Mr. Cox's character and ability, Mr. Burnham submitted the toast, which was very heartily honoured.

Mr. G. R. R. Cockburn, ex-M.P.,

President of the Ontario Bank, in responding, made a most pleasing reference to Mr.

Charles McGill, the present general manager of the bank. He stated that when the institution, of which he was president, was looking about to find a general manager, he turned his eyes to the ever active, prosperous town of Peterborough—a town which was modelled on such broad lines, that it undoubtedly had a great future and a grand career before it. When he came here he was surprised by the magnificence of the stores, which Toronto would have been proud to possess. He had carried off his valued friend, Mr. McGill, and placed him at the head of the Ontario Bank, and had peace and satisfaction ever since. He only regretted that Mr. McGill had so strong an attachment for the town that he was never able to persuade him to take up his residence in Toronto. (Cheers) Mr. Cockburn stated that he was present to add his humble testimony to the honour which had been accorded to Mr. Cox. He was proud to feel that he was addressing an audience

JAS. KENDRY, M. P., FIRST VICE-CHAIRMAN.

representative in its character of

BOTH POLITICAL PARTIES,

No higher favour could have been bestowed by those who supported and those who opposed Mr. Cox, politically, than uniting and giving him a banquet of this nature. It meant that, apart from politics, the citizens found in the guest of the evening, "an honest man, the noblest work of God," in whom they felt that their confidence was not misplaced. He hoped that Mr. Cox would be long spared to fill his office, and only wished that the party to which he himself belonged had shown their wisdom in carrying out the policy of Sir John A. Macdonald, in choosing just such men for positions of public trust. In fact he would go as far as to say that if they had done so the Conservative party might still have been in power. He hoped that when the party again took office, which surely would occur some time, that such a principle would be adopted and adhered to. If the present government made many more such appointments he was almost afraid that a certain section of the Conservative party would be converted to Gritism. He thanked those present for the manner in which the toast was honoured, and concluded by stating that he would ever cherish in his heart a particular partiality for Peterborough. (Applause).

Mr. James Kendry, M.P.,

Peterborough, stated that there were others present far better able to respond to the toast, as he was only a young member of the House, yet he could not take his seat without saying something in reference to the guest of the evening. He could say that he was glad, and he knew the citizens were glad, that the Government had seen fit to appoint a gentleman that everyone honoured, irrespective of party. If the Conservative Government had made the appointment he would guarantee that the feeling of satisfaction would have been just as universal. No man was more highly respected in Peterborough or in Toronto than the honoured guest. No one appreciated Mr. Cox's elevation more than himself. He hoped that he would be long spared to be a credit to the Senate. All men appointed to the Senate should be of the same standing. He would have been glad to cast his vote to give Mr. Cox the office, irrespective of politics.

Hon. J. M. Gibson, M.P.P.,

promised that he would not inflict a speech on those present, as he had too much regard for what was to follow to take up much time. As a representative of the Legislature of Ontario he desired to thank them for the manner in which the toast was received.

The constitution had been dwelt on by Mr. Burnham, and therefore he would forebear taking up the varied and important functions with which, through it, the Legislature was called upon to perform. It was no time to say anything which would savour of politics, but he found it difficult to refrain from making some distant allusions on the forbidden ground.

Governments might come and governments might go, but by some it was said that the Ontario Government would go on forever. Perhaps he would be pardoned if he expressed the hope that it would ever continue so. The Globe used to say before the 23rd of June that it was time there was a change. This was all very well as applied to the state of affairs

AT THE TIME,

but he wished it distinctly understood that this was now an exploded doctrine and must be considered to have had no application to the Government of Ontario. —(Laughter.) Besides, the present Government of Ontario was a very new Government. It was scarcely yet in harness so he would not admit that the proposal "that it was time for a change" at all fitted the case in regard to the Hardy Government. It was not time to go and he entered a protest. They were not and never had been offensive partizans and on that ground never should be compelled to go.

He had witnessed a considerable change in the Ontario Assembly. Years ago the large majority of the members were not native born Canadians, but this had gradually become changed and now quite a considerable majority were native born —were young men who had received their education in Canadian schools, who had worked their way up and like West Peterborough's own member, Mr. Stratton, (applause) were rapidly coming to the front and showing an aptitude for occupying the foremost positions in the country, showing the rapid growth of their Canadian spirit, and the outcome would be a grand nationality for Canada. He wished to join in the congratulations to the new Senator. He knew of no appointment in late years which had received more hearty, spontaneous and unanimous endorsement than that of Mr. Cox as Senator. He trusted and believed that his presence in the Senate would be of great benefit to that body. A man of such great business knowledge and capacity, whose career has been so successful, and who occupied so prominent and commanding a position in the financial world, could not but have a most benefitting influence in any deliberative body in which he sat. (Cheers).

Col. Gibson expressed the regrets of the Premier of Ontario, at being unable to be present to do honour to the guest of the evening, and concluded by hoping that Mr. Cox would enjoy many years of usefulness in the Senate of Canada, in which all believed that he would worthily occupy a seat.

"The Army, the Navy, the Volunteers." With this toast the names of Lieut. Col. Rogers and Lieut.-Col. Bell were connected.

Lieut.-Col. Rogers,

thought that anything he could say for the army, navy and volunteers of Great Britain would be an old story, as all were as well acquainted as he with their valour achievements. He considered it an honour to be associated, even in a social way, with an armament which was the greatest the world had ever seen. It was forty years since he first enrolled as a volunteer and he was still in harness. "We are called," said he, "the active militia, but we should be known as the Home Guards, as our duty is to protect the hearths and homes of those dearest to us." We have not received the recognition we deserve as volunteers, when it is remembered that to us is entrusted the entire inland defence of the country. Throughout all Canada, inland, there is only one Imperial soldier, and he is in charge of the volunteer force. Of course detachments of British regulars are posted at Halifax and also on the west cost to defend the harbors.

The Colonel drew the attention of his hearers to the Central Park and its fine surroundings and alluded to the weather-beaten appearance of the home of the gallant 57th. The Armoury had been erected in 1867 and had then been called a shed. It still deserved the name and could not be relied upon to survive its 30th anniversary so shaky had it become. He

REMINDED THE MUNICIPALITY

that the Government would meet it half way in the matter of funds for the erection of a new armoury. He stated that he was not pleading his own cause, as he had not the honour of being attached to 57th, being the commanding officer of a detachment of cavalry which had its headquarters at Peterborough and the members of which lived in the four adjoining counties. He only met his men every one, two or three years, but fortunately Canadians were born soldiers, or the interest could never have been sustained in the company. If it were not for the energy of a few interested men such as Lt.-Col. Gibson, of the Hamilton 13th, and Lt.-Col. Bell, of the 57th, who were both present, there would have been no active militia men in attendance to respond to the toast. He was indeed pleased to see Lt.-Col. Gibson present as he was one of the mainstays of the Volunteers, being not only a model commander but a crack shot.

In concluding the speaker expressed the opinion that Senator Cox had done more than any other man to build up Peterborough. He had opportunities as a public servant to be thoroughly acquainted with Mr. Cox's brilliant career throughout. He hoped that he would be long spared to enjoy the fruits of his industry and foresight.

Lt.-Col. Bell,

eulogized the guest of the evening as one who had alway been a friend of the volunteer force in the past. He had personal knowledge of Mr. Cox's generosity to the volunteers and the force now knew that they had in the Senate one who would do what he could to forward their interests. He hoped that Col. Rogers' suggestion regarding the building of a drill shed would be taken up and a structure erected worthy of the tenants, as in Belleville, Hamilton and Toronto.

Last winter Canada was under a dark cloud for a time when it was feared that together with the Mother Country, she would be involved in the Venezuela dispute. At that time it was found that the armament of the volunteers was obsolete—out of date, but the eyes of Parliament had been opened and the Canadian militia were now being armed with as complete and modern an equipment as any in the world. The speaker was satisfied that the volunteers

COULD BE DEPENDED UPON

to do whatever was necessary for the defence of their country, as it had been proven by their deeds in the past that they were trustworthy under fire and in time of need. He thought the young Canadian militia was indeed worthy of the race from which they had sprung. Representatives had been sent from their ranks to the mother country, where, competing with the best shots in the world, they had repeatedly carried off the highest honours and most valuable prizes offered.

Mr. R. M. Denniston, by special request, sang "Drill ye Tarriers, Drill!" in the style which has made the song so popular with all who have had the pleasure of hearing Mr. Denniston's rendition of it.

Mr. Thomas Cahill

was called upon to propose the toast of "Our Banking, Mercantile and Manufacturing Interests and Agriculture." After all the eloquence he had heard during the evening Mr. Cahill professed himself to be quite at sea. There were gentlemen, he thought, named in connection with the toast, who were far better able to honour it properly than himself, however, he would say a few words relative to the guest of the evening, Mr. Cox. "We are," said he, "citizens of no mean town. We can manufacture within our confines almost anything which is procurable in the Dominion." The various industries of the town were then mentioned by the speaker in a complimentary manner, with a word of explanation as to the character of work which was turned out from them.

Turning to Mr. Cox, Mr. Cahill stated that none had any misgivings as to his future. He would legislate for the Dominion, as a whole, and not for a district. No man would be beneath his notice. He would see that all rights were guarded and all privileges respected. All knew that he did not go to the Senate as a passive instrument, but that the same intuitive foresight so noticeable in his business career would still predominate. He hoped that the next occasion for a banquet would be when the guest of the evening would be addressed as Sir Geo. A. Cox and hailed as one of Her Majesty's Ministers in the Dominion Government.

Mr. B. E. Walker,

General Manager of the Bank of Commerce, in responding to the toast, stated that if the century was not remarkable for the production of great works of art, still in its annals it had achieved such wonders in rolling up such a great volume of trade that it had transcended the records of all previous centuries. How is it, asked he, that the trade of England is immeasurably greater than it was 100 years ago? Is it not because in this age we have adopted those theories which the world hitherto only held in the abstract? Modern science has created the demand for a new geography. Distance now cannot be measured by the eye, for through the telephone and traffic connection we have brought the whole world together in a manner which would have seemed impossible 100 years ago.

The speaker then turned his attention to the power of credit. As a banker he was present to represent this great force, which was interwoven with the forces of steam and electricity. Banking is the

HANDMAID TO COMMERCE.

It is an elastic front which constantly fits itself to the ever shifting changes in trade. We say our system is the best in the world, but the same claim is advanced in England, France, Germany and several other nations and it is advanced with cause too, as each system is probably the best for that particular country, but things are found to be different across the border in the United States. It is because the people differ in their political genius and so it is impossible for the bankers to fit a system, which would be in any way a handmaid to commerce.

It was true that Canada had borrowed many points in her banking system from the United States, but only the good points had been taken, the worthless ones being discarded, so that now the Canadian system boasted of

ALL THE GOOD POINTS

of the other system and none of its bad ones.

A hatred of the banking system had sprung up in the United States, and in 1832 the fabric which had been so carefully built up there, was violently thrust aside,

JOHN BURNHAM, Q. C., EX-M. P., SECOND VICE-CHAIRMAN.

but we, said the speaker, went on until we made the handmaid as reasonable to Canada as any handmaid could be. In the United States, in the meantime, there had been a series of violent experiments, and as a result, in the time of panic there 8,000 banks were, as 8,000 units, unable to act collectively and unable to be of assistance. We have a credit system which as nearly as possible suits the condition of the people. Farmers cannot complain, for where else in the world can he borrow money at five and five and a half per cent? In the United States the farmer pays 12 and 12½ per cent. on his loans, but they themselves destroyed the efficiency of the banks and made it impossible for them to extend

THE NECESSARY AID

at a reasonable charge, and in depriving the banks of the power to circulate a note. When the great crops in the United States were ready there was not enough money to move them, as, though there were six or eight thousand banks; they could never cohere for any great national enterprize.

Mr. Walker stated that when he was called ten years ago to accept the position of General Manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Mr. Cox was not then president. Many thought that he had been suggested for president because he was a wealthy man. No greater mistake could have been made. He was selected because it was seen that he was the one man of all the directors capable of filling that place. So far as he himself was concerned he had urged most strenuously that the appointment be made. His friends advised him to refrain from interesting himself too strongly in the matter, as

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to the presidency might be fraught with danger to himself, but with the interests of the bank at heart he had continued to advocate Mr. Cox's cause.

When he became president of the bank our friendship, said the speaker, had been of short duration, but since the appointment he had constantly reason to congratulate himself that he had stood by his convictions and urged the appointment of Mr. Cox as his chief.

Mr. G. R. R. Cockburn, M.P., President of the Bank of Ontario, was also named in connection with the toast, but having spoken before refrained from again making any remarks, beyond thanking those present for the manner in which they received the toast.

Mr. E. W. Brock,

President of the Canadian General Electric Company, in replying, stated that in Mr. Cox's address he was gratified to find the stand taken by him. While all knew where Mr. Cox had stood in the past, yet there had been so many changes that we hardly knew where to look for the next. Under these circumstances it must be gratifying to Peterborough to know that she had a friend at court, and in the new Senator had a strenuous defender. It was also gratifying to know that one of the first acts of the new government, met with so much approval. Opprobrious epithets would never have been able to have been thrown at the efficiency of the Senate if such appointments had been made in the past. "I believe," said he, "That the Senate even more than Mr. Cox is being honoured by this appointment, which I sincerely hope he may long be privileged to grace." (Cheers.)

Mr. D. W. Dwight,

President and General Manager of the Great North Western Telegraph Co., stated that his personal and business relations with Mr. Cox had extended over a very long period. The friendship was dear to him and the longer he knew Mr. Cox the more he esteemed him. He had never known an appointment which met with so prompt approval as had that of the honoured guest to the senate. Peterborough should well be proud of him.

Before taking his seat the speaker stated that it was through his instrumentality that Mr. Cox was first established in Peterborough in connnection with the telegraph line, of which he himself was the Manager.

Mr. J. J. Kenney,

General Manager of the Western Fire Assurance Company, was proud to be present to do honour to one whom the majority of those present could call a fellow citizen. Those from Toronto could also address Mr. Cox as a fellow-citizen, as he was surely large enough to represent two cities.

Fifteen years ago the Western has lost a director on the board had looked over the field for one who would strengthen the Company. They, like Mr. Cockburn, had come to Peterborough and secured their man, and his presence had a most vitalising effect. Mr. Kenney felt satisfied that in the more exalted position which Mr. Cox was now called upon to fill, that he would come to the front as in every institution with which he was connected. In his lexicon there would be no such word as fail.

Mr. John Bertram, Ex-M.P.

received a tremendous ovation, when he arose to speak to the toast. He thought highly of the Senate. It occupied a position which was needed in the country. The present Government had made the most notable appointments to the body. First, was Sir Oliver Mowat, the greatest constitutional lawyer of the day. Next came Hon. David Mills, acknowledged by be the first parliamentarian at present in Canada. In looking around for a third Senator, the chance had fallen on a business man, and the speaker knew of no one who had a wider experience than Mr. Cox. "What is the secret of his great success?" asked he. Is it not because he came from Peterborough? (Hear! hear!) Peterborough was one of the most particularly favoured towns in Canada. It has the most cosmopolitan population of any county in the Dominion. It was settled by the finest families from

ENGLAND, IRELAND AND SCOTLAND,

and it was through rubbing shoulders daily with the descendants of these peoples that Mr. Cox was possessed of so much finesse and tact. Mr. Bertram congratulated Peterborough on having produced a citizen who had come to the front like Mr. Cox. He was pleased to be able to speak to his old Conservative friends again. They were friends now as always, he hoped. There was no great difference between the two parties after all, and never had been. There never was a free trader in this country. Let us take the revenue question out of the field of politics, said he, and calmly discuss its good and bad points from the standpoint of Canada's welfare. Let us devote ourselves to the opening up of our country and, as in England, take the question of revenue out of politics for good.

Mr. John Carnegie

in responding, stated that those who recollected the many hard political battle which had been fought out in the riding, might well say, this evening, "Where are we?" Instead of taking off their coats in dealing with the tariff question, he was pleased to see that nearly all were of the one mind, and he was much inclined to say ditto to Mr. John Bertram's speech. Mr. Bertram had struck the key-note to the tarriff question, and for himself he could not see why both parties were not one on this important factor in the development of a country. It should be considered from the same standpoint as the banking interests exactly. Nothing gave him greater pleasure than to back up Mr. John Bertram in regard to this. He was satisfied that whenever Mr. Cox's influence could be exercised it would be exercised in promoting the best interests of Canada. He was not of course overcome with delight at the recent turn of the political wheel; but if it resulted in the appointment of such men as Mr. Geo. A. Cox to the Senate, it might come to be regarded as a not unfortunate circumstance.

Mr. Peter Hamilton,

of the Peter Hamilton Mfg. Co., expressed his belief that any country which excelled in manufacturing also excelled in a like proportion in civilization. Not eighty years ago one had to walk to Port Hope, and now railroads fairly teemed in this section of the country, as Montreal and Toronto were at our door through the telephone connection, business could be transacted most expeditiously. In such a rapidly developing young country there should not be Reformers and Conservatives on questions which affected the good of the Dominion, but in such cases all should be Canadians and Canadians only—working for the advancement of the common weal.

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Mr. Laurier and His Colleagues Were Given a Warm Reception in the Historic Town.

Cornwall, Ont., Dec. 16.—Hon. Wilfrid Laurier was tendered a grand reception here to-day by the Liberals of Cornwall. Mr. Laurier, with Hon. Mr. Scott and Mr. Devlin, M.P., arrived by the 4.15 p.m. express. An immense crowd had assembled at the Grand Trunk Station to welcome the Prime Minister. On his arrival he was escorted to a private car furnished by the electric railway for him and the principal Liberals of the town and county. Preceding this car was one especially reserved for the ladies and another for Fleck's 59th Batt. band, and influential citizens. They towed Mr. Laurier's car, and a trailer containing the Citizens' band. All were neatly decorated for the occasion, as also were the streets, and they were swarmed with people on both sides. As the Prime Minister passed he was heartily cheered. A stop was made in front of the Music Hall, and the Premier bowed his acknowledgment of the calls for a speech. The cars were run around the belt line and back to the Rossmore House, where Mr. Laurier received the prominent as well as the humblest and poorest citizens of the town.

This evening the Music Hall was packed to suffocation, and many hundreds were unable to gain admittance. An overflow meeting was held in the ball room of the new skating rink, which was also full to the doors. Messrs. Laurier, Scott and Devlin of Ottawa, and Marcill and Wier of Montreal were the principal speakers.

SHOT HIS FOE AND HIMSELF.

Tragic Result of a Quarrel Between Two Citizens of Wilkes-Barre.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dec. 16.—Morris Pope and J. H. Keithline, two well-known citizens of this place, got into a quarrel over family matters this morning. Pope shot Keithline. As the latter fell to the floor Pope put the gun to his own head and blew out his brains. Keithline, it is believed, cannot recover.

INJURY AND NEGLECT.

He Failed in Health and Strength—His Kidneys Ached and he Took Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Deseronto, Dec. 14 (Special)—Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. James Stokes, who for the past fifteen years has been shipper for the Rathbun Company.

Lately he had run down in health and strength to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now as the result of using Dodd's Kidney Pills is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes he said:—

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MASSACRES ARE ONLY POSTPONED

A Terrible State of Affairs All Over the Country—Men Kill Themselves Because They Cannot Witness the Starvation of Their Wives and Children.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 16.—A letter from Harpoot, Eastern Turkey, states that neither Armenians nor Turks are confident as to the future. A Turkish Hoja (teacher) was overheard to say in conversation with other Turks, that the massacres had only been postponed. Intelligent Turks are anticipating European intervention of some kind.

Although orders have been given for the execution of reforms throughout the provinces, bribery and oppression are as open as ever. The Bin Bachi (commander of 1000 soldiers), under whose supervision taxes are collected, said the other day: "We have stripped the people clean. Even the food which they had prepared for winter, we have sold for taxes." Unoccupied houses have been torn down, and the timber sold for taxes. The people are wellnigh in despair as they face the coming winter. In some places even the animals furnished by the Red Cross have been seized for taxes. If the execution of the reforms shall be undertaken by European commissioners even, it would seem much like applying a poultice to a body decaying in all its parts from leprosy.

A high Turkish official, who was sent to Egin to examine into the late affair, fully confirms all that has been said of its utter fiendishness, and states that it was absolutely without provocation. Egin is surrounded by Kurds, and naturally many of the people have some sort of weapons. The local Government has collected these as evidence that the Armenians are revolutionists. The massacre was by soldiers and citizens, not Kurds.

The following is a translation of a letter signed by five Armenians from Alabash, addressed to the Relief Committee at Marash: The village of Alabash, which is counted as one of the villages of Zeitoun, is composed of 300 houses. It has from the beginning been subject to every kind of calamity, and because we are not able to attain our desires, from day to day we are growing poorer and more wretched. So we earnestly beg that you will be pleased to look with pity upon your servants in Alabash. Until now we have been kept alive by your favor, but for the past month we have received nothing from your charity. Every one of the 300 houses composing Alabash was burned. Likewise all our burden-bearing and milk-giving animals were lost. We had only our vineyards, and they have been devoured by the locusts, which did not leave anything. We have no other hope. Our sole business was agriculture.

Last year, because our fields were not watered, we were not able to sow a single grain. This year also we have neither oxen nor grain to enable us to insure a harvest next year. The other refugees sowed their grain last fall as usual, and this year have reaped an abundant harvest, while we are naked and hungry and buried in poverty. For these reasons we hope you will help us even more than you have helped others. The time for sowing has come. If you do not help us we shall surely die. We have not a single house to protect us from the winter cold which will soon be upon us. We are living like animals, in black tents. Sir, we are not complaining to you, but are only relating the things that have been caused by hunger. Three boys, after remaining hungry for four days, ate some grass, and died. Two girls who had gone to catch fish fell into the water and were drowned. A woman remained hungry a week, and then threw herself into the water, and was drowned. A man, not being able to endure the sight of the sufferings of his family, hanged himself. Another man, seeing his family dying of starvation, struck his head on the ground, and so killed himself. Another man, to save his family from starvation, carried his two-year-old boy to the city, and sold him for 20 piastres. Some who were naked clothed themselves in goatskins. By such sufferings as these the population of a year ago, 1600, is now reduced to 970, and there is no hope for this remnant if your bounty be cut off. We beg and entreat you not to overlook the petition of your servants. Give us daily food for God's sake, and oxen that we may sow our fields.

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Urgent Demands Upon the Government to Provide Relief.

St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 15.—Further reliable reports show the spread of destitution at White Bay, in the extreme northern portion of the island. Urgent demands are being made upon the Government to provide relief. Upon her last trip the mail steamer tried to reach there, but was unable to do so owing to the ice blockade. She had to land the provisions sent at a place 25 miles south of the station intended. The Government will probably send an additional supply of provisions on the next steamer, as that will be the last chance to reach the unfortunates until spring.

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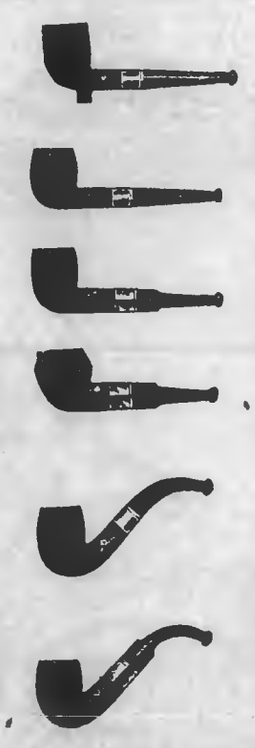

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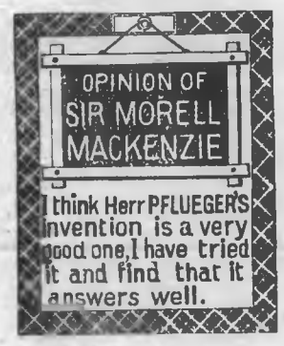
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Pectoral. The first bottle gave me great relief; the second, which I am now taking, has relieved me almost entirely of all unpleasant symptoms, and I feel sure that one or two bottles more will effect a permanent cure. To all ministers suffering from throat troubles, I recommend Ayer's Cherry Pectoral."—E. M. BRAWLEY, D. D., Dist. Secretary, Am. Bapt. Publication Society, Petersburg, Va.

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This is not the ordinary little corner Grocery where supplies are poor and meagre, and often unsatisfactory from an economical point of view—but a full-grown, thoroughly stocked Grocery with a grand selection of new, fresh, sweet and clean Groceries and Provisions fit for the best families in the land. Prices are, of course, lower than down town, because rent, taxes and other expenses are lower—see!

Farmers' produce taken in exchange for goods and highest prices allowed

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Dealer in Eyes, Artificial Leaves and Frosting also Importer of Foreign Birds and Skins from all countries.

Birds, Animals, Fish and Snakes Stuffed and Mounted in and out of cases in the best life-like style at Lowest Prices. DEERS HEADS a specialty. A stock of foreign and native birds always on hand for sale.

Residence—176 Harvey Street, Peterborough

DOCKERS WANT MORE PAY.

Threaten to Strike if They Don't Get It—Trouble Among the Waterside Laborers of London.

London, Dec. 16.—At a meeting of the Dockers', Seamen's, Firemen's and Coal Porters' Unions in London last night, it was decided to recommend that all dockers and waterside laborers should demand an increase of ten shillings weekly in their wages, and that if this was not granted a general strike was recommended on the London docks.

At a mass meeting of the dockers later, at which Tom Mann was present, the plan was enthusiastically endorsed.

GOT HALF ENOUGH.

German Steamer Mannheim Asked for £1300 and Got Just £850.

London, Dec. 16.—The Admiralty Court to-day awarded the German steamer Mannheim the sum of £850 salvage for towing the British barque Cypher, Capt. Clarke, into Halifax on Sept. 16 last. The Mannheim sought to obtain £1500, which sum the court refused to allow. The Cypher was on her way from Progresso for Havre, when on Sept. 9 she encountered a hurricane, in which she lost her foremast and yards, sails and all headgear attached, also main and mizzen topmasts, etc., and her captain was injured by falling spars. The Mannheim took the Cypher in tow on the evening of Sept. 14 and, after towing the barque two hours, Capt. Ocklenman, commander of the Mannheim, refused to tow her further unless the captain of the Cypher signed an agreement to pay him £1500 upon reaching port. Under the circumstances Capt. Clarke had no alternative but to sign the agreement and the vessel was then towed to Halifax.

GENERAL NEWS BY CABLE

The Cruiser Indefatigable Coming Over to Join the North American Squadron

London, Dec. 16.—The cruiser Indefatigable sailed from Portsmouth this morning to relieve the cruiser Mohawk on the North American and West Indies station.

The Indefatigable is a twin-screw cruiser of the second-class, with a tonnage of 3600 and indicated horse power of 9000. She carries eight guns, while the Mohawk, which she replaces, is a vessel of only 1770 tons, 35 horse power, and carries but six guns.

Said-Ed-Din Recalled.

London, Dec. 16.—The Times Berlin correspondent says that the Porte has recalled Said-Ed-Din Pasha, the Porte's special envoy to Crete, in accordance with the joint demand of the powers. He was accused of thwarting the reforms in Crete promised by Turkey to the powers.

French Deputy Dead.

Paris, Dec. 16.—M. Philippe Eugene Cuissart, Radical deputy for the first division of Leon, died here to-day. M. Cuissart was born in 1835, and had devoted special attention to educational matters.

Killed 15 Women and Children.

Munich, Dec. 16.—An explosion occurred in Cremer's match factory at Aschaffenburg, Bavaria, last evening, demolishing the building, killing 15 women and children and seriously injuring seven others.

Steamer Thuringia in Trouble.

London, Dec. 16.—Lloyd's agents at Curacoa cable that the Hamburg-American line steamer Thuringia, from Hamburg Nov. 13, and Havre Nov. 17, for West Indian ports, is ashore east of Point Curacoa, Island of Curacoa. It is not believed that she has any passengers.

Won't Make it a Party Question.

Liverpool, Dec. 16.—The Executive Council of the National Liberal Federation, at a meeting held in this city to-day, rejected a proposal to make the situation in Armenia a Liberal party question.

Lost Her Propeller.

Queenstown, Dec. 18.—The British steamer British Empire, from Boston Nov. 22 for London, arrived here to-day towing the British steamer Hazelmore, from Shields Nov. 24 for Baltimore, which has lost her propeller.

More Curative Power

Is contained in a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other similar preparation. It costs the proprietor and manufacturer more. It costs the jobber more and is worth more to the consumer. It has a record of cures unknown to any other preparation. It is the best to buy because it is the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's PILLS are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

They Swore Falsely.

Newport, Ky., Dec. 16.—William Traste and John Seward, convicted of false swearing in the Pearl Bryan murder case, have been sentenced to one and two years, respectively, in the penitentiary.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is quiet and prices generally are unchanged. Straight rollers are nominal at $4 to $4.10 Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The local market is dull and irregular. Red sold outside at 80c and white at 81c. No. 1 Manitoba hard offers at 94c, Toronto freight, and No. 2 at 92c, but no sales reported.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 28c to 29c.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 2 is quoted at 27c north and west, and feed at 20c to 21c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 18c, and mixed quoted at 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices unchanged at 40c, north and west.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales at 34c outside west.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 25c outside and old at 27c.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 16.—Spring wheat, 6s 9½d to 6s 10½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 3d to 7s 4d; corn, 2s 10¾d; peas, 4s 5½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 28s 0d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 26s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast dull, on passage easy. English country markets partly 6d dearer. Maize off coast quiet, on passage rather easier.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures easy at 6s 7d for Dec., 6s 8d for Jan., 6s 8¼d for Feb. and 6s 9d for March. Maize steady at 2s 9¼d for Jan., Feb. and March and 2s 8¾d for April and May. Flour 25s.

Paris—Wheat 21f 80c for Jan.; flour 46f 40c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures steady at 6s 7¾d for Jan., 6s 8¼d for Feb. and 6s 9¼d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 9¼d for Dec., 2s 9¼d for Jan., Feb. and March and 2s 9¾d for April and May. Flour 25s.

London—Close—Wheat on passage dull and 3d lower. Maize dull.

Paris—Close—Wheat weak at 21f 50c for Dec. and Jan.; flour weak at 46f 25c for Jan.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c 50c, and $1.00.

THOMAS BRAM'S TRIAL.

Dr. Finn of Halifax Describes the Wounds Which He Found On the Bodies of Capt Nash and His Wife.

Boston, Dec. 16.—There was the usual attendance on the trial of Thomas Bram in the United States Circuit Court to-day.

William A. McDonald of Halifax, a civil engineer, identified plans he had made of the barquentine Herbert Fuller at the request of United States Consul-General Ingraham, and gave dimensions of the vessel and apartments, and described in detail the cuts made in the beams overhead, presumably by the weapon used by the murderer in the rooms of the captain, his wife and the second mate.

An adjournment was then taken until 2.30 p.m.

The afternoon session was largely devoted to the examination of Dr. W. D. Finn of Halifax, who held the official autopsy on the bodies of Capt. Nash and the second mate. Both sides questioned the witness at great length. There were four wounds on Capt. Nash's head and jaw, but none on any other part of his body, evidently made with some sharp instrument. There were numerous wounds on different parts of Mrs. Nash's body, but decomposition had proceeded so far that nothing could be told as to a criminal assault. Her face and arms were terribly mutilated. He described the wounds in detail, as well as those of the second mate, the latter having, in his opinion, been received while he was defending himself.

Mr. McDonald was then recalled and continued his testimony as to the measurements on the vessel, which was suspended during the forenoon session, and he occupied the stand until within about ten minutes of adjournment.

Then Lester T. Monks of Brookline, who was the only passenger on the Herbert Fuller, was called. He is probably the most important witness in the case. His evidence to-day was as to the arrangement of the rooms on board and matters of detail. He said that Bram had remarked to him that he should think a steamer trip would be preferred by witness to such an one as the Fuller was about to make.

Adjourned until to-morrow.

A Fat Dividend.

Boston, Dec. 16.—The directors of the American Bell Company to-day declared a regular quarterly dividend of 3 per cent. and an extra dividend of 1½ per cent.

A FARMER IN TROUBLE.

A Grenville County Man Speaks his Mind—Feels Like a New Man—Cured by Four Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Cardinal, Dec. 7 (Special)—Mr. Robert McIntosh, a farmer widely known in this county, and living near this village, has been in a painful and dangerous condition as the result of kidney disease affecting the bladder. When called upon he said:

"During three years, until quite recently cured by using four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease which kept going from bad to worse though I was doctoring all the time."

Under advice I began using Dodd's Kidney Pills, at once realizing great help. I now feel like a new man and am entirely cured of kidney trouble in any form.

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS.

Information For Making Ornamental Letters For Inscriptions.

To use against dark backgrounds very pretty lettering is made by lightly covering pasteboard forms with cotton, pulled apart until it is fluffy as down. Sprinkle these with glue and then sift coarsely powdered mica over them. When a strong light falls on them, the effect will be very pleasing. These letters must be made by some one with deft fingers, as their effect depends greatly on the fluffiness of the cotton. It must be laid on lightly, just caught in place here and there by fine stitches and fastened to its background by fine wires, which should be attached to the frames of the letters before they are covered. If it is not thought best to attempt such lettering very pleasing substitutes can be made by covering pasteboard with gilt paper, or if colors are wanted tissue paper can be used. Crumpled tinfoil makes a pretty covering, and is easily put on.

A beautiful letter can be made by covering pasteboard with velveteen in some dark color, like scarlet, olive or blue. Fasten the cloth in place by folding its edges over the letter and sewing them together on the back. Then string popcorn and run it around the edges of the letter, fastening it well by stitches here and there through the cloth covering. Then go over the popcorn with a wash of the gilding liquid used in ornamenting furniture and fancy work. The effect will be rich and striking if good colors are used for covering the letters and the gilding is well done. The rough regularity of the edging formed by the popcorn gives somewhat the appearance of coined or hammered work. These are effective on dark or light backgrounds, as the gilding outlines them clearly and brings them out prominently in proper light.—Ladies' Home Journal.

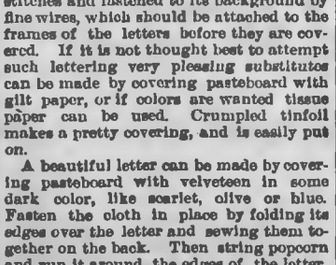
Fatal Result of Delay.

Sickness generally follows in the path of neglect. Don't be reckless! but prudently take a few doses of Scott's Emulsion immediately following exposure to cold. It will save you many painful days and sleepless nights.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Cholera, Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus and all summer complaints and flurxes of the bowels in children or adults.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Is on every wrapper.



An agreeable Laxative and Nerve Tonic. Sold by Druggists or sent by mail. 25c., 50c. and $1.00 per package. Samples free.

KO NO The Favorite TOOTH POWDER for the Teeth and Breath, 25c.

Captain Sweeney, U.S.A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50 cts. Sold by Druggists.

SHILOH'S CURE.

THIS GREAT COUGH CURE promptly cures where all others fail. For Consumption it has no rival; has cured thousands, and will CURE YOU, if taken in time. Price 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00.

SOLD BY JOHN NUGENT

Best for Wash Day

For quick and easy work
For cleanest, sweetest and whitest clothes
Surprise is best

USE SURPRISE SOAP

Best for Every Day

For every use about the house Surprise works best and cheapest.

See for yourself.

The Holly Green.

Christmas coming up the slope,
Brightest flag unfurled,
All the silver bells of hope
Ringing round the world!

Christmas dawning on the hills,
Fast the shadows flee,
All the rivers and the rills
Singing to the sea!

Christmas where the ocean foams,
Suns and skies serene;
Christmas in our hearts and homes—
Hail the holly green!

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years, he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich, red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice, it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

The Best Cough Cure is Haggart's Pectoral Balsam. It heals the lungs and cures coughs and colds.

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For Christmas and New Year's

—HOLIDAYS—

WILL ISSUE ROUND TRIP TICKETS AS FOLLOWS:

GENERAL PUBLIC

Single First-class Fare

Going December 24 and 25; Returning until December 26, 1896.
Going December 31 and January 1; Returning until January 2, 1897.

Single First-class Fare & One-Third

Going December 23 to 25, December 30 and 31 and January 1; Returning until January 4, 1897.

TEACHERS AND STUDENTS

(On surrender of Certificate signed by Principal)

Single First-class Fare & One-Third

Going December 11 to 24; Returning until January 11, 1897. To all stations in Canada, Windsor, Sault Ste. Marie, Fort William and East.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS

(On presentation of Commercial Travellers' Railway Certificate.)

Single First-class Fare

Going December 19 to 25; Returning until January 4, 1897. To all stations in Canada. Ask your Agent for a Christmas Card.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

Special Excursion Fares

TO ALL POINTS IN CANADA.

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Going December 23rd to 25th 1896 inclusive, returning January 4th, 1897.

1897--NEW YEAR'S--1897

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE.

Going December 31st, 1896, and January 1st, 1897, returning not later than Jan. 2nd, 1897.

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE AND ONE-THIRD

Going December 30th and 31st 1896, and January 1st, 1897, returning not later than January 4th, 1897.

School Vacations.

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE AND ONE-THIRD to Teachers and Students on surrendering standard form of School Certificate. Tickets to be issued December 11th to 24th, 1896 inclusive, valid to return not later than January 11th, 1897. For full particulars apply apply to

GEO. J. HORKINS, or WM. HAYDEN,
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Waterbrash

Heartburn, Sick Headache, and all Stomach Troubles,

POSITIVELY CURED BY

HALL'S STOMACH PILLS.

Ask your Druggist for them.

PRICE 25c. dw

For Sale by John McKee, Druggist.

BIG G CURES in 1 to 5 days. Guaranteed not to stricture. Prevents contagion. THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO. CINCINNATI, O. U.S.A.

CURE YOURSELF!

Use Big G for Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Spermatorrhœa, Whites, unnatural discharges, or any inflammation, irritation or ulceration of mucous membranes. Not astringent or poisonous. Sold by Druggists, or sent in plain wrapper, by express, prepaid, for $1.00, or 3 bottles, $2.75. Circular sent on request.

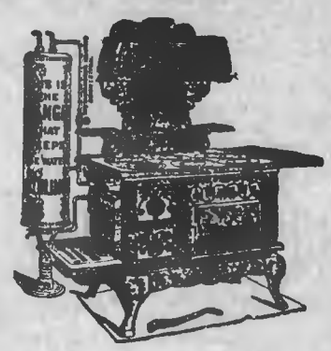
More Elbow Room.

That's what's wanted next. Business is crowding us out of the back door and the demand comes from all departments for larger premises. We ought to be thankful, and must do all we can to encourage this healthy condition of trade.

While we are planning to double our capacity we want to clear the goods out of the way rapidly, and for this purpose have started a

GIANT SALE OF STOVES

"HAPPY THOUGHTS,"
"RADIANT HOMES,"
"HONOR BRIGHTS."



and all and every one of our splendid line of Buck's Stoves must be moved out by customers, who wish to take them away, at about their own prices. The store and the storey above are both full of them. Thirty days will hustle them all out if the people know a good thing when they see it.

MICKS & COX,

237 Hunter Street.

What Nicer Present

TO GIVE OR GET THAN A PLANT IN BLOOM?

—Carnations, —Azaleuas,
—Primulas, —Calla Lillies,
—Begonias, —Heliotropes,
—Abutilons, —Geraniums, Etc.,

Now in Flower and will Flower all Winter.

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The Peterborough Corset Factory, and Ladies Underwear, Waists. Blouses, Fancy Goods. No. 335 George Street, opposite Market Arcade

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It is no wonder that rubbers, which are not the same shape as the boot, should be uncomfortable. It costs money to employ skilled pattern makers but the result is a satisfactory fit. Each year new patterns are added, to fit all the latest shoe-shapes, and Granby Rubbers are always "up-to-date."

They are honestly made of pure rubber, thin, light, elastic, durable, extra thick at ball and heel.

Don't Draw the Feet
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THE Man who is simply "going to insure" is usually no better than the man who has'nt made the decision. In fact he is usually worse, because he has considered the subject and been convinced of his duty, but has not done it. "Nothing is done so long as anything remains undone." On application to either of the undermentioned gentlemen, full particulars will be furnished in regard to the Unconditional Accumulative Policy issued by the

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Will Not be a Barrier

to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts	were $1.00, now	$ 75
Ladies' Underskirts	were $1.25, now	1 00
Ladies' Underskirts	were $1.75, now	1 25
Ladies' Underskirts	were $2.00, now	1 40
Ladies' Underskirts	were $3.50, now	2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves	were $0.75, now	$ 60
Lacing Gloves	were $1.00, now	75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and coloured	were $1.00, now	0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured	were $1.25, now	1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves	were $1.25, now	1 00
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.20, now	10c
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.30, now	0 20
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.35, now	0 25

Handkerchiefs at cost.
Vellings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose	were 20c, now	20c
Higher Grades at Cost.		
Heavy Wool Hose	were 20c, now	15c
Heavy Wool Hose	were 25c, now	20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

ROBERT HALL

385 George Street, Peterborough, Telephone 171.

SENATOR COX IS BANQUETTED.

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The speaker advocated a two-cent postage rate and better local rates on the railways as factors which would greatly assist in developing the country.

Mr. Hamilton thought he was one of the earliest citizens to meet Mr. Cox and during all the time from his first acquaintance with him, his intercourse had been of the friendliest nature and no one was happier than he when he heard of Mr. Cox's elevation to the Senate.

Mr. W .H. Law,

Manager of the Central Bridge Works, expressed his pleasure at the double honour of being present and of having his name mentioned in connection with the toast. He had been a citizen in a free trade and in two protective countries and was in favour of the latter mode of government. The manufacturers, as far as he could learn, were satisfied with the present schedule, with a few alleviations and as the manufacturing interests were of paramount importance to any in the country their advancement should be guarded. At present the manufacturer was not sufficiently appreciated. It was through his efforts that a country was developed, as without him the locomotive could never push its way into the wilderness and carry civilization with it.

Mr. William Cluxton

expressed himself as believing that Mr. Cox was well worthy of the banquet and demonstration in his honour. If the Government of the Dominion of Canada continued to call such gentlemen as Hon. Sir Oliver Mowat, Hon. David Mills and Hon. Geo. A. Cox to the Senate, he thought the Senate would eventually win the esteem and respect of the people, and the cry for its abolition would cease. Mr. Cox's career had been wonderful. It had been a succession of surprises. He had himself sat for ten years at meetings of various boards with Mr. Cox, and had therefore many opportunities of judging of his capacity. He had a calm sound mind, and was capable of undertaking stupendous operations and carrying them through to completion successfully. His charities had been large and Mr. Cluxton was sure all would join heartily in wishing that the guest of the evening might have a long life and enjoy much happiness.

Mr. Warden Middleton

conveyed to Mr. Cox the congratulations of the farming community, after which Mr. Thos. Dunn contributed one of his popular solos, and was so thunderously applauded as to have to respond to an encore.

To the toast of "Our Municipal Institutions," the Mayors of Port Hope and Peterborough responded.

Mayor Quinlan, of Port Hope, made a few of his characteristically witty remarks after which he spent some time in a severe denunciation of the system of bonusing. Every manufacture, he thought should stand on its own basis.

Mr. Quinlan afterwards made a reference to the fact that Port Hope also owed considerable to Mr. Cox, as evidenced by the fact that the citizens had at one time made him a present of a railway. (Laughter)

Mayor Yelland, of Peterborough, made a happy reference to the fact that although he was an Englishman, Canada was the country of his adoption, and Peterborough his beloved home. It afforded him a great deal of pleasure to welcome so many strangers to Peterborough, and he extended the heartiest congratulations to Mr. Cox, with whom he had the honour of sitting in council at the time that gentleman was Mayor of the town.

The toast of the "Learned Professions" was next proposed by Mr. R. Mulholland, who took occasion to add his congratulations to those already expressed to Mr. Cox. The name of Rev. Father Conway, of Norwood, Mr. D. W. Dumble and Dr. Halliday were coupled with the toast.

Rev. Father Conway

stated that nothing but his respect for the guest of the evening would induce him to be present at a banquet at such a late hour. On coming to Peterborough fifteen years ago he had found in Mr. Cox a true friend, and as he never allowed his religious views to interfere with his social duties, he hoped he would have the honour of being a friend of Mr. Cox's as long as he lived.

He proclaimed Mr. Cox an example for all young men to follow. He was one who had lifted himself, and in doing so had lifted others also. He had lifted Peterborough, and Father Conway was in hopes that he would lift the Senate, low as it had fallen. His one duty called him, (Father Conway) to guide the footsteps of young men. His advice to those young men present was to shape their course by the standard of the honoured guest.

Mr. D. W. Dumble

stated that when the Government called upon Mr. Cox to take a position in the Senate all felt pleased in Peterborough. If the Government needed any more men for a like position, as the citizens were patriotic, one would be found to suit and would be haded over for that purpose. To Toronto, he stated, that when they were again in need of a president or general manager for any of their big concerns they could come again to Peterborough, as such men were kept in stock here, apparently.

All were much pleased that a Peterborough man should be so honoured. Some said Mr. Cox was a lucky fellow, but he was one who made his own luck. He had a faculty of foresight which enabled him to harness opportunities to his chariot and make them draw him.

Dr. Halliday

heartily reciprocated all the hearty good wishes which had been extended to Mr. Cox during the evening. He hoped he would live long to grace his seat in the Senate. Regarding Peterborough's hospitals the doctor referred most pleasingly to the Nicholls and St. Joseph's institutions, and the Protestant Home and expressed the hope that a poor house would be one of the next great works undertaken.

Mr. W. H. Moore

had always found Mr. Cox to be a fair enemy on the political platform and therefore, though often opposed to him, he was one of his warmest friends. Mr. Cox had earned the high honour which had been conferred on him. Although Mr. Cox was a citizen of Peterborough at one time yet, in Mr. Moore's opinion, he was appointed to represent a more western locality. Peterborough should have one of her own citizens in the Senate and he hoped Mr. Cox would bring his influence to bear in such a manner as to secure such an appointment.

To Mr. W. H. Meldrum

fell the duty of proposing the health of the Press. He took occasion at the same time to extend his personal congratulation to Mr. Cox, and also made a few terse and witty remarks on several political questions. After the toast had been fittingly honoured it was responded to by Messrs. W. A. Buchanan of the Review and Alf. Terrill of the EXAMINER.

Senator Cox

asked permission to propose one toast. It was that of the chairman, his warm friend —Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P. He hoped before long Peterborough would have another banquet for honour conferred on another citizen, and that those in attendance would have the pleasure of addressing the present chairman, as the Hon. J. R. Stratton, and he impressed on Hon. J. M. Gibson, a member of the Ontario government present, the strength which would be added to the Cabinet by making an addition to it in the person of Mr. Stratton. It gave him the greatest pleasure to propose his health.

The toast was honoured with bursts of applause, and the banqueters rose en masse to sing "He's a jolly good fellow," and "He's a daisy, just now."

Mr. Stratton responded very briefly on account of the lateness of the hour, and the banquet was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

Carriages were in waiting at the hotel to convey the Toronto guests to their private car, which was in waiting on a siding and was taken west on the early morning express of the C.P.R.

The fact that the dining hall was able to accommodate so many persons comfortably was due to Mr. T. A. Hay, C.E., at the request of the committee, having prepared plans of the tables, with a view of economizing space.

PERSONAL

Mr. Frederick Morris, of Blenheim, is in town for a few days the guest of Mrs. W. J. Green.

Mr. A. C. Milne, of the Bank of Commerce, who has been seriously ill for the past five days, is, his friends will be glad to know, somewhat better to-day and his medical attendant feels more hopeful of his recovery.

Postponement.

The lecture of the Rev. Prof. Clarke on Burns is postponed until further notice.

Grafton & Co's. for all Xmas Presents.

Toy Books.

The 50c kind for 35c, the 35c kind for 20c at SAILSBURY'S.

Dr. Hooper's Lecture.

To-night, in the Sons of England Hall, the Rev. E. Hooper, M. D., will deliver his famous lecture "Popular Modern Cures." Don't fail to be there. Tickets 25c, at the door.

Notice.

All persons indebted to Mr. R. Nimmo, dentist, are respectfully requested to settle their accounts without further notice. After the 31st Dec. his solicitors will be instructed to collect over-due accounts. 3d

Marks Bros. Co.

"An Irish Hero" was the play that held the boards at the opera house last night. The house was well filled and the audience was very appreciative. Specialties were introduced by all the members of the company. To-night "The Lost Heiress." Saturday matinee, a "Wife's Peril," Saturday night, the great double bill, "Edith's Burglar and 3 Married Men.

St. Joseph's Christmas Tree.

The public are reminded that the Christmas Tree entertainment, under the auspices of the Sisters of St. Joseph, will be held in the Catholic Association rooms, Cox block, on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons and evenings, Dec. 22nd and 23rd. Admission 10 cents. Those desiring luncheon can procure it for 15 cents. 3d

Charity Entertainment.

An entertainment in behalf of charity has been arranged to take place in St. John's church school house to-night. It has been decided to take the form of "Mrs. Jarley's Waxworks," the characters being taken by a number of prominent ladies and gentlemen. Rev. W. L. Armitage will also be present and be introduced to the congregation during the evening.

Guessing Contest.

All may compete. A barrel of currants stands in the window of E. Brown & Co's, and the question is, How many currants in the barrel? Any person who buys upwards of $5 worth of groceries at any time may compete; the one who guesses the correct number will get a pound of currants or raisins as a Christmas present. The count will take place on the 29th of February. Come one, come all. E. BROWN & Co., groceries, wines and liquors.

English Peels.

With our fine stock of New Xmas Groceries have arrived

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S

Celebrated English Peels, Lemon, Orange and Citron—extra quality.

ALEX. ELLIOTT.

"No Bouquets, Please."

Following the action taken by the Retail Grocers' Association of Toronto, to drop the custom of presenting their customers with a gift of wine, the Peterborough wine merchants have decided on the same course this year, and will forego the pleasure it has afforded them of sending round their customary liquid compliments of "Christmas cheer." All whom it may concern are requested to govern themselves accordingly, by making provision ahead and save disappointment.

Fine Wines for Christmas.

This year as usual M. L. Henry & Co., family grocers and wine merchants, have primed every department of their store with the choicest lines of trustworthy groceries, wines and liquors. In their wine cellar will be found some very fine old sherry and port, in excellent flavour, pure ginger wine, ginger ale and club soda. Full supplies of Bass' pale ale and Guiness' extra foreign Dublin stout in quarts and pints, Kaiser beer, Bott's stout, etc., Gooderham & Worts' Walker's, and Seagram's special old rye whiskies, and the choicest brands of reliable liquers. Leave orders early and have everything in readiness so as to avoid the rush close to the 25th. Family hampers packed and carefully delivered to any part of the town. Orders from out-of-town customers punctually filled.

M. L. HENRY & Co.,
Family Grocers and Wine Merchants.

Ladies and Gentlemen, too, who desire to make a particularly happy hit in the way of a Present are advised to shop at MISS MELVILLE'S FANCY GOODS STORE, 424 George Street. Save you much thinking.

Lots of 5 and 10 cent games at SAILSBURY'S.

YOU Are Invited.

Yes YOU, personally, are most cordially invited to visit the Peterborough Bookstore, and inspect and admire the magnificent stock of every kind of goods suitable for holiday presents. You will be surprised at its magnificent extent and variety. We won't say anything about buying. That question will settle itself when you see our stock and take in its beauty—and learn the low prices. The buying will look after itself. Come and see us. All heartily welcome
A. H. STRATTON & Co.

THE MAYORALTY

PETERBOROUGH, 16th Dec., 1896.

Messrs. Thomas Brady, Thomas Irwin, J. W. Miller, James Burnet, William Might, W. S. Cooke, James Montgomery, Adam Kernegan, William Saxby, William Curtis, William Hatrley, William Cooper, John Kempt, Fred Mitchell, E. B. Clegg, H. B. Meharry, J. J. Turner, Henry Green, E. F. Mason, Thos. A. Redner, Arthur Smith, M. Boyce, William A. Henry and over 150 other municipal electors :

DEAR SIRS,—I beg to acknowledge the honour done to me by your presentation of so large and representative a request asking that I permit myself to be put in nomination as a candidate for the Mayoralty for 1897. I accept the responsibility implied and I assure you and the ratepayers of the town generally that if elected, I shall on all occasions exert myself to the utmost to advance in every respect the best interests of the town.

It will be impossible for me to make any general canvass of the town and I have suggested to Mr. Yelland, who I believe is to be a candidate, that neither of us solicit votes personally of the electors, but instead call a public meeting to discuss the various municipal matters in which the ratepayers are interested, and leave it to them to decide whom they prefer. He has declined to do this and, therefore, as the time is limited and my business cannot be wholly neglected, I must ask these electors, who have requested me to be a candidate and the many others who have personally urged me to the same course, that they do their share in assisting in my election,

I am, Dear Sirs,
Yours very obedient servant,
W. H. MOORE.

Favourites

ONLY BEST GOODS.

For the Christmas Stockings...

Besides our extensive stock of valuable Watches Fancy Clocks, Elaborate Silver and rare designs in precious metals. We list a few of the Favourite Gifts that will find their way into hundreds of stockings at the "chimney" Xmas morning :—

—Diamond Rings in solitaire or in combination with other precious stones.
—Exquisite Pearl, Opal, Torquoise and Ruby Rings.
—Gold Rings, set in Diamonds, Sapphires and Rubies.
—Solid Gold Bracelets,
—Gold Chain Bracelets,
—Gold Brooch Sets,
—Gold Necklets and Pendants,
—Gold Lockets,
—Gold Chains and Fobs,
—Gold and Silver Blouse Sets,
—Gold Shirt Studs and Collar Buttons,
—Gold Scarf Pins and Sleeve Links,
—Gold Spectacles,
—Boys' and Misses' Watches,
—Silver Manicure Sets,
—Silver Jewel Cases,
—Silver Card Cases and Purses,
—Cut Glass Perfume Bottles, etc.

We're scrupulously careful that nobody can pick a flaw in anything they buy of us.

Jewelry manufactured on the premises by a skilled craftsman in the art. Brooches need pins. Rings need stones and valuable old jewellery can be made up into any new design. Proficient workmen to repair even the smallest article.

CLARKE & GIBSON

Jewelers and Silversmiths, Hunter St., Peterborough.

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417 GEORGE STREET, December 18th, 1896.

The Last Saturday Before Xmas!

The usual excessive crowds and intense Holiday enthusiasm of the last Saturday before Christmas will be repeated again to-morrow in and around this store.

The great delegation of buyers will not be disappointed in their search for gifts at the Peterborough Bookstore. No such preparations for big business have ever been set on foot on anything like the same scale before.

Stocks are Bigger and Assortments Better. The Character of these goods are Higher and the Values are Greater. Quantity, Variety and Price are Unmatched. The entire stock represents the results of weeks of personal planning and judicious selection, in which the very best skill was bestowed.

While we place particular emphasis on the unusual excellence and high character of the stock, we are happy also to emphasize the fact that moderate prices go hand-in-hand with every article, from the plainest to the most elaborate.

We bid everyone welcome who wishes to inspect and compare, whether a purchaser or not. We will not attempt to give even an abbreviated list of the goods to-day, as the task is unnecessary now so near Christmas.

A. H. STRATTON & CO.

PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

Agent for Butterick's Patterns. Telephone No. 285

TALBOT BROS.

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough

have on hand $5 000 worth of assorted Christmas Goods, consisting of the Highest Grade of Imported and Canadian Hand-made Cigars, Pipes, Tobaccos, Cigarettes, and Smokers' Supplies of the Latest and Best quality, which must be disposed of within 30 days, to make room for New 1897 Goods.

Try "Our Wonder" Cigars equal to any 10c. Cigar in the market, put up 25 in a box for only $1.00. Great sellers.

The Merrel Mackenzie Pipe in the three popular shapes—"Bulldog." "Crooked" and "Straight."

Wholesale and Retail. Special inducements to large buyers.

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A PEERLESS BLEND

ASK FOR AND SEE THAT YOU GET **KURMA** LEAD PACKETS ONLY—1-2 AND 1 POUNDS

Ceylon Tea

Direct from the Tea Gardens—Selected from Twenty Blends by the greatest Tea Experts in the world as the Finest, Purest, Richest, and most Fragrant —ALL GROCERS SELL IT—25, 30, 40, 50, and 60 cents a pound.

THE DAVIDSON & HAY, LTD., WHOLESALE AGENTS, TORONTO

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE EXAMINER

ON WITH THE RUSH!

A particular purpose influences this Store this week. We want to emphasize Christmas Trade and how terribly close the day is drawing. We are already meeting the demands of hundreds—and you would do well to join the army of shoppers at once. If you have'nt the money to spare to-day, pick out your Gifts, and if your purchases are bona fide we will lay them aside for you in our storage department, to be called for any time before Chrismas. We expect tremendous crowding in a few days more.

OUR GREAT TOY DEPARTMENT

is the talk of the Town. Nowhere else can such a variety be seen of New Mechanical Toys, the choicest productions of American and foreign makes :—

—Steam Railways
—Steam Engines
—Steamboats
—Toy Horses
—Rocking Horses
—Metal Soldiers
—Toy Swords
—Animals
—Iron Banks
—Tool Chests
—Beds
—Chairs
—Building and Architectural Blocks
—Girl's and Boys' Sleighs
—Hundreds of Dolls
—[illegible] Dolls
—Dressed and Undressed Kid Bodied Dolls
—Musical Dolls
—Dolls's Heads
—Doll's Cradles
—Christmas Cards
—Toy Blocks
—China Sets
—Perfumery
—Jewellery
—Fancy Work Boxes
—Glove Boxes
—Handkerchief Boxes
—Five o'clocks
—Lovely Dresden Ware
—Fancy Porcelain Ware
—Fancy Cups and Saucers

It's a sight well worth seeing, and we guarantee to make the PRICES for any of our newest and most attractive Novelties fully 10 to 15 per cent. lower than at any of the Regular Stores' Closing-Out Sale, or Bankrupt Stocks in or out of town.

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Musical Receptions

IN HONOUR OF SANTA CLAUS SHOPPERS AT THE - - -

GOLDEN LION.

Novel Attraction for a Big Holiday Trade.

These are busy times for the wide-awake retailers, and the Golden Lion has caught the spirit of the occasion. Our whole staff have been planning and working like beavers in order to put extra enthusiasm into the Christmas Holiday Work. This store has had some mighty creditable displays in its time, but this shall out-class any and all previous efforts. We believe we have enough special features planned for the next week to keep us on the jump from morning till night. Some "overtime" may be required, but what matters it, "Christmas comes but once a year."

To lend additional brightness to the scene we have made special arrangements for a Five Days **Musical Reception** to be given to the shoppers at this store. One of Williams' Upright Grand Pianos has been placed in position and a skilled lady musician will preside at the piano every day from nine o'clock, a m., until the store closes.

Here are some of the many specials to tempt the busy throng of Christmas shoppers :—

—Harrison's Perfumes 35c oz. Bring your bottles and have them filled.
—Harrison's Sachet Powders.
—Silver Mounted Mirrors 25c, 35c and 50c.
—Silver Mounted Toilet Bottles 35c.
—Triple-plate Silver Mugs, handsomely chased 25c and 35c.
—1000 sheets Popular Music, instrumental and vocal, 5c per sheet. Selections from this music will be played each day.
—Ladies' Fancy Belts 25c, 50c and 75c.
—Ladies' and Gents' Initial Silk Handkerchiefs 25c, 35c and 50c.
—The latest designs in Embroidered Handkerchiefs.
—Ladies' and Gents' Kid Gloves.
—Ladies' Ties.
—Gent's Neckwear, special for Xmas trade.
—Gent's Silk Scarfs,
—The latest London effects in Veilings.
Irish Hand Embroidered Linens in Doylies, Table Squares, Pillow Shams and Dressing Case Scarfs,
—Fancy Toilet Sets,
—Silk Table Covers,
—New Dresden Ribbons,
—Table, Matts, Down Comforters, Pillows, Tea Cosies, etc.

MANTLES.

Our big Reduction Sale of Ladies' Mantles will be continued during the week.

CARPETS.

Greater inducements in Carpets will be offered.

While the store is thronged during the afternoons and evening, shoppers can stroll up and down to the music of the piano and make themselves as much at home as in their own parlours.

ROBERT FAIR

DIRECT IMPORTER.

Sign of the Golden Lion, 383 George St., Peterborough.

Pins! Pins!

WHAT A SENSATION!

One Cent a Paper, or Ten Cents a Booklet.

But the 10c. Pins are the Cheapest, Handiest and Nicest—unless you care for the RUST that doth corrupt—like the 5c. Waist Steel that perforateth.

December Stock-Taking Sale

Now in full swing. All the goods that can be moved must be moved. Not a line in the store but what is Reduced.

MORE 5c. FLANNELETTE

Another big repeat order of that celebrated 5-cent Flannelette, that has caused such a lot of talk in town and country, that cannot be met by any house in town, big or little. It's not how big a store, but how strong the bargains offered.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES

We have secured some rare Novelties suitable for gifts, such as Silver Mounted Mirrors, Silver-Cased Toilet Bottles, Hand-Painted Silk Doylies, Silk Handkerchiefs, Fancy Handkerchiefs, Silk Scarfs. We have the largest and finest display of Infants' Wear in town, such as Baby White Wool Jackets, Bootees, Infantees, Fine Veils, Fur Boas, Silk and Wool Hoods. Wool Mittens, Tams, Touques, and hundreds of other useful things, all at prices as attractive as the goods are handsome

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Every Stove Guaranteed
A Perfect Baker
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THE BEST WOOD COOK EVER PRODUCED.

...FOR WOOD...

The RIVAL has the Largest Oven and Fire Box of any Stove of its Class in the Market.

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Every Stove and Range is guaranteed to be made of first-class material, and with proper management is capable of baking, boiling, roasting and doing all kinds of cooking in a first-class and satisfactory manner. Should any part crack or become damaged through any defect in material or workmanship, during the first year from date of sale, we will supply such repairs free of charge.

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Hardware Merchants, No. 392 George St., Peterborough.

Christmas Glove Bargains.

A rare opportunity to buy Christmas Gifts in Ladies' and Gentlemen's Lined Gloves, at a discount extending to 50 per cent. under marked prices :

	Christmas Sale Price
Gentlemen's Lined Kid Gloves, Tans and Browns, were $1.00, now	$ 50
Gentlemen's Lined Kid Gloves, Black, extra quality, were $1,25	65
Gentlemen's Kid, Kangaroo and Mocoo Gloves, extra value, $1 to	1 75
Ladies' Fine Unlined Kid Gloves, doubled Blacks, were $1.00	50
Ladies' Lined Kid Gloves, Blacks and Tans, extra lengths, were $1,75	1 00
Ladies' Lined Kid Mitts, were $1.50	1 00

Our Kid Glove Stock is now at its best, sizes, colours, styles, everything complete for Xmas trade.

MOCCASINS AT HALF PRICE

Ladies, Gentlemen's and Children's Moccasins to be cleared for whatever they will bring. Ladies and Gentlemen's sizes from 50c to $1 50 per pair. Children's sizes from 20c.

EXTRA VALUE IN HANDKERCHIEFS

Silk Handkerchiefs, from 10c up.
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Diamond Jewellery,
Scarf Pins,
Onyx Clocks,
Gold and Silver Watches,
Ladies' Stick Pins,
Ornamental Clocks,
Sterling Silverware,
Cuff Buttons and Studs,
Fancy Bronze Clocks,
Plated Silverware,
Napkin Rings,
Silver-Mounted Pottery,
Gold Rings,
Souvenir Spoons,
Gold and Silver-Mounted Canes for Presentation,
Gold Ornaments,
Coffee and Sugar Spoons,
Gold Bracelets,
Children's Sets,
Sterling and Plated Mounted Mirrors,
Gold Brooches,
Gold Chains,
Plated Ware for the Table and Toilet,
Epergnes,
Gold Lockets,
Innumerable little Souvenirs and Novelties,
Fruit Dishes,
Etc., Etc.

Making suitable gifts for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children—simply gorgeous for one to look at—the qualities and manufacture the BEST. Inspection invited, whether you buy or not.

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MILLIONS OF MONEY

Invested in the Mines of This Great Country.

BRITISH COLUMBIA COMES FIRST

Ontario Follows, But is Far Behind in the Amount Invested—Trade With Demerara Has Been Fair—The Hours of Civil Servants —News From Ottawa.

Ottawa, Dec. 18.—(Special.)—A careful compilation of the capital accredited to all the chartered gold mining companies in Candna gives a total of over $290,000,000. British Columbia of course heads the list in the number and wealth of its gold mining companies, while Ontario, with its scarcely less extensive deposits of free milling ore in the Rainy River districts, comes second. By provinces the figures stand: British Columbia $256,321,075, Ontario $32,094,900, Nova Scotia $594,000, New Brunswick $1,030,000, Manitoba $50,000.

The report of Canada's commercial agent at Georgetown, Demerara, has been received. It reviews the trade between Canada and that colony during the quarter ended Sept. 30, and shows a very satisfactory interchange of products. The principal exports to Canada from Demerara were sugar, rum, molasses, cocoa and native lumber. On the other hand the imports of Canadian products include a wide range of agricultural, manufactured and fish productions, the chief articles being as follows: Horses, oats, potatoes, butter, fish of various kinds, value $90,000. The agent reports that the two subsidized mail steamers made their monthly trips with usual punctuality, "bringing each trip large shipments for this port." During the quarter the trade of Demerara was greatly depressed, owing to unremunerative prices for sugar and rum, the staple products of the colony. Now, however, a period of better prices having set in, and large crops being assured, the agent looks for a return of prosperity and increased trade with the Dominion.

An action has arisen between the heirs and creditors of the late Peter McRae over the insurance money, and is now before Mr. W. L. Scott, Master-in-Chancery. Mr. and Mrs. McRae and one child were drowned while out yachting on Lake Deschenes last summer. To-day Mr. F. H. F. Mercer, who was the only survivor of the dreadful catastrophe, gave evidence to show who was the first to die. Mr. Mercer swore that Mrs. McRae was the last one seen by him. He made an attempt to hold her above water, hence in his opinion the others had sunk before her. Mr. Mercer's evidence is of the utmost importance, as he was the last one to see the ill-fated people alive. If Mr. Scott decides that Mrs. McRae was the last to die, the insurance money goes to the surviving child: if he finds Mr. McRae died last, the creditors benefit.

A report is again in circulation that action will be taken soon towards fixing definitely the office hours in the civil service at from 9 to 5. It is said that the subject is one that has hitherto rested with the Ministers individually. If there was any pressure of work, very often it had to be done after hours. In many instances the clerks worked in the evenings of their own accord and without any orders from their chiefs, and again in other departments the regular hours are strictly maintained. In some departments the hours at present are most irregular, officers having to remain day after day long after the 4 o'clock hour to complete their work.

A report is current that a deal is on the tapis by which the newspaper Le Temps will pass into the hands of a Conservative syndicate, with Emanuel Tasse at its head, and Oscar McDonell remaining as editor. In reply to a query as to the correctness of the item, Mr. McDonell says that newspapers have been selling Le Temps every week for the last three months and sending him as often as editor of some Montreal paper. Mr. McDonell says that he has not yet been able to attend to business of any kind, as he is just getting around after his illness. In the operation for the removal of the cancer with which Mr. McDonell suffered he lost two-thirds of his tongue, and will never be able to speak more than a few words.

There is a rumor that the old order respecting the prohibition of civil servants running as aldermanic candidates will be enforced this year. Enquiry was made to-day as to whether this order would be enforced, the answer being that the matter lies with the Deputy Ministers.

The Auditor-General has, during the absence of the Ministers from Ottawa, had to decide a somewhat knotty point. A question has arisen as to the power of Deputy Ministers to sign progress estimates. Mr. McDougall, it appears, has expressed his unwillingness to pass estimates that had not the Ministerial signature attached. The practice under the late Government was general for the Deputy Ministers to do this, but the matter came up as a side issue in the Goodwin case before Judge Burbidge lately, and on what transpired there the Auditor-General is basing his stand.

M. King, Dominion Astronomer and his staff have completed the work of determining the latitude and longitude of Port Stanley for survey purposes along Lake Erie, and also the position of Winnipeg, from which measurements can be taken in Manitoba and the Northwest. Observations were also taken simultaneously at Montreal and Ottawa to determine the distance between the two, although this calculation has yet to be worked out.

Messrs. St. Cyr and McArthur of the Interior Department, who are engaged on a survey of the Columbia River in British Columbia, have returned to the Capital. They remained in the field as late in the season as the weather would permit. In addition to the Columbia survey they went over a piece of the international boundary line in the gold region of Kootenay, where the Americans had some months ago raised a story of Canadian aggression. The line had been staked off in two directions.

Enquiry was made at the Customs Department to-day respecting the reported seizure at Toronto of Tampico fibre for brushes, as being the first case of seizure of prison-made articles. The record shows that during the past three years large quantities of goods imported from the United States have been confiscated at various times upon proof being obtained that the goods were produced by prison labor. Last year an unusually valuable consignment of manufactured goods was seized on this account at St. John, N.B. Customs officials at the several importing centres are very strictly enjoined as to the liability to seizure of all articles wholly or in part the product of convict labor. The chief line of imports which have been stopped on this account is hardware. One of the principal American shippers of hardware to Canada entered over a year ago into contracts with the United States authorities for prison labor, with the result that the first importation thereafter of the firm's goods was seized by the Canadian Customs and confiscated, so that during the continuance of prison contract the firm's Canadian business was entirely suspended. The articles which are prohibited under the Canadian Customs' tariff are: Immoral or treasonable publications, reprints of Canadian copyright works, counterfeit coin, oleomargarine, adulterated tea and (art. 784), "Goods manufactured or produced wholly or in part by prison labor, or which have been made within or in connection with any prison, jail or penitentiary."

Mr. L. K. Jones of the Railways and Canals Department has returned from the Maritime Provinces, where he went for the purpose of hurrying in returns from railway companies, to be used in the preparation of the annual blue book. He visited Quebec, Fredericton, St. John, and Halifax, and was eminently successful in securing the figures wanted.

The Dominion Government inspection of the upper section of the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound Railway is being made to-day.

Mr. Ridout of the Railways and Canals Department returned this morning from Hamilton, where he was examining the signals at the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo crossing of the Grand Trunk Railway.

Their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Aberdeen, with their family and suite, returned to-night to the Capital for the winter season.

Mr. Blair leaves Vancouver for Ottawa next Thursday.

The Minister of Railways and Canals is in Victoria, B. C., to-day. He is not expected here till after Christmas.

The Premier returned to the Capital last evening from Cornwall, and was at his office in the eastern block this morning.

Hon. Clifford Sifton is expected here to-morrow.

Mr. Davies is expected back on the 22nd from British Columbia.

Sir Henri and Lady Joly left for Quebec to-day to spend the Christmas holidays.

WILL BE EXTRADITED.

District Attorney Mackay Says That Judge Coxe Has Decided to Send Mrs. Sternaman to Canada.

Buffalo, Dec. 18.—"Mrs. Sternaman will be extradited. Judge Coxe has practically decided that," said United States District Attorney Mackay this afternoon.

"The claim made by the defendant's counsel was that there was not sufficient evidence to warrant United States Commissioner Fairchild in holding her. Judge Coxe decided that the ground was not well taken.

"Defendant's counsel next took exception to the complaint, holding that there had been an insufficiency of evidence, that a warrant should not have been issued.

"I expect Judge Coxe will decide on that point to-morrow. If his decision is for the defendant, we will simply make a new complaint, and report the former proceedings. She must go to Canada."

Her Claim to Distinction.

Lady Marcus Beresford is an Englishwoman who has devoted herself to the noble pusuit of providing a home for cats. She has succeeded in establishing and endowing one in Englefield Green, Windsor Park. She has made cats her speciality, and her collection of Angoras is famous.

A VERY GRAVE STEP

May Mean War Between the U. S. and Spain.

FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Reports Favorably the Cameron Resolution for the Independence of Cuba—The Vote Was Practically Unanimous—House of Representatives May Oppose the Senate's Recommendation.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations met at 10.30 o'clock. Secretary Olney appeared shortly after that hour and gave the committee orally such information as to Cuban affairs as he had.

At 12.15 p.m. Secretary Olney left the committee room. The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations has ordered a favorable report on Cameron's resolution recognizing the independence of the Republic of Cuba. The text of it is as follows:

Joint resolution acknowledging the independence of Cuba:

Resolved: By the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that the independence of the Republic of Cuba be and the same is hereby acknowleged by the United States of America.

Section 2—That the United States should use its friendly offices with the Government of Spain to bring to a close the war betwen Spain and Cuba.

The vote by which the resolution was passed was practically unanimous.

Senator Cameron was instructed to prepare the report that will be submitted to the Senate on Monday. As a matter of fact the report was written and submitted to the committee this morning. It is looked upon as an exceedingly strong document, and goes into the diplomatic history of the United States very fully to show our policy in the matter of recognizing new States. Some few additions and alterations were suggested by other members of the committee, but the report as drawn by the Senator is practically complete.

The House heard with surprise of the action of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee in recognizing the independence of Cuba and if the opinion of members of the Foreign Affairs Committee and some of the Democratic and Republican leaders in the House is to be taken as a criterion the popular branch of the Government will not sustain the position taken by the Senate Committee. Mr. Hitt (Ill.), the chairman of the House Committee, is out of the city, and is not expected to return until the close of the holiday recess. Several other members of the committee were not in their seats to-day and have presumably left town. Of those who remain, a United Associated Presses reporter talked with five and all strongly opposed any action at this time. The Republicans objected to any step which would, in their opinion, bring about a war with Spain, on the ground that the McKinley administration ought not to be met at the very moment of coming into power by so serious an international problem. It was thought better that Mr. McKinley should formulate his own Cuban policy, and in this conclusion the Democrats fully concurred. Other members felt that it would be injudicious on the part of the United States to recognize either the independence or the belligerency of the Cuban rebels until the real situation in the island was known. Not a single member of the House, out of a score or more of the leaders, could be found who believed that the Senate resolution would pass the House, even though it should be favorably reported by the House Committee, which is also regarded as impossible. The opinion was freely expressed that the Senate, from being the conservative branch of the Government, has changed places with the House, and that the latter to-day is by long odds the conservative branch of Congress.

There is an impression among some of the members of the committee that the President will veto the resolution, it being joint in its character and requiring the executive approval or disapproval. If Mr. Cleveland should enter his veto, it is claimed that Congress would be able to pass the resolution by the necessary two-thirds vote.

The action of the committee was soon noised about the Capitol, and speedily became the sole topic of conversation in committee rooms and corridors, where two or three members chanced to meet. Whether or not the passage of such a resolution meant war was the question uppermost, but the consensus of opinion is that it does not, unless Spain sees fit to force it. The ground was taken in committee that this Government possessed the inherent right to recognize any new state, and that if the power previously exercising dominion over such territory protested, upon such power rested the burden of commencing hostilities.

Senator Frye is of the opinion that if the masses of the people of Spain control the executive officers of that Government, war will certainly follow the passage of the resolution. Senator Mills hopes that speedy action will be taken, and Senator Morgan is of the same mind. Senator Hale of Maine deprecates the action of the committee, and says those in the Senate opposed to the jingo spirit manifested in the resolution will contest the passage of the resolution to the end, and prevent its adoption by every means possible.

No effort will be made to call the resolution up in the Senate until after the holidays, but it is very evident that immediately upon the assembling of the Senate in January that body will be plunged into a debate that gives promise of possessing an accompaniment of numerous exciting episodes.

SPAIN OUTLINES A POLICY.

Will Put in Force Reforms Granted But Never Put in Operation

New York, Dec. 18.—A special to The Herald from Havana says: The first effect of Maceo's reported death is an apparent outline of a policy to be adopted by Spain. It was first evidenced here by despatches from Spain to the effect that the Government thinks Spain is effectually in the ascendancy over the insurgents to offer to put in force reforms granted to Cuba and Puerto Rico before the revolution began, but never put in operation in either island.

The despatches state that of course such reforms cover only those points which are already under the control of Spain, but these, the Spaniards allege, cover the whole ground.

Sympathy of Frenchmen.

Paris, Dec. 18.—The Intransigeant publishes an address by the Cuban committee of Paris, which declares that the murder of Gen. Antonio Maceo will fertilize the cause of Cuba's liberty. The revolt in Cuba, the address says, has the sympathy of all Frenchmen who uphold the rights of man.

Will Ignore Cleveland's Message.

Madrid, Dec. 18.—It is understood that the Government have abandoned their intention to address a note to the Government at Washington concerning that part of Cleveland's message which refers to Spain and Cuba, and will ignore the document altogether.

Time to Recognize Them

Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 18.—Gov. F. M. Drake, in an interview, says he thinks it is time for the United States to recognize the independence of Cuba. The Governor speaks warmly of the Cuban cause, and is anxious to aid the patriots.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c 50c. and $1.00.

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Extreme tired feeling afflicts nearly everybody at this season. The hustlers cease to push, the tireless grow weary, the energetic become exercised. You know just what we mean. Some men and women endeavor temporarily to overcome that

Tired

Feeling by great force of will. But this is unsafe, as it pulls powerfully upon the nervous system, which will not long stand such strain. Too many people "work on their nerves," and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous prostration," in every direction. That tired

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Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1896.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY INTERESTS

The local branch of the Canadian Historical Society, recently organized here, has aroused a gratifying degree of interest, Many persons, who failed to notice the announcements in the papers calling the organization meeting, express the liveliest regret at not having been present on the occasion of the branch being established. And this regret is not a merely sentimental one. One of these, Mr. Richard Hall, is showing a practical interest, whose outcome, promises to have an important bearing upon the future of historical research and collection in Peterborough. Mr. Hall, as one of the commissioners of the Nicholls Park system, has kindly placed four rooms of the Dennistoun residence at Inverela, in West Nicholls Park, at the disposal of the Society for a museum of historical and other articles. A nucleus of such a museum will be provided through the public-spirited action of Messrs. J. M. Irwin, J. B. McWilliams, H. C. Strickland and others. Mr. Irwin has a fine collection of curiosities and relics of early times, including perhaps the most perfect specimens of aboriginal pottery existent in Canada today, which, it is understood, he will contribute. Mr. McWilliams has a large collection of minerals, and Mr. Strickland a similar one, which, it is understood, both are also willing to add to the museum. And it is likely, when the object is better known, that others will be able and willing to make similar contributions. Of course the beginning, compared to what it is hoped the collection will ultimately be, is a small one. But small beginnings are not to be despised. A handful of acorns at one time represented one of the mighty battleships, wooden walls, with which our early navigators planted the flag on every part of the globe and expanded a little insular kingdom into a mighty Empire, whose roots strike deep into the soil of every continent and clime, and made the history of the most brilliant as well as enduring achievements of colonial expansion the world has known. From the building of an empire to the founding of a local museum is a wide step. But the museum referred to is an important one to us. The situation is well adapted to make available the educative value of such a collection. During the season thousands will frequent the park and naturally they will visit the museum. Such visits will naturally arouse interest that will naturally lead to additional presentations of articles to the museum, which, while they may be of real historical interest, are of, perhaps, only sentimental value to the present possessors. Thus the collection will grow, and what is more important, the interest in the incidental historical association, as well as in historical research, which latter is the real object of the local association, will grow. We feel that we can call upon our public-spirited citizens to co-operate with the local association, with full confidence that there will be a ready response. The example that has been set by the gentlemen named will, it is hoped, be generously followed. The result will be that thousands of valuable articles which have, to a certain extent, exhausted their first interest as mere curiosities, will be rescued from their present obscurity and placed among others in the museum in west Nicholls Park.

THERE are now three Dominion seats vacant in this province. North Ontario, due to Mr. McGillivray vacating the seat, South Brant vacated by the decision of the election court—the Conservatives employed the "Sugar" too lavishly; and Stormont rendered vacant by the lamented death of Dr. Bergin, where an election is now on.

AN INCURABLE CURED.

AFTER TREATMENT IN CANADA'S BEST HOSPITAL HAD FAILED.

One of the Most Remarkable Cures on Record—Ten Years of Intense Suffering From Acute Rheumatism—The Whole Body Contracted and Out of Shape in Every Limb—Again Restored to Active Life.

From the Newmarket Advertiser.

We suppose there is not a resident of Newmarket who does not know Mr. J. A. Moffatt, who does not know of his years of suffering and who has not heard of his release from a life of helplessness and pain through the medium of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Indeed we doubt if in the annals of medicine there is a more remarkable restoration than has been accomplished in Mr. Moffatt's case, and he deems it his duty to mankind to make the facts known through the columns of the Advertiser.

Ten years ago Mr. Moffatt was working in the Newmarket hat factory. Through the influence of the damp room, and possibly some carelessness in regard to his health, he was attacked with a severe cold which eventually settled in his limbs. For some years he was an almost constant sufferer from rheumatic pains and spent much money in treatment for the trouble, but with no result beyond an occasional temporary release from pain. Finally to make matters worse he was attacked with malaria and rheumatic fever. He was then forced to go to the Toronto

general hospital where it was found that he was afflicted with torticollis, (wry neck). During the first six months in the hospital he was under the treatment of the staff electrician, but the powers of electricity entirely failed, and after a consultation of physicians it was deemed advisable to perform an operation. Six weeks later a second operation was performed. The operations proved successful only in so far as they afforded temporary relief. He remained in the hospital from November 1890, till January, 1892, and with all the modern remedies and appliances known to the staff of that well-equipped institution no permanent relief could be obtained. He was then advised to go home, partly in the hope that the change might prove beneficial, but instead he continually grew worse, and in March, 1892, was again forced to take to his bed, and those who knew of his condition did not believe he had long to live. At this time every joint in his body was swollen and distorted, and he suffered the most excruciating agony. If a person walked across his bedroom it intensified the pain as though he was being pierced through and torn with knives, and if touched he would scream aloud with agony. In this state of hopeless suffering he remained bedfast for eighteen months, all the time using all manner of medicines from which relief might be hoped for. Then he was put under the treatment of a celebrated Toronto specialist but with no better result. After this last experiment failed he determined to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, at the same time discontinuing all other treatment. At the end of three months there was a very noticeable improvement in his condition, and so much so that his mother thought he could be lifted outside. He was still so weak, however, that he was only able to remain up a few minutes as before. When taken back to bed he felt a sudden tingling sensation going up from his toes and through his joints and spine. The next morning when he awoke the pain had left the body and lodged in the arms, and then for some weeks the pain flitted from place to place in the arms and then disappeared, and he has not had a particle of pain since. All this time he was taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and slowly but surely regaining his strength. Then an invalid's chair was procured, and he was wheeled out, eventually he was able to wheel himself about. The continued use of the Pink Pills constantly added to his strength, and then the chair was discarded for crutches, and then the crutches for a cane. At this time (Sept. 1895) Mr. Moffat had so far recovered that he was a frequent contributor to the columns of the advertiser and procuring a horse and buggy he was engaged as local reporter for the paper. The once utterly helpless invalid is now able to go about, and to get in and out of his buggy without any assistance, and is at his post of duty whenever called upon.

Thus we find that after years of suffering and helplessness Dr. Williams Pink Pills have proved successful after all other remedies and the best of medical treatment had utterly failed. With such marvellous cures as this to his credit it is no wonder that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the most popular medicine with all the classes throughout the land, and this case certainly justifies the claim put forth on its behalf that it "cures when other medicines fail."

ERIE CANAL TRAFFIC.

A Distinct Increase Shown for This Year by the Superintendent's Reports.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 17.—The reports of the Superintendent of Public Works of the two collectors at the extreme ends of the Erie Canal, Buffalo and Albany, show that there has been a distinct increase in business over last year. From the Albany end of the canal 150 more boats cleared than last year, a total of 2198 clearances being made. Four hundred and eighty nine thousand one hundred and twenty-seven tons of merchandise bound for tidewater passed through the Albany end, as against 460,000 last year. The value of merchandise bound to tidewater was $9,204,837, as against $9,178,800 last year. From Buffalo there were 3878 boats cleared, as against 4546 last year, an increase of 1336 from the Buffalo end. The shipment of flour and grain was double that of last year, and there was a large increase in smaller freight.

INJURY AND NEGLECT.

He Failed in Health and Strength—His Kidneys Ached and he Took Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Deseronto, Dec. 14 (Special)—Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. James Stokes, who for the past fifteen years has been shipper for the Rathbun Company.

Lately he had run down in health and strength to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now as the result of using Dodd's Kidney Pills is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes he said:—

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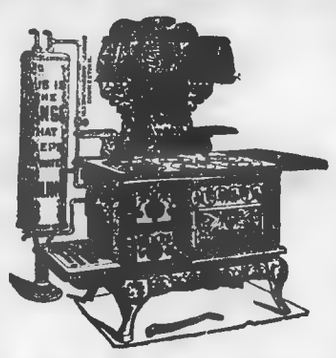

and all and every one of our splendid line of Buck's Stoves must be moved out by customers, who wish to take them away, at about their own prices. The store and the storey above are both full of them. Thirty days will hustle them all out if the people know a good thing when they see it.

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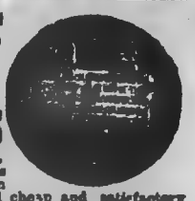

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WARNER'S Safe Cure

By its purity and its power it furnishes a prompt relief for women in their hours of need, and if the grateful expressions which come up from the homes of the land about what SAFE CURE has done were printed, they would fill volumes. If you, reader, are a sufferer, can you not take hope from this suggestion?

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TRIAL OF MATE BRAM

Seaman Brown Gives Very Strong Evidence.

SAYS HE SAW THE BLOW STRUCK

Which Caused the Death of Captain Nash of the Barkentine Fuller Heard Mrs. Nash Scream and Afterwards Saw Her Dead Body—Did Brown Swear Falsely?

Boston, Dec. 18.—Next to the passenger, Moak, who concluded his testimony yesterday, Seaman Charles Brown was the witness on whom the Government relied for incriminating evidence against Mate Thomas Bram, charged with the murder of Capt. Nash of the barquentine Herbert Fuller on the high seas. The announcement that Brown would be the witness to-day attracted an unusually large crowd to the United States Court.

Brown testified that until the tragedy he never had occasion to enter the captain's cabin. The night of the tragedy witness went on duty at 12 o'clock and took his place at the wheel. The first mate, Bram, was on deck, saw him four times; the fifth time he saw him he was in the captain's cabin; witness heard a noise and was frightened; looking through the window opposite the wheel he saw the captain's bunk upset and the captain's body on the floor; saw Mate Bram in the room, saw him lift a weapon; could not see what it was but only the handle; saw a blow fall in the same direction as the captain's head; he held the weapon in his right hand; he walked right out of the captain's room; witness was greatly scared; watched the companionway and then heard a scream from Mrs. Nash; next saw the mate on deck a little time after; he passed between the binnacle and the witness, who watched to see if he had a weapon and was afraid of him; as he passed witness smelled liquor on the mate; witness went to the second mate's room and saw him dead; went to Mrs. Nash's room and saw her dead; then went to the captain's room and saw him lying dead on the floor; witness was accompanied by the steward and four of his shipmates; witness was put in irons Thursday morning, the 16th of July, at about 5 o'clock; he was asleep and the first he knew was when he heard the steward, Spencer, cursing, swearing and saying "You have killed the captain and stolen his revolver."

Witness said that the first day he was in irons he was tied to the mast and Bram said to him: "You thought you would be smart and put me in for it, but I am too clever for you." Witness said he never released his hold on the wheel while he was at the helm on the night of the tragedy, and while he was watching the mate in the captain's room.

On cross-examination, Brown said he signed the statement on board the Fuller, knowing it to be a lie, but he knew the vessel would reach the United States and he would then tell the truth. Witness made contradictory replies to questions regarding his talk before and after he was arrested. He admitted that he told nothing of what he knew of the murders at the hearing before the grand jury in Boston last July. He denied ever having said he had been in an insane asylum. He admitted having said he shot a man in Holland, but could not remember saying that he got clear of it on the plea of insanity. His statement that he had shot a man he testified was a lie.

At the request of counsel for the defence, court then adjourned until the morning to give them time to secure proof that Brown had committed perjury in his evidence to-day.

TWO HANGED, ONE SHOT.

Bill, Arch and Dink Proctor, Kentucky Murderers, Disposed of by Judge Lynch and a Mob.

Russellville, Ky., Dec. 18.—Dink and Arch Proctor, father and son, were taken from the jail at 2 o'clock this morning and hanged to a cedar tree, just outside the town, and Bill Proctor, another son, was shot and killed in his cell.

A mob of 100 men broke into the jail about 1.30 o'clock this morning by battering down the door with sledge hammers. The jailer was forced to give up the cell keys. The Proctors were up, as they had been warned the day before of what was to come. Bill Proctor swore he would not leave his cell alive, and, as he was a powerful man and hard to handle, one of the mob shot him with a pistol. Immediately afterwards a charge of buckshot was fired at him, and as he fell a volley of pistol shots was fired. About thirty balls entered his body. After Proctor was down, a man entered the cell, and, placing a pistol at the head of the fallen man, pulled the trigger, and thus died the most dangerous man in Logan County.

The mob then took Dink Proctor and his son Arch out of their cells, and bound their hands, after the latter had made an unheeded plea for mercy for the father. The mob, which had now increased to 200 men, escorted the prisoners to a three-limbed cedar tree on the Nashville-road, and strung father and son up side by side. Their bodies were cut down this morning. The mob came from Adairsville, and they cut all the telegraph wires leading from that point in order to prevent notice being given of their coming.

Mrs. Proctor, wife of Dink and mother of Arch and Bill, was asleep in an hotel here when the lynching took place. She had come to attend the examining trial to-day, and Arch begged the mob pitifully to be allowed to see his mother before he was hanged, but his request was refused. Arch Proctor killed Aaron and Doc Crafton at Adairsville on Oct. 24. Bill and Dink were charged with conspiring to have the Craftons killed.

Bill Proctor was one of the four men who were charged with hanging Ed Traughbert two years ago. He had killed several men, and had been tried four times for his life, but always escaped on trial, and this fact caused the mob to beat the law. Dink had always been a quiet fellow, and this was the first time he had been in trouble. The general public approve of the killing of Bill and Arch, but think that Dink should have been left alone. Great crowds viewed the dead bodies.

VERY BAD WRECK.

Passenger Train Ran Into Some Cattle in Ohio, Killing Railroad Men and Wounding Passengers.

Chillicothe, O., Dec. 18.—A terrible wreck occurred on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railway at Camden at 1.30 o'clock this afternoon. The engine of passenger train No. 3 ran into a lot of cattle and was derailed, with three cars. One postal clerk was killed outright and Conductor Tom Brown was fatally mangled. The fireman and another postal clerk were fatally injured, and a number of passengers were reported killed or injured. Frank Shannon of Xenia, Ohio, was slightly injured. M. V. King, postal clerk, of Greenfield, and George Ewing, fireman, were slightly hurt.

Another Fatal Smash.

Indianapolis, Dec. 18.—At 8.30 o'clock this morning a wreck occurred at the crossing of the Wabash and Monon Railroads, at Delphi, Ind. A wrecking train was hurried out over the latter road from Monon and while running at a high rate of speed, near Guernsey, five miles south of Monon, a flat car of the wrecking train jumped the track, and the entire train went into a ditch. One man was killed and several were injured. The names of the killed and injured are: Cecil Douglas of Hammond, Ind., who was stealing a ride, instantly killed; C. W. McCammon, trainmaster, had both legs bruised; John Reed, conductor, injured internally; Otto Long, brakeman, injured about face and head, not seriously injured.

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CAN THIS BE TRUE?

A Man From Canada Makes Strong Charges in Buffalo Against Keepers of the London Asylum.

Buffalo, Dec. 18.—At noon to-day a man who had the appearance of a prosperous Canadian farmer entered the editorial room of The Enquirer. Approaching the desk of one of the men he announced that he had escaped from an insane asylum in Canada. The man said that his name was Andrew McCallum, and that he hailed last from the asylum at London, Ont. He called at a newspaper office because he had a story to tell. McCallum is a well-built man about 46 years old. He wears a full beard of Populistic proportions, and of a reddish grey tinge. A beaver overcoat and a cap served to keep out the cold. According to McCallum's story he formerly lived at East Williams, Ont. He said that for three years he was a patient at the London Insane Asylum, but that, made desperate by cruel treatment, he broke his way out a week ago last Wednesday by picking a lock in one of the doors. He states that while sometimes weak in his head he was unlawfully detained after being cured, through the machinations of his wife, who hoped thereby to gain control of his property, which is situated in London, Ont., and St. Louis, Michigan. He states that the patients are horribly abused by the keepers, who set them fighting and sit by and watch the fun when the doctors are out of sight. One man named Collins of St. John's, Ont., he alleges, was goaded to madness by being burned with a railroad lantern by two keepers, who wanted to have sport with him.

The supervisor, he says, is a man named John O'Donald, who countenances and encourages these outrages. He has given the names of outsiders who he says have witnessed these actions. McCallum is now staying in Buffalo at a west side boarding house.

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FIELD'S SAD HISTORY

The Son of An Illustrious Father and Once a Millionaire in Police Court as a Common Drunk.

New York, Dec. 18.—Edward M. Field was before Magistrate Wentworth in the Yorkville Court this morning, charged with intoxication. He is the son of the late Cyrus W. Field. Joseph Connaughton, a lawyer, appeared in behalf of the prisoner, and explained that he was not in his right mind, and Magistrate Wentworth discharged him from custody. When arraigned this morning his appearance excited general sympathy. His face and hands were grimy and he shivered as if with an ague.

Lawyer Connaughton said he had known Field for twenty years. He has a wife and two children living. Field is a well-known character on the West Side, and lives in a Raines' low hotel. He once had a beautiful home at Dobbs' Ferry. His father cut him off in his will. He was a graduate of Williams' College. He is the eldest son of the late Cyrus W. Field, and once was his father's favorite. Edward made one million dollars in his first year in Wall-street, and his father looked upon him as a master financier. He was the senior member of the firm of Field, Lindley, Wecherns & Co., doing business at No. 1 Broadway. In the panic of 1891 the house failed. Then it was discovered that Field had squandered at least two millions of dollars, and his forgeries were enormous. In one day, just before the failure, $400,000 disappeared, with no trace of its disposition. Field was put on trial and insanity was pleaded as the defence. The jury disagreed, and Field was sent to Buffalo Asylum for observation. In 1893 it was discovered that Field had his liberty of the city in which the asylum is in. Subsequently he was adjudged insane and fully committed to the asylum. He was released later.

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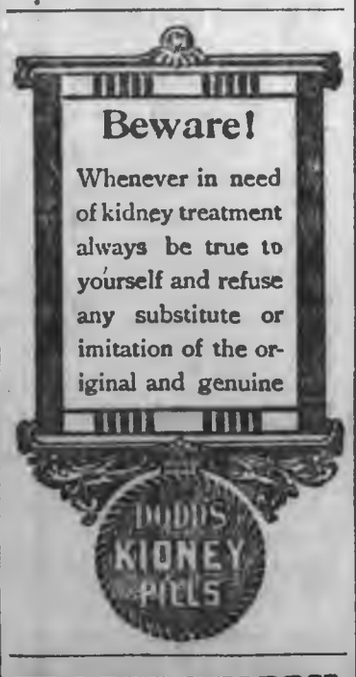
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Men's Frieze Ulsters, were $8.50	now	3 90
Men's Worsted Overcoats, were $9.50	now	4 50
Men's Nap Overcoats, were $7.50	now	3 00
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, were $7	now	4 00
Boys' Cape Overcoats, were $5	now	2 75
Boys' Tweed Overcoats, were $4.50	now	2 75
Boys' Tweed Capes' were $2.90	now	1 70

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Men's Auburn Mills Worsted Suits, were $9.50	now	$5 90
Men's Auburn Mills All Wool Suits, were $8	now	5 00
Men's Yorkshire Tweed Suits, were $7.50	now	4 75
Men's Canadian Tweed Suits, were	now	3 90
Boy's Auburn Mills Suits, were $7	now	4 25
Boys' Blue Serge Suits, were $6	now	3 75
Boys' Scotch Tweed Suits, were $9	now	5 50
Boys' Canadian Tweed Suits, were $3.50	now	1 95

CAPS AND FURS.

25 Coon Fur Coats, were $30	now	$16 50
30 Black Goat Coats, were $17.50	now	12 90
25 doz Sealette Caps, Jockeys	now	0 65
40 doz Dominion Sealette Caps	now	1 00
200 Imitation Caps	from 19c to	0 50
2 doz. Persian Lamb Caps were $5	now	2 90
50 Victoria Wedges, were $4.50	now	2 90

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Men's Heavy Twill Cotton Night Robes	69c
Men's Silk and Satin Ties, four-in-hand and knots, were 25c. each	now 2 for 25c
Men's Fancy Ringwood Gloves, worth 40c	now for 25c
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched	for 15c
Men's Heavy Underwear, were 25c	now 19c
Men's Heavy All-Wool Underwear, were 50c	now 35c
Men's Heavy O. K. Wool Underwear	50 and 60c
50 doz. Ponge Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched	35c
25 doz. White Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs	50c
Gough's World-Beater All-Wool Socks, Ribbed Top	10c
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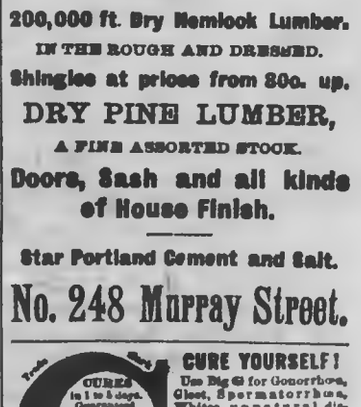

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Notice.

All persons indebted to Mr. R. Nimmo, dentist, are respectfully requested to settle their accounts without further notice. After the 31st Dec. his solicitors will be instructed to collect over-due accounts. 3d

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their meeting at Mrs. Geo. Paton's on Monday, Dec. 21st, at 3.30 p. m. A large attendance is desired to discuss the work for the year. A social tea at close of meeting.

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The storm could not keep the people away from the Opera House last nigt to see Marks Bros'. company in the "Lost Heiress." To night ends a brilliant two week's engagement with the great double bill "Edith's Burglar" and "Three Married Men." 1d

The "Fortnightly" Debate.

Arrangements have been completed for the public debate under the ægis of the Fortnightly Club on Jan. 19th. The subject selected is "Resolved that the Christian religion should be a compulsory subject of instruction in our public schools. The affirmative will be taken by Mr. J. H. Burnham and Rev. W. R. Young, and the negative by Mr. D. W. Dumble and Mr. Sheriff Hall. The place at which this interesting debate will take place will be announced later.

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Mr. Hudson Transferred to Wallaceburg —Other Moves and Promotions.

Mr. J. H. Hudson, who for some years past has been connected with the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, has been transferred to Wallaceburg. He will be greatly missed in social circles and also on the tennis courts and golf links. Golf enthusiasts will be particularly sorry to lose Mr. Hudson, as she introduced the game in Peterborough, and gave a great deal of his leisure time to forwarding its interests.

Mr. A. F. McNee, who has been on the ledger for some time, has been promoted to the position of teller, akd takes Mr. Hudson's place in the cage.

The ledger passes into the charge of Mr. Eustace Grabbe, son of Mr. R. W. Grubbe, who is transferred to Peterborough from the Toronto branch. Mr. Grubbe's many friends in Peterborough will welcome him back again to town.

A PRESENTATION.

Rev. J. J. Rae Receives a Fine Pair of Gauntlets.

Twenty-two members of Rev. J. J. Rae's young men's Bible class dropped in to see him unexpectedly last evening and presented him with a most handsome pair of otter gauntlets.

The presentation was made by Mr. R. W. Squires, and Mr. Will Lytle at the same time made a few remarks, indicative of the esteem in which the pastor is held by the members of his class, all of whom are much attached to him.

CANADIAN FORESTERS.

Court Peterborough Elects Officers for the Ensuing Term.

A very largely attended meeting of Court Peterborough, No. 29, C. O. F., was held last evening, at which over 150 members were in attendance. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

A Reid ..... P C R
George Dredge ..... C R
C McFadden ..... V C R
A D Russell ..... R S
H H Nesbitt ..... F S
F Adams ..... Treas
A McCallum ..... Chaplain
P A D Kerr ..... S W
A Martin ..... J W
J Hawkins ..... S B
J Moore ..... J B
Dr Carmichael ..... Court Physician

Delegates to High Court—Bros. Nesbitt, Metheral, Harris, Reid, Curtis, Batten, McNeil, Comstock, MacFarlane and Adams.

Committee for Juveniles—Bros. Reid, Rose, Hawkins, Galley, Stenton and Hall.

Trustees—Bros. Metheral, Stenton and Alexander.

At the conclusion of the business of the evening the members present were invited to partake of refreshments by Messrs. Jas. Kendry, M. P., and W. H. Meldrum and several hours were spent in social enjoyment.

PERSONAL.

Miss Minnie O'Sullivan still continues dangerously ill.

Mr. Court King is home for the holidays from McGill University.

Mr. D. O'Connell has returned from attending the Norwood Division Court.

Mr. Maitland Boswell is confined to his room with illness at the Grand Central.

Rev. Dr. Hooper, pastor Beverley street church, Toronto, is a guest at St. Andrew's Manse.

Miss Florence Hall of Charlotte street, has been seriously ill during the past week.

Messrs. James and Milt. Hamilton have returned for the Christmas holidays from McGill University, Montreal.

Mr. Walter Davidson, who is attending the law school at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, is home for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bradburn have returned from New York, and have taken up their residence with Mrs. W. Cumming, Charlotte street.

Rev. W. L. Armitage has taken up his residence with Mrs. Archer on Stewart street, having the apartments lately occupied by Rev. Carl Smith.

Mr. E. J. B. Pense, of the Kingston Whig, was in town to-day on business affairs. Mr. Pense is one of the most successful newspaper publishers in Ontario.

Mr. W. M. Hales of the Orillia Packet, accompanied by Mrs. Hales, are spending a few days in town, the guests of Dr. Greer. Mr. Hales paid the EXAMINER a pleasant fraternal call.

Lieut. J. Mendell Green, formerly bandmaster of Salvation Army Band, Peterborough, after an extended tour through Vermont and the Eastern Provinces, as leader of the "East Ontario String Band," arrived home yesterday morning, where he intends spending his Christmas holidays.

MERRYMAKERS ENTERTAIN

The United Workmen's Concert Highly Successful—Unlimited Fun.

The Kingston News says: Martin's Opera House was crowded to the doors last night to hear the well-known comedians, Harry Rich and W. E. Ramsay, in their most amusing entertainment. The programme was a lengthy one, and consisted largely in singing of topical songs, which were amusingly acted by the two well-called merrymakers. Harry Rich in his representation of an Irishman and Dutchman, introduced many samples of wit common to those nations. He possesses a rich voice and pleasing stage address. W. E. Ramsay also is gifted with an excellent voice and suitably adapted for humorous songs. In their single and double persormances, they introduced scenes from city and domestic life and the peculiar characteristics of various nations. The programme concluded with a screaming farce comedy, in which Harry Rich, as a German, outwitted his Irish partner at every turn. Many jokes on local men were given with good effect. Mrs. W. E. Ramsay contributed piano solos and accompanied the singers.

These excellent entertainers will be in the Opera House on Christmas afternoon and evening under the auspices of Otonabee Lodge, I.O.O.F., when a different programme will be presented on both occasions. Prices: Afternoon, 25 cents, children 10c; evening, 25c and 35c. Plan at Ormond & Walsh's.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Christmas isn't a week away.

—There will be curling at the rink to-night—"Scoop her up."

Catholic Prayer Books—a big line—cheap at SAILSBURY'S.

—A telephone has been placed in the skating rink for the season.

—If this weather continues the rink will probably be open early next week for the skaters and curlers.

—The Children's Aid Society will purchase stone to furnish work for the father of eight children. Information can be had at the EXAMINER office.

—Mr. D. W. Little the local representative of the Singer Manufacturing Company, has kindly presented the EXAMINER with a copy of the company's calendar. It is very beautiful, in quiet taste—as dainty as a bride's toilet.

Mr. Herbert Edmison, son of Mr. George Edmison, county magistrate, has just returned from the Ontario College of Pharmacy, Toronto, for his Christmas holidays. In the Junior examinations, Herb was most successful, having first class honours —congratulations.

COMPLIMENTARY ADDRESS

To Reeve Moloney by the Council of Douro Township.

At the meeting of the township of Douro council on Tuesday, Dec. 15th, William Leeson, on behalf of the councillors, read the following complimentary address to Mr. John Moloney, who has been reeve of the township for the past 25 years:—

To John Moloney, Esq., Reeve of the Municipal Council of the Township of Douro:

We the members and officers the Council of the Township of Douro having learned that it is your intention to not be a candidate for the reeveship at the coming election desire to express to you our sincere regret that the township council of Douro are to be deprived of your valuable services.

It is now twenty-five years since you first became a member of this council, and over which you have for the last twenty-four years presided as reeve, conducting its affairs all that time in a business-like and eminently satisfactory manner to all concerned, without partiality, fear or favour, and we feel sure that we but feebly voice the sentiments of the ratepayers of this township when we say that we may not hope to be able to find a successor your equal in all respects.

While regretting your loss as reeve we trust still to have the benefit of your advice, counsel, experience and ability as a member of the county council, in which body you have for the last twenty-four years not only so ably represented the municipality, but as a county councillor have suggested amendments which have been adopted in our municipal system, and we feel that you can look back with pride and gratification on what you have accomplished as a representative of this township in the county council.

Forming as we do no inconsiderable portion of the fifth county council division of this county, we have good reason to believe that you will be elected as a member of the new county council, and that if elected you will continue to be the same painstaking, unassuming and efficient representative as you have proved yourself in the past.

We also desire to express our best wishes for the future welfare not only for yourself, but also for your wife and family, who, by their uniform kindness in their intercourse with their neighbours and by their practical sympathy and charity, always holding out the helping hand to those in distress, weeping with those that weep, rejoicing with those rejoice, and thus practicing the principles of the Divine Master and Universal Father, God, have won the esteem and love of all with whom they have been brought in contact.

May God grant to you and your family that measure of prosperity which for you and them is best, is the prayer of the undersigned.

WM. LEESON, Deputy-Reeve.
WM O'BRIEN, Township Clerk.
JOHN LEAHY, Treasurer.
JOHN M. WALSH, Councillor.
JAS. MCCLIGOTT, "
THOS. E. JOREY, "
WM. CONDON, Assessor.
PATRICK RYAN, Collector.

Mr. Moloney, though greatly taken by surprise, expressed the pleasure he felt at being so kindly remembered by the members of the council and municipal officers. It was most gratifying to receive such an assurance that his efforts in behalf of the municipality were appreciated by his fellow-councillors and, he hoped he could say, by the ratepayers generally, as would seem to be proven by the number of times they had returned him to the council by acclamation. He had always endeavoured to discharge the duties devolving upon him as Reeve, to the best of his ability, keeping in view the interests of the ratepayers generally and the consequent advancement of the township. The township of Douro, he said, would compare favourably with any other of the townships in the county of Peterborough in the way in which its municipal affairs were administered. While retiring from the Reeveship he would still endeavour to retain his connection with the municipal matters of the township, as he intended entering the field as a candidate for the county council in district No. 5, of which Douro formed a part, and he hoped the electors of the township would give him their cordial support as they had done in the past. If elected, as he hoped to be, he would as faithfully discharge his duties in the future as in former years. He had no doubt but that the council of 1897 in Douro would continue the economic management of the township affairs, and as in other years this economy would not be niggardliness, but such economy as would result in a low rate of taxation, and at the same time the improvement of the township.

The address contains only that which the EXAMINER can most heartily endorse. During the past 25 years the EXAMINER has had occasion to visit the township council periodically, and no disparagement to the other members of the council is meant when the statement is made that to Mr. Moloney's good judgment, care and economy, much of Douro's municipal prosperity is due.

In the retirement of Mr. Moloney, with his ripe judgement, the council loses one of its most valued representatives and it will be difficult to select as good a man to aid them with his counsels, as years of experience in municipal matters is necessary to acquaint a man with the questions involved.

Douro is one of the most important townships of the county, and if it does not have a representative in the new county council it will be Douro's own fault. Mr. Moloney's candidature is one which should meet with universal approval and no member of the old council will be more heartily welcome in the new body than the present popular Reeve of Douro.

Children Free.

Adams & Son's Co., 11 and 13 Jarvis street, Toronto, Ont., are sending out some very handsome paper dolls with moveable heads and bodies. They send a set of sixteen for nine cents in stamps, or a sample one for the children free.

A Straight Tip From Santa.

Time flies. To-day is the last Saturday before Christmas. Hundreds of people are puzzling their heads to know what to select for Christmas presents. Don't tax your brains any longer. A visit to the Peterborough Bookstore will save you thinking time. Surrounded with thousands of appropriate articles, the task of selection not only becomes simple but affords a delightful pastime. There is choice for the educated—choice for the refined—choice for the children—choice for the masses. Prices are all bearing your way. In spending your money you needn't be rash. Suit your pockets—prices range from half a dime to half a hundred dollars. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

A First-class Attraction Coming.

The New York Stars' big city show will be at the Opera House next Wednesday night, Dec. 23rd. Although the title of this vaudeville aggregation would denote stars from New York only, the company is composed of American and European features and novelties, some of them never having been seen here. Among them are Conway and Leland, the one-legged acrobats with bits of comedy work upon a bicycle built for two. The beautiful M'lle Ani, European marvel and world's renowned gymnast in her thrilling performance in mid air; Frank D. Ryan, of the late National Trio, in his original parodies and sayings; Deave's Merry Manikins, Cigaere and Boyer, a very clever sketch team; Folly trio, composed of Pearl Bradburn, John Ward and George Murphy, jr.; Bonnie Lottie, the singing and dancing sunbeam; Murphy and McCoy, singers and producers; John E. Drew, the favourite comedian and dancer, and the Hiatts in musical comedy, making the strongest and best vaudeville company in existence. Seats now on sale.

Toy Books.

The 50c kind for 35c, the 35c kind for 20c at SAILSBURY'S.

Windsor Salt

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

FOR SWEET CHARITY'S SAKE.

An Entertainment Given in St. John's Church School House.

A large audience assembled in St. John's church school house last evening to witness a presentation of Mrs. Jarley's celebrated wax works.

The entertainment proved most pleasing a pantomimic performance also taking place. Unfortunately the background was not arranged in a manner calculated to thrown the figures into as great prominence as might be wished, but nevertheless the audience was thoroughly pleased with the programme which was furnished.

It is understood that a substantial sum was realized for charity as the practical results of the entertainment.

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417 GEORGE STREET, December 18th, 1896.

The Last Saturday Before Xmas!

The usual excessive crowds and intense Holiday enthusiasm of the last Saturday before Christmas will be repeated again to-morrow in and around this store.

The great delegation of buyers will not be disappointed in their search for gifts at the Peterborough Bookstore. No such preparations for big business have ever been set on foot on anything like the same scale before.

Stocks are Bigger and Assortments Better. The Character of these goods are Higher and the Values are Greater. Quantity, Variety and Price are Unmatched. The entire stock represents the results of weeks of personal planning and judicious selection, in which the very best skill was bestowed.

While we place particular emphasis on the unusual excellence and high character of the stock, we are happy also to emphasize the fact that moderate prices go hand-in-hand with every article, from the plainest to the most elaborate.

We bid everyone welcome who wishes to inspect and compare, whether a purchaser or not. We will not attempt to give even an abbreviated list of the goods to-day, as the task is unnecessary now so near Christmas.

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Great Realization Sale.

With Christmas in sight we have turned our whole attention to clearing out such lines as are both suitable and useful for Christmas gifts. We will consider it a pleasure to show you what we have, whether you buy or not.

Presents for the Baby.

(Everyone buys something for the baby)

Infants Lawn Robes 75c, $1, $1.25, $2, $3, $3.50 special price.
Infant's Cashmere Robes $1.75, $2.75, $3.25, $4, $4.25, lovely goods.
Children's Dresses $1, $1.50, $2, $3, $4, $6.
Children's Pinafores 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, new goods.
Hemstitched Lawns for aprons 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c, sale prices.
Ladies' White Aprons 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Underwear, Golf Jerseys, Underskirts all at sale prices.

Children's Coats.

(Both comfortable and pretty)

Childrens' Elder Coat Fur Trimmings $1, $1 50, $2.50, $2.75, $4, $4.50 and $5.50.
Children's Hoods to match all the Coats at 25c and up.

Ladies' Ruffs.

Ladies' Fur Neck Ruffs $1.50, $1.75 $3.75, $4, $4.50 and $5. These goods are fully 25 per cent cheaper than you can buy them elsewhere.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, pink, sky and cream 75c.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, black, 25c, 40c and 50c.
Ladies' Ostrich Neck Ruffs, black $2 and $2 00.
Ladies' Capes $5, 7.50, $7, $10.50 in cloth, new styles.
Ladies' Plush Capes $12, $15, $18, special value.
Ladies' Fur-lined Cloaks, special sale price $9.50. Better goods $12, $15, $17, $20. latest styles.
Ladies' Dressing Jackets, (a very appropriate gift) $1.35 in all shades.
Jackets $3 goods for $2 50, better goods $10, $12, $15.

Handkerchiefs.

(A very suitable gift)

100 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, 10c quality, sale price 5c, or 6 for 25c.
20 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 12½c quality, sale price 8c.
White Embroidered Handkerchiefs 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Hemstitch Silk Handkerchiefs 10c, 15c, 25c.
Fancy Gaiters, Needle Cases, Purses, Collarettes, Silk Shawls, Umbrellas.

Men's Christmas Presents.

(Ladies' attention to this)

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs 15c, 20c and 25c special sale prices.
Men's Hemstitched Lawn Handkerchiefs, sale price 15c.
Men's Hemstitch Linen Handkerchiefs 25c, 30c and 40c.
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs 25c and 50c.
Men's White Hemstitched plain silk Handkerchiefs 25c, 35c, 40c 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c.
Fancy Brocaded Silk Handkerchiefs 45c, 50c 65c 75 cents.
Men's Cashmere Mufflers 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Men's Silk Mufflers $1.25, $1.50, very special.
Men's Neck Ties, 4-in-hand 25c, 35c, 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Neck Ties, made up 25c, 35c, and 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Braces 25c, 35c, 50c special.
Men's Unlined Kid Gloves, special quality to go at $1.
Full stock of Underwear, Top Shirts, Night Shirts, Collars and Cuffs.

Millinery.

(Always interesting at Christmas time)

Children's Fur Caps $1, worth $1.50.
Hats $1.50, $1.75, $2, $3, reduced to sale price.
Wool Tams 25c and 50c special.

Dress Goods and Silks.

25 Dress Costumes, all we have left at 25 per cent. reduction.
Tweed Dress Goods 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
Silks for Dresses, special $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $1 93.

Linen Table Cloths and Napkins.

Linen Cloths $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $3, $4, $5.
Linen Napkins 75c, $1, $1.25, $1 50, $2, $3.
Linen Tabling in 4 qualities.
Blankets 75c, $1.10, $1.35, $2.50, $3.50, $4 special.

Kid Gloves and Hosiery.

The greatest assortment of New Gloves you can find all at special prices.
Guaranteed Kid Gloves 75c, $1, $1.25.
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Rugs and Carpets at special prices
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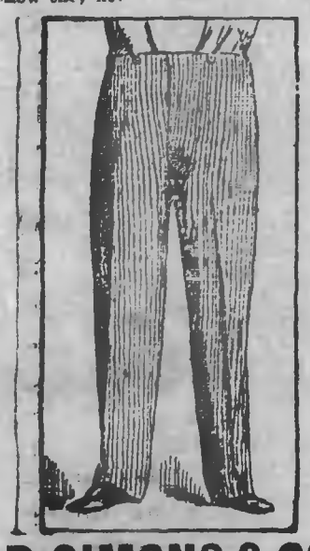

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Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Oranges 15c per doz. or two for 25c—at Waller & Co's.

Board of Trade.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Trade on Tuesday night—in the council chamber.

Cornwall Election.

Mr. Frank Fairen, of the Pullman Restaurant, has made arrangements to receive the returns of the Cornwall election this evening for the benefit of his patrons.

Meeting of the Banquet Committee.

A meeting of the committee in connection with the banquet tendered to Hon. Senator Cox, will be held at the town clerk's office this evening for the purpose of disposing of the surplus funds—about $23 or $30—which, it is understood, will be devoted to some charitable purpose.

A Warrant Issued.

The magistrate has issued a warrant at the instance of the Children's Aid Society for the arrest of a man for the non-support of his family. The society reports a case, where a family of five children were wholly without shoes and stockings and warm clothing. The house was barren and bleak. They will be attended to.

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The Glee Club Reception.

The local students of McGill University who have in hand the arrangements for a reception to the McGill Glee Club on New Year's night are Messrs. W. Davidson, W. Consul, F. McKibbon, H. Burnham, J. Hamilton, Court King, M. Hamilton and T. Ferguson.

Christmas Tree Entertainment.

The Christmas tree entertainment on the Catholic Association rooms on Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 22nd, and 23rd, under the auspices of the Sisters of St. Joseph, promises to be a successful affair. The entertainment committee have provided programmes for the two evenings of unusual excellence. Dinner will be served during noon hour each day, and in the evening for 15 cents. Come and view the excellent fancy work offered for sale. Admission to rooms 10 cents. 1d

A Pitable Case.

This morning a servant girl while hurrying to the station to take the 8 20 G.T.R. train for Toronto, had the misfortune to lose her purse containing her whole stock of money. A kindhearted young gentleman, who deserves credit for his thoughtful act—Mr. Wm. Potter—advanced the poor girl money enough to enable her to reach her destination. The purse was lost between St. Andrew's Manse and Rubidge street. This is a case in which the finder should promptly return the purse, as the loser, who is an orphan girl, lost all her money. The purse contained about $5, and if returned to the EXAMINER office it will be forwarded to the girl's address in Toronto.

A Rousing Day!

We may have seen better days at the Peterborough Bookstore, but none that kept the cash carrier on the move so lively. All the street talk about hard times and scarcity of money was knocked into a cocked hat to day, if the buying, bustle, hustle and throng was the same all over as it was at Stratton's Bookstore. But this store prides itself on its holiday attractions for shoppers; the thousand and one things which are to be seen are magnetism enough to draw the crowds of shoppers. Rich and poor alike are treated with courtesy and consideration. No false economy in the buying here. The poor may not be able to buy the same class of goods as the rich, but they can afford to buy honest goods of a class that fit their condition. Throng the store again this evening! and complete the biggest selling ever known on the last Saturday before Christmas. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

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—SILK UMBRELLAS
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—SILK UNDERWEAR
—SILK HOUSE COATS
—SILK SUSPENDERS

.. AT ..

Mercer's

ASHBURNHAM COUNCIL'S STATUTORY MEETING.

Presentation of the Financial Statement for the Year.

The statutory meeting of the Ashburnham village council was held Friday evening with the following members present: Reeve Burnham and Councillors Calcutt, Johnston, Craig and Rutherford.

The appended financial statement was then presented:

Statement of Receipts and Expenditures from Dec. 15th, 1895, to Dec. 31st, 1896:

RECEIPTS.

Rent	$ 12 50
Taxes	732 99
	$ 745 49

EXPENDITURES.

Roads and bridges	$ 6 35
Salaries	195 00
School Board	836 50
Water Co.	21 00
Note	500 00
	$ 1,562 85

Statement of Receipts and Expenditures from Jan. 1st, 1896, to Dec. 15th, 1896:

RECEIPTS.

Bal on hand	$ 272 43
From taxes, 1895	2,092 16
From taxes, 1896	3,338 60
Rents	225 00
Public school department	249 00
Licenses	539 31
Notes discounted	4,500 00
Dog tax	90 00
Non-resident taxes	26 79
Miscellaneous	11 60

EXPENDITURES.

Public schools	$ 2,236 00
Roads and bridges	1,730 61
Charity	249 51
Discount and coupons	642 73
Debentures	115 56
County rate	886 78
Notes	2,500 00
Salaries	461 00
Light and Power Co	604 80
Printing and stationery	81 61
Town Hall building	70 45
Fire protection	75 00
Miscellaneous	128 29
Balance	445 51
	$ 11,236 80

ASSETS.

Balance	$ 445 51
Land and buildings	14,000 00
Taxes uncollected	4,596 91
Rents	25 00
Licenses	50 00
Non-resident taxes	275 00
Gravel lots	825 00
	$ 20,667 42

LIABILITIES.

Debentures	$ 7 000 00
Notes	4,500 00
Public school board	400 00
Separate school	327 00
County rate	869 24
Fire protection	825 00
Light and Power Co.	165 00
Salaries	275 00
	$16,441 24

The bylaw was then passed providing for appointment of returning officers and places for nomination and election of reeve and councillors and members of school board.

North Ward—Jas. Gillespie's house, north Elizabeth street, John T. Wright, deputy-returning officer.

South Ward—Council chamber, A. H. Peck, deputy-returning officer.

An account of J. C. Sullivan for $1.50 was ordered to be paid, and the council then adjourned.

DELUGED IN MONTREAL

Tremendous Efforts Made to Meet the Rush.

Never before in the history of the Wells & Richardson Co., manufacturers of the celebrated Diamond Dyes, have they been so completely deluged and weighed down with mail matter as at the present time. Thousands of letter orders are crowding in from all parts of the Dominion for the great popular Ten Cent Combination that was advertised a short time ago. The avalanche of letters is so vast that a largely increased staff of hands is necessary to attend to it. The enterprising Diamond Dye firm have been obliged to hold over for a few days some thousands of orders before filling them.

This fact should discourage no one; there will be no disappointments; every order received will be well and truly filled, as steps have been taken to double the daily supply of Photos. and Excelsior Rhyming A B C Books, Illustrated.

For the benefit of those who have not seen or heard of the advertised Combination offer, it is here repeated:

First—One "Excelsior Rhyming A B C Book, Illustrated"; no two large letters of the Alphabet are of the same colour.

Second—One full size rich Cabinet Photo of the "Three Future Kings of England." Every loyal Canadian should have it.

Third—One package of "Diamond Dye Ink Powder," for making sixteen ounces of best black writing ink.

The whole Combination, worth 65 cents, to any address for ten cents.

Send small silver coins, or the proper amount in one, two or three cent stamps. Stamps of larger denomination will not be received.

Seal your letter securely, and before mailing be sure you put on full postage, three cents in stamps. If full postage is not prepaid, letters will not be accepted.

Address Wells & Richardson Co., Montreal, P.Q.

Grafton & Co's. for all Xmas Presents.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 26 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5 50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

Ladies Don't Smoke.

but they have a tender regard for some fellahs that do. The great festival of Christmas will soon be here, and between now and then people will naturally think of buying presents for their friends. Mr. Chas. LeGros, the live George street tobacco and cigar dealer, realizing that money is very scarce, has put everything in the line of cigars and pipes down to cost, and when he says cost, he means business. LeGros is a hustler, and likes to give his customers a benefit at Christmas times. He imports all his goods direct, and saves the wholesalers' profit. A few of the snaps which he offers are to be seen in his window. He has the finest lot of pipes in Canada, all of B.B.B. manufacture. In cigars, his imported cigars are of the finest, and this is proved by the testimony of the best people of the town who smoke them. Ladies who know the weakness that their gentlemen friends have for a good cigar or a meerschaum pipe, a swell mouthpiece or a handy tobacco pouch can take a hint and have a quiet talk with Chanley on the subject. Call and see him and you will be astonished at the prices and quality of his pipes, cigars and smokers' sundries. ALIVE C. LEGROS, 239 George street. tf

POCKET PICKING ON THE MARKET.

Many Ladies Lost Their Pocketbooks This Morning.

A gang of pickpockets invaded the market this morning and in consequence many ladies are bemoaning the loss of their pocket-books.

The crush inside the building was terrific and the work of the sneak thieves was therefore easy, although the police exercised the greatest vigilance.

One poor woman, whose husband is ill and who had just seven dollars to carry her through the winter, lost it all, while endeavouring to make some small purchases of supplies. Another lost her purse containing over forty dollars. Although the victims were numerous, only three so far have made complaints to the Police Department.

It is thought the operators were women brought down from Toronto to take advantage of the crush at a Christmas market.

CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be two masses celebrated, the first at 8 a.m., the second at 10.30 a. m., and Vespers at 7 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate. 4th Sunday in Advent, Dec. 20th. 7 a. m. Morning Prayer. 11 a.m., Holy Communion and Sermon; 2.15 p.m., Sunday School; 7 p.m., Evening Service and Sermon. Ushers on duty—W Hinchcliffe, R. H. Kells, J. Mulholland and A. Roberts.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance D.D., pastor, Sunday, Dec. 20th. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Y.P.S.C.E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W.H. Young, B. A., pastor. Sunday, Dec. 20th. Service at 11 a. m. conducted by Rev. J. J. Rae; and at 7 p. m. by the pastor. Collections at both services in aid of the Poor Fund. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats. Grace church Sunday School at 2.30 p.m.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. J. Rae, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 20th—Service at 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. conducted by Rev. W. H. Young, B. A.; and at 7 p. m. by the pastor; subject, "Hell, What and Where." Sunday school and Bible Class at 2.30 p. m. Strangers welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Bytheman, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 20th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 2.00 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all are welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. F. Tapscot, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be cordially welcomed. Regular meeting of Young People's Society on Wednesday evening.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST—Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., in the rooms in the Bank of Commerce Block, entrance on Water street, same as Business College. Public meeting every Friday night at 8 o'clock. A welcome extended to all.

No Excuse

For wearing shabby and ill-fitting Garments when you can secure A 1 goods and perfect fit at the following prices at 423 GEORGE STREET:

Trousers..... $3, $4, $5
Suits..... $12, $14, $16
Double Breasted Ulsters $12, $13, $15.
Handsome Ties and Braces for the Xmas trade.

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Issuer of Marriage Licenses.
Arrangements made to meet the wishes of those desiring same. 423 George St., North of Foot & McWhinnie.

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Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enameledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc
Store Can Be Secured.

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NIGHT SCHOOL

How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to improve their Education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book-keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the student.

Many have fitted themselves for better positions by attending our Night School. You can do the same.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings, 7 to 9 p.m.

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Opposite Post Office. Business College.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

MINING SHARES FOR SALE—13,000 shares of the Moosa Queen Mine at 10c. per share also one-seven interest in the Tough Nut and United Empire Mine. For particulars address J. D. BROOK, Box 515, Peterborough.

TO LET—NO. 193 KING STREET; HEATED by hot water; bath. Apply to W. RUDKINS, 195 King street. 3d140

HOUSE TO LET—163 WATER STREET; 7 rooms; city water. Apply to ADAM HALL. dtf

FOR SALE—A GOOD MEDIUM SIZE, J. & J. Taylor Safe with Combination Lock—a bargain. Apply at the EXAMINER Office. dtf

265 HUNTER STREET—FURNISHED Rooms to rent; with or without board.

TO RENT—SEVERAL COMFORTABLY Heated Rooms Bank of Commerce Buildings; suitable for bedrooms or offices. Apply to 437 George street. dtf93

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OFFICE TO RENT—RECENTLY OCCUPIED as American Consulate and Rochester Star Nursery, No. 41 Water street, next the Post Office; good vault, heated with hot water; all modern conveniences. Apply to DENNISTOUN, PECK & STEVENSON. dtf

TO LET—NO. 223 EDINBURGH STREET, corner of Aylmer, newly papered and painted. Apply to J. J. Lundy, over China Hall. dtf

TO RENT—IMMEDIATELY—HOUSE No. 468 Park street; $7 a month. Apply to TORONTO SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY, 437 George street. dtf

FOR SALE—A DOUBLE OFFICE DESK with 16 drawers; as good as new. Will be sold cheap as it is larger than owner requires. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. ft

HOUSE FOR SALE IN ASHBURNHAM—large two story, solid White Brick House, containing 11 rooms, cellar under all; furnace, (hot air); hard and soft water; stable for horse and cow; good orchard; having a frontage on Elizabeth street of 102 feet by a depth of 200 feet. Will be sold at a bargain and on easy terms. Apply to HALL & HAYES, Barristers, Peterborough. d69tf

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Besides our extensive stock of valuable Watches Fancy Clocks, Elaborate Silver and rare designs in precious metals, we list a few of the Favourite Gifts that will find their way into hundreds of stockings at the "chimney" Xmas morning:—

—Diamond Rings in solitaire or in combination with other precious stones.
—Exquisite Pearl, Opal, Torquoise and Enamald Rings.
—Gold Rings, set in Diamonds, Sapphires and Rubies.
—Solid Gold Bracelets.
—Gold Chain Bracelets,
—Gold Brooch ets.
—Gold Necklets and Pendants,
—Gold Lockets.
—Gold Chains and Fobs.
—Gold and Silver Blouse Sets,
—Gold Shirt Studs and Collar Buttons,
—Gold Scarf Pins and Sleeve Links,
—Gold Spectacles,
—Boys' and Misses' Watches.
—Silver Manicure Sets,
—Silver Jewel Cases,
—Silver Card Cases and Purses,
—Cut Glass Perfume Bottles, etc.

We're scrupulously careful that nobody can pick a flaw in anything they buy of us.

Jewelry manufactured on the premises by a skilled craftsman in the art. Brooches need pins. Rings need stones and valuable old jewellery can be made up into any new design. Proficient workmen to repair even the smallest article.

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Jewelers and Silversmiths, Hunter St., Peterborough.

FAT MAN—"Hello, there skinny! Is your Holiday Order in for CALCUTT'S beefy Ale or Porter?"

SLIM MAN—"Yes, sir, I've thrown physic to the dogs, and started on Calcutt's prescription. Going to beef up for 1897, you bet."

Crooks Act Notice.

INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the East Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me as Warrenw with the bona fide name and address of the sender, will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly

J. J. CROWE
Hall's Glen P. O.
License Inspector, East Peterborough

HERE'S A SNAP FOR YOUR LIFE AT

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We are offering the following Special Bargains this week:—

4 FOUR GENUINE 10c CIGARS - - for 25c

In the Following Popular Brands:
Roseberry, William Pitt, Dunraven, El Cello, Irving, Dias Garcias.
Other popular Cigars reduced in same proportion.

PIPES All 50c Pipes Reduced to 25c
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Cigar Cases, Pouches and other Smokers Sundries similaly reduced. Now's the time to treat your fellah's.

"ON A STRING."—Violin Strings and Strings for all stringed instruments, kept on hand. Also Mouth Organs at prices to blow yourself on. Swagger Sticks and Walking Canes, Silver and Gold Mounted, to suit all tastes.

Wholesale and Retail Tobacconists, 333 George St., Sign of the Indian Queen. TALBOT BROTHERS

EXAMINERS WANTED.

Meetings of the general public will be held this week and next to inspect the stock of meats at Kennedy & Nelson's store, 340 George street. It is the high grade stock we carry and the moderate prices we charge that draw the crowd. We are determined to sell only the best, and to this end we have our stock shipped from the west where nothing but the highest grade of cattle is raised.

We have had our store made more inviting than usual, by decorating the windows with holly and deer heads. Inside the store you will find the most delicious meats.

Our Beef is of the best; our Pork cannot be found fault with; our Canned Goods must go, although being sacrificed; our Mince Meat sells where sold before; our Lard has been found satisfactory; the Butter we handle is No. 1.

We have great advantages in the fowl line, by having bought ahead all the fowl required, which goes into the hundreds.

SPECIAL TO THE LADIES.

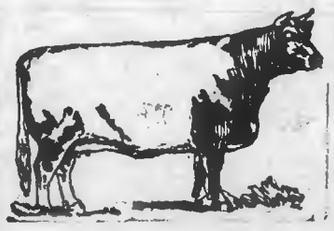
We have bought a National Cash Register which sits on a marble counter in a convenient part of the store. On the top of it is a most handsome mirror. It is a most beautifully designed machine. Every sale is registered, and every purchaser gets a receipt for her purchase, and if she keeps them until the required amount is obtained, which will be found on every receipt, will be redeemed at our stores, 340 George street, or 387 Water street

We are very desirous of having you, one and all, call and see for yourselves what we really do keep.

We take this opportunity of thanking you for your patronage in the past and hope for its continuance.

KENNEDY & NELSON

Meat Merchants. 340 George St., 387 Water St.



Christmas Show —OF— MEATS! ...AT... J. J. Howden's

If you want to see one of the grandest "Old Time" displays of Christmas Meats visit J. J. Howden's Meat Mart, 461 George Street. Excellent supplies of well-fed Beef, Lamb, Veal and Pork. Great Show of our Sugar-Cured Hams, Breakfast Bacon, Spiced Rolls, Tongue, Sausage, Fancy Meats, Chopped Suet, etc. Abundant supply of Turkeys, Geese, and Chickens—all ready for your Christmas bill of fare.

Eat and Be Merry. "Christmas comes but once a year!" Telephone 39.

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Stroud's Tea...

WORD CONTEST

370 GEORGE STREET

PETERBOROUGH

Also at Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston and Toronto.

To the person who will send us the greatest number of words of more than two letters formed from the the letters contained in "Stroud's Tea," using no letter more times than it occurs in "Stroud's Tea." The letters may be taken backward or forward, but must form complete, English words, for example, start, eat, star, etc. For the second largest number of words, $5.00; for the third, $3.00; for the fourth, $2.00, and for the next five $1.00 each will be rewarded. This contest is open to all. The only condition governing the contest is that you shall satisfy us that you have bought five lbs. of our Tea during this month. If you are good at word-making this is your opportunity to procure a New Year's gift for a little effort. This generous offer is made to introduce "Our Celebrated Tea" and give the young folks a chance to earn some money. The contest will close at noon, January 1st, 1897. Each list of words must be numbered and written in alphabetical order, on only one side of the paper with name and address written plainly. To be in a sealed envelope, addressed to W. R. Stroud, 370 George street. Remember this is a bona fide offer made by a bona fide firm. We do this simply as a method of advertising i.e. to bring us more prominently before the Peterborough public. Our Teas and Coffee are, without exception, the best sold in Canada.

$25 in Cash Prizes.

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We are compiling a long list of Farms for Sale, to Exchange or Rent which we intend to advertise extensively and to do so free of charge, unless we sell, exchange or rent, when our regular and reasonable commission will be charged.

Call on us for anything you want in Real Estate in town or country.

Our office in block next to Post Office will be open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

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Folding Card or Work Tables.

Sizes 20 x 37 and 24 x 42.

Made in Alternate Slips. Very Pretty and Useful for any Purpose.

Prices $1 and $1.25

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4 lbs. Choice Raisins.....for 25c
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Schepps No. 1 Cocoanut.....per lb 25c
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3 lbs. Mothers Mince Meat.....per lb 25c

Figs, Dates, Oranges, Lemons, Table Raisins and Delicious Confectionery. Just watch for our candy advertisement, an Eye Opener.

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GEO COCHRANE
License Inspector West Peterborough

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"SALADA"

CEYLON TEA

Every Leaf is full of Virtue.

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Sold in Lead Packets Only. 25c, 40c, 50c, 60c. All Grocers.

Ladies!

You will save time and patience if you

USE Clapperton's Thread

It is STRONG, EVEN, RELIABLE

Trade Mark — WILL NOT BREAK NOR SNARL

ALL DEALERS SELL IT.

FELL 1400 FEET.

Miners in Their Cage Went Down to the Bottom of the Shaft in a Colorado Mine.

Ouray, Col., Dec. 19.—An accident occurred in the Virginius mine near here yesterday by which five men were almost instantly killed. The accident occurred in the shaft of the mine, where the men were at work repairing the timbering. They were working from the cage suspended in the shaft, having it raised and lowered as they progressed with their work. The cage fell with lightning rapidity to the bottom of the shafe, which is 1400 feet deep, where it was broken into thousands of pieces, the men being crushed into shapeless masses in the wrecked cage.

NEW MOVE BY SALOON MEN.

Chicago Liquor Sellers Talk of Closing Up to Beat the City on Revenue.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—According to a morning paper, a movement is on foot among the saloonkeepers of Chicago to close their shops for a period of four months, and thereby deprive the city of revenue aggregating $1,000,000. This policy, the paper states, was vigorously discussed yesterday by the Cook County Liquor Dealers' Association. It was stated that the Civic Federation and allies were laying plans for prohibitory legislation at the coming legislative session. It was decided that the common enemy should be taught a lesson in political economy if it persists in its attempt to encroach upon the rights and privileges of the saloon men.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is quiet and prices generally are unchanged. Straight rollers are nominal at $4, Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The local market is dull, with little change in prices. Sales of white and red were made outside at 80c. No. 1 Manitoba hard offers at 94c, Toronto freight, and No. 2 hard sold at 91c, Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with a sale east at 29c.

Barley—The market is very dull. No. 2 is quoted at 27c north and west, and feed at 26c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 18c west and at 19c to 20c on the Midland. Mixed is 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady, with sales at 40½c outside.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales at 35c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 25c outside and old at 27c.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The offerings to-day were comparatively light, being about 35 car lots. There were few choice Christmas cattle, and the best sold at 4c per lb. A few were taken for export at 3½c to 3¾c. Medium butchers' sold at 3c and inferior stock at 2c per lb. Milch cows sell at $25 to $40 each and calves at $4 to $10 each.

Sheep and lambs in fair supply with offerings of 1000 head. Choice sheep sold at 3c per lb. and bucks at 2½c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3½c to 4c per lb.

Hogs in liberal supply and prices unchanged. The best sold at 4c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c to 3½c, lightweights at 3¾c, sows at 2¾c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 18.—Spring wheat, 6s 0d to 6s 10d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2d to 7s 3d; corn, 2s 10d; peas, 4s 5½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 28s 0d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 26s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London — Opening—Wheat on passage slightly better. English country markets dull. Maize on passage steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 6s 7d for Jan., 6s 7¾d for Feb. and 6s 8d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 2¾d for Dec. and May, 2s 2¼d for Jan. and Feb. and 2s 2½d for March and April. Flour 25s.

Paris—Wheat 21f 40c for Jan.; flour 48f 70c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures quiet at 6s 7d for Jan., 6s 7¾d for Feb. and 6s 8d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 2¼d for Jan. and Feb., 2s 2¼d for March and 2s 2¼d for April and May. Flour 25s.

PYNY-PECTORAL

Positively Cures

COUGHS and COLDS

In a surprisingly short time. It's a scientific certainty, tried and true, soothing and healing in its effects.

W. C. McCOMBER & SON, Bouchette, Que., report in a letter that Pyny-Pectoral cured Mrs. C. Caroons of chronic cold in chest and bronchial tubes, and also cured W. C. McComber of a lung disease.

Mr. J. H. HUTTY, Chemist, 528 Yonge St., Toronto, writes: "As a general cough and lung syrup Pyny-Pectoral is a most invaluable preparation. It has given the utmost satisfaction to all who have tried it, many having spoken to me of the benefits derived from its use in their families. It is suitable for old or young, being pleasant to the taste. Its sale with me has been wonderful, and I can always recommend it as a safe and reliable cough medicine."

Large Bottle, 25 Cts.

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CORBETT HAS SIGNED.

He Agrees to Fight Fitzsimmons in Mexico in March Next.

New York, Dec. 17.—James J. Corbett signed articles of agreement at Taylor's Hotel in Jersey City this afternoon to fight Robert Fitzsimmons for the heavyweight championship and the purse of $15,000 offered by Dan A. Stuart of Texas. The articles call for a glove fight to a finish under Marquis of Queensberry rules, the contest to come off on March 17 at a place to be named by Stuart not later than Feb. 17.

George Siler of Chicago was named as referee, and either Richard K. Fox or Al Smith as temporary stakeholder.

Stuart agreed to deposit $5000 with either Fox or Smith as an evidence of good faith when the articles were completed and the remaining $10,000 thirty days before the date of the contest, the whole amount to be forfeited and divided equally between Corbett and Fitzsimmons in case Stuart fails to bring off the fight without interference. The articles also call for a deposit of $2500 by each of the principals, said amount to be forfeited should either fail to appear in the ring, the amount so forfeited to go to the man that appears.

Stuart reserved the right of all privileges, which drew from Corbett the only protest that was forthcoming from the ex-champion. Corbett imagined that Fitzsimmons might have an interest in the kinetoscope privilege, but this Stuart strenuously denied, and the Texan finally said that this clause would be stricken out altogether if Corbett so desired. This satisfied Corbett and he made no further objection.

Corbett said that he would like to have an additional clause inserted calling for a $10,000 side bet in order that he might put himself right before the public on Fitzsimmons' statement, but that he was ready to fight the Australian for a dime or for nothing.

Although no place was mentioned for the holding of the fight it is not unlikely that the rendezvous will be in Mexico. Corbett and Stuart signed the articles, with Parson Davies as witness.

The business was to have been accomplished at the Police Gazette office, but when the party arrived there a couple of Central office detectives were on the watch and it was decided to go to Jersey, as all hands would have rendered themselves liable to arrest by signing articles for a prize fight in this State.

Stuart stated to the reporter of the United Associated Presses that he would wait until Fitzsimmons arrived in this city to get his signature to the articles. The Australian is due here in about ten days. The Texan further said that if Fitzsimmons objected to Fox or Smith as stakeholder he would let Bob name any three men he desired, and from these Stuart would try to select a stakeholder.

Undoubtedly Siler will be satisfactory to Fits as referee. As matters now stand the question of supremacy as between Corbett and Fits is in a fair way of settlement.

SHARKEY GETS THE $10,000.

San Francisco, Dec. 17.—The Fitzsimmons-Sharkey case was argued to-day. Gen. Barnes, counsel for the sailor, moved to dismiss the injunction on the ground that there was no distinction between a glove contest and a prize fight. Attorney Friedrich, for Fitzsimmons, asked the court not to consider outside matters, but to decide according to the allegations.

At the conclusion of the arguments Judge Sanderson said this was the first time the matter had been presented, the former proceedings being merely the taking of depositions, no distinction being made between a glove contest and a prize fight. The Judge therefore dismissed the injunction and threw the case out of court. This is a victory for Sharkey, and he will get the $10,000.

In rendering his decision, Judge Sanderson held that boxing and fighting were synonymous words. If the men were boxing they were fighting.

Sharkey was not there. The $10,000 cheque is still in the possession of the bank, where it will remain until all doubt as to who owns it has been removed. Manager Lilienthal said he would not pay the money over until advised to do so by his attorneys. Unless some other impediment should present itself the money will be paid to Sharkey to-morrow.

LEND YOUR EARS

To Your Back and Listen to its Talk—A Peterborough Man Tries It.

Did you know the back could talk;
Tell you why it aches and pains;
Tell you why it's lame and weak;
Warn you of the kidney's ills:
Tell you of Doan's Kidney Pills?
Listen to them when they speak.
Relieve the kidneys, cure the ache.
Bad back, acute pains and kidney ills,
Are quickly cured by Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here is proof of it at home. The testimony of Mr. George N. Graham, the genial host of the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, is as follows:—

He says:—"I have been a great sufferer for some time with pain across the back, extending up between the shoulders, swelling of the limbs, dizziness, loss of appetite, and in fact felt completely broken up.

"I had lost 17 pounds in three months, and thought that I would never get better. I have taken many kinds of patent medicines, and have also been treated by medical men, but did not seem to get any better at all, in fact was constantly growing worse.

"I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertisement and got a box of them at Lynch's drugstore, and by the time I had taken one box noticed a marked change for the better.

"I have taken seven boxes altogether, and am now free from pain; the swelling in the limbs has disappeared, and my appetite is good. In fact, I feel that I am completely cured.

"I can heartily recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to those suffering from any form of kidney trouble. They are the best kidney medicine I have ever used.

Signed, GEO. N. GRAHAM.

For sale by James Lynch, druggist, 168 Hunter Street, Peterborough.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer 'Saved my Life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels Price 75c. Sold by John Nugent 359 George Street.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentry, Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. Never travel without it. Price 35c.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

CHRISTMAS.

At Christmas play and make good cheer,
For Christmas comes but once a year.
—Thomas Tusser.

At Christmastide the open hand
Scatters its bounty o'er sea and land,
And none are left to grieve alone,
For love is heaven and claims its own.
—Margaret E. Sangster.

If all the year were playing holidays,
To sport would be as tedious as to work.
—Shakespeare.

No war or battle's sound
Was heard the world around.
—Milton.

We speak of a merry Christmas
And many a happy New Year,
But each in his heart is thinking
Of those that are not here.
—Longfellow.

A CHRISTMAS HARBINGER.

There's a Christmas indication,
Known to every married male;
There's a Christmas intimation
That is never known to fail.

It is not the blizzard blowing
From Dakota east to Maine
Or the fierce or fitful snowing
Or the slush producing rain.

It is not the turkeys hanging
In the market and the store
Or the cheery, tuneful clanging
Of the Christmas bells galore.

None of these will tell the story
Of the daily dying year,
None of these that Christmas hoary
And the holidays are here.

But his peace of mind is ended,
And he knows just where he's at,
When the hosiery's distended
And the pocketbook is flat!

People shudder when they think of the possibility of sudden death by violence or accident. There is a sentimental horror attached to such a death that makes people prefer the grim monster in almost any other guise. Yet all the lives that are lost each year by violence and accident are but an insignificant fraction to the untold thousands that are slain by the grim destroyer, consumption. It is the most insidious and the deadliest of all known diseases. It knows neither rank nor wealth. It attacks people in all the walks of life. It makes no distinctions. It has for centuries been considered incurable. It is not.

An almost unfailing cure for consumption is found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It acts directly upon the lungs and also corrects the aggravating cause of the disease. It corrects all disorders of the digestion, invigorates the liver and makes the assimilation of the food perfect, thus nourishing and strengthening the system for its battle with its relentless foe. It fills the arteries with the rich, pure blood of health. It builds new, healthy tissue in the lungs and drives out all impurities and disease germs. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption. Thousands have testified to their cures. All druggists sell it.

"I was taken sick in February, 1887, with typhoid pneumonia," writes Mrs. Henrietta Hart, of Voorheesville, Albany Co., N. Y. "I then had a miscarriage. I did not leave my bed to sit in a chair till the first of June. I had medical care all that time. I was so weak I could not turn in bed alone. The doctor said he could do no more for me. I was coughing and raising and was almost dead with consumption. I gave up to die. I took seven bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Favorite Prescription' together (not seven of each), and I was then able to do my own housework for my family of four. In less than three years from the time I began your medicine, I gave birth to a healthy baby girl that weighed eight pounds. I have had two children since, and am enjoying good health now."

Pretty eyes, bright, snappy and full of fire and life. Constipation makes the blood impure, and the eyes get dull and heavy, glazed and listless. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation speedily and permanently. They never gripe. They are tiny, anti-bilious, sugar-coated granules. One is a gentle laxative, two a mild cathartic. Druggists sell them.

Mustard - THAT'S - Mustard

Dunn's Mustard

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FROM RICH FLAVOURED ENGLISH SEED

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Ask for Dunn's Pure Mustard

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We have everything in splendid for turning out the Highest Class Photographs in every conceivable style. We are producing unequalled work with our new

PLATINO PROCESS

It is a complete revelation to our patrons. Results are delicate, refined and effective. A splendid new Background which we have just procured lends additional charms to our pictures.

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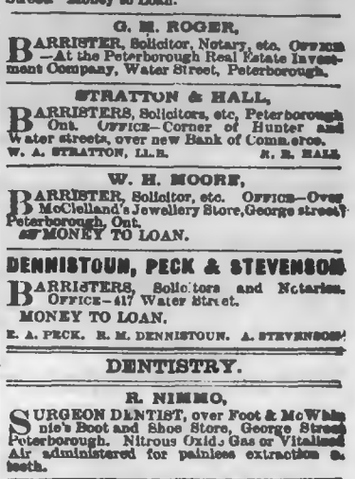

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IS MACEO STILL ALIVE?

Cubans State That He is in the Province of Matanzas Other Reports Contradict This.

New York, Dec. 17.—A despatch from Key West, Fla., says: Passengers arriving here from Havana report that Antonio Maceo is alive and well and is in the Province of Matanzas. These passengers say that all of the festivities that were going on in Havana to celebrate his death have been ordered stopped, since it has become known that he is alive.

The Body Still Undiscovered.

Havana, Dec. 17.—Maceo's body is still undiscovered and no further proofs of his death have been adduced, which leads the Cubans to think he is still alive. The residents of Punta Brava, the vicinity in which the engagement occurred, disbelieve the verdict of his death. Zertucha continues to give contradictory evidence. He now says the knife captured belonged to Gomez's son, and not to Maceo. The Cubans consider it significant that the objects captured are not shown and also the alleged written statements of Gomez's son.

This Says Maceo is Dead.

New York, Dec. 17.—The World's correspondent at Havana says: To-day's steamer brings tidings that the story that the killing of General Maceo was due to deliberate treachery on the part of the Spanish officials, although manifestly issued from Cuban sources, was taken seriously in the United States.

I have personally investigated the matter, with exceptional opportunities for hearing both sides. The facts are: General Weyler, then in the depths of Pinar Del Rio Province, was as much surprised at the escape of Maceo into Havana Province as anyone else was. The Marquis De Ahumada, commanding in Havana, could have no dealing with Maceo without authority.

The young son of Maximo Gomez was wounded in the vanguard at the trocha.

The body of Guerillas under Major Cirujeda, whose shots killed the Cuban chieftain, had no conception of the magnitude of their work until the body was searched and articles belonging to him were found. Even then they were not sure of Maceo's identity, and the body was recovered by the insurgents after a hot fight. If Major Cirujeda had known positively how great a chief had fallen he would have sacrificed everything short of his own life to keep the trophy.

Altogether the slaying of Maceo was the result of the fortunes of war. He lived by the sword, and, as is apt to be the case, he died by it.

Still Full of Fight.

Washington, Dec. 17.—A letter was received here yesterday by the Cuban Junta from Francisco Carillo, prominent in the Cuban revolutionary party, declaring that the general condition of the revolution could not be more satisfactory.

"We can say," he writes, "that the country belongs to us." In the greater part of the Island it is ours absolutely, and particularly in the east, Camaguey, Remedios, Sanita, Spiritus, Trinidad and Pinar Del Rio. In these zones the Spaniards live completely shut up, almost besieged in the seaports and towns of importance, and in the rest of the island they do not command any more territory than the one they tread upon when they are operating."

Carillo further explains that the supreme power of the revolution is vested in a Government Council consisting of a president and four secretaries; foreign affairs, war, treasury and interior, and the details of their respective workings are elaborate.

Tacoma Offers 1200 Men.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 17.—Tacoma has offered to the Government a regiment of 1200 men, well drilled and officered by thorough tacticians, to help the United States destroy the power of Spain in Cuba.

Blood is Life.

It is the medium which carries to every nerve, muscle, organ and fibre its nourishment and strength. If the blood is pure, rich and healthy you will be well; if impure, disease will soon overtake you. Hood's Sarsaparilla has power to keep you in health by making your blood rich and pure.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is quiet and prices generally are unchanged. Straight rollers are nominal at $4 to $4.10 Toronto freights.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The local market is dull, with little change in prices. Five cars of white wheat sold at 80c on the Northern and red sold at the same price. No. 1 Manitoba hard offers at 94c, Toronto freight, and No. 2 at 92c, but no sales reported.

Buckwheat—The market is dull and nominal at 28c to 29c.

Barley—The market is very dull. No. 2 is quoted at 27c north and west, and feed at 20c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 18c west and at 19c to 20c on the Midland. Mixed is 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices unchanged at 40c, north and west.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales at 34c outside west.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 25c outside and old at 27c.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 17.—Spring wheat, 6s 9½d to 6s 10½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 3d to 7s 4d; corn, 2s 10¼d; peas, 4s 5½d; pork, 48s 0d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 28s 0d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 28s 0d; tallow, 18s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast easy, on passage dull and 3d lower. English country markets firm. Maize on passage rather easier.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures ¼d easier at 6s 7½d for Jan., 6s 8d for Feb. and 6s 8¾d for March. Maize 2s 0¾d for Dec. and April and 2s 9½d for Jan., Feb. and March.

Paris—Wheat 21f 40c for Jan. and flour 40f 15c for Jan.

London—Close—Wheat on passage dull. Maize on passage quiet.

Paris—Close—Wheat dull at 21f 25c for Jan.; flour 45f 60c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures easy at 6s 7d for Jan., 6s 7¾d for Feb. and 6s 8d for March. Maize 2s 9¾d for Dec., April and 2s 9½d for March. Flour 25s.

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The frame of this baby's shirred bonnet is a cap of crinoline muslin pleated to fit the shape of the head. The measures for the size must be taken from a point below the ear on one side to the same point on the other side, carrying the measure over the top of the head, and from the forehead to the back of the neck, the exact points of measurement being decided according to how much of the head you wish the bonnet to cover. The flat wire tape, called, "ribbon wire," is used to stiffen the edge all around; it is well to have enough to turn back over the wire, and in that way make it a neater edge. The next thing to do is to bind the edge all round with a two-inch strip of bias material.

The shirrings on this bonnet are

BABY'S SHIRRED BONNET (UNTRIMMED.

made in single material (those given in Lesson No. 8 were with the double thicknesses), except that the edge of the brim is double as far as the first wire; this is done by turning in the edge and making the runners for the first wire in the same manner as in Lesson No. 8 through the double material. The wires are run into tiny tucks, which are made for the purpose, and you must not neglect to put one in the oval at the back. There are eight wires in all going around the upper part, besides three in the curtain, and the bonnet is made in five pieces. You first baste a flat oblong piece over the back of the frame, next put on the puffed crown, then the brim, and after that the centrepiece, which is perfectly finished with the wire at the edges, and so finishes the edges of the crown and brim. All wires when drawn to the proper length should be bent to an L, as described in Lesson No. 4, for feather stems, and sewn firmly to the shape. Then draw up all shirring-threads, and tie or otherwise fasten off. The curtain is the last thing to put on. This is sewn to the edge of the shape, and all wires and threads finished as before. Both the brim and the curtain are much wider in the middle than at the ends; the shaping is done before you begin to put in the shirring-threads.

This bonnet is illustrated without its trimming, to show how it is made to better advantage. The trimming is very simple—merely a bow on top as large or small as the simplicity or richness of the material requires; and ties, which are usually sewn on at the corners, though sometimes the ribbon is all in one piece and carried over the head from edge to edge, which makes a half yard more necessary.

These bonnets can be made from material cut on the straight, but anything shirred always looks better when cut bias. If possible the head lining should be of the same material as the outside. It looks richer and very pretty.

A good addition to a brim of the kind made of single material is to take about a yard of lace four inches deep, and after completing the outside of the bonnet, face the brim with the lace, slightly full, and tie it to the first wire every inch or two, gathering in the edge to suit the width of the brim.—Harper's Bazar.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years, he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich, red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice, it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

A Royal Rider.

Queen Henriette of Belgium, by birth an Austrian Archduchess, continues, in spite of her snow-white hair and trunk as a grandmother, to occupy her time with circus-riding. A year ago she gave in the riding-school of the Royal Palace at Brussels a semi-public performance, in which she and her daughter Clementine put their horses through all kinds of fancy paces and trick-riding with the skill of professionals. They leaped their horses through burning hoops and over flaming hedges, and her majesty jumped a pair horse over a dinner table covered with flowers and lighted candelabras. Then she drove a team of four-in-hand herself mounted on her favorite mare.

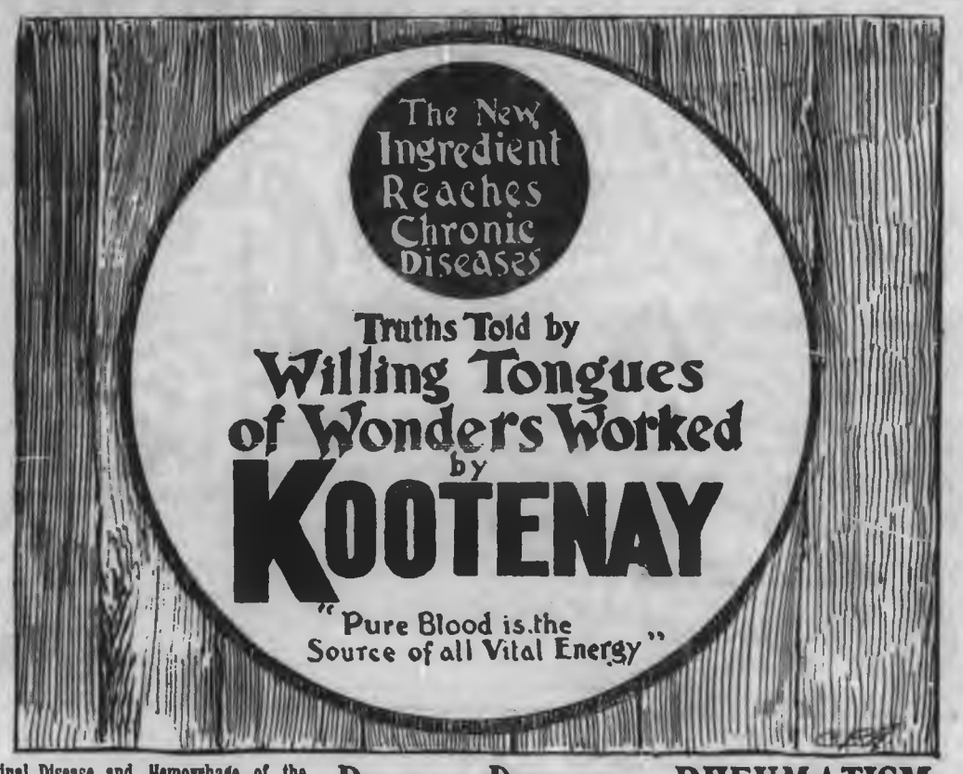
A FARMER IN TROUBLE.

A Grenville County Man Speaks his Mind—Feels Like a New Man—Cured by Four Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Cardinal, Dec. 7 (Special)—Mr. Robert Malcolm, a farmer widely known in this county, and living near this village, has been in a painful and dangerous condition as the result of kidney disease affecting the bladder. When called upon he said: "During three years, until quite recently cured by using four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease which kept going from bad to worse though I was doctoring all the time."

Under advice I began using Dodd's Kidney Pills, at once realising great help. I now feel like a new man and am perfectly cured of kidney trouble in any form.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Cholera, Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus and all summer complaints and fluxes of the bowels in children or adults.



Spinal Disease and Hemorrhage of the Kidneys Cured.

Carried from His Chair to His Bed for Eighteen Months.

Mr. F. A. Gendron, lumber measurer, well known in this city and at Hull, and who has suffered for the last two years from a painful malady reputed to be incurable, has recovered in a marvellous manner during the past month. Many celebrated doctors had treated the patient, and one after another had abandoned the case in despair. Mr. Gendron suffered from a terrible malady of the kidneys which had brought on locomotor ataxia—really a softening of the spinal marrow. Lying helpless upon a bed of sickness, his case seemed to be really incurable. Indeed, those who looked upon him in that state believed him to be at the end of his life, and it was with difficulty that they could believe their eyes yesterday when they saw him walking around to our office. To what is to be attributed this cure? Mr. Gendron states it himself in the following affidavit, deposed and sworn before a notary.—*Le Canada, Ottawa, September 20, 1895.*

OTTAWA, September 20, 1895.

I declare solemnly that, after having suffered more than two years from complicated malady of the kidneys, which reduced me to the most complete helplessness, I was cured perfectly by using Dr. Ryckman's new remedy called "Kootenay Cure." I recommend this medicine to the attention of all, especially of those who are suffering from diseases of the kidneys.

F. A. GENDRON.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

MONTREAL, August 12, 1896.

My wife, Mrs. Thomas Bird, suffered for a long time with kidney trouble, which finally became so aggravated and painful that she was compelled to enter the hospital. Her case was pronounced by the physicians who examined her to be Bright's Disease of the Kidneys, and after a long course of treatment she was discharged from the hospital as incurable and informed that she had only a few years to live. While making arrangements for sending her to England I was persuaded to give her your medicine, Kootenay Cure. After taking the medicine for a time, she began to improve and has since continued to do so. At the present writing both she and I are satisfied that she is cured, and that Kootenay has been the means of saving her life. She now has a good appetite, sleeps well, has a good color and her kidneys are working with regularity. No one who knew her terrible condition last winter could realize to-day that she is the same person, such a remarkable change has taken place. Wishing you continued success with your wonderful medicine, I remain,

Yours gratefully,

THOMAS H. BIRD,

Porter, Queen's Hotel.

RHEUMATISM.

OTTAWA, August 7th, 1895.

I cannot find words to express my gratitude for the services Kootenay Cure has done me. I had been treated by the best physicians in Ottawa for Rheumatism, but they told me that my case was so complicated, my trouble having originated from La Grippe, that any relief they could give would only be temporary. Just at this time I heard of Kootenay Cure. I had very little hope of relief at first, the Rheumatism having settled in my muscles and almost destroyed my nerves. However, I determined to try once more and began to take the medicine, and in my case, physically speaking, old things have passed away and all things have become new. I can go anywhere, unaided. My nerves are as strong as ever they were in my life and no change in the atmosphere has any effect on me now. I cannot thank you enough, but write this so that some other sufferer may read it and seek relief. You can refer any person to me at my residence, 199 Albert street, Ottawa, and I shall be only too happy to give them any information in my power.

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Macbeth.

The poet is essentially the product of the age in which he lives. An old saying has come down to us from the Latin, which, like many old sayings, is only partly true, "Poeta nascitur non fit." The first part of this proverb is no doubt true; unless the man is born with the poetic faculty or instinct, the "divine afflatus," no amount of education or culture, observation or experience, will avail to make him a poet; but, on the other hand, it is equally true that the poet is made as well as born, and that no matter how great his genius, his development as a poet depends very largely on his surrounding circumstances, his training and experience. In the case of every great poet—the poet whose works form an epoch in history—the thoughts, feelings and aspirations of the time are, as it were, concentrated in him. Homer, for example, expresses not his own thoughts merely but those that animated the Greeks of his age, and no subsequent Homer is possible, because there can be no reproduction of the age in which he lived and the circumstances from which he derived his inspiration. So with Shakspere. He is preeminently the representative of his own peculiar age, and there has not been since, nor can there be, any other Shakspere, because there never has been, and never can be, a reproduction of the conditions under which he lived, and of which he is the highest product.

AT THE TIME

of Shakspere's appearance on the scene, the sphere of human interest was widened, as it had never been widened before nor since, by the revelation of a new heaven and a new earth? It was the age of Galileo and Kepler (the revealers of the new heaven), of Drake, Hawkins and Frobisher (the revealers of the new earth); the age when the nations were awaking from the long sleep of the middle ages, and when the spirit of freedom and inquiry and enterprise was in the very air. As Matthew Arnold says: "In our greatest literary epoch English society at large was accessible to ideas, was permeated by them, was vivified by them, to a degree which has never been reached in England since; hence the unique greatness in English literature of Shakspere and his contemporaries; they were powerfully upheld by the intellectual life of the nation." It was the age of the Spanish Armada, of the Duke of Alva, of Mary Queen of Scots, of Sir Philip Sydney, of Sir Francis Bacon, of Sir Walter Raleigh, of the Cecils and Walsingham, the age of great events, of men of great minds and of large ideas.

It was peculiarly the age of the drama; the temper of the nation was dramatic; the drama occupied the place of the modern newspaper, the lecture and the public library. From the Queen down, the people demanded this form of amusement and instruction. Everywhere throughout England bodies of wandering players are to be found, in inn yards, in

BUILDINGS WITHOUT ROOFS,

in rough enclosures, at country fairs. Several examples are to be found in Shakspere: The players in "Hamlet;" the rustic artists in "Midsummer Night's Dream," the nine worthies in "Love's Labour Lost." As Green says, in reference to this period: "Few events in literature are so startling as this sudden rise of the Elizabethan drama. The first public theatre was erected in 1576, and before 1600 no less than eighteen theatres existed in London alone; and we will remember that the London of Shakspere's day was a town not larger than the Toronto of to-day. Fifty dramatic poets, many of them of a high order, appeared in as many years and we still possess over one hundred dramas written during this period, of which at least one half are excellent.

The year 1600 appears to mark a crisis in the poet's history; the outer world seems suddenly to have darkened round him. Southampton, his earliest benefactor, to whom he had dedicated his first poems, was imprisoned in the tower; his friend and patron Essex had been executed for treason; Lord Pembroke, his later patron, was banished from the court; other friends, in whom he had trusted, had deceived him. Disappointment and failure seemed everywhere and are reflected in the dramas of these periods, Julius Cæsar, Hamlet, Othello, Lear and Macbeth. In each of these an evil genius throws a withering spell over the characters represented. Hallam says: "There was a period in his life when his heart was ill at ease and ill content with the world and his own conscience." May there not be some allusion to this in the song in As You Like It, composed about that period:

"Blow, blow, thou winter wind,
Thou art not so unkind
As man's ingratitude."

THE MATERIALS

for this play, as for all his historical plays, dealing with England or Scotland, were derived from Holinshed's Chronicles, and he follows the narrative closely except that the details of the murder of Duncan are transferred from the account of the murder of King Duffe by MacDonwald. Lady Macbeth's sleep walking and the appearance of Banquo's ghost, are the only additions of moment. There may have been an older play in existence, which Shakspere made use of, as he very often did, in the production of his works. His play does not appear to have been published till 1623. Shakspere, indeed, left his dramas to look after themselves with a carelessness that is somewhat surprising. He does not seem to have realised their supreme value, and took no pains to secure their transmission to posterity. He seems, indeed, to have left the greatest of them, Macbeth, Cymbeline, Othello, The Tempest and others lying round in the green room of his theatre, with the common stock of old stage plays. They were not published for some years after his death, and are not mentioned in his will.

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THE MAYORALTY

PETERBOROUGH, 16th Dec., 1896.

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It will be impossible for me to make any general canvass of the town and I have suggested to Mr. Yelland, who I believe is to be a candidate, that neither of us solicit votes personally of the electors, but instead call a public meeting to discuss the various municipal matters in which the ratepayers are interested, and leave it to them to decide whom they prefer. He has declined to do this and, therefore, as the time is limited and my business cannot be wholly neglected, I must ask these electors, who have requested me to be a candidate and the many others who have personally urged me to the same course, that they do their share in assisting in my election,

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WHAT PREMIER CANOVAS STATES

Reforms Will be Granted to Cuba, But No Autonomy—Independent Cuba Would Mean Internal War and Fifty Years of Anarchy—Mr. Olney's Statements.

James Creelman, The New York Journal's special correspondent, now in Madrid, who, by the way, is a Canadian, thus describes his interview with the Spanish Premier, Canovas del Castillo :

Prime Minister Canovas del Castillo of Spain gave me a formal audience today at the request of the American Minister, and in the presence of his secretary, Viscount Irueste, made a solemn declaration of the policy of his Government toward Cuba.

It is a complete and emphatic answer to the threats of American intervention. The importance of this statement to the American people by the actual head of the Spanish Government can hardly be exaggerated.

Canovas is not only the Prime Minister, but is the supreme political and moral leader of his people. He is the lion of Spain. His voice is now the voice of the nation. It was he who seated the present Spanish dynasty on the throne, and his hand wrote the present constitution.

He looked like an old lion to-day, as he sat in his splendid office under Velasquez's immortal portraits of Philip V. and Louis XIV. as boys, his dark eyes flashing under his massive forehead and shaggy brows of white hair.

No one could have looked upon that strong, venerable face and have heard that hard, steel voice to-day without knowing that Spain is ready to meet her fate, whatever it may be.

I told Minister Canovas in plain language what the situation was in America, and assured him that the American people would never consent to the destruction of the Cuban cause or the unconditional victory of the Spanish arms. At the close of the audience I submitted Canovas' words to him in writing, and he approved them.

PREMIER CANOVAS IS NOT ALARMED

Spain Will Grant Reforms, but Not Autonomy, to Cuba.

Madrid, Dec. 19.—The formal answer of Prime Minister Canovas Del Castillo to the threats of American intervention in Cuba was given to the correspondent of an American paper as follows:

Although the official and complete text of President Cleveland's message to Congress has not reached me, the impression of the Government of Spain is that the general tone of the President's language is favorable and friendly to Spain. I desire to say in the strongest possible manner that Spain is ready to grant local self-government to the island of Cuba as soon as the Spanish arms have triumphed over the insurgents sufficiently to make it clear to the world that the monarchy is granting these reforms of its own free will and is not yielding either to domestic or foreign threats.

This Government is ready to grant even more liberal measures of home rule for Cuba than were contemplated in the scheme formulated by the Cortes, to which the word of the Queen regent and the honor of the Government are plighted, but Spain will not under any circumstances grant to Cuba autonomy after the fashion of Canada.

All essential prerogatives of sovereignty and powers of government in that colony will continue to be exercised here in Spain. This Government will not yield an inch to force or to threats of force. No concession of any kind will be made until the insurrection in Cuba has been brought under control, and until Spain can give what she refuses to allow any one to take, either by armed insurrection or by treasonable intrigues with other nations.

I cannot undertake to discuss the domestic policy of the United States, but I firmly believe that a majority of the Americans who are assisting this deplorable agitation are opposed to the independence of Cuba and are at heart in favor of annexation. The commercial relations between the island and the American mainland are of great importance, but Cuba as a Spanish colony is a much better and more acceptable neighbor than she could be were the impossible program of independence achieved.

Independent Cuba would be a republic dominated by negroes, not such negroes as are found in the United States, but African negroes, African in every sense. Independent Cuba would mean civil war between whites and blacks; it would mean 50 years of anarchy; it would mean destruction of the island and its commerce.

Such a republic would be a menace to the peace of the United States. It would be worse than Hayti. The United States have everything to lose and nothing to gain by the independence of Cuba.

Spain cannot undertake to be guided in her domestic affairs by any other Government, nor can she allow any foreign agitation to influence her in dealing with her rebellious colony. This Government seeks peace, but will not shrink from war in any matter touching her honor. If the United States forces war upon Spain we are ready to defend ourselves, but we are determined that Spain shall be the nation attacked and not herself the aggressor.

President Cleveland has officially tendered the good offices of his Government to procure peace upon the basis of Cuban autonomy. Spain has made the only reply that could be made to such an offer under existing circumstances. I repeat that a generous measure of local self-government will be established in Cuba when the military situation in that island is such that the Spanish Government can freely exercise its own discretion without giving any opportunity for the accusation that it acts upon compulsion.

We will not swerve in the slightest degree from that policy, no matter what may come. We believe that the campaign in Cuba is progressing favorably for our arms. The death of Maceo is a substantial victory, for it removes from the insurgent forces the most valiant and aggressive leader of that party which is most bitterly opposed to reconciliation with the mother country upon any terms. The negro insurgents, who are in the majority, have lost their one able man. It is true that Maximo Gomez still remains in command of the rebellion, but he is a white man and a foreigner, and cannot exercise the influence possessed by Maceo.

Spain is strong enough to carry on the campaigns in Cuba and the Philippine Islands until peace is restored, no matter how long the struggle may last. This nation is united; the Queen, the Government and the people have but one mind—they are determined to continue the wars until the insurrections are crushed. The recent war loan was doubly subscribed by our own people, and our soldiers go to the field with the greatest enthusiasm. Spain will defend herself at all hazards. She seeks no foreign war. The question of the comparative strength of nations does not enter into the matter at all.

I repeat that no greater calamity could befall the United States than the independence of Cuba. At the close of the last Cuban war American commerce with the island increased three-fold almost immediately. Spain is willing to see that the United States gains everything possible by legitimate commerce with Cuba. Should the American Government desire to renew the reciprocity treaty, which proved to be of such great advantage to both countries, Spain would consider the negotiations favorably, but every American must see that the honor of Spain compels her to restore order in her own territory.

All the newspapers here express the most intense feeling because of the unwarranted interference of the United States with the rights of Spain. They declare that no Government would dare to base a settlement of the Cuban question on granting autonomy to the island in view of the strong popular opposition to the granting of any reforms while the rebellion is in progress. They therefore contend that the Government will be compelled to maintain its position. They add that the Government is resolved to repress hostile agitation against the United States or its representatives in Spain.

The Imparcial accuses the Government of lack of foresight and declares that Spain is determined to make every sacrifice, however great, to maintain her sovereignty in the West Indies, but she will not tolerate acts calculated to bring her into disrepute.

The Liberted advises the Government to use expedition in recovering at Washington the time lost in Cuba, inasmuch as Spain's future is at stake.

Prime Minister Canovas del Castillo had a long conference to-day with the Duke of Tetuan, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Admiral Boranger, Minister of Marine. The subject of their deliberations has not been divulged officially, but it is rumored they concerned the reforms in Cuba and Puerto Rico. To grant such reforms at present would, probably, result in a reconstruction of the Cabinet.

SECY. OLNEY DECLARES HIMSELF

Congress is a Mere Consultative Body, the Executive Being Absolute.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Secretary Olney, being asked his opinion as to the nature and effect of the proposed resolution recognizing the independence of the republic of Cuba, said to a United Associated Presses reporter today: "I have no objection to stating my own view respecting the independence of the so-called republic of Cuba, which it is reported is to be laid before the Senate on Monday. Indeed, as there are likely to be serious misapprehensions regarding such resolution, both in this country and abroad, and as such apprehensions have injurious results of a grave character, it is perhaps my duty to point out that the resolution, if passed by the Senate, can probably be regarded only as an expression of opinion by the eminent gentlemen who vote for it in the Senate, and if passed by the House of Representatives can only be regarded as another expression of opinion by the eminent gentlemen who vote for it in the House. The power to recognize the so-called republic of Cuba as an independent State rests exclusively with the Executive. A resolution on the subject by the Senate or by the House, by both bodies or by one, whether concurrent or joint, is inoperative as legislation and is important only as advice of great weight voluntarily tendered to the Executive regarding the manner in which he shall exercise his constitutional functions. The operation and effect of the proposed resolution, therefore, even if passed by both Houses and Congress by a two-thirds vote, are perfectly plain. It may raise expectations in some quarters which can never be realized. It may inflame popular passions both in this country and elsewhere, may thus put in peril the lives and property of American citizens who are resident and traveling abroad, and will certainly obstruct and perhaps defeat the best efforts of this Government to afford such citizens due protection. But except in these ways and unless the advice embodied in the resolution shall lead the Executive to revise conclusions already reached and officially declined, the resolution will be without effect and will leave unaltered the attitude of this Government towards the two contending parties in Cuba."

Secretary Olney's statement was received in the House of Representatives without any manifestations of surprise. A few members thought the Secretary's announcement raised a grave constitutional question, and one of the number, Mr. Pearson of North Carolina, commented on "its tone of infallibility," which, in his judgment, was not justified by the first article of the constitution.

Mr. Livingstone of Georgia strongly dissented from the proposition and thought if he maintains it he may make himself liable to impeachment.

Generally speaking, however, the Secretary's position was regarded as clearing the atmosphere and throwing a fresh obstacle in the path of Congress to interpose in the struggle between Spain and her colony. A careful canvass of the House develops the fact that a good many members have no clear conception of the relative powers of the present Congress and were unwilling to discuss hastily that phase of the interview. The House is plainly not in a belligerent mood. What it would do if the Senate resolution came squarely before it can only be conjectured. It is reasonable to assume that it would pass it after a more or less vigorous debate, but it is equally clear that the House at present has little interest in the Cuban question, and that sentiment respecting the insurgents has radically changed since the last session. There is more than a reasonable doubt whether the Foreign Affairs Committee would report the resolution favorably. To-day, as yesterday, members of the committee were reticent in their speculation as to what they would do, but there is a strong probability that a majority would set their faces strongly against any action which might embarrass President Cleveland or prove a handicap to the incoming administration.

Mr. Turner of Georgia, who strongly opposed the resolutions of sympathy that passed last session, and who is one of the most influential Democrats in the House, commends Secretary Olney and maintains the belief that the country requires a rest from agitation.

Mr. Dingley of Maine, who is the recognized leader of the Republicans, expressed the belief that ordinarily interference by Congress in foreign affairs only produced mischief.

SHOT HIMSELF DEAD.

George Jones, an Owen Sound Butcher, Takes His Life With a Revolver.

Owen Sound, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—Yesterday afternoon Mr. George Jones, a butcher of this town, committed suicide at his room in the Grand Central Hotel by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. He had been drinking a good deal during the day and was last noticed about 4 o'clock going to his room, where, about 10 o'clock in the evening, he was discovered by some of the hotel attendants lying across the bed with a large bullet wound in his right temple. The revolver, a British bulldog of large calibre, was lying beside him. It is not known at what hour the rash deed was done, as the noise of the discharge of the weapon, strange to say, was not heard by anyone in the hotel, the sound no doubt being considerably deadened by the weapon having been placed close to his head when fired, which was quite apparently the fact, from the burnt appearance of the hair all around the wound.

Shortly after the discovery of the body Dr. Cameron was notified, and, after a preliminary examination into the circumstances, decided that an inquest would not be necessary. The deceased was about 35 years of age and was unmarried. He was well-known around here, having the reputation of being a respectable, quiet and inoffensive citizen, and altogether a very unlikely person to entertain designs against his own life. He was not by any means an habitual drinker, only indulging occasionally and at very long intervals. No other cause, however, than this can be suggested for the act.

THAWED CARTRIDGES.

The Result is a Wrecked House, Two Dying Men and Injured Lady.

Dunnville, Ont., Dec. 20.—Three brothers named Hiles were engaged in taking out stumps on the farm of Mr. Joseph Glaves of Wainfleet. Some one told them if they used nitro-glycerine it would make the work lighter, and straightway they procured some cartridges at St. Catharines. They said the stuff was frozen, and took six cartridges into Mr. Glaves' house, and put them on the cookstove to thaw. Mrs. Glaves was engaged in the kitchen, and the three brothers sat by the stove. One of them shortly afterwards remarked, "The grease is coming out," and proceeded to shove them off the stove, when the nitro-glycerine exploded. The house was completely wrecked. Mrs. Glaves was thrown through a doorway, and is badly cut by pieces of the flying stove. She will recover. Two of the Hiles brothers were fearfully mangled, and will die. The other escaped almost unhurt.

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WEST RIDING FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

Echoes of the Lakefield Meeting.

(From Our Own Correspondent.

The following is a more extended report of the proceedings of the several sittings:

Mr. A. Elliott, Galt, gave a short talk on the growing of turnips. They grow large quantities for the American markets, and get 18c. a bushel for them, but they must be of medium size to suit the trade.

Adjourned for dinner, to meet at 1.30 o'clock.

R. E. Birdsall was then called upon and read an excellent paper on "Mixed Farming," one that Mr. A. McNeil would certainly recommend to the Superintendent of Institutes.

George V. Payne read a paper on "What is Necessary on a Dairy Farm?" 1st, the man; 2nd, the farm; 3rd, good cows; 4th, silo and ensilage. Cows must have a good percentage of butter fat—not less than 3 5.

Mr. McNeil gave his address on "Some Insect Friends and Foes." The coddling moth is the worst enemy that the apple grower has to deal with but at the weak point of their existence they are easily killed—that is when the little worm emerges from the shell and feeds on the outside of the young apple. Remedy—3 oz. of Paris green to 40 gallons of water. Some of the best friends are lady bugs; the bugs feed on the larvæ of plant lice. The oriole is also a good friend and feeds on bark lice. The bumble bee is the farmer's best friend, particularly in growing clover seed.

Mr. Thos. A. Duff was then called upon. His address was on the housing, feeding and care of poultry. The hen house should be clean and roomy with plenty of air. The size should be as follows: 5 feet at the back, 10 feet at the front, 12 feet wide and 30 feet long, lined inside and out with tar paper, double windows along the front, the inside windows to be fixed so that they can be raised on sunny days in winter. The temperature should never go below 18 degrees. Ventilator to come down within one foot of the floor.

On feeding.—Feed chop in the morning composed of oats, barley, peas and bran and add a little linseed, ground. Damp the chop, don't make sloppy, but feed as dry as possible. At noon feed vegetables, at 2 o'clock give water, in the evening give all the grain, they can eat up clean. Buckwheat is good. Keep house clean once a day, never longer than once a week. If you want to have good eggs never allow hens to mate.

At the close of the evening session a vote of thanks was tendered to the deputation and to the ladies and gentlemen who had taken part in the entertainment and also to the chairman, who filled the position with honour and credit to himself.

The hall was crowded and everything passed off pleasantly, to the delight of all present.

Chairman's Address ..... W H Casement
Duet ..... Misses Galvin and Scringer
Song ..... Sam McKibbin
Address—"Social Side of Life" ..... A McNeil, [Windsor
Reading ..... Mr J C Bloomfield
Address—"The Value of Farmers' Institutes" [Thos A Duff, Orangeville
Instrumental..Messrs. Wilson and Miss Wilson
Address—"How I Learned Farming" ..... R O [Dancb
Duet ..... Misses Wilson
Address—"Give the Boys a Chance"..A Elliott
Club Swinging ..... Miss Kathleen Wilson
Selection ..... Lakefield Band
"God Save the Queen" ..... Band

The following is a condensed report of an address given by Mr. Elliott at the Victoria Institute meeting in Lindsay:

"ECONOMY."

Mr. Elliott gave an extremely interesting talk on the above subject. The growth of Farmers' Institutes had been altogether phenomenal, showing that farmers are growing anxious to become conversant with the best methods. Ontario has the best system of institutes in America with the exception of Ohio, but the average attendance at the meetings is larger in Ontario.

Mr. Elliott then turned to dairying, which should be the central industry about which other lines of farm work should cluster. Farmers in poor townships where cheese factories had been established, had in a few years forged ahead of others in richer localities. He believed in establishing creameries in connection with the factories—the extra outlay would not be great. It is a mistake to have cows giving milk for only six months of the year; his cows gave milk for ten months. Patrons of factories should beware of the cheap cheesemakers, and farmers should see to it that the utmost cleanliness is observed in the handling of the milk—he had known farmers to empty the can in which skim milk had been stored and place it on the stand to receive the morning's milk. A speaker had said that good butter could be made under unfavourable circumstances; it was no doubt true, but everything was against it—a cabbage, a couple of turnips, or potatoes stored in the room the milk was kept in would cause trouble. Farmers operating on a large scale should use the centrifugal separator. Improper salting should also be guarded against—butter made in warm weather is likely to become mottled if not mixed and salted properly. There is always a profitable market open to the good buttermaker, and there is ample room for all intelligence that can be brought to bear on the work. In conclusion Mr. Elliott advised farmers to allow the young people more liberty in their homes—let them gather their friends occasionally in the parlour, even if the carpet becomes soiled or worn as a result.

Mr. Elliott said he wrapped his butter in oiled paper stamped with his name—he did not want a dealer to palm off an inferior article as his. If a lot of butter turned out poor he would not stamp it at all. He used the Alexandria separator and Daisy churn and thought them the best. He invariably worked his butter twice—a pound of dry worked butter is equal to one and a quarter pounds of ordinary butter.

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HARVEY COUNCIL MEETING.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The Harvey council met at the clerk's office as provided by statute on Dec. 15th. The members were all present. Minutes read and confirmed. Communications and accounts received from W. Davey, clothing for Lakefield, $1.50; Patrick Walsh, watching and fighting fires, $4.00; Robinson Ventress, druggist, medicine for Lakefield, 50c; W. C. Moore, repairs on road scraper per Arscott, $1.50. On motion the statute labour for lot 28, con. 16, be removed from the collector's roll for 1896, as the work has been performed. On motion Mr. Dewdney was instructed to confer with Robert Irwin re sale of timber on road allowance, concession 18. On motion the former donation of $30 towards building a school house near Deer Bay was increased to $50 and an order drawn upon the treasurer for the same in favour of Rev. H. Hartley. On motion Mr. Shearer was appointed to examine and repair the landing stage on Crowley's Island. Orders were drawn in favour of trustees of school sections Nos. 1. $156.60; No. 2, $275; No. 3, $219.03; No. 6. $125, for the levy upon said sections for 1896. The trustees of sections 4. 5 and 8 made no applications yet. Mr. P. Walsh was paid $4.00 for fighting fire at crossways. Alex. Thompson was paid $5.00 for work and timber on road. Orders were also drawn to pay accounts amounting to $58.89. The clerk was instructed to notify E. Pearse, county treasurer, to remove certain taxes in arrears from his books, and not include them in tax sale, viz: lots 14, 15, 17 and 18, con. 1; also lots 2 in 2nd and C in 15th cons., the last named two are under water—no land; also remove arrears charged on lot 15 in 5th con. for the years 1894-5-6, but not for the year 1893 against 15 in the 5th con.; also arrears against lot 26, con. 14, all in township of Harvey. Dr. Fraser's account of $60 was paid, for attending diphtheria patients at James Montgomery's. Orders drawn for payment of salaries of officers for 1896, amounting to $208.40. The treasurer's financial statement was received and the clerk instructed to procure 100 printed copies of the same for distribution. On motion council adjourned sine die.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—There is no business reported, and prices are nominal. Straight rollers are quoted at $4, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—There is a limited trade, with no changes in prices noted. White and red are quoted outside at 80c to 81c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is unchanged at 98c, Toronto freight, and No. 2 hard at 91c.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet; car lots quoted at 28c to 29c outside.

Barley—The market is very dull. No. 2 is quoted at 27c north and west, and feed at 20c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 18c to 18½c west, and at 19c to 20c on the Midland. Mixed is 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady, with sales at 40½c outside.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales outside at 34½c to 35c.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 25c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 27c outside.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 19.—Spring wheat, 6s 9d to 6s 10d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1d to 7s 2d; corn., 2s 1½d; peas, 4s 5½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 23s 6d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 23s 0d; tallow, 18s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat quiet; futures firm at 6s 7d for Jan., 6s 7½d for Feb. and 6s 8d for March. Maize quiet at 2s 9½d for Dec., April and May and 2s 9¼d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour, 23s.

London—Close—Wheat on passage steady. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 21f 40c for Jan.; flour, 46f 10c for Jan.

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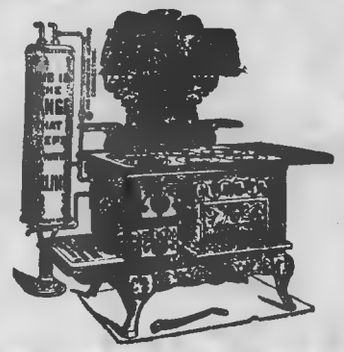


and all and every one of our splendid line of Buck's Stoves must be moved out by customers, who wish to take them away, at about their own prices. The store and the stores above are both full of them. Thirty days will hustle them all out if the people know a good thing when they see it.

MICKS & COX,

237 Hunter Street.

Mason & Risch Pianos

Probably the most striking fact in connection with MASON & RISCH PIANOS is their suitability to all conditions. That they satisfy the social and aesthetic sense is evidenced by the fact that our cultured homes, from Rideau Hall down, use them. The fact that

...Nearly Every College And Music School...

of importance in Canada is supplied with them, gives testimony to their musical excellence, and even in the homes of far off British Columbia, deep in the forest and far removed from the tuner's visit or care, they are still to be found standing hard usage like a rock, and cheering the distant home with their musical tone.

The Mason & Risch Piano Company Limited.

32 King St. West TORONTO.

MRS. APPLEBY'S

Charming Xmas Novelties.

If in doubt where to buy your Christmas Gifts, do your shopping at Mrs. Appleby's New Fancy Goods Store, 426 Water Street.

All the needed material for presents you want to work with your own hands. Children's White Coats and Bonnets to match, Fancy Wool and Silk Slippers, Tea Cosies, Art Linen and Silk Lawn Handkerchiefs, Table Centres, Crepe Paper, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Retiring From Business.

CLEARING SALE OF MILLINERY.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

CHILDREN'S BONNETS, FANCY HOODS, CAPS AND MUFFS.

which will be sold much below cost. A number of PATTERN HATS and BONNETS to be sold at half price. This is a rare chance for Ladies' to get the newest and most stylish goods at half the regular price. Come early and secure bargains as the goods must be sold.

MRS. CASSIDY

428 George Street.
Two Doors north of Examiner Office.

Xmas Cakes...

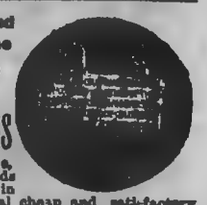
If you want a well-made Christmas Cake, leave your order at Long Bros.' Home-made Cakes iced and Ornamented to order.

Our Own Make of Candies are pure and unadulterated, and altogether different from the kind sold at grocery stores.

ENGLISH HOLLY just received—in excellent condition, thick with red berries, just the thing for Xmas decorations.

LONG BROS,
386 and 414 George St.

Carpentering and Cabinet Work done Floors & Carpets Laid.



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Verandah, Hall, Cabinet or other kinds of Turning done in P. BEGLEY'S usual cheap and satisfactory style. See our neat Verandah Brackets.

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GET..

KINGSCOTE

To do your Decorating for Christmas and New Years.

Decorate your Homes, Halls, Dining-rooms, Bedrooms, Club-rooms and Hotels.

I can furnish Flags, Bunting, Mottoes, etc., and do your Decorating in an artistic manner at a trifling cost.

ALF. KINGSCOTE,
Water Street opposite the Market.

—THE—

Central Canada LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY,

OF ONTARIO, TORONTO.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A quarterly dividend for the three (3) months ending 31st December, 1896, at the rate of SIX PER CENT. (6) PER ANNUM, has this day been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and that the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this city on and after

Saturday, the 2nd day of Jan. Next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 21st to the 31st December, 1896, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

E. R. WOOD,
SECRETARY.

Toronto, 16th December, 1896.

CUT THIS OFF

and read it carefully before buying your Christmas Gifts, and you will be sure to select something that is sensible and useful:

—New Christmas Neckwear 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c. Assortment and beauty never equalled in Peterborough.
—Elegant Silk Mufflers 30c, 40c, up to $1.00.
—Silk and Wool Scarfs 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25.
—Initial Silk Handkerchiefs.
—Reindeer Gloves, Angora lined.
—Kid Gloves, lined and unlined.
—Dressing Jackets.
—Silk Umbrellas, Silver Mantled tight rolling, with silk or leather covers.
—White Silk Handkerchiefs.
—White Dress Shirts.
—New Collars and Cuffs.
—White and Coloured Sweaters.
—Hockey Stockings.
—Fancy Velvet and Corduroy Vests
—Silk Embroidered Suspenders.
—Natural Wool and Fine Scotch Underwear.
—Men's Good Wearing Ulsters from $5 00 up.
—Men's Fine Suits from $3.75 up.
—Boys' Ulsters from $2 50 and up.
—Boys' Fine Suits all reduced in price

OUR BOY'S DEPARTMENT has won for itself the confidence of parents. Every garment will be found well made and every price the lowest.

TAILORING DEPARTMENT. Suits and Overcoats made to order during the Holidays, from 20 to 30 per cent. lower than regular prices.

The more you know about our Clothing, our Furnishings, and our Prices the better you will be satisfied. During these last days of the year, DOWN GOES THE PRICES. The substantial test of time has proved our reliability, and WHAT WE SAY WE MEAN. Our trade during the year has been satisfactory, and we can afford to give our customers a BENEFIT during the Merry Christmas Time "Compliments of the Season to All.".

H. LeBRUN & Co

MANUFACTURERS'

Accident and Guarantee Co.

THE ACCIDENT ROLL OF THE MANUFACTURERS

For the Month of July, August and September.

	CLAIMS PAID.	ORDINARY ACCIDENT.	EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY.	EMPLOYEES' COLLECTIVE.	TICKETS
July	- -	$5,950.36	$3,240.73	$179.55	- -
August	- -	503.64	1,033.01	181.90	$4.55
September	-	1,020.67	2,465.67	184.90	- -

GEO. GOODERHAM, President.
J. F. JUNKIN, General Manager
GEORGE J. HOSKINS, District Manager.

Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Christmas trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea:—

Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Chiffon Collars and Neckwear
Veilings and Nettings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c.
Cloth for a Mantle
Winter Jackets
Winter Underwear
New Corsets
Lace and Embroidery

No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

MISSES CAHILL

403 George Street.

CAPTAIN SINCLAIR

Is Going Over to Investigate in Forfarshire.

MAY ACCEPT THE NOMINATION.

Canada Invited to Send a Representative to the Swedish Exposition—Increase in Exports, Decrease of Imports—Fat Profits Made by Ocean Liners—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—Capt. Sinclair, secretary to the Governor-General, is disposed to accede to the request of the Liberals of Forfarshire to contest the riding for a seat in the British House of Commons in succession to Mr. White, who has resigned owing to differences of opinion with his constituents. Capt. Sinclair will leave for Scotland by the Etruria from New York next Saturday. Final decision as to his acceptance of the nomination will depend upon the result of his conference with the local Liberal Committee. For the present he will not resign his position as the Governor-General's secretary, and in any case he will return to Ottawa in February.

Should Capt. Sinclair contest the seat and be elected, involving his permanent departure from Ottawa, the severance of his connection with Canada will be greatly regretted here, as he has made himself very popular in connection with the management of vice-regal functions. Capt. Sinclair is not a novice in parliamentary matters. He sat for Dumbartonshire one term and among the younger men of the Liberal party in England is looked upon as a coming Cabinet Minister. In the next Liberal Government he will, without doubt, receive an under-secretaryship. Thence the step to the inner Cabinet circle, especially for a young man of ability, such as he is, is but a short one.

An invitation has been sent to the Government of Canada to be officially represented at the International Scandinavian Exhibition to be held at Stockholm from May to October next. The matter is under consideration as to whether or not the invitation will be accepted. As Canada receives a good share of Scandinavian immigration, it might not be inadvisable to send a good man, like Mr. Akerlindh, over to Stockholm for a few weeks.

The local Liberal organ throws out the idea that the Dominion observatory will be removed from Toronto to Ottawa. It is pointed out that when Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper was Minister of Marine and Fisheries he ordered the change to be made, but influence was brought to bear against him, so that he had to go back on his own arrangement. But it is said the present Minister is not hampered in the same way and may decide on the change.

The Free Press makes some significant remarks about the profits of steamship companies, based on the announcement that the Allan Line is about to place two new vessels on the St. Lawrence route. It says figures are shown to the Government which represent the savings of the year, but no mention is made of the sum laid aside as a sinking fund. The fact is that our Canadian liners, drawing heavy subsidies, are charging just three times as much for freight as vessels plying between the Old Country and Australia which receive no government assistance. This is clearly shown by figures which came to hand yesterday of freight rates from Sydney to London. The truth of the matter is that on the one million barrels of apples shipped to the Old Country market this fall from Canada, there were charges that netted the companies an enormous profit. Often the apples spoiled, but it was the shipper who was out by this occurrence, not the companies.

Duncan Chisholm, Junior Judge of Waterloo County, has been appointed Judge in place of Anthony Lacourse, deceased.

George Henry Dartnell, Junior Judge of Ontario County Court, has been appointed in the place of Judge Burnham, deceased.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company will apply next session for an act confirming an agreement with the Hull Electric Company, whereby the latter leased the Aylmer branch of the C. P. R. for thirty-five years at a yearly rental of $5000.

T. Long & Bro. are seeking Dominion incorporation to carry on business as general merchants at Collingwood, with $100,000 capital.

The Ontario and Kootenay Mining Company is a new company seking incorporation from the Dominion Government. The promoters are John Flett, Toronto; W. Bell, G. B. Ryan and others of Guelph.

The exports for November show a gratifying increase, the figures for the month being $15,567,804, an increase of $833,494 over the corresponding month last year. Imports, however, fell off $577,533.

Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Sifton arrived from Winnipeg yesterday afternoon. Mr. Sifton will tackle his departmental duties to-morrow.

The excise revenue for November amounted to $682,896, which, with the revenue from weights and measures, law stamps and other sources, makes a total of $689,015.

The Postoffice Savings Banks deposits for the month of November were $669,102, and withdrawals $590,286.

Hon. John Costigan left for the west to-night.

Hon. Mr. Davies returns to Ottawa on Tuesday.

Premier Laurier and Hon. Dr. Borden are now municipal electors of the city of Ottawa. Their names were placed on the voters' list for Central Ward yesterday at the sitting held by Judge Ross for final revision of the lists.

For the first time in many years the city of Ottawa comes out with a clean balance sheet at the end of the year.

THAT FATAL CROSSING.

Mr. and Mrs. Weese of Bath Badly Hurt, Their Horses Killed and Wagon Wrecked.

Kingston, Dec. 19.—This evening Samuel Weese and wife of Bath were driving home and while crossing the Grand Trunk Railway at the cut near Collin's Bay a west-bound train struck them, wrecking the wagon, killing the horses and so badly injuring Mr. and Mrs. Weese that their lives are despaired of. The crossing is one of three dangerous ones in this section, and time and again relief has been sought, but so far no improvements have been secured.

Singers, public speakers, actors, auctioneers, teachers, preachers, and all who are liable to over-tax and irritate the vocal organs, find, in Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, a safe, certain, and speedy relief. A timely dose of this preparation has prevented many a throat trouble.

BIG FIRE AT COLBORNE.

Walt Collapsed and Buried Five Men, But They Were Got Out Alive.

Colborne, Ont., Dec. 20.—About 4 o'clock this morning fire broke out in J. S. Yeomans' block, occupied by J. E. McDonald as a general store, and Yeomans as dwelling above. The fire spread to the Chase Bros.' Co. block adjoining to the west. This building was occupied by Chase Bros. Co. (Jas. McGlennon, manager), nurserymen, and the Express Printing Co. Total loss of buildings and contents. Cause of fire not kown, property all insured.

Yeomans' block was insured in the London and Lancashire for $650 and in the Western for $350; Yeomans' contents in London and Lancashire, $350; J. E. McDonald's stock was insured in the Sun Fire Insurance Co. for $1500; Commercial Union, $1000; Queen, $1000; Manchester, $2000.

Chase Bros.' building, insured in Phoenix of England, $1500; contents, $500, in Western; Express Printing Co., contents, insured in Phoenix of England, $1000.

W. J. Burleigh's dwelling adjoining was damaged some; insured in Wellington Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

About 10 o'clock this morning a number of men were at work taking out a safe from the ruins belonging to Chase Bros., when the east wall fell in, burying five men in the ruins, viz., Thomas Connors, Wm. McCrockin, Thos. Cronk, Harry Paisley and Geo. Fowler. All were taken out alive, but very badly hurt. Doctors were immediately called and dressed the wounds. The parties are doing nicely and will likely recover.

DR. BUCKE HEARD FROM.

The Superintendent of London Asylum Replies to the Statements of McCallum of Buffalo.

London, Ont., Dec. 19.—The story telegraphed from Buffalo, detailing Andrew McCallum's statement of his ill-treatment at the London Asylum for Insane, is looked upon here as simply the wanderings of a diseased mind. Dr. Bucke, the superintendent of the asylum, has most advanced ideas in regard to the treatment of patients. Twenty years ago he inaugurated a system of treatment, the very liberality of which caused a great deal of comment and doubt as to its practical results among the medical fraternity. He held firmly to his ideas, and to-day the methods adopted by Dr. Bucke are being introduced in the asylums for the insane throughout the world, and the London Asylum is looked upon as a model, and patients are put upon their honor and allowed entire liberty about the grounds. None are compelled to work. During the winter months entertainments are provided five nights in the week, which include two dances. One inflexible rule is that a keeper must never strike a patient. Violation of this regulation means instant dismissal to the offender. Dr. Bucke was an intimate friend of the poet, Walt Whitman, whom he greatly resembles in personal appearance. He is a recognized authority on brain diseases, and never loses an opportunity of demonstrating the value of liberal and kind treatment in dealing with the unfortunate insane.

McCallum Escaped.

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 19.—A despatch from London, Ont., states that Andrew McCallum, who made a report yesterday of cruel treatment at the hands of asylum attendants in the London Asylum, escaped from that institution early this month. The asylum authorities indignantly deny McCallum's statements respecting the torture of inmates.

You Can be Well

When your blood is pure, rich and nourishing for nerves and muscles. The blood is the vital fluid, and when it is poor, thin and impure you must either suffer from some distressing disease or you will easily fall a victim to sudden changes, exposures, or overwork. Keep your blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla and be well.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills; assist digestion, cure headache. 25c.

Constipation Cured.

Gents,—I was in very poor health for over four years; the doctor said it was constipation. Not wanting to spend too much cash I got three bottles of B.B.B. and took it regularly. I can certify that I am now in the very best of health and feel very grateful to B.B.B.

Alfred Theoux, Montreal, Que.

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The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

PALE GIRLS

Weak, languid and listless, suffering from heart palpitation, nervousness, stomach troubles or constipation, should use Indian Woman's Balm. It cures.

WEAK WOMEN

Run down, easily tired, pain in back or limbs, troubled with dizziness, rush of blood to the head, faint feeling, nausea, try Indian Woman's Balm. It's nature's remedy for women.

Sold in Peterborough by J. B. Tully

DRINK MADDENED HIM.

A Buffalo Carpenter Whose Purpose Was to Exterminate a Family—He Killed Himself.

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 20.—Hugo Wagner, a carpenter, 25 years old, went to the home of his sister, Mrs. Reinhold Wolfrom, at No. 51 Berlin-street, at 8 o'clock last night for the purpose if killing her, her two young children, his sister and brother, and himself. He shot his sister in the left arm, his brother-in-law in the left wrist, fired two shots at the children and killed himself. A note found in his pocket disclosed the fact that his intention was to exterminate the entire family. Drink was the primary reason for the tragedy, though a failure on the part of his sister to give him money, he declared, due to him, was the precipitating cause.

MUNYON'S REMEDIES

DOCTOR YOURSELF

Munyon's Improved Homœopathic Remedies act almost instantly, speedily curing the most obstinate cases. Munyon's Rheumatism Cure cures rheumatism in a few days. Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure cures all forms of stomach troubles. Munyon's Headache Cure stops headache in 5 minutes. Nervous diseases promptly cured. Kidney troubles, Piles, Neuralgia, Asthma and all Female Complaints quickly cured. Munyon's Vitalizer imparts new vigor to weak men. Price, $1.

Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, 11 and 13 Albert St., Toronto, answered with free Medical advice for any disease. 28

A Separate Cure for Each Disease AT ALL DRUGGISTS—25c. A BOTTLE.

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FARMERS ...AND... FARMERS' SONS!

We are compiling a long list of Farms for Sale, to Exchange or Rent which we intend to advertise extensively and to do so free of charge, unless we sell, exchange or rent, when our regular and reasonable commission will be charged.

Call on us for anything you want in Real Estate in town or country.

Our office in block next to Post Office will be open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

T. HURLEY & CO.

FAT MAN—"Hello, there skinny! Is your Holiday Order in for CALCUTT'S beefy Ale or Porter?"

SLIM MAN—"Yes, sir, I've thrown physic to the dogs, and started on Calcutt's prescription. Going to beef up for 1897, you bet."

MRS. G. VINETTE'S HAIR PREPARATION

Cures Baldness, Grey Hair, Irritation of Scalp, Eczema, Removes Dandruff, Restores Grey Hair to Natural Color. Stops Falling Out, &c. Guarantee in all cases. References if required.

Residence—513 Reid St., north of Wm. Hamilton Mf'g Co's Works, Peterborough.

Flowering and Decorative Plants

Chrysanthemums, very great display

Roses and Carnations choice and fresh.

Bouquets and Floral Designs made up in artistic styles at shortest notice.

A fine quality of Bird Seed 7 cents per pound, or 4 pounds for 25 cents.

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This is not the ordinary little corner Grocery where supplies are poor and meagre, and often unsatisfactory from an economical point of view—but a full-grown, thoroughly stocked Grocery with a grand selection of new, fresh, sweet and clean Groceries and Provisions fit for the best families in the land. Prices are, of course, lower than down town, because rent, taxes and other expenses are lower—see?

Farmers' produce taken in exchange for goods and highest prices allowed.

HUGH McINDOE,

Cor. Water and Smith Sts. Opp. Inverlea Park

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Livery and Boarding Stables, 285 Water Street.

Commercial, pleasure and family driving specially attended to.

Ladies' and Gentlemens' Saddle Horses always readiness.

Noted for the finest roadsters, the nicest rigs the best equipments.

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COUGH LOZENGES.

Will clear your Throat in a Minute

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For sale by all Druggists.

Down Go the Prices

To Stimulate the Holiday Trade.

ANOTHER CUT, ANOTHER SLASH, ANOTHER SACRIFICE!

"LET BYGONES, BE BYGONES."

OUR HALF PRICE OVER-REDUCTION SALE has been left behind and the prices goes down a notch lower. "Let Bygones be bygones." The very climax of successful buying has been attained by stupendous Money-Saving chances offered us, until now, with an establishment filled to overflowing with an assortment unequalled by any retail house in the Dominion—BARRING NONE—we emphatically predict for the next Thirty days the heaviest sale ever known in **Overcoats, Ulsters, Driving Coats, Winter Underwear, Gents' Furnishings, Gents' Fur and Felt Hats.**

PRICES WE CAN PROPHESY ON

OVERCOATS.

Men's Imported Ulsters, were $15	now	$9 00
Men's Overcoats, were $10	now	5 50
Men's Tweed Ulsters, were $10	now	5 00
Men's Beaver Overcoats, were $10.50	now	5 00
Men's Frieze Ulsters, were $8.50	now	3 90
Men's Worsted Overcoats, were $9.50	now	4 50
Men's Nap Overcoats, were $7.50	now	3 00
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, were $7	now	4 00
Boys' Cape Overcoats, were $5	now	2 75
Boys' Tweed Overcoats were $4.50	now	2 75
Boys' Tweed Capes, were $2.90	now	1 70

SUITS.

Men's Auburn Mills Worsted Suits, were $9.50	now	$5 90
Men's Auburn Mills All Wool Suits, were $8	now	5 00
Men's Yorkshire Tweed Suits, were $7.50	now	4 75
Men's Canadian Tweed Suits, were $6.50	now	3 90
Boy's Auburn Mills Suits, were $7	now	4 25
Boys' Blue Serge Suits, were $6	now	3 75
Boys' Scotch Tweed Suits, were $9	now	5 50
Boys' Canadian Tweed Suits, were $3.50	now	1 95

CAPS AND FURS.

25 Coon Fur Coats, were $30	now	$16 50
30 Black Goat Coats, were $17.50	now	12 90
25 doz Sealette Caps, Jockeys	now	0 65
40 doz. Dominion Sealette Caps	now	1 00
200 Imitation Caps	from 19c to	0 50
2 doz. Persian Lamb Caps were $5	now	2 90
50 Victoria Wedges, were $4.50	now	2 90

FURNISHINGS.

Men's Heavy Twill Cotton Night Robes	69c
Men's Silk and Satin Ties, four-in-hand and knots, were 25c. each	now 2 for 25c
Men's Fancy Ringwood Gloves, worth 40c	now for 25c
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched	for 15c
Men's Heavy Underwear, were 25c	now 19c
Men's Heavy All-Wool Underwear, were 50c	now 35c
Men's Heavy O. K. Wool Underwear	40 and 60c
50 doz Pongee Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched	35c
25 doz. White Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs	50c
Gough's World-Beater All-Wool Socks, Ribbed Top	10c
10 doz. Men's Al-Wool Cardigan Jackets, Worth $1.25	50c

BOOTS AND SHOES.

We have not quoted prices in Boots and Shoes, but we have everything to cover the feet of men, women and children, in Boots, Shoes, Slippers, Rubbers, etc. Our stock would be less than complete if we had not everything.

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200,000 ft. Dry Hemlock Lumber.

IN THE ROUGH AND DRESSED.

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Will Not be a Barrier

to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.00, now $ 75
Ladies' Underskirts.....were $1.25, now 1 00
Ladies' Underskirts.....were $1.75, now 1 25
Ladies' Underskirts.....were $2.00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts.....were $3.50, now 2 60

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves.....were $0.75, now $ 60
Lacing Gloves.....were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colours.....were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured.....were $1 25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves....were $1 25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves.....were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Sack Cashmere Hose.....were 20c, now 20c
Higher Grades at Cost.
Heavy Wool Hose.....were 20c, now 15c
Heavy Wool Hose.....were 25c, now 20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

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Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

Shooting Match.

On Christmas day a grand shooting match will be held on the rifle range, near Curtis' brick yard, for live turkeys. Good sport guaranteed. J. J. WHITEMAN. 2d

Black Tea

We have very choice tea for the holiday season. Our blended blacks at 40c. and 50c. cannot be duplicated anywhere. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street.

A Good Charity Gets the Benefit.

The Executive Committee of the Cox banquet met Saturday evening at the town clerk's office and settled accounts. A surplus of $25 remained, which was very thoughtfully donated to the Children's Aid Society.

George Street School Reception.

A public reception for those interested in the George street school, will be held on the premises (Mulhern property) to-morrow afternoon from two until four o'clock. A short programme has been prepared for the occasion and refreshments will be served. Children from the other schools will be admitted after four o'clock.

"It's a Daisy!"

Mr. Thos. Hooper has a "daisy" confectionery window dressed in honour of the yuletide season. The most attractive feature displayed is a large sugar playhouse, well planned and designed, and skilfully ornamented after the manner of the expert confectioner's art. There are numerous other other special features in the window which reflect credit on Mr. Hooper's handiwork with melted sugar.

Our Patronising Big Brother.

The Globe says: "'Bear haunch' was one of the dishes at the Cox banquet at Peterborough, which proves that while that thriving town is modern enough to be a growing centre of manufacture, it is still near enough to the backwoods to delight the heart of the sportsman." Our contemporary draws inferences very easily. Because California oranges are served at a Toronto banquet, "argal" the Golden Gate is at Toronto's back door. With a bear garden maintained in active condition in the city council, and with, according to the Hamilton papers, the whole city a pigsty, our big brother is in a very favourable condition to patronisingly twit Peterborough with bucolic proximity. If the Globe only knew the history of that "bear haunch" it could form some idea of the sportsman's paradise that, though sixty miles away, thanks to first-class railway and water communication, lies practically at Peterborough's back door.

Men's House Coats, Bath Robes, Smoking Jackets, Scotch Wool Travelling Rugs, Health Brand Underwear—all suggest appropriate gifts, containing the elements of Comfort and Permanence. Thoughtful ladies will find it has not been friendship's labour lost in spending time selecting them at—

Mercer's

HOCKEY MATCH.

The Imperial Bank Team, of Toronto, To-morrow Night.

The first hockey match of the season will take place to-morrow evening at the rink between the Peterboroughs and the crack Imperial Bank team from Toronto.

The local men have had little or no practice, but as the Imperials were anxious to come down for a game, a telegram has been sent authorising them to "come on," and a fast game may be expected.

The Imperials have the name of being an exceptionally good team, and it is to be hoped that there will be a large attendance at the rink to witness the first match of the season.

Secretary A. H. Beaton, of the O.H.A., thinks that clubs which have put sevenain the middle and lower divisions will hardly resort to the questionable tricks of withdrawing from the former, so as to strengthen their junior team, but in the event of it being done, he intimates it will not be well for the offending clubs.

Orillia has decided to enter the intermediate series of the O.H.A. A northern group, in which that place, Collingwood, and Barrie will be represented, will be formed. This will not necessitate an alteration of the schedule, as it was expected that they would take this step.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION

At S. S. No. 16, Otonabee on Friday Afternoon Last.

A public examination was held at S. S. No. 16, Otonabee, on Friday afternoon, the 18th inst. A large number of the people of the section gathered at the school house, and after viewing the work of the school, listened with pleasure to the following programme. Mr. D. Kennedy, secretary treasurer, occupied the chair.

Opening chorus, 'The Maple Leaf,'..The school
Chairman's address.....
Recitation, 'The New Mittens'.....Bertram Bennett
Song, 'Hurrah for Canada'.....Three girls
Recitation, 'Little Tiny Tot'..Theresa McMartin
Song, 'Baby bye'.....First classes
Recitation, 'Practice'.....Gertrude McMartin
Speech.....S Shaughnessy
Song, 'The Man behind the Plough'..Eight boys
Recitation, 'Little boys first Recitation'..Ernest Peters
Dialogue, 'The Little Doctor'.....Maud McLaurin and Roy Spears
Speech, 'Boys' Rights'.....Willie Huston
Chorus, 'Twilight is stealing'.....The school
Recitation, 'Harry's Arithmetic'...Tom Spears
Dialogue, 'Choice of Trades'.....Eleven boys
Song, 'Out in the Cold World'.....Four girls
Recitation, 'Farmer Nick's Scarecrow'.....Mary Crowley
Song, 'Clap, Clap, Clap'.....Five girls
Debate—Resolved, that more benefit can be derived from reading than from travelling. Affirmative—Ellen Crowley and Audrey Spears. Negative—Ella Guthrie and Nora Shaughnessy.

After the programme Minnie Kitney presented the teacher, Mr. J. H. Beer, with a handsome "gentleman's companion" and Willie Huston read the following address:

Mr. J. H. Beer:

DEAR TEACHER.—It is with feelings of deepest regret that we, your pupils, have learned of your intention to dissolve the pleasant relations that exist between us. During the past two years you have won the confidence of us all, and we indeed feel that in parting with you we are parting with a true friend and faithful teacher. As a small remembrance and token of esteem in which you are held by us, we take pleasure in offering you this small gift, which is very slight in comparison to what you have done for us. We are glad to know, however, that while you are leaving your charge here, you are not leaving the work in which you have proved yourself most capable and successful in—and that you are going on to prepare for a much larger field of labour in the future. We sincerely trust that the success which you have had here, may be the small beginning of a bright and useful life and as a school we join in wishing you every success, as well as a very merry Christmas and happy New Year.

Signed on behalf of the school,

WILLIE HUSTON, MINNIE KITNEY,
FRANK SISSON, ELLEN CROWLEY,
BERT LONG. AUDREY SPEARS.

Mr. Beer, who was completely taken unawares, acknowledged the kindness of the children in making him the handsome present. He expressed his sorrow that the regulations of the Education Department compelled him to sever his connection with them as their teacher and said that he would long remember the pleasant relations that he had with the scholars, parents and trustees during his two years' work in the school.

THE LATE HENRY COX.

Inquiries as to Where His Furniture Has Been Stored.

Mrs. T. M. Williamson, sister of the late Henry Cox, writes to the Chief of Police for information concerning her brother, and inquiring as to the whereabouts of his household furniture, which she believes is stored away in Peterborough.

The deceased, it will be remembered, dropped dead in Toronto last week. He was a resident of Peterborough for over thirty years, being a painter by trade. He moved to Toronto about three years ago, and in his occasional visits to his sister, gave her to understand that his furniture was stored away here. She is living at present at 281 Cannon street, Hamilton, and will be glad to receive any information in the matter.

MERRYMAKERS ENTERTAIN

The United Workmen's Concert Highly Successful—Unlimited Fun.

The Kingston News says: Martin's Opera House was crowded to the doors last night to hear the well-known comedians, Harry Rich and W. E. Ramsay, in their most amusing entertainment. The programme was a lengthy one, and consisted largely in singing of topical songs, which were amusingly acted by the two well-called merrymakers. Harry Rich in his representation of an Irishman and Dutchman, introduced many samples of wit common to those nations. He possesses a rich voice and pleasing stage address. W. E. Ramsay also is gifted with an excellent voice and suitably adapted for humorous songs. In their single and double persormances, they introduced scenes from city and domestic life and the peculiar characteristics of various nations. The programme concluded with a screaming farce comedy, in which Harry Rich, as a German, outwitted his Irish partner at every turn. Many jokes on local men were given with good effect. Mrs. W. E. Ramsay contributed piano solos and accompanied the singers.

These excellent entertainers will be in the Opera House on Christmas afternoon and evening under the auspices of Otonabee Lodge, I.O.O.F., when a different programme will be presented on both occasions. Prices: Afternoon, 25 cents, children 10c; evening, 25c and 35c. Plan at Ormond & Walsh's.

Time is Nearly Up.

This is the week of weeks! I're eminently and emphatically the holiday shoppers' week. The week when the most dilatory of buyers must close their negotiations with Santa Claus. The enthusiasm of the crowds at the Peterborough Bookstore is unbounded, and the people all like it. Nothing we have ever done begins to equal what we're doing now. A holiday halo illumines this store as if Christmas electricity had struck the place. Christmas chances broaden—competition ceases—and the happy crowds tell better than anything else the relation of this store to the community. The business is on closest touch with the people. Only a few days more on the calendar. How the time will fly! You have barely time to make out your list and select your presents. Shop early at the Peterborough Bookstore and the time spent will be spent in pleasure. Storm the store! Hundreds have been served already out of our princely stock, but heaps of good things are still left.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

WEDDING BELLS.

A Fashionable Wedding at Orono Last Week.

The Presbyterian church, Orono, was the scene of a very interesting event on Tuesday evening, Dec. 15th, when Mr. T. H. Benson, manager of the Lakefield branch of the well-known banking firm of James Linton & Co., was united in marriage to Ada, eldest daughter of Mr. James Linton, private banker, Orono.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. A. McKeen, B. A., of the Presbyterian church.

Precisely at 9 o'clock the organist struck up Mendelssohn's Wedding March and the bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her father and preceded by the bridesmaids and little maid of honour. Upon their arrival at the altar the choir sang beautifully the wedding hymn, "The Voice that Breathed o'er Eden."

The bride was charmingly attired in a dainty gown of white sicilian covered with chiffon, with trimmings of satin and pearls. She wore a tiara of orange blossoms and flowing veil, carrying a bouquet of white roses and smilax, the gift of the groom.

The bridesmaids were Miss M. Linton, sister of the bride, and Miss Elva Reed, cousin of the bride, while little Miss Mary McKeen was maid of honour.

The first bridesmaid was attired in white, relieved with green, and carrying a bouquet of cream roses and maiden-hair fern. Second bridesmaid in white, relieved with pink, and carrying a bouquet of cream roses and wearing picture hats. Maid of honour also in white, wearing a wreath of natural flowers in her hair and carrying a basket of flowers.

Mr. Benson was supported by Mr. F. D. Kerr, barrister, of Peterborough.

Hardly had the last words of the ceremony been pronounced when the Wedding March again pealed forth from the organ and the bridal party proceeded to the home of the bride's father, where the reception was held, after which the supper was served in royal style.

Mr. and Mrs. Benson left for Bowmanville depot, where they took the 10.20 express for Lakefield, where they will make their home.

The bride was the recipient of some very handsome presents. Among them a pretty cluster ring of emeralds and pearls, the gift of the groom.

The gifts of the groom to the bridesmaids were, together with their bouquets, a twin-pearl ring and gold bracelet, and to the maid of honour, a pretty pearl ring.

The happy couple start out in wedded life with the best wishes of their many friends.

RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

As the result of several changes which have taken place at the local C.P.R. station Peterborough is losing two of her most popular and esteemed young citizens, but as both are receiving promotions, the announcement is one which will be received with pleasure by their many friend. Mr. James Baker, who has been day operator here for nearly five years, left last night for Caledonia Springs, where he will be in full charge of a station on the new M. & O. division of the C. P. R. which will be extended to Ottawa. His place is being taken for the present by Mr. James Skinner, who has been the local night operator for the last three years. The latter appointment, however, is only temporary as Mr. Skinner has been promoted to the position of relieving agent, and will leave town shortly to assume the duties connected with his new office.

Mr. Harry Kelly, of the Havelock station, has taken Mr. Skinner's place at the night key and will take the day shift on the latter's removal, when the duties of night operator will be taken by Mr. Munn, of Norwood.

ORDINATION AT CAMPBELLFORD

Rev. Joseph O'Sullivan Ordained to the Priesthood.

Rev. Joseph O'Sullivan, of Campbellford, was ordained to the priesthood on Saturday last in that town.

His Lordship Bishop O'Connor conducted the ordination ceremony and celebrated mass.

Very Rev. Archdeacon Casey, who was also present, delivered an eloquent sermon appropriate to the solemn occasion, and Rev. Father Phelan, at present in charge at St. Joseph's church, in Douro, was also in attendance.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—A number sleighs an cutters were out to-day.

—A fine healthy three months old boy for adoption. Apply to Children's Aid Society.

—To-day, Dec. 21st, is the first day of the calendar winter, and the shortest day of the year.

—The Children's Aid Society acknowledges with thanks the gift of $5 to be added to its funds.

—There is good ice on the Little Lake, opposite the cemetery point. The hockey boys are using it.

I will not hang my stocking up—
I really can't, consarn 'em!
They wouldn't hold a present, and
It takes too long to darn 'em.

—The Peterborough Orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. Butcher, has been engaged to play at a large ball in Hastings on the 30th, under the auspices of the Catholic Order of Foresters.

The Christmas tree and sale in aid of the House of Providence, St. Joseph's Hospital, opens to-morrow in the rooms of the Catholic Association, over Cox & Davis'. The articles for sale comprise children's clothing, useful and fancy goods, toys and articles suitable for holiday presents. Meals will be served at all hours for 15c.

—An exceptionally fine array of vaudeville talent will be seen on Wednesday evening next at Bradburn's Opera House, when the New York Stars will appear for the first time this season, with new acts, new novelties, and new faces and features never before seen in one company. This is a very superior company, composed of only first-class artists, whose ability to entertain the public is known over the United States and Canada. Prices: 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c. 1d

Bear in Mind.

The auction sale is still going on every afternoon and evening at 432 George street, opposite Cox & Davis, where you can buy goods at your own price. Stock consists of a general assortment of fancy goods and Christmas goods, a general assortment of cutlery and quadruple plate silverware. Now is your only chance. Embrace it. Sale to-night at 7.30. Positively all goods guaranteed as represented. No reserve.—CHAS. STAPLETON, Auctioneer.

Silver Gifts.

Just opened out at the Peterborough Hardware Company, a very fine display of the most elegant designs in Silverware. Many of the patterns are entirely new, and have never been shown here before. The stock embraces tea sets, coffee sets, fruit dishes, nut bowls, fern dishes, waiters, carving sets, knives, forks, spoons, etc. Every piece is absolutely guaranteed. These elegant and strictly high-class goods should enlist the attention of heads of households and all lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome as well as serviceable and permanent presents. Special prices quoted during the holiday season.

GIFT-GETTING AND GIFT-GIVING DAYS.

GAMES
Parlour Curling, Crockinole, Parchesi, Halma, Go-Bang, Cards.

DOLLS
An army of Dolls to exterminate before Xmas. They must go and the prices will extinguish them.

TOY BOOKS
At Half Price.
All Kinds.
All Prices.

SLEIGHS
Children's, Boys, Babies.

Everything, everybody, now has the stamp and go of Christmas. From far and near come explorers to the Mecca for Gifts—

. . The . .
Peterborough Bookstore.

Now far and near come Christmassy things—Holiday inviters of new 1896 character, and so low priced as to win the eye of shoppers.

Full preparations have been made to fit your Gift-giving needs. Take this store by storm if you like. Our staff has buckled down to the "duty" of the hour. The store has donned its holiday attire and bids you all welcome.

Albums, Purses, Mirrors, Medallions, Jewel Cases, Baskets, Cuff Cases, Brush Sets, Pin Trays, Photo Frames Onyx Tables, Xmas Cards, The Poets, The Annuals.

Our Sale of Dolls
Has been universal. We have just the tail end left and to clear out every single doll before Xmas we have marked the prices away down so that we do not expect to have a single doll left on Thursday night Pretty China Dolls for 5c. Bisque Dolls for 9c. Bisque Dolls, large, for 15c. In Children's Blocks we have decided to do the same.

Architectural Blocks
For building houses, etc., worth 25c, for 15c.
Architectural Blocks, worth 50c, for 25c.
A B C Blocks, size of box 13 x 9 inches were 40c, now 25c.

A B C Blocks.
A B C Blocks, size of box, 22 x 9 inches, were 75c, reduced to 50c, sale price 40c.
Children's Blocks 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c. The best value ever offered to clear.

Childrens' Toy Books.
Children's Toy Books, fancy stiff bound cover 5c.
Children's Toy Books, every other page a picture, illuminated, stiff bound cover 10 cents.
Children's Toy Books, lots of pictures, stiff board cover 25c.
Children's Toy Books, every other page a coloured picture, over 250 pages, regular price $1, for 40c.

Games.
We want every game sold before Thursday Authors, Go-Bang, Yachting, etc., for 5 cents.
Six kinds of 10c Games. All popular and interesting.
A big assortment of 35c Games. 16 different kinds for 25c.
Strike the Game Counter early if you want to be served at all, as the prices sell every time.

Boys' Sleighs.
Boys' Sleighs, racing steel runners 49c.
Boys' Sleighs, large racing runners 70c.
Boys' Sleighs, very large racing runners 98c.
Girl's Sleighs, a good child's sleigh 45c.
Girl's Sleighs, a size larger 60c.
Girl's Sleighs, large and roomy 75c.

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Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for - - **$3.00**

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

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For Christmas Presents . . . .

Nothing better for man, woman or child. They always please. We can thoroughly recommend these:

Gold Hunting Watches for Ladies
Gold Watches for Gentlemen.
Silver Watches for your friend.
Silver Watches for Boys and Girls.
Nickel Watches for Boys and Girls.
Sterling Silver Articles
In great variety, from 25c up.

Important reductions in Sterling Silver Toilet Wares.

The lowest prices that have ever been quoted for Sterling Silver Novelties—a class of good entirely different from those carried by dry goods and fancy goods stores.

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The bargains we offer this week will be sufficient attraction to draw large crowds to the PEOPLE'S POPULAR CASH STORE.

We have given all our attention to Dry Goods and assure you that we have an assortment and values not found elsewhere. Everyone invited to call.

Presents for the Baby.
(Everyone buys something for the baby)
Infants Lawn Robes 75c, $1, $1.25, $2, $3, $3.50 special price.
Infant's Cashmere Robes $1.75, $2.75, $3.25, $4, $4.25, lovely goods.
Children's Dresses $1, $1.50, $2, $3, $4, $6.
Children's Pianfo 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, new goods.
Hemstitched Lawns for aprons 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c, sale prices.
Ladies' White Aprons 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Underwear, Golf Jerseys, Underskirts all at sale prices.

Children's Coats.
(Both comfortable and pretty)
Childrens' Elder Coat Fur Trimmings $1, $1.50, $2.50, $2.75, $4, $4.50 and $5.50.
Children's Hoods to match all the Coats at 25c and up.

Ladies' Ruffs.
Ladies' Fur Neck Ruffs $1.50, $1.75, $2.75, $4, $4.50 and $5. These goods are fully 25 per cent cheaper than you can buy them elsewhere.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, pink, sky and cream 75c.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, black, 25c, 49c and 50c.
Ladies' Ostrich Neck Ruffs, black $2 and $2 99.
Ladies' Capes $5, 7.50, $9, $10.50 in cloth, new styles.
Ladies' Plush Capes $12, $15, $18, special value.
Ladies' Fur-lined Cloaks, special sale price $9.50. Better goods $12, $15, $17, $20, latest styles.
Ladies' Dressing Jackets, (a very appropriate gift) $1.35 in all shades.
Jackets $3 goods for $2 50, better goods $10, $12, $15.

Handkerchiefs.
(A very suitable gift)
100 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, 10c quality, sale price 6c, or 6 for 25c.
20 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 15c quality, sale price 8c.
White Embroidered Handkerchiefs 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Hemstitch Silk Handkerchiefs 10c, 15c, 25c.
Fancy Gaiters, Needle Cases, Purses, Collarettes, Silk Shawls, Umbrellas.

Men's Christmas Presents.
(Ladies' attention to this)
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs 15c, 20c and 25c special sale prices.
Men's Hemstitched Lawn Handkerchief, sale price 15c.
Men's Hemstitch Linen Handkerchiefs 25c, 30c and 40c.
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs 25c and 50c.
Men's White Hemstitched plain silk Handkerchiefs 25c, 35c, 40c 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c.
Fancy Brocaded Silk Handkerchiefs 45c, 50c 60c 75 cents.
Men's Cashmere Mufflers 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Men's Silk Mufflers $1.25, $1.50, very special.
Men's Neck Ties, 4-in-hand 25c, 35c, 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Neck Ties, made up 25c, 35c, and 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Braces 25c, 35c, 50c special.
Men's Unlined Kid Gloves, special quality to go at $1.
Full stock of Underwear, Top Shirts, Night Shirts, Collars and Cuffs.

Millinery.
(Always interesting at Christmas time)
Children's Fur Caps $1, worth $1.50.
Hats $1.50, $1.75, $2, $3, reduced to sale price.
Wool Fams 25c and 50c special.

Dress Goods and Silks.
25 Dress Costumes, all we have left at 25 per cent. reduction.
Tweed Dress Goods 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
Silks for Dresses, special $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $1 95.

Linen Table Cloths and Napkins.
Linen Cloths $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $2, $4, $5.
Linen Napkins 75c, $1, $1.25, $1 50, $2, $2.
Linen Tabling in all qualities.
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The greatest assortment of New Gloves you can find all at special prices.
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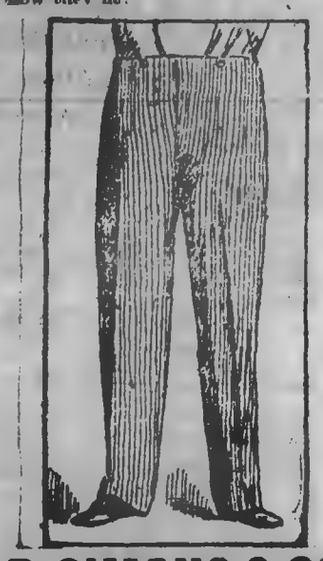

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

The curling rink is open for the season and on Saturday evening the first match of the year was played, resulting as follows:—

A Blade,	J Jeffries,
J A Cameron,	G H Giroux,
G M Reger,	H R H Keener,
W A Waddell,	W Fessenden,
E B Edwards, sk. ...12	D Belleghem, sk.....12

The Lindsay curling club has made all arrangements for its big bonspiel, and sends out the following circular:

LINDSAY, Dec. 7th, 1896.

DEAR SIR,—The Lindsay curling club enters on its twenty-first season this year, and it has decided to invite all the curling clubs of America to come to Lindsay to assist in celebrating the event by holding a bonspiel on a large scale during the week commencing January 18th next. We believe that during our past existence our curlers have so conducted themselves on the ice and off it, as to win the esteem and good wishes of all with whom they have come in contact—nay more, we believe that our club, through its successes at the Montreal bonspiels and at the Winnipeg bonspiels, and as the winners of the Governor-General's cups for three seasons has caused our club to be widely and favourably known throughout curling America.

We trust that many of the clubs of Canada and the United States will come to our bonspiel. The invitation is given freely and heartily—the more that comes the better; all will be welcome, and we know that all who come will be completely satisfied with the arrangements made by the committee who have this matter in charge. We fully expect a very large number; directly we have heard that clubs of Western Ontario, in Winnipeg and across the borders in the State of New York, are planning to come to Lindsay to take part in the bonspiel.

We extend to your club a hearty invitation. Send us at least two rinks, so that your club may be represented in the club competitions, and as many more rinks as possible for the single rink competition.

We confidently expect that this will be the largest bonspiel ever held in Ontario, and we would be particularly pleased to see your club represented.

J. C. HARSTONE,
Hon. Sec. Lindsay Curling Club.

There will be three competitions, viz:

1. A double rink competition.
2. A single rink competition.
3. A consolation competition.

1. In the double rink competition each club can enter only two rinks. There will be two prizes given in this competition: First prize, eight pairs of red hone curling stones; second prize, two pairs of red hone curling stones. This competition will commence on Tuesday morning, Jan. 19th, at 10 o'clock. Entries must be in the secretary's hands not later than Monday noon, Jan. 18th. The drawing will be made Monday evening at 9 o'clock, in the parlour of the Benson House. The drawing for the whole of this competition will be made that evening, the ice assigned, and the time of play stated, so that each rink may know from the commencement how the competition is arranged.

2. In the single rink competition each club can enter as many rinks as it chooses. Prize in this competition is four pairs of red hone curling stones. Entries will be received by the secretary up to noon of the first day of the bonspiel. The drawing will be made at five o'clock that afternoon, and the competition will commence the same evening. This competition is completely independent of the first one, so that the rinks competing need not necessarily be composed of the same men as in the double rink competition. Of course rinks that compete for the double rink competition are free to enter this competition or not, just as they choose.

3. Consolation competition. Prize, four pairs red hone curling stones. This competition is open to all the single rinks which have been defeated in the single rink competition. The rinks that compete in this competition must be composed of exactly the same men as competed in the single rink competition.

GENERAL RULES.

Rinks entered must go through the competition as entered, no substitutes being allowed.

All players must be in good standing in their respective clubs.

In all competitions sixteen ends shall be played.

Where no specific rule is given to apply to the competitions, then the general rules as published in the C. A. Annual will apply.

The committee have secured from the Grand Trunk Railway very liberal terms as to rates. Tickets will be issued from any point on the Grand Trunk on the certificate plan, good going from January 15th to 21st, and returning to January 31st, inclusive. Curlers and their friends who come with them to see the bonspiel should buy a single first-class fare to Lindsay, and get from agent a certificate. This certificate will be signed by the secretary in Lindsay, and it will entitle him to receive from the Grand Trunk agent a return ticket at one-third of one fare. Arrangements will be made with the local agent to have a clerk in the club buildings at stated times to issue tickets.

The C P.R. Co. offers similar rates to the above.

Clubs are requested to notify the secretary on what train they expect to arrive in Lindsay, so that they may be met at the station by the reception committee. Badges will be worn by members of the club generally, and visiting curlers are requested to make themselves known to them at once.

Clubs are also requested to have their stones labelled with the name of ther skip and the name of the town. On arrival in Lindsay the Reception Committee will take charge of all stones. These will be carted to the proper rink for them. Brooms will be provided, and stones carted from rink to rink free of all expense to the visitors,

As soon as the drawing is made it will be printed, so that all players may know at a glance when and where they are to play.

There will be no entrance fee in connection with any of the competitions.

Clubs are requested to send the names of their skips when making entries.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

They and Their Friends Spend an Enjoyable Evening.

A pleasant and profitable evening was spent last Thursday with the Good Templars in the A. O. F. hall, George street. At the invitation of City Lodge, I.O.G.T., members of the different temperance organizations of town were gathered there to spend a social evening together. The W.C.T.U., R.T. of T., and Auburn Lodge, I.O.G.T., of town, were represented, as well as Westwood Lodge, I.O.G.T., and the Ministerial Association.

A good programme was rendered and plans of organization for the plebiscite campaign discussed. The following is the programme presented:

Hymn, "All Hail the Power"
Prayer.....Rev J J Rae
Address of welcome....Miss Cairns, C. T. of City Lodge
Reply .....Mr W Long, C T of Auburn Lodge
Christmas address.....Mr H Sabin
Instrumental.....Miss E Straine
Speech.....Rev J J Rae
Recitation, "The Prisoner's Defence.....Miss Mars
Speech.....Mrs Paton, President W C T U
Instrumental.....Misses Freeburn, T Sabin and Galley
Speech.....Rev Mr Potter
Solo.....Miss L Pascoe
Speech.....Mr Martin, R T of T
Speech.....Mr Powell, P C T, Auburn Lodge

Mr. Powell introduced a resolution which was seconded by Mrs. Paton, that we organize for the campaign, and for that purpose call a convention of temperance men to meet as soon in the year as possible.

A committee representing the different societies of the town, was appointed to arrange for the convention. The committee is as follows: Messrs. John Simpson, Jos. Downing, Dr. Fife, D. M. Spence, W. Fletcher, P. G. Might, Mrs Paton and Mrs. Bacon.

Organization and work will commence immediately.

Children Free.

Adams & Son's Co., 11 and 13 Jarvis street, Toronto, Ont., are sending out some very handsome paper dolls with moveable heads and bodies. They send a set of sixteen for nine cents in stamps, or a sample one for the children free.

Grafton & Co's. for all Xmas Presents.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5 50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

For a Man Friend.

As a dear old grandmother used to shrewdly remark: "Men, my dears, are just as human as anybody else." You see men (real men) don't like expensive gifts. They are embarassed, but they do love to be remembered. These are always put to good use—

—Gloves, morocco, lined wool and fur, also Dent's or Perrin's Kids.
—Box of White Dress Ties,
—Fine English Hosiery,
—Satin Embroidered Suspenders,
—Silver Mounted Umbrella.

Mercer's

CORNWALL ENDORSES LAURIER.

The bitterly contested political fight in Cornwall resulted on Saturday in the return of Mr. Snetsinger, the Liberal candidate, by the large majority of 567—a remarkable change from the result of the general election in June, when Dr. Bergin, the Conservative candidate, was elected by the large majority of 332 votes. The result of Saturday's polling cannot but be accepted as a most pronounced endorsation of the general policy of the Laurier Government, as well as particular approval of his settlement of the Manitoba School question. Cornwall is an excellent riding in which to make a test in this matter. Of course the popular confidence in the Government has a good deal to do with the result, but it is to be remembered that in this constituency nearly 50 per cent. of the voting element are Roman Catholics, who, if anybody, were to be supposed, according to the Conservative party, to be antagonistic to the settlement. If they were not utterly hostile to the solution of the vexed question supplied by Mr. Laurier, it was not the fault of the newspapers and stumpers. The most frantic and inflammatory appeals were made to the passions and prejudices of the electors of Cornwall and Stormont by prominent as well as obscure Conservatives. Hon. Mr. Foster and Sir A. P. Caron used all their eloquence to convince the electors that the present government was the bitter foe and oppressor of the religious minority of Manitoba. But the day is past when intelligent voters can be manipulated. The secret of Mr. Laurier's triumphant vindication by the electors of Cornwall and Stormont, is that he has dealt with the school question as a statesman and not as a partizan politician, and the official henchman of a party. On the other hand the Conservatives have made the religious question a tool to promote their own ends. In the last general provincial election in this riding, Mr. Leitch, the present defeated candidate, was then a candidate. Then he glorified the Manitoba School Act abolishing Separate Schools, and called upon the electors to "burst the shackles which Archbishop Cleary has rivetted upon you!" At this election Mr. Leitch, the Conservative Candidate, promised to follow his political leader and vote for Separate Schools, and not only vote for them but fight for them to the death. But the people would have none of a party of trimmers. They preferred the consistent statesmanship of Mr. Laurier and expressed their confidence in a most emphatic manner. Mr. Laurier and his government have shown in reference to the election in Cornwall that "honesty is the best policy"—in politics as in private life. He promised, if given the chance, to affect a speedy settlement of the Manitoba school question. He kept his promise and justified the confidence which the country reposed in him; and Stormont and Cornwall has ratified that expression of confidence in no doubtful terms. As Mr. Laurier's position is on the Manitoba school question, so it is on his general policy. He promised us honest government and he is giving it to the country. The people have as firm a trust in Mr. Laurier's government in their general policy as the people of Cornwall have shown they have in them in relation to the school question.

PERSONAL.

Mr. James Kendry, M. P., is in Toronto on business.

Mr. Will Davidson is expected home McGill University this evening.

Mr. Victor McWilliams, of Toronto University, is home for the holidays.

Mrs. J. J. Turner left on Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Price, Toronto. Mr. John Turner accompanied her

Mr. M. O'Brien, of the Collegiate Institute staff, who is taking a course at Queen's University, is in town for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. Hubert F. Brennan, of Ashburnham, who has been in Malone, N.Y., is home visiting his mother, who has been very ill. He will remain until after the holidays.

The Hamilton Times remarks:—"Peterborough is proud of Senator Cox, and showed its appreciation of the honour conferred upon him by the Laurier Government by entertaining him at a complimentary banquet. Hamilton has an interest in Senator Cox as a director of the Canada Life Assurance Company and President of the Bank of Commerce, hence it was fitting that Hon. J. M. Gibson should be on hand to represent Hamilton at the banquet. Mr. B. E. Walker, formerly of Hamilton, was also one of the speakers."

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cures.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel on Saturday, Dec. 26th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. dw

The Choicest Growths

Of Currants, Raisins, Figs, Prunes and Peels have been supplied to our trade this fall, which please and delight the customer. All fruits have been cleaned before sending out. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George Street. 2d

NIGHT SCHOOL

How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to improve their Education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book-keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the student.

Many have fitted themselves for better positions by attending our Night School. You can do the same.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings. 7 to 9 p.m.

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Opposite Post Office. *Business College.*

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—The Children's Aid Society acknowledges the receipt of a cheque for twenty-five dollars from the Hon. Geo. A. Cox banquet committee. The gift is as timely as munificent, and is a pleasant way to conclude the festivities of so pleasant an occasion. It is not the first time that kindly charity has followed in Hon. Mr. Cox's wake. With many thanks on the Society's behalf.

Yours, etc.,
THE SECRETARY OF THE C. A. S.
Peterborough, Dec. 21st.

Remember the Xmas Tree and Sale in aid of the St Joseph's Hospital, Tuesday and Wednesday, 22nd and 23rd.

Lots of 5 and 10 cent games at SAILSBURY'S.

Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue the business in his own name in future.

W. G. FOWLER

Begs to announce to all his old customers and the public generally that he has bought out the business formerly carried on by W. G. FOWLER & Co., and has put in a full and complete stock of

New Groceries, Sugars, Fruits,

And other staple lines. As I intend to carry on a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS in future, I will sell all goods at the CLOSEST CASH PRICES. You can now get the Cheapest Christmas Groceries in town at

W. G. FOWLER'S,
159 Hunter Street.

No Excuse

For wearing shabby and misfitting Garments when you can secure A 1 goods and perfect fit at the following prices at 423 GEORGE STREET:

Trousers.....$3, $4, $5
Suits.....$12, $14, $16
Double Breasted Ulsters $12, $13, $15.
Handsome Ties and Braces for the Xmas trade.

ROBERT WEIR

Issuer of Marriage Licenses.
Arrangement made to meet the wishes of those desiring same. 423 George St., North of Foot & McWhinnie.

Favourites

FOR XMAS STOCKINGS.

Besides our extensive stock of valuable Watches Fancy Clocks, Elaborate Silver and rare designs in precious metals, we list a few of the Favourite Gifts that will find their way into hundreds of stockings at the "chimney" Xmas morning:—

—Diamond Rings in solitaire or in combination with other precious stones.
—Exquisite Pearl, Opal, Turquoise and Enamel Rings.
—Gold Rings, set in Diamonds, Sapphires and Rubies.
—Solid Gold Bracelets,
—Gold Chain Bracelets,
—Gold Brooch Sets,
—Gold Necklets and Pendants,
—Gold Lockets,
—Gold Chains and Fobs,
—Gold and Silver Blouse Sets,
—Gold Shirt Studs and Collar Buttons,
—Gold Scarf Pins and Sleeve Links,
—Gold Spectacles,
—Boys' and Misses' Watches,
—Silver Manicure Sets,
—Silver Jewel Cases,
—Silver Card Cases and Purses,
—Cut Glass Perfume Bottles, etc.

We're scrupulously careful that nobody can pick a flaw in anything they buy of us.

Jewelry manufactured on the premises by a skilled craftsman in the art. Brooches need pins. Rings need stones and valuable old jewellery can be made up into any new design. Proficient workmen to repair even the smallest article.

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HOLIDAY LEADERS

4 lbs. Choice Raisins.....for 25c
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Schoppe No. 1 Cocoanut.....per lb 25c
Choice Fresh Mixed Peel.....per lb 25c
3 lbs. Mothers Mince Meat.....per lb 25c

Figs, Dates, Oranges, Lemons, Table Raisins and Delicious Confectionery. Just watch for our candy advertisement, an Eye Opener.

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A. C. CHAMBERS Manager. Table Supply House

Chase and Sanborn's Coffee

The *quality* of the *Coffee* we sell under our *trade mark* is our best advertisement.

This Seal is our trade mark, and guarantees perfection of quality, strength and flavor.

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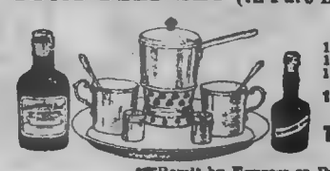
FLUID BEEF SET (In Pure Aluminum) Get one while they last.



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1 Tray, 1 Spirit Lamp, 2 Cups, 2 Spoons.
1 Water Boiler, 2 salt and Pepper Castors,
1 Bottle Methylated spirits,
1 16 oz. Bottle JOHNSTON'S FLUID BEEF. (Brand Staminal.)

The whole neatly cased for $3.50.

Expressed prepaid on receipt of price.

Remit by Express or Post Office Order payable to

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The Leading Tobacconis of Peterborough.

We are offering the following Special Bargains this week:-

4 FOUR GENUINE 10c CIGARS - - for 25c

In the Following Popular Brands:
Roseberry, William Pitt, Dunraven, El Cello, Irving, Dias Garcias.
Other popular Cigars reduced in same proportion.

PIPES All 50c Pipes Reduced to 25c
All 75c Pipes Reduced to 50c
All $1 00 Pipes Reduced to 75c

Cigar Cases, Pouches and other Smokers Sundries similaly reduced. Now's the time to treat your fellah's.

"ON A STRING."—Violin Strings and Strings for all stringed instruments, kept on hand. Also Mouth Organs at prices to blow yourself on. Swagger Sticks and Walking Canes, Silver and Gold Mounted, to suit all tastes.

Whole-sale and Retail Tobacconists, 382 George St., Sign of the Indian Queen. **TALBOT BROTHERS**

EXAMINERS WANTED.

Meetings of the general public will be held this week and next to inspect the stock of meats at Kennedy & Nelson's store, 340 George street. It is the high grade stock we carry and the moderate prices we charge that draw the crowd. We are determined to sell only the best, and to this end we have our stock shipped from the west where nothing but the highest grade of cattle is raised.

We have had our store made more inviting than usual, by decorating the windows with holly and deer heads. Inside the store you will find the most delicious meats,

Our Beef is of the best; our Pork cannot be found fault with; our Canned Goods must go, although being sacrificed; our Mince Meat sells where sold before; our Lard has been found satisfactory; the Butter we handle is No. 1.

We have great advantages in the fowl line, by having bought ahead all the fowl required, which goes into the hundreds.

SPECIAL TO THE LADIES.

We have bought a National Cash Register which sits on a marble counter in a convenient part of the store. On the top of it is a most handsome mirror. It is a most beautifully designed machine. Every sale is registered, and every purchaser gets a receipt for her purchase, and if she keeps them until the required amount is obtained, which will be found on every receipt, will be redeemed at our stores, 340 George street, or 387 Water street.

We are very desirous of having you, one and all, call and see for yourselves what we really do keep.

We take this opportunity of thanking you for your patronage in the past and hope for its continuance.

KENNEDY & NELSON

Meat Merchants. 340 George St., 387 Water St.

All are Invited!

BALL & CO.

Can suit everybody. They keep the latest style of goods to make up to your order, and will give you the new fashionable cut with perfect fit, as only a practical tailor can.

TAKE NOTICE.—No garment can ever fit if it has to be altered and dragged to pieces, after being out to your measure.

Good Goods, no misfits or trying on requir

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PRACTICAL TAILORS,
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Decorations of any and every kind done in the most artistic manner by practical men and at the most reliable prices. Flags and Mottoes to rent. Carpet Covers or Dancing Linen to Rent. Folding Tables to Rent. A few Carnival Suits to Rent, at

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The Tent, Awning and Flag Makers, George St., Peterborough. Telephone 130 or 215.

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Real Estate, Insurance and Employment Office.

Good value in houses, lots and farms to sell, rent or exchange. Insurance in good companies and at low rates.

A Splendid Brick House, Furnace, Bath Double Lot, Stable, Nice Situation. $2600.

Good 2-story Brick House, nine Rooms, Good Garden, Spruce and Maple Trees, $1,350.

Telephone 32. Rents Collected.

OFFICE HOURS—8.30 a. m. to 8 p.m
Under Market Hall, 328 George Street

CONGER'S FAIR

Closing-Out Sale

Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enameledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc
Store Can Be Secured.

Conger's Fair

Good Christmas Groceries.

Do you want good things for your Christmas Table?

We have the best. We have selected fine lines for this season, with an experience of many years behind us as to what is desired.

Superb Fruits, Jellies, Sauces, Candies, etc. Staple lines of the best grades.

We fill orders promptly.

THE T. W. ROBINSON CO.

Cor. of George and Simcoe Streets.
TELEPHONE 333.

The chair made vacant by death is always a sad reminder. It is especially sad when it is mother's chair. All over this broad land there are vacant chairs that would still be occupied by healthy, happy, radiant mothers if women would but realize the importance of keeping well in a womanly way. Women cannot too soon understand that it is little less than a crime to neglect the health of the organs to which are intrusted the perpetuation of a healthy, robust race of human beings. By neglect of these organs a woman ruins her own health, destroys the happiness of her home, and fails in the performance of the most sublime duty that she owes to the world.

The best medicine for women who are weak where Nature demands the most strength is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts directly upon the organs that make motherhood possible. It cures all weakness and disease that exists there and stops all distressing, debilitating drains. It prepares a woman for motherhood and insures a healthy baby. It makes the coming of baby easy and almost painless. Druggists who offer something "just as good" are either ignorant or dishonest and in either case are not to be trusted.

"I had been a great sufferer for years with female weakness," writes Mrs. John Downie, of No. 243 Lexington Avenue, Eddystone, Delaware Co., Pa. "Could not walk three squares without terrible suffering. I also had a pain in my left side for seven years—until I used Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Pleasant Pellets.' My pain has left me altogether. Have had no symptoms of it at all for two years. Can walk two or three miles at a time and it does not hurt me. I cannot recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines highly enough. My daughter also has used your medicines with great benefit. She was operated upon for appendicitis and had fainting spells from it. She took the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' 'Favorite Prescription,' 'Extract of Smart-Weed,' and the 'Pleasant Pellets' and has not had any fainting spells for one year. When she commenced to take it she weighed 95 pounds now she weighs 140 pounds."

Constipation! It is the fountain-head of many diseases. It causes impure blood and all manner of disorders are the result. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Promptly. Surely. Permanently. They never gripe. Druggists sell them.

POISONED HIMSELF.

A Hamilton Man Named Baylis in a Fit of Despondency Swallowed a Dose of Strychnine.

Hamilton, Dec. 18.—(Special.)—Alfred Baylis, about 55 years of age, and the keeper for the past ten years of a small grocery store at the corner of Bay and Cannon-streets, committed suicide shortly before 6 o'clock this evening, despondency being stated as the cause of the rash act. Baylis swallowed a quantity of strychnine in the store while his wife was preparing the evening meal in the residence portion of the building. His sufferings attracted the attention of Mrs. Baylis, who hastily summoned Dr. Gillrie, and every effort was made to save the desperate man's life. Drs. Lackner, Coleman and Metherell were also quickly on the scene, but their efforts were futile, and Baylis passed away a few minutes before half past 6 o'clock. Coroner MacKelcan has issued a warrant for an inquest, to be held at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning. The deceased leaves a widow, one son and two daughters to struggle with the vicissitudes of a cruel world.

A MESSAGE TO MEN.

Proving that True Honesty and True Philantrophy Still Exist.

If any man, who is weak, nervous and debilitated, or who is suffering from any of the various troubles resulting from youthful folly, excesses or overwork, will take heart and write to me, I will send him confidentially and free of charge, the plan pursued by which I was completely restored to perfect health and manhood, after years of suffering from Nervous Debility, Loss of Vigor and Organic Weakness.

I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble. Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. Geo. G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich.

NEWS FROM QUEBEC.

L. O. David's Book Under the Ban of the Church—Business Firms in Trouble.

Quebec, Dec. 17.—Bishop Blais of Rimouski has sent a circular letter to all the priests in his diocese commanding them to forbid their flocks, under pain of being refused the Sacraments, to read the book recently written by Mr. L. O. David, entitled "The Canadian Clergy."

The correspondent of the United Press had an interview with Mr. L. O. David on the subject. The gentleman said the decision of Monseigneur Blais surprised him. He did not see what the Bishop based his actions upon. However, Mr. David has appealed from Mgr. Blais' decision. His appeal is now on its way to the Pope.

The failure of the lumber mills of Gignac & Fils, of this city, and also Felix Gourdeau, tanners and curriers, is reported. It is thought that both these firms will come to some understanding with their creditors.

INJURY AND NEGLECT.

He Failed in Health and Strength—His Kidneys Ached and he Took Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Deseronto, Dec. 14 (Special)—Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. James Stokes, who for the past fifteen years has been shipper for the Rathbun Company.

Lately he had run down in health and strength to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now as the result of using Dodd's Kidney Pills is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes he said:—

"From over-lifting and strain I suffered greatly from kidney trouble, being advised, after all else had failed, to use Dodd's Kidney Pills; from the first dose I got relief, and hundreds of people here can vouch for my cure."

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentry, Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. Never travel without it. Price 35c.

To remove worms of all kinds from children or adults Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe and sure remedy.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

HOW MACEO DIED.

Dr Zertucha, Who Was Charged With Betraying Him, Tells All About It.

Havana, Dec. 19.—Dr. Zertucha, through whose treachery it is claimed Maceo met his death, is in Havana. In an interview to-day he explained his relations with the rebel leader. He said that a great friendship existed between them, and that Maceo had great confidence in him. Only three of Maceo's staff were allowed to dine with him—Dr. Zertucha, Miro and Francisco Gomez, son of the insurgent commander-in-chief. Dr. Zertucha denied the stories that Maceo had received in the Province of Pinar del Rio a commissioner sent by Captain-General Weyler asking him to treat for peace. He also denied that he had any connection with the chief of police La Barrera. His friendship with Col. Tort was old. He denied the charges made against him by the Serranos, adding that he never saw Serrano's camp and that he knew him formerly as a friend of the bandit Garria.

Dr. Zertucha declared that Maceo frequently expressed his admiration of the Spanish soldiers, and praised Generals Bernal, Arcias and Echegue and Colonels Echevarria, Rotger and Francis. He repeated the story already cabled about Maceo crossing around the end of the trocha by sea in front of Mariel, and said the officers who accompanied him were Brigadiers Perico, Diaz and Jose Miro, Colonels Alberto Nodarez and Gordon, the last-named being an American; Majors Alfredo Justis, Piedra Penalyer and Ramona Humada, Captain Sanvanella, Lieut. Francisco Gomez and himself as surgeon, besides three negro orderlies.

Maceo was on horseback, with his machete unsheathed, when he was struck by a bullet by a Mauser rifle. As he fell Dr. Zertucha rushed to his assistance, but he dropped to the ground dead. Another bullet struck him in the stomach before he reached the ground. All the members of the staff who were around Maceo at the time were more or less seriously wounded. Col. Nodarez and Major Justis died later from the effects of their wounds. Lieut. Gomez was also wounded in the arm. His wound was attended to and his arm was placed in a sling. He tried to assist Dr. Zertucha to carry Maceo's body, but was again struck by a bullet and knocked down. He then wrote the note that was afterwards found on his body, and committed suicide by stabbing himself with his own knife, not Maceo's, as some reports have stated.

Dr. Zertucha declared that after the rebels had carried Maceo's body off the field a statement was drawn up, which was signed by all the leaders who had taken part in the engagement, explaining the manner in which he had met his death.

Dr. Zertucha intends to go to Spain and take up his residence in the town of Viscaya.

PALMA REPLIES.

Says Cubans Have Absolute Confidence and Will Eventually be Free.

New York, Dec. 19.—Delagate T. Estrada Palma of the Cuban Junta has read the interview published in The New York Journal this morning with Prime Minister Canovas del Castillo of Spain, and sent in these despatches. This is what Palma says regarding it:

"There will be no compromise. We have absolute confidence in the progress of the war. Freedom for Cuba is already definitely outlined in the minds of the men who are battling for the overthrow of tyranny. They have an established government and 40,000 well-armed men, who recognize and uphold that government. The statement from the Spanish Prime Minister that the revolutionists are negroes is ridiculous in the extreme. He knows absolutely that the prisons in Cuba and in the penal colony are full of Cubans of the highest class of society on the island.

JUST LIKE OTHER MEN.

A Socialist Who Failed to "Divvy Up" When He Made His Will.

New York, Dec. 20.—A special despatch from London says: William Morris has been brutally reproached, since the publication of the text of his will, with inconsistency in preaching Socialism during his lifetime, and then bequeathing his property, like any other rich man, to his wife and daughter, instead of dividing it up among his fellow-men. The poet longed for the social millenium, but he knew that it had not come, and made his will in accordance with the conditions of the times. He had over $205,000 in cash assets, in addition to large interests in a profitable business.

COWARDLY FIEND.

Sneaked Up and Cut the Throat of a Sleeping Man With Whom He Had Quarrelled.

Philadelphia, Dec. 20.—William Wallen, aged 25, and John King, aged 21, both garbage gatherers, quarrelled about a woman in the kitchen of the house where Wallen boarded, 2524 Deshong-street, last night. The quarrel was patched up, and King fell asleep in a chair. Wallen then deliberately cut the throat of the sleeping man with a razor, killing him almost instantly. The murderer was arrested.

Hermann's Funeral.

New York, Dec. 20.—The funeral of Alex. Hermann, the magician, was held at the Masonic Temple this afternoon. The large hall was crowded with friends of the deceased.

A CASE OF DIABETES.

No Help from Medical Men—Suffered for Many Years—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

North Bruce, Dec. 21 (Special).—An old and well known settler in this township, named Thomas Brooks, who lives on lots 7 and 8 in the 14th concession, is rejoicing with his neighbours over his recent recovery, and he said:—

"I was cured by using twenty-four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and, as nothing else ever helped me, I say they saved my life.

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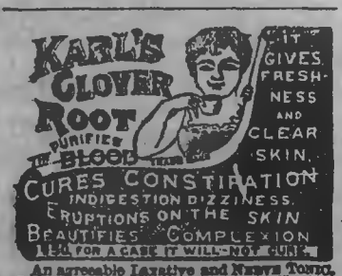

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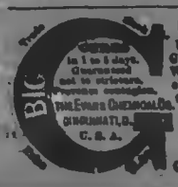

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BEHIND CLOSED DOORS.

The Joint Traffic Association Met in New York Their Own Report of What Was Done.

New York, Dec. 18.—A meeting of the Board of Control of the Joint Traffic Association was held at the offices of the association in this city to-day. The session was held behind closed doors, and at its conclusion the following information was given out by the secretary:

"The memorandum of the conditions under which the Canadian Pacific Railway Company joined the association was approved.

"Report was made of the negotiations with other companies and on motion the committees to consider the membership of such other companies were continued, favorable reports having been received of their desire to cooperate with the association.

"The commissioners submitted a report of the proceedings of the managers for the past year, indicating the consideration and disposition of a large number of subjects.

"During the period no subject has been appealed from their judgment to arbitration. Consideration was given to various topics of general interest, with the result that they were referred back to the managers for their recommendations and conclusions.

"No other business coming before the meeting it was adjourned, subject to the authorized form of call."

Outside of this vague and formal statement the magnates refused to discuss railroad topics. No mention was made of what disposition was made of the boycott against the Clover Leaf Road. They also refused to say which other roads desired becoming members of the association.

G. M. Hayes, who is one of the receivers of the Vermont Central Railroad, said that he was not here on any mission connected with that road. The reorganization meeting will not be called for at least three weeks.

DAVIS IS ALIVE

And Has No the Slightest Idea How He Escaped Drath His Horse Was Killed.

Kingston, Dec. 18.—What came near being a fatal accident occurred at Everett's crossing at the G.T.R., near Collins' Bay, about 6 o'clock last evening. The victim, Oliver Davis, Portsmouth, has not the faintest idea of how he escaped death. Between 5 and 6 o'clock last evening Mr. Davis, a milk vendor, residing in the village of Portsmouth, drove out to Collins' Bay for a supply of milk. This was secured and the return journey began. Upon approaching Everett's crossing he pulled up to allow a freight train to go by. After it had passed he drove on to the crossing.

It appears several of the cars at the rear end of the train had broken loose, and as there is a down grade at the spot, these cars were following up the main portion of the train. Just as Mr. Davis had driven onto the track these cars swooped down on him, killing his horse instantly and smashing the cart to kindling wood. Mr. Davis was thrown out and to one side, receiving slight injuries. How he escaped death will forever remain a mystery. He did not hear the approach of the second section of the train on account of the noise made by the portion that had passed. Neither were there any lights to signal the approach of the runaway portion.

The impurities in the blood which cause scrofulous eruptions are thoroughly eradicated by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Try it.

THEY HAVE AGREED.

Hon. Mr. Fisher and the U. S. Secretary of Agriculture Have Arranged the Matter of Quarantine.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The conference between the Secretary of Agriculture and Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture for the Dominion of Canada, has resulted in an agreement looking to the simplification of the live stock quarantine inspection regulations on both sides of the border. On his return to Canada early in January, Mr. Fisher will present the agreement for consideration in council, and it will then be formally promulgated and go into effect. Until thus officially communicated to the Canadian Cabinet, the details of the agreement will not be made public. The agreement covers the sixty days' quarantine established by this country and Canada against the admission of cattle from one country to the other. Pleuro-pneumonia had been raging on this side when the restrictions were adopted, but as there has been no recurrence of the disease for four years, it is deemed unnecessary to continue the present stringent regulations, and the agreement in question, while not entirely abrogating them, simplifies the business of cattle shipment between Canada and the United States.

AFTER THE NURSES NOW.

Deporter DeBarry is Going to Drive Out Canadian Women Who Wait Upon the Sick.

Buffalo, Dec. 18.—Immigration Inspector DeBarry received from Washington last night notice of a new ruling by the Secretary of the Treasury on the Alien Labor Law. This ruling is on the question that was raised in this city two years ago as to whether the Canadian trained nurses who come to this country to work in hospitals do so in violation of the law.

The Secretary of the Treasury has ruled that these nurses can be deported. As soon as Mr. DeBarry received the notice of this new ruling he started out to get lists of the Canadian nurses in the hospitals. Mr. DeBarry said last night that all of these nurses would be deported.

Inspector Estell of Ogdensburg is now at Dannville, where he went to deport five Canadian nurses who are employed in a sanitarium there.

The Gale Was Fearful.

Chatham, Mass., Dec. 18.—The gale of Wednesday was the most disastrous in the recollections of 20 years. Nearly all of a fleet of 150 fishing boats were either driven on shore or sunk at their moorings. Trees and fences were leveled and Chatham Beach was given a terrible washing, which greatly handicapped the life-saving patrol. Wires are down in all directions and trains are a day behind time.

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FIGHTING ITALIAN LEGISLATORS.

Members Throttled Each Other and There Were Some Knock-Downs.

Rome, Dec. 18.—A disgraceful row occurred in the Chamber of Deputies to-day, upon the occasion of the discussion of the allowance to be voted for the use of the Prince of Naples, Crown Prince of Italy. In the course of the debate, Signor Costa, Socialist, denounced the proposal to grant an allowance to the Crown. Continuing his speech, he declared that the monarchy was not only a useless but a dangerous institution, whereupon the President of the Chamber interrupted him and forbade him to speak further. A frightful uproar ensued. Deputies jumping over benches, flying at one another's throats, while others exchanged knock-down blows. The tumult lasted some time, and when order was restored it was found that several Deputies had been very severely handled.

When the Chamber became comparatively quiet, the Marquis di Rudini, Prime Minister, attempted to reply to Signor Costa, but his voice was drowned by the shouts and jeers of the Socialists. Finally a bill granting an annual allowance of 1,000,000 francs was carried amid great confusion.

JUST SUITS LANKY BOB.

Fitzsimmons is Satisfied With the Agreement Signed by Corbett.

San Francisco, Dec. 18.—In a statement to the public Robert Fitzsimmons thanks his friends for the aid they have extended him in his fight in court to secure the $10,000 purse which he says he honestly won in his fistic battle with Sharkey. He declares that his opponents, finding that the justice of the case was with him, had it dismissed on the ground that the contest was a prize fight, and had no standing before the court. This move, he says, fully reflected the utter hopelessness of the defence. He asserts he still has faith in the belief that there are honest referees in San Francisco, and says he is willing to meet anyone whom he has not defeated. He also says he will meet Sharkey again at the latter's pleasure. Fitzsimmons closes by saying he has always been and always would be opposed to foul methods.

In reference to the articles of agreement signed yesterday by James J. Corbett, Bob Fitzsimmons says:

"I am glad Corbett has signed for a finish fight. I held out for a fight of that kind, and I am pretty well satisfied from the look of things that I did not hold out in vain. I don't believe I would consent to meet Corbett in any other kind of a match.

"I am well satisfied with George Siler as referee and with Al Smith as holder of the stakes, and as to the date, March 17 suits me as well as any other day. In fact, whatever arrangements Stuart imposes as to date and location will be agreeable to me. I hear that Corbett insists that there shall be a $10,000 side bet. Well, he need not worry about that. He can make it $25,000 a side if he likes, and I will find my end of the stake. We were to fight for $10,000 a side originally, and it was simply at Corbett's request that the figures were reduced to $5000 a side."

Manager Julian has wired Dan Stuart that Fitzsimmons and he will leave for New York within a few days, and will there sign the articles of agreement.

SHARKEY GOT THE SWAG.

San Francisco, Dec. 18.—As soon as the Anglo-Californian Bank opened this morning Tom Sharkey presented the certified cheque for $10,000 handed him by Referee Wyatt Earp on the night of the fight with Fitzsimmons. The cashier told the sailor that attachments aggregating $1500 had been filed against the certificate. "All right, then, give me the balance," remarked Sharkey in a way which indicated that he was anxious to get the $8500 out of reach of the collectors. The money was turned over to him. Sharkey has not definitely determined as to his future movements.

STEEL MEN ALARMED.

Competition Has Been So Keen That Profits Have Been Wiped Out All Round.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 18.—The demoralization in the steel markets after the adjournment of the pool meeting in Pittsburg last week has created alarm among the heaviest producers, and has caused them to ask that a meeting of those connected with the association be called for next week in New York. The competition for business has been so keen that it is claimed profits have been wiped out for everybody. The officials of the Carnegie Steel Company would neither affirm nor deny that the price of standard steel rails had been cut $3 a ton, but, as the price was fixed by the makers' association, it will probably be strictly adhered to.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years, he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich, red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice, it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

Church of the Nativity.

That Bethlehem is the city of Christ's nativity there is no doubt, but that the grotto in the rock is the spot where he was born there are many who question. They contend that the gospel gives no authority for this, saying that the manger belonged to an inn or khan; that it was because the rooms above were filled with guests that the holy family were compelled to take up their temporary abode in the court used to stable the mules and the horses. But until the doubters can prove that some other spot has superior claims to this the world will go on revering the little grotto beneath the Church of the Nativity.—New York Herald.

THE WOMEN TOO.

Back Talk Not Man's Monopoly.

Mrs. Jemima Cole, Havelock, told the following wonderful story:—"For a great many years I have suffered from disease of the kidneys. The pains in my back and side were sometimes excruciating.

"My limbs were so swollen that I could scarcely lift my feet from the floor, and I was in great agony nearly all the time. I thought that I would surely die from the pain.

"I have taken dozens of advertised remedies, ant got no better during their use. I was also treated by several doctors, but am sorry to say they did me little or no good. In fact they stated that they could do me no good, which made me despair of ever getting better.

"When I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised I sent to W. H. Jaff & Co's. drugstore and got a box thinking I would try them as a last resort.

"The change from the start was very great and now after one month I am free from all pain. The swelling has gone down and I feel quite strong and healthy.

"I was also troubled with rheumatism and neuralgia which have completely disappeared, thanks to the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. In fact I do not think there is a medicine in the world that in such a short time could have taken me from the almost dying condition in which I was to the healthy and vigorous state that I am in now.

"I recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for their wonderful virtues in curing kidney troubles."

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It is a fact not universally known that almost any dry pigment, mixed with spirits of turpentine, will stain wood. It should be applied until the desired shade is obtained. Strong ammonia applied to wood will give it an aged appearance. The best finish for carved work is beeswax or linseed oil.

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ST. LUKE'S CHURCH NOTES.

The decoration chapter of the Guild at its annual meeting elected Miss Bush, President, and Miss Hettie Burnham, vice-president. The members are busily engaged in decorating the church for Christmas.

It is expected that three memorials will be placed in St. Luke's church on Christmas day. The new oak choir stalls, being a part of the memorial to Hon. Robert Hamilton, the memorial tablet to the late Rev. W. C. Bradshaw, and a brass font ewer by a member of the congregation, in memory of two children.

The services on Christmas Day are:—At 8 a. m., Holy Communion (choral); 11 a.m. Morning Prayer, sermon by the rector, and Holy Communion. Special music is under preparation for this service, to which the public are cordially invited. In wishing his congregation a very happy Christmas, Mr. Symonds drew their attention to the angelic song that ushered in the birth of Christ and which was in reality the keynote to the whole Gospel, "Glory to God in the Highest, and on Earth Peace." Harmony and Peace are the best things in the world, but the realisation of peace depends upon the sincere ascription of glory to God. He warmly exhorted all to remember the poor, the lonely and the sorrowful at this season. All could do something to make others happier and gifts of kindness and manifestations of sympathy would be productive of blessedness to ourselves.

CHURCH CHIMES.

Rev. W. L. Armitage, the latest addition to the clergy staff of the parish of St. John's, took the service at St. John's yesterday morning and evening. In the evening he preached his first sermon, and an excellent sermon it was, plain, logical, forcible, earnest, distinctly religious, and well delivered. It was spoken of in terms of high commendation by the large congregation that heard it.

Catholic Prayer Books—a big line—cheap at SAILSBURY'S.

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The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

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LIBERALS WON ALL

Cornwall and Stormont in the Right Line

AFTER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF ERROR

Mr. Snetsinger's Majority Over 500—Hon Mr. Mulock Sends a Warm Greeting—Saskatchewan Elects the Right Man and Mr. Greenway's Candidate Carries Brandon.

Cornwall, Dec. 20.—To-day's bye-election is at an end, and has resulted in a substantial victory for the Liberal candidate, Mr. Snetsinger. The fight from the day of the issuing of the writ has been a very bitter one. No pains or hard work has been spared by either party to make their candidate a winner. Both organizations were complete, and almost every vote available was secured and cast. From the outset the Liberals were confident of a victory, but took no chances. They toiled day and night in their efforts to convert the County of Stormont, which has been true to the Conservative platform for 18 years, and now to-night they have the satisfaction of knowing that their efforts have been successful. The net result of the polling to-day is that a Conservative majority of 425 for Mr. Bergin in June is turned into one of 467 for Mr. Snetsinger, which will be increased 75 or 100 when the two remaining subdivisions are heard from.

The majorities are:

Cornwall town: Snetsinger's majority 22; Cornwall township, 202; Osnabruck township, 61; Roxboro township, 75; Finch township, 107; total, 467 majority for Snetsinger. Lodi and Bonneville, still to hear from, will increase the majority to over 500.

MR. MULOCK IS EXULTANT.

Hon. Wm. Mulock, Postmaster-General, Saturday night sent the following congratulatory message from Toronto to Mr. D. B. McLennan, Cornwall, in reply to one from that gentlemn announcing the result of the Cornwall-Stormont election:

"Toronto, Dec. 19.

"To D. B. McLennan, Cornwall, Ont.:

"Stormont and Cornwall by their emphatic voice to-day have pronounced against Hon. Mr. Foster and that wing of the Conservative party led by him, which, for the sake of attaining office, would, if necessary, destroy our country by arraigning the people against each other in a racial and religious war. The verdict will serve as a warning to all politicians who would divide our people on such lines for the attainment of selfish personal aims. All Canada owes a debt of gratitude to your noble riding for its patriotic work for stamping out the race of wretched pigmy politicians who think that the country's interest should be a football between contending parties and fail to recognise that party politics must on all occasions defer to the best interests of Canada. As a member of a Government which recognizes our supreme right to administer the country's affair in the interests of the whole people and by all efforts to place our institutions on an enduring basis, I gratefully recognise the great part which your riding has to-day played in nation-building under the inspiration of the great empire to which we are so proud to belong. Wm. Mulock."

SASKATCHEWAN AND BRANDON.

Straight Government Candidate Won in the Former and Greenwayite in the Latter.

Winnipeg, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—Twenty-nine polls in Saskatchewan gave Mr. Davis a majority of 139. Thirteen polls are to be heard from, and will likely increase his majority. However, they may not be heard from for a week. Mr. Davis' opponent was Mr. McPhail, both being Liberals.

The bye-election in North Brandon on Saturday to fill the vacancy in the Manitoba Legislature caused by Mr. Sifton's retirement resulted in the election of the Greenway Government candidate, Mr. Fraser, over the Patron, Mr. Postlethwaite, by 150 majority.

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What more suitable for an Xmas present than one of China Hall's lovely $10.00 dinner sets?

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We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5 75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 236 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

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Something Nice and Giveable as a Present. What About Furs? "Too Expensive," Did You Say? Not if you see the SPECIALS which

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Are Offering. Let us Suggest:—

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Grey Lamb Caps $1.50 to $3.00.
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Grey Lamb Storm Collars $3.00 to $5.00.
Grey Lamb Muffs $2.50 to $4.50.
Grey Lamb Tams $3.00 to $4.00.
Grey Lamb Ruffs $3.00 to $4.00.
Opposum Collars $2.50 to $4.00.
Opposum Gauntlets $3.00 to $4.00
White Lamb Scarfs 25c to 75c.
White Lamb Hoods $1.00 to $1.50
White Rabbit Jackets $5.00 to $6.00.
Grey Imitation Caps 25c to 75c.

Something for the Little Boys.

Nutria Capes $1.50 to $3 00.
Beaver Opposum Capes $2.00 to $3.00
Black Persian Lamb Capes, (Special) $2.00 to $3.00.
Collars, $3.00 to $5.00.
Gauntlets $3.00 to $5.00.
Grey Lamb Coats $18.00 to $25.00.
Grey and Black Imitation Caps 25c to $1.00.

Think of your boy and remember that he's the coming man. He'll appreciate your Gift.

Something for the Mothers and Big Sisters.

Fur Shoulder Capes $8 00, $10 00, $15.00, $18.00, $20.00, $22.50.
Fur Lined Ripple Cloaks $15 00, $20.00. Special at $25 00 and $30.00.
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Gauntlets $1 00, $2 00, $3.00, $4 50. A special quality $5 00, $8.00, $10.00
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Something for the Daddies & Big Brothers.

Persian Lamb Caps $4.00, $5.00, $6.00, $8.00.
Beaver Caps $2 00, $3.00, $5.00, $7.00, $8 00.
Otter Wedge or Band Caps, $7.00, $10 00, $12 00, $15.00.
German Otter Caps $4.00 & $5 00.
Dog Skin Caps, $2.00, $3.00, $4.00.
Gauntlets ranging all the way from $2 50 to $15.00. Beauties from $7.00 to $10.00.
Collars in Beaver, Persian Lamb, Otter from $5.00 to $15.00.
Fur Coats from $10.00 to $50.00.

CHEESE REPORTS.

The Year's Business at Peterborough Factory.

Report of business transacted in Peterborough Cheese Factory, Otonabee, for the season of 1896:

Total amount of milk received at factory	879,379 lbs
Total amount of cheese manufactured	81,521 lbs
Gross value	$6,941 76
Average price for season per lb	8 34-100c
Value per standard clear expense	$18 13
No lbs of milk for lb cheese	10 78-100
Cash paid to patrons	$5,311 34
Paid cost of manufacture	$1,630 42

WM. GIRVIN, Sec.-Treas.

Overwhelming money saving chances at Grafton & Co's Xmas Sale.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., Box 55.) 12d132

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

Ladies Don't Smoke.

but they have a tender regard for some fellahs that do. The great festival of Christmas will soon be here, and between now and then people will naturally think of buying presents for their friends. Mr. Chas. LeGros, the live George street tobacco and cigar dealer, realising that money is very scarce, has put everything in the line of cigars and pipes down to cost, and when he says cost, he means business. LeGros is a hustler, and likes to give his customers a benefit at Christmas times. He imports all his goods direct, and saves the wholesalers' profit. A few of the snaps which he offers are to be seen in his window He has the finest lot of pipes in Canada, all of B.B.B. manufacture. In cigars, his imported cigars are of the finest, and this is proved by the testimony of the best people of the town who smoke them. Ladies who know the weakness that their gentlemen friends have for a good cigar or a meerscham pipe, a swell mouthpiece or a handy tobacco pouch can take a hint and have a quiet talk with Chanley on the subject. Call and see him and you will be astonished at the prices and quality of his pipes, cigars and smokers' sundries. ALIVE C. LEGROS, 339 George street. tf

Ladies and Gentlemen, too, who desire to make a particularly happy bit in the way of a Present are advised to shop at MISS MELVILLE'S FANCY GOODS STORE, 424 George Street. Save you much thinking.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

MINING SHARES FOR SALE — 13,000 shares of the Slocan Queen Mine at 10c. per share also one-seventh interest in the Tough Nut and United Empire Mine. For particulars address J. D. BROOK, Box 545, Peterborough.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET central locality. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. 6eod135

TO LET—NO. 126 KING STREET; HEATED by hot water; bath. Apply to W. RUDKINS, 185 King street. 23140

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TO RENT—SEVERAL COMFORTABLY Heated Rooms Bank of Commerce Buildings; suitable for bedrooms or offices. Apply to 427 George street. dtf86

TO RENT IMMEDIATELY—HOUSE NO. 211 Barnardo Avenue; nearly opposite the North Ward School. Apply at 427 George Street. dtf

OFFICE TO RENT—RECENTLY OCCUPIED as American Consulate and Rochester Star Nursery, No. 41 Water Street, next the Post Office; good vault, heated with hot water; all modern conveniences. Apply to DENNISTOUN, PECK & STEVENSON. dtf

TO LET—NO. 238 EDINBURGH STREET, corner of Aylmer, newly papered and painted. Apply to J. J. Lundy, over China Hall. dtf

TO RENT—IMMEDIATELY—HOUSE No. 468 Park street; $7 a month. Apply to TORONTO SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY, 427 George street. dtf

FOR SALE—A DOUBLE OFFICE DESK with 16 drawers; as good as new. Will be sold cheap as it is larger than owner requires. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. ft

HOUSE FOR SALE IN ASHBURNHAM—large two story, solid White Brick House, containing 11 rooms, cellar under all; furnace, (hot air); hard and soft water; stable for horse and cow; good orchard; having a frontage on Elizabeth street of 102 feet by a depth of 200 feet. Will be sold at a bargain and on easy terms. Apply to HALL & HAYES, Barristers, Peterborough. d63tf

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Eat and Be Merry. "Christmas comes but once a year!" Telephone 39.

HOLIDAY HINTS FOR THE LADIES

Keep in mind the Removal Sale now going on at C. G. GEMMELL'S Corset and Furnishing Store. You can secure many excellent bargains in Sensible Christmas Gifts such as these:—

Ladies' $1.00 Corsets ..... Reduced to 75c
Ladies' 75c Corsets ..... Reduced to 50c
Ladies' 50c Corsets ..... Reduced to 40c
Ladies' 75c Wool Undervests ..... Reduced to 55c

Finest and Cheapest Vests in Town. Cheaper grades similarly reduced in price.

Men's $1.00 Shirts and Drawers .... reduced to 75c
Men's 75c Shirts and Drawers .... reduced to 55c
Handkerchiefs—2 for 5c and up to 25c each.

JUST RECEIVED—A Holiday line of Ladies and Children's Lined Kid Mitts and Gloves, from 50c to 85c.

Wool Tam O'Shanters, in various colours, only 23c.

Remember C. G. Gemmell's Removal Sale Now Going on at 325 George Street, Opposite Market Building.

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INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough with the *bona fide* name and address of the sender, will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly

GEO COCHRANE
License Inspector West Peterborough

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License Inspector, East Peterborough

ON WITH THE RUSH!

A particular purpose influences this Store this week. We want to emphasize Christmas Trade and how terribly close the day is drawing. We are already meeting the demands of hundreds—and you would do well to join the army of shoppers at once. If you have'nt the money to spare to-day, pick out your Gifts, and if your purchases are bona fide we will lay them aside for you in our storage department, to be called for any time before Chrismas. We expect tremendous crowding in a few days more.

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—Hundreds of Dolls
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—Musical Dolls
—Dolls's Heads
—Doll's Cradles
—Christmas Cards
—Toy Blocks
—China Sets
—Perfumery
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Novel Attraction for a Big Holiday Trade.

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To lend additional brightness to the scene we have made special arrangements for a Five Days **Musical Reception** to be given to the shoppers at this store. One of Williams' Upright Grand Pianos has been placed in position and a skilled lady musician will preside at the piano every day from nine o'clock, a m., until the store closes.

Here are some of the many specials to tempt the busy throng of Christmas shoppers :—

—Harrison's Perfumes 35c oz. Bring your bottles and have them filled.
—Harrison's Sachet Powders.
—Silver Mounted Mirrors 25c, 35c and 50c.
—Silver Mounted Toilet Bottles 35c.
—Triple-plate Silver Mugs, handsomely chased 25c and 35c.
—1000 sheets Popular Music, instrumental and vocal, 5c per sheet. Selections from this music will be played each day.
—Ladies' Fancy Belts 25c, 50c and 75c.
—Ladies' and Gents' Initial Silk Handkerchiefs 25c, 35c and 50c.
—The latest designs in Embroidered Handkerchiefs.
—Ladies' and Gents' Kid Gloves.
—Ladies' Ties.
—Gent's Neckwear, special for Xmas trade.
—Gent's Silk Scarfs,
—The latest London effects in Veilings.
Irish Hand Embroidered Linens in Doylies, Table Squares, Pillow Shams and Dressing Case Scarfs,
—Fancy Toilet Sets,
—Silk Table Covers,
—New Dresden Ribbons,
—Table, Matts, Down Comforters, Pillows, Tea Cosies, etc.

MANTLES.

Our big Reduction Sale of Ladies' Mantles will be continued during the week.

CARPETS.

Greater inducements in Carpets will be offered.

While the store is thronged during the afternoons and evening, shoppers can stroll up and down to the music of the piano and make themselves as much at home as in their own parlours.

ROBERT FAIR

DIRECT IMPORTER.

Sign of the Golden Lion, 383 George St., Peterborough.

Wives! Sisters! Mothers!

We can afford to sell cheap, but we can't afford to mislead you. We have no buncombe stock to slaughter, but we can offer you honest inducements to buy your Holiday Gifts.

This store is not a Dry Goods, Furnitures-a-la-side-show combination. We rely entirely on the attractiveness of our goods and Special Bargains to entice you. We need no pictures, no pianos, no granny-phones—only Plain Talk.

Ladies' and Gent's Lawn, Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs in all the newest styles of border and embroidery.

Ladies' Silk Mitts.

Ladies' Silk Ties.

Printed Lace, the new thing for collars and trimming.

Lace Collars—Ready-made.

Ladies' and Gent's Kid Gloves. A special line of ladies' at 75c, regular $1 goods, to be had in all the best shades.

Ladies' Cashmere Gloves in black and coloured, in light and heavy makes. A special line with kid facing. These are very pretty as well as serviceable.

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Christmas Glove Bargains.

A rare opportunity to buy Christmas Gifts in Ladies' and Gentlemen's Lined Gloves, at a discount extending to 50 per cent. under marked prices :

	Christmas Sale Price
Gentlemen's Lined Kid Gloves, Tans and Browns, were $1.00, now	50
Gentlemen's Lined Kid Gloves, Black, extra quality, were $1.25	65
Gentlemen's Kid, Kangaroo and Mocco Gloves, extra value, $1 to	1 75
Ladies' Fine Unlined Kid Gloves, dookled Blacks, were $1.00	50
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A DEFENSIVE POLICY

Will be Observed by Spain in Case of War.

MADRID NAVAL QUARTERS ACTIVE

The London Standard Thinks Spain Will Have the Sympathy of the Continental Powers—A Writer Who Says the Defences of Gibraltar are Inadequate.

Madrid, Dec. 21.—The Correspondencia is authority for the statement that naval and military plans to be carried out in the event of war between Spain and the United States have already been formed and approved by Admiral Beranger and General Ascaraga, respectively Ministers of Marine and War.

The policy of Spain, according to this statement, will be to act upon the defensive in Cuba, but to be in readiness to take the offensive if the forces of the United States should attempt to make a landing upon the island.

The home dockyards have become the scenes of the greatest activity, and hundreds of additional men have been employed in each yard to carry out the orders of Admiral Beranger to expedite work upon the warships and transports which are being repaired and got in readiness for service. The Minister of Marine has also telegraphed to the Compagnie Francaise des Forces et Chautier requiring that company to carry out the special order placed with the concern with the least possible delay, and has received a reply that everything will be hurried along as speedily as the facilities of the company will admit.

The Spanish cruiser Petayo will be ready to sail by Jan. 1, when she will proceed under sealed orders. It is understood that she is destined for Cuban waters.

The Heraldo announces that the Ministry of War is preparing a pamphlet for distribution among the officers of the army, and the navy as well, which will contain topographic maps of the United States, copious data of the situation and condition of the American fortresses and military organization, the facilities afforded by the American railways, their availability for military purposes, etc. The pamphlet will also contain suggestions as to the best modes of attack upon the vulnerable points of the American coast and interior, and directions as to the methods to be employed to effect the best results in making reprisals upon the commercial ports of the United States.

The opinions upon the situation as expressed in the newspapers of Madrid and other Spanish cities, this morning, abound with violent denunciations of the attitude of the United States Government, but agree that the United States Senators ought not to be taken too seriously. A Cabinet Council will be held to-morrow, which will be devoted exclusively to consideration of the international situation.

Senor Canovas del Castillo, the Prime Minister, has received the official text of President Cleveland's message to the American Congress, and will shortly make a declaration on that part of the document which refers to the Cuban question.

Conferences have been held during the past few days between the most prominent men in political life in Spain with the object of seeking a solution of the problem which confronts the Government, and which, it is possible, might cause a war with the United States. It is conceded in all political circles that the situation is grave, but it is thought that the willingness of Spain to grant reforms in the Spanish West Indies should tend to avert any display of aggressiveness on the part of the United States. One point is settled upon, and that is that no reforms shall be put into effect in Cuba until the insurrection shall have been suppressed, for it is held that to offer reforms with the Cubans still in arms would indicate weakness on the part of Spain and would also be derogatory to her honor.

Though the popular indignation caused by the receipt of the news of the action of the Committee on Foreign Relations of the American Senate shows little sign of diminution, there have been no manifestations against the United States or its representatives anywhere in Spain.

The death is announced to-day of Senor Don Manuel Decerra, formerly Minister of the Colonies. He was very popular, and it is said of him that he at one time hindered the sale of Cuba to the United States.

IRRITATION IN EUROPE.

The London Standard Urges Urbanity and Pleads for Observance of Law.

London, Dec. 21.—In a leader to-day The Standard says: "There exists in Europe an irritable feeling regarding the tendency of popular opinion in the United States to assume an attitude of excessive dictatorial presumption towards other powers. France and Germany join in reproaching Lord Salisbury for weakness in settling the Venezuelan matter in a pacific manner. Englishmen do not endorse this sentiment, but they dislike the tone and manner of American diplomacy, and wish for more harmony in the traditions of international urbanity. If Spain is driven into a war with the United States we do not doubt that she will enjoy the sympathy of most, perhaps all, of the continental states."

The Standard adds that it does not apologize for Spain's conduct in her colonies, but only pleads for the observance of international law and the rights of foreigners. It concludes by tendering the advice that Spain grant qualified autonomy to Cuba.

Reproach Great Britain.

Paris, Dec. 21.—The Gaulois to-day publishes interviews with General and ex-Minister Dubarail, M. Imbert de Saint Amand, and a foreign diplomat, all of whom reproach Great Britain and Spain for abandoning France in the Mexican expedition of 1862, the object of which, they say, was to create in America a government to counterbalance the power of the United States.

IS GIBRALTAR WEAK?

A Spanish Naval Writer Says the Equipment is Out of Date.

Paris, Dec. 21.—An article of exceptional interest—evidently written by a Spanish military officer—appears in the current number of The Memorial de Artilleria, showing that the extended range of modern artillery has completely revolutionized the conditions which have hitherto enabled Gibraltar to protect its own arsenal and dockyard and to afford safety for vessels at anchor under the guns of the fortress.

When Gibraltar was taken by the English in 1704 the greatest range for artillery fire was only about 3000 yards, so that a fleet under the batteries of Gibraltar was secure against attack from the Spanish coast.

It is now pointed out that with a comparatively small expenditure of money by the Spanish Government batteries constructed in the Bay of Algeciras, upon the ridge of mountains known as the Queen of Spain's Chair, would actually command Gibraltar at a distance of 9000 yards, and would be capable of demolishing the whole length of the fortifications from the Galleries to Europa Point. These Spanish batteries would also threaten the entry of ships of war to the Moles. This plan would merely involve the mounting of some forty heavy guns of from 4.7-inch to 12-inch calibre, and a similar number of howitzers.

At the present moment the strategical points on this part of the Spanish coast are entirely unfortified, and with Spain's present embarrassments in Cuba and the Philippines, it is not likely, as The Broad Arrow points out, that the Madrid Government will take immediate action in the matter. But that these batteries may be constructed some day or other is far from improbable, and in view of the great importance to England of Gibraltar as a naval base, and the renewed expenditure upon its dombined arsenal and dockyard, the subject is beginning to attract the serious attention of naval and military authorities.

CERIST UNPOPULAR.

Evangelist Moody Says That Our Women Would Not Receive Him in Any Proper Spirit.

New York, Dec. 21.—Carnegie Hall was filled yesterday afternoon by women who went to hear Moody preach and Sankey sing. Fifth-avenue was represented, and Miss Helen Gould was in one of the lower galleries.

Among the half dozen men who got into this feminine heaven was Russell Sage. He was an attentive listener, and did not move a muscle when Mr. Moody made an assault upon Wall-street.

The revivalist spoke of what would happen should Christ come to live on earth.

"Do we want Him in any of the Christian churches?" demanded Mr. Moody. "Would they have Him in wealthy England with its materialism, in Germany with its infidel philosophy? Do they wish for Him in France, or in Spain, Italy or Austria? I am afraid that if Christ were born again He would be chucked into a manger as He was before.

"Suppose he came to New York, what would Wall-street do? How would the stock jobbers act? What sort of a reception would the bankers give him? I am much afraid His coming would not interfere much with stock quotations on Wall-street.

"But let us come nearer home. What would the churches do? I imagine many an eloquent pulpit orator would, in his pride, not recognize the Saviour of mankind in a friendly spirit. They would hardly know Him, in fact.

"How many of you women would receive Christ in a proper spirit? Would you turn aside for a moment from your parties and receptions?"

Vesuvius in an Active State Again.

Vesuvius is officially reported to be in an unusually active condition; lava issues copiously from the largest crater of the volcano, filling completely the Atrio del Cavallo, and running some hundreds of meters down the northwest side of the mountain, seriously threatening the observatory.

An Ancient Hog.

The fossil remains of a hog have been recently discovered in the "bad lands" by an expedition led by Professor J. E. Todd, State Geologist of South Dakota, and are said to prove that the animal must have been as large as a medium-sized elephant.

THE CUBAN REPORT

Presented by the Foreign Relations Committee

TO THE SENATE AT WASHINGTON

European and American Precedents Cited to Show That the United States Would be Justified in Intervention to Secure the Independence of the Island of Cuba.

Washington, Dec. 21.—The report from the Committee on Foreign Relations on the joint resolution acknowledging the independence of Cuba and offering the friendly offices of the United States Government with Spain to bring to a close the war between Spain and the Republic of Cuba, was presented by Senator Cameron in the Senate to-day. It is a document of very great length, and deals thoroughly, though briefly, in its opening with modern precedents of European intervention where independence was the issue involved, the committee having, as its report mentions, exhave occurred within this century of peoples claiming independence by right of revolt.

The opening lines of the report read that: "Congress at its last session, after long and patient consideration, adopted with practical unanimity the view expressed by your committee that the time has come for resuming intervention with Spain for the recognition of the independence of Cuba. Spain having declined to listen to any representation founded on an understanding between herself and the insurgents and Congress having pledged itself to friendly intervention, the only question that remains to be considered is the nature of the next step to be taken with the proper regard to the customs and usages of the nations."

After referring to numerous European precedents, the report goes on to say: "Not only Greece, Montenegro, Bulgaria, Roumania, Servia, and Egypt have been the creations of such intervention, or the objects of its restraints, but also Samos, Crete, and even the Lebanon owe their legal status to the same source.

"An authority so great must assume some foundation in law, seeing that the entire world acquiesced not only in the practical exercise of force, but also in the principle on which it rested, whatever that principle was.

"The Treaty of Berlin, in 1878, was a broad assertion of the right of the European powers to regulate the affairs of the Ottoman Empire, but the treaty contains no statement of the principle of jurisprudence on which the right rests.

"From this body of precedents it is clear that Europe has invariably asserted and practised the right to interfere, both collectively and separately, amicably and forcibly, in every instance, except that of Poland, where a European people has resorted to insurrection to obtain independence.

"The right itself has been based on various grounds: 'Impediments to commerce,' 'burdensome measures of protection and repression'; 'requests of one or both parties to interpose,' 'effusion of blood' and 'evils of all kinds;' 'humanity' and the 'repose of Europe.'"

The report then continues with a descriptien of the experiences of Asia and America. America, both North and South, it is stated, has always aimed to moderate European intervention and to restrict its exercise.

Mexico, Colombia, Chili and Buenos Ayres were admitted into the family of nations by the sole authority of the President of the United States, with the approval of Congress.

The principle avowed by Monroe created an entire body of American jurisprudence. As an isolated act it meant little, but in Monroe's views it was not an isolated act; it was part of a system altogether new and wholly American, and it was to be justified on grounds far wider than itself. The European law and practice of intervention, extending as it did its scope and energy with every new step in European development, could be met only by creating an American law and practice of intervention exclusive of the European within the range of its influence. This Monroe did not hesitate to do. With boldness which still startles and perplexes the world he lopped off one great branch of European intervention and empire and created a new system of international relations.

So sweeping a right of intervention had never been claimed, unless by Russia in regard to the Greeks in 1821, and has never been exercised by any other single power, but the claim rested on the same general ground as that of the innumerable interventions of Europe. "Danger to our peace and happiness" was not essentially different from "danger to peace, honor, political power and interests," which European nations had alleged as just reasons for intervention, and while the right of intervention on this ground was so energetically maintained the right of deciding absolutely as to the time and mode of intervention was as energetically exercised by Monroe.

From that day to this, continues the report, the American people have always, and unanimously, supported and approved the Monroe doctrine. They needed no reasoning to prove that it was vital to their safety. The enormous and rapidly increasing force developed by Europe in her system of joint action, from the Treaty of Verona to the overwhelming authority, hitherto unknown to mankind, which was exhibited in the Treaty of Berlin; the rapid extension of her system over the rest of the world and the inevitable pressure of its expansion; her immense superiority and wealth and mechanical resources; the irresoluble energy of her enormous naval and military armaments when concentrated, as under the Berlin Treaty, in a single mass, left no doubt that America must abandon the hope of independence if she could not maintain a system of her own.

In the case of Texas, further on, it is remarked, the United States Government, as is notorious, exercised the whole right of intervention, against an American power; but the case of Texas did not differ in principle from that of Colombia, except in being wholly an American and domestic affair. In both instances the intervention rested on the claim of the Executive and the Legislature to be absolute and final judge of the "time and mode" of interference. In no case were other governments expected to sanction the decision in order to give it validity.

The letters of President Jackson following this initiative are elaborately referred to, and the report goes on to a reference of the very friendly feeling on the part of Great Britain and Mexico with the "Southern Confederacy" during the periods of 1861-5, and to the invitation of Lord John Russell to the Emperor of France to co-operate with England in "a joint endeavor" to obtain "from each of the belligerents" certain concessions in favor of neutrals.

On May 8 the French Minister "concurred entirely with the views of Her Majesty's Government," and pledged himself to the joint action. On May 13 the British Government issued its formal proclamation of neutrality between the United States and "certain states styling themselves the Confederate States of America."

Lord Russell justified this action on the ground of the size and population of the seceding States, and "the condition of our (British) commerce." All his expressions and acts warranted the belief that the recognition of belligerency was, in his mind, only a preliminary step to the recognition of independence as an already accomplished fact.

Much additional stress is given in the report to those schemes of intervention; and Palmerston's endorsement of Russell's view, in which Palmerston suggested an intervention that "would join England and

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1896.

THE CORNWALL ELECTION.

Even the Remedialist Conservatives, says the Conservative Toronto World, must be surprised at the vote in Cornwall and Stormont on Saturday. Here was a constituency half Catholic and French that endorsed a Government which will not make coercion of Manitoba in the matter education a part of its policy. The Liberals themselves must be surprised at the result. They gain both a seat and and approval of their school policy in a constituency with a large French and Catholic vote. We are inclined to believe that the same issue, if raised in a Quebec constituency, would go as it did in Cornwall. That being the case, the Conservative leaders, who will not let the school question die, ought to reconsider the situation very speedily. As a matter of fact, when the Remedialist Government made its appeal to the people in Quebec in June last, they only got sixteen seats out of sixty-five. Who is it that wants Remedial legislation besides Archbishop Langevin and his brother bishops of Quebec? Conservatives have now to realize what the situation is, to reconstruct in some directions and to get down to a fighting policy.

THIS is decidedly an open winter, but the Conservative party reports a heavy snow fall in Cornwall.

SATURDAY was a great day for the spirit of Christmas. The "sunny ways" of conciliation were endorsed in Cornwall and Saskatchewan, and Manitoba's side of the school settlement was endorsed in the by-election of Brandon.

THE Mail and Empire publishes a long list of those who helped win the election fight in Cornwall and Stormont. The organ omitted the names of about twenty-five hundred voters, who had a little hand in contributing to the result.

THE Mail and Empire publishes lists of those speakers who worked in Cornwall. The Liberal list is a good deal the larger—which is only natural. The Conservatives were so divided that it was not safe to get any large number of leading spirits together lest they be flying at each other's throats instead of wiring into the "Grits."

MR. LAZIER, Q. C., Belleville, is investigating a charge of unseemly interference as a partizan in the recent Dominion election contest of Mr. Farrow, postmaster at Brussels, East Huron. He took the stump and delivered fiery oratory in denunciation of the Liberals and in support of the late government. He placed himself in opposition to the party that now controls the government of the country and doubtless expects to be a faithful servant of a government in which he had publicly declared he had no confidence.

CHICAGO BANKS GONE UNDER.

National Bank of Illinois Suspends Owing to "Unwarrantable and Injudicious Loans"—Dreyer & Co. Also.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—The National Bank of Illinois, located at 115 Dearborn-street, and one of the oldest and best-known banking institutions in the city, with assets amounting to nearly $15,000,000, did not open its doors this morning. This action was decided upon by the directors of the bank at 6 o'clock last night, after the bank had been suspended from the Clearing House Association.

The cause of the suspension is "unwarrantable and injudicious loans," through which "the capital and surplus of said bank is seriously imperilled, if not absolutely lost."

At the last statement of the bank its capital was shown to be $1,000,000, with a surplus of $1,000,000 and undivided assets of over $300,000. It is thought that none of the depositors will suffer great loss by the suspension.

The National Bank of Illinois is the second largest bank and one of the oldest-known of the national banking institutions in Chicago. It was organized in 1871 and successfully passed through the fire, the panic of 1873 and all the financial disturbances since. The Eastern correspondents of the bank are the Mercantile National Bank of New York and the Shawmut National Bank of Boston.

A large number of big business firms transacted business at the National Bank of Illinois, and it is believed several failures will follow. President Schneider is treasurer of the Chicago Associated Press.

E. S. Dreyer & Co., one of the oldest banking establishments of this city, failed this morning. A notice posted on the doors of the bank states that the bank is in the hands of the Security Title and Trust Company. Mr. Dreyer refuses to make a statement.

The banking firm of Wasmansdorff & Heinemann is announced also to be in the hands of the Security Title and Trust Company.

A run is in progress on the Garden City Bank, situated in the Chamber of Commerce building, this afternoon. There are 100 people in line waiting to withdraw deposits, and on the sidewalk outside a large crowd, which is increasing rapidly, has gathered, waiting an opportunity to enter the bank. The bank officials say they have fully 50 per cent. of the amounts deposited on hand, and are paying out to all depositors as fast as possible.

The failure has just been announced of the Roseland Savings Bank. Frederick Wielrma is at the head of the bank. The bank did business with the National Bank of Illinois.

Judge Freeman has appointed the Security Title and Trust Company receiver for E. S. Dreyer & Co. and Wasmansdorff & Heinemann. The receiver for Dreyer & Co. was appointed on a bill filed by E. S. Dreyer in the Superior Court this morning as for a dissolution of partnership and distribution of assets. Robert Berger was made defendant. The court was told that the assets were $1,500,000 and the liabilities $1,250,000. The bill says that the partners have agreed to close up the business, but have been unable to agree as to the manner in which it is to be done. The bill also says that the assets consist of real estate, real estate mortgages, stocks, notes and accounts receivable, while the liabilities are open accounts and certificates of deposit. There has been great depression in the value of real estate recently, the bill says, and unless the assets are handled in a conservative and careful manner, great loss will result. Therefore, a receiver is asked for to close out the business. By a conservative handling of the estate, the complainant says, the assets can be made to realise $150,000 more than the liabilities. None of the officers of E. S. Dreyer & Co. was at the bank to-day and creditors of that institution could get no information as to the failure. The firm of E. S. Dreyer & Co. is one of the oldest banking institutions in Chicago and had always been considered one of the firmest.

The receiver for the firm of Wasmansdorff & Heinemann was appointed at the request of Otto Wasmansdorff, senior member of the firm. He appeared in the Superior Court and named his partner, William Heinemann, as defendant. The assets are given at $550,000 with liabilities of $415,000. The complainant says that a receiver can administer the assets so as to produce a surplus of about $100,000.

Both these failures are the direct outcome of the National Bank of Illinois closing its doors.

The run on the Garden City Banking and Trust Company's Bank was caused by the fact becoming generally known among the depositors that the institution cleared through the failed National Bank of Illinois. The -line of fearful depositors was not long, and withdrawals were promptly made until the regular hour for closing the bank—3 o'clock. The doors were then closed and only those depositors who were inside were paid. The curious crowd outside was large enough to require the services of several policemen to keep them moving.

At the Illinois Trust and Savings and American Trust and Savings Banks there were small lines of men and women who were anxious to get their money in hand, and the bank officers were glad to pay out as the withdrawals in the savings departments meant a gain of interest money which would be due Jan. 1. Both these banks are regarded as financially impregnable.

Will Not Affect Them.

Philadelphia, Dec. 21.—The Independence National Bank of this city, which was the Philadelphia correspondent of the National Bank of Illinois of Chicago, will not be affected by the failure of the latter institution. Theodore Wiedersheim, Treasurer of the Independence Bank, stated to-day that his bank was merely the holder of a portion of the Western bank's Eastern funds.

Montreal Live Stock Market.

Montreal, Dec. 21.—Offerings at the cattle market to-day 750 butchers' cattle, 40 calves, 600 sheep and lambs. Trade was brisk and prices higher all-around. Extra Xmas beeves sold at 4½c to 4½c per lb; prime at 3½c to 4c per lb.; good stock at 2½c to 3½c, and common 2c to 2½c per lb. Two extra calves brought $15 and $22; common $3 to $7 each. Sheep 2½c to 3¼c per lb. Lambs 3¾c to 4½c per lb. Thirty-eight choice lambs brought $4.40 per hundred pounds.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—There is no business reported, and prices are nominal. Straight rollers are quoted at $4, *Toronto* freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—There is a limited trade, with prices easy. Red sold outside at 70c and white at 80c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is unchanged at 93c, Toronto freight, and No. 2 hard at 91c.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet; car lots quoted at 28c to 29c outside.

Barley—The market is very dull. No. 2 is quoted at 27c north and west, and feed at 20c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 18c west, and at 19c on the Midland. Mixed is 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady, with sales at 40½c outside.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales outside at 34½c to 35c.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 25c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 27c outside.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 21.—Spring wheat, 6s 9d to 6s 10d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1d to 7s 2d; corn, 2s 9¾d; peas, 4s 5½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 23s 0d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 23s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast quiet, on passage steadier. English country markets in some cases 6d higher and in others 6d lower. Maize off coast quiet, on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; futures steadier at 6s 7¾d for Jan., 6s 8¼d for Feb. and 6s 8¾d for March. Maize, 2s 0¼d for Jan. Feb. and March. Flour, 25s.

Paris—Wheat, 21f 50c for Jan.; flour, 49f 15c for Jan.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quiet and steady. Maize on passage quiet.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 21f 60c for Jan.; flour, 46f 30c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat and maize futures unchanged.

TWEED TOPICS.

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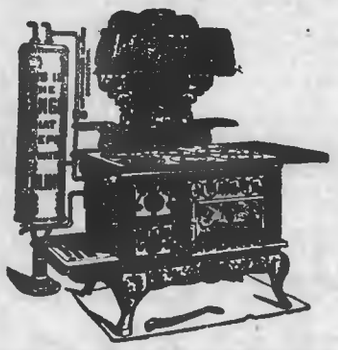

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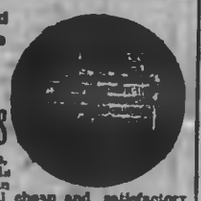

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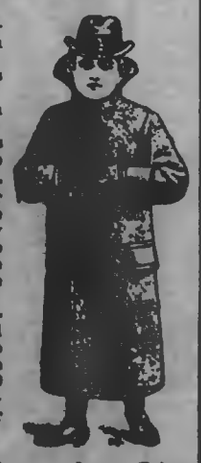

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NOTES FROM THE FALLS.

Mischievous Boys Get Off Lightly—Niagara Central Affairs—Nipped on a Forged Cheque.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Dec. 21.—(Special.)—The 10 young boys who were brought before Magistrate Logan on Saturday for letting down brakes and uncoupling cars on the M.C.R. siding at Niagara Junction were discharged after receiving a severe reprimand from the Magistrate.

It is thought that the late disagreement between the directors of the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company is on the road towards a satisfactory settlement. If this proves to be true, some new developments, which will put some life into the business of the road, will be speedily forthcoming. At present the company is fighting the G.T.R. Company over the latter putting a spur into the Riordon Paper Mills at Merritton. When this matter is straightened out a movement will be made to introduce a suburban service from St. Catharines to Niagara Falls. This service will consist of almost hourly runs, and will necessitate the re-building of the road, repairing the present rolling stock and putting on an additional train. Plans for the scheme are already being considered, and the work ought to commence about the beginning of the year.

Mr. Campbell, the good roads missionary of the Province, was invited to visit this place during the month of December. He complied with the request of the Council, but has since sent word that his visit will be postponed until some time in January. It is to be hoped his visit will be beneficial to the town roads, which are in a disgraceful shape.

Last Tuesday a man traveling under the name of Monck interviewed the Rev. Mr. Crawford, and asked him to cash a cheque for $25 on a local bank at Naples, N.Y. The signature on the cheque was Carlton Smith, but the rev. gentleman did not know either party, and refused to forward a cent. Accordingly, Monck wired to Naples, and received a telegram in reply that Smith was good for $25 at the bank in question. This, however, did not satisfy the Rev. Crawford, and he dismissed the man. Monck then went to William Hewson, and, stating he was strapped and wanted to get to Michigan, presented the cheque and telegram, and said he would take $20 for it. Mr. Hewson gave him $10 in cash and a mackintosh worth $10 for the cheque, and Monck immediately disappeared. The cheque was sent in for collection, but has been returned as a forgery. The police are looking for Monck.

WINNIPEG JOTS.

The Free Press on the Cornwall Election—Child Burned to Death in Brandon—Lisgar Election Case.

Winnipeg, Dec. 21.—(Special.)—The Free Press (Ind.), discussing the Cornwall election, doubts the judgment of the Conservative leaders in making such a fight at this time, but says the Liberals will make a fatal mistake if they estimate the present strength of the Conservative party from the results of this skirmish.

Mary Matuska, a 3-year-old child, of Brandon, was burned to death to-day during the temporary absence of her parents.

The hearing of the Lisgar election petition has been fixed for Wednesday next.

INJURED 17 PASSENGERS.

A Wreck on the Grand Trunk Between Portland and Lewiston, Maine.

Lewiston, Maine, Dec. 21.—The Grand Trunk train from Portland, Me., due in Lewiston at 8.20 a.m., was thrown from the track by a broken rail two miles east of Danville Junction. The baggage, smoker and passenger cars went over an embankment, 25 feet. The engine and tender remained on the track. Of the 25 passengers on the train, 17 were injured, but none seriously. The injured were brought to Lewiston hospitals for examination. The train was in charge of Conductor Morse, and was running 25 miles an hour. Conductor Morse escaped without a scratch.

Gompers as a Preacher.

Cincinnati, Dec. 21.—Yesterday afternoon President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor occupied the pulpit of Wesley Chapel, speaking in the interest of organized labor. Bishop Walden and most of the ministers of this city occupied seats on the platform. Gompers' subject was "A Rough Sketch of a Rugged Struggle."

Lost Part of Her Cargo.

London, Dec. 21.—The brig Vidonia (Br.), Wilson, from St. John's, Nfld., which arrived at Oporto Dec. 11, had to jettison a part of her cargo during the voyage. The vessel was damaged in the storm she went through.

A CASE OF DIABETES.

No Help from Medical Men—Suffered for Many Years—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

North Bruce, Dec. 21 (Special).—An old and well known settler in this township, named Thomas Brooks, who lives on lots 7 and 8 in the 14 h concession, is rejoicing with his neighbours over his recent recovery, and he said:—

"I was cured by using twenty-four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and, as nothing else ever helped me, I say they saved my life.

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THE CUBAN REPORT.

(Continued From First Page.)

France in the offer or mediation, is not overlooked in the committee's summary of all the circumstances that confronted this Government at that time.

At the moment when Russell and Palmerston brought their scheme of intervention before the British Cabinet, Napoleon sent reinforcements of 35,000 men to his force in Mexico, with orders to occupy the country; and simultaneously sent a formal invitation to England and Russia to intervene in the American Civil War.

These papers have not been published, and we do not know the express grounds on which the invitation was offered or declined. To the fact that Russia was avowedly friendly, and that the two most powerful British Prime Ministers of their time were outvoted in their own Cabinet, America owed her escape from British domination.

Into this American system thus created by Monroe in 1822-23 and embracing then, besides the United States, only Buenos Ayres, Chili, Colombia and Mexico, various other communities have since claimed, and in most cases have received admission, until it now includes South America, except the Guianas, all Central America, except the British colony of Honduras and the Spanish republics of Santo Domingo and Hayti in the Antilles.

No serious question was again raised with any European power in regard to the insurrection or independence of their American possessions until 1890, when a rebellion broke out in Cuba, and the insurgents, after organizing a Government and declaring their independence, claimed recognition from the United States. The Government of the United States had always regarded Cuba as within the sphere of its most active and serious interests.

As early as 1825, when the newly-recognized States of Colombia and Mexico were supposed to be preparing an expedition to revolutionize Cuba and Porto Rico, the United States Government interposed its friendly offices with these Governments to request their forbearance. The actual condition of Spain seemed to make her retention of Cuba impossible, in which case the United States would have been obliged, for their own safety, to prevent the island from falling into the hands of a stronger power in Europe. That this emergency did not occur may have been partly due to the energy with which Monroe announced "our right and our power to prevent it," and his determination "to use all the means within his competency" to guard against and forfend it.

When the Cuban insurgents in 1869 appealed to the United States for recognition, President Grant admitted the justice of the claim and directed the Minister of the United States at Madrid to interpose our good offices with the Spanish Government in order to obtain by a friendly arrangement the independence of the island. The story of that intervention is familiar to every member of the Senate and was made the basis of its resolution last session requesting the President once more "to interpose his friendly offices with the Spanish Government for the recognition of the independence of Cuba."

The resolution then adopted by Congress was perfectly understood to carry with it all the consequences which necessarily would follow the rejection by Spain of friendly offices. On this point the situation needs no further comment.

The action taken by Congress in the last session was taken "on general consideration and on joint principles," on a right of intervention exercised 27 years ago and after a patient delay unexampled in history. The interval of nine months which has elapsed since that action of Congress has proved the necessity of carrying it out to completion. In the words of the President's annual message: "The stability two years' duration has given to the insurrection, the feasibilities of its indefinite prolongation in the nature of things and as shown by past experiences; the utter and imminent ruin of the island unless the present strife is speedily composed," are, in our opinion, conclusive evidence that "the inability of Spain to deal successfully with the insurrection has become manifest, and it is demonstrated that her sovereignty is extinct in Cuba for all purposes of its rightful existence—a hopeless struggle for its re-establishment has degenerated into a strife which means nothing more than the useless sacrifice of human life and the utter destruction of the very subject of the conflict."

Although the President appears to have reached a different conclusion from ours, we believe this to be the actual situation of Cuba, and, being unable to see that further delay could lead to any other action than that which the President anticipates, we agree with the conclusion of the message that in such case our obligations to the sovereignty of Spain are superseded by higher obligations which we can hardly hesitate to recognize and discharge.

Following closely the action of President Monroe, Congress has already declared, in effect, its opinion that there can be no rational interference except on the basis of independence. In 1822, as now, but with more force, it was objected that the revolted States had no government to be recognized. Divisions and even civil war existed among the insurgents themselves. Among the Cubans no such difficulty is known to exist. In September, 1896, as we know by official documents printed on the spot, the rebel Government was regularly organized, a constitution adopted, a President elected, and in due course the various branches of administration set in motion. Since then, so far as we are informed, this Government has continued to perform its functions undisturbed.

On the military side, as we officially know, they have organized, equipped and maintained in the field sufficient forces to baffle the exertions of two hundred thousand Spanish soldiers. On the civil side, they have organized their system of administration in every Province, for, as we know officially, they "roam at will over at least two-thirds of the inland country."

Diplomatically they have maintained a regularly accredited representative in the United States for the past year, who has never ceased to ask recognition and to offer all possible information. There is no reason to suppose that any portion of the Cuban people would be dissatisfied by our recognizing their representative in this country or that they disagree in the earnest wish for that recognition. The same thing could hardly be said of all the countries recognized by Monroe in 1822.

The only question that properly remains for Congress to consider is the mode which should be adopted for the step which Congress is pledged next to take.

The Government of the United States entertains none but the friendliest feelings toward Spain. Its most anxious wish is to avoid even the appearance of an unfriendliness which is wholly foreign to its thought. For more than a hundred years, amidst divergent or clashing interests, and under frequent and severe strains, the two Governments have succeeded in avoiding collision, and there is no friendly office which Spain could ask which the United States within the limits of their established principles and policy would not be glad to extend. In the present instance they are actuated by an earnest wish to avoid the danger of seeming to provoke a conflict.

The practice of Europe in regard to intervention, as in the instances cited, has been almost invariably harsh and oppressive. The practice of the United States has been mild. Among the precedents which have been so numerously cited there can be no doubt as to the choice. The most moderate is the best. Among these the attitude taken by President Monroe in 1822 is the only attitude which can properly be regarded as obligatory for a similar situation to-day. The course pursued by the United States in the recognition of Colombia is the only course which Congress can consistently adopt.

The passage of the joint resolution agreed to last Friday is therefore recommended.

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Telegraphic Briefs.

Mr. Snetsinger's (Liberal) majority in Cornwall and Stormont is 602.

County Councillors were nominated yesterday throughout the Province.

The coal miners of Indiana have accepted 5 cents a ton reduction after a strike lasting since last May.

The first regular train on the Ottawa, Arnprior & Parry Sound Railway left Parry Sound yesterday for the capital.

By the fall of a staging at Buffalo yesterday, Harry Brenner, aged 35, was killed, and W. Gerow, a fellow-employe, injured.

An explosion took place in the Baltimore No. 2 Mine at Wilkes-Barre yesterday, and it is believed the 19 men in the pit are all dead.

The National Bank of Illinois, one of the big financial institutions of Chicago, and half a dozen smaller banks, suspended payment yesterday.

The trial of Thomas Bram, mate of the barquentine Herbert Fuller, for the murder of Capt. Nash and his wife, continues at Boston, but no startling evidence was produced yesterday.

Mr. John Grice of the 10th concession of Whitchurch didn't hear a train approaching when he drove on to the Grand Trunk crossing near Stouffville yesterday with a new wagon, attached to his old one. The new wagon was smashed to splinters, and Mr. Grice was thrown about 10 rods. He escaped with a few bruises.

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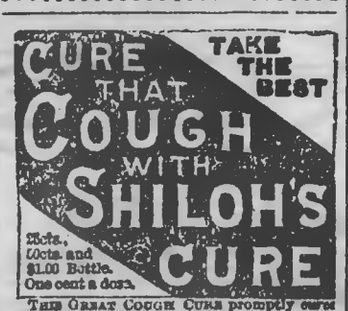

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Men's Beaver Overcoats, were $10.50	now	5 00
Men's Frieze Ulsters, were $8.50	now	3 90
Men's Worsted Overcoats, were $9.50	now	4 50
Men's Nap Overcoats, were $7.50	now	3 00
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, were $7	now	4 00
Boys' Cape Overcoats, were $5	now	2 75
Boys' Tweed Overcoats were $4.50	now	2 75
Boys' Tweed Capes, were $2.90	now	1 70

SUITS.

Men's Auburn Mills Worsted Suits, were $9.50	now	$5 90
Men's Auburn Mills All Wool Suits, were $8	now	5 00
Men's Yorkshire Tweed Suits, were $7.50	now	4 75
Men's Canadian Tweed Suits, were $6 50	now	3 90
Boy's Auburn Mills Suits, were $7	now	4 25
Boys' Blue Serge Suits, were $6	now	3 75
Boys' Scotch Tweed Suits, were $9	now	5 50
Boys' Canadian Tweed Suits, were $3.50	now	1 95

CAPS AND FURS.

25 Coon Fur Coats, were $30	now	$16 50
30 Black Goat Coats, were $17.50	now	12 90
25 doz. Sealette Caps, Jockeys	now	0 65
40 doz. Dominion Sealette Caps	now	1 00
200 Imitation Caps	from 19c to	0 50
2 doz. Persian Lamb Caps, were $5	now	2 90
50 Victoria Wedges, were $4.50	now	2 90

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Men's Heavy Twill Cotton Night Robes	69c
Men's Silk and Satin Ties, four-in-hand and knots, were 25c. each	now 2 for 25c
Men's Fancy Ringwood Gloves, worth 40c	now for 25c
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched	for 15c
Men's Heavy Underwear, were 25c	now 19c
Men's Heavy All-Wool Underwear, were 50c	now 35c
Men's Heavy O. K. Wool Underwear	40 and 60c
50 doz. Pongee Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched	35c
25 doz. White Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs	50c
Gough's World-Beater All-Wool Socks, Ribbed Top	10c
10 doz. Men's All-Wool Cardigan Jackets, Worth $1.25	50c

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4-foot Hardwood, dry. 2-foot Hardwood, dry.

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Doors, Sash and all kinds of House Finish

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COST

Will Not be a Barrier

to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.00, now $ 75
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.25, now 1 00
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.75, now 1 25
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.50, now 2 00

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 50
Lacing Gloves..... were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour d..... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1 25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves .... were $1 25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

ack Cashmere Hose..... were 30c, now 20c
Higher Grades at Cost.
eavy Wool Hose..... were 20c, now 15c
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 25c, now 20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

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NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Just received, 200 cloth bound books, regular price 40c., this week 25 cents. A second lot, gilt tops, regular price 50c., for 30 cents—at SAILSBURY'S.

Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

Grafton & Co's. for all Xmas Presents.

The Everlasting Topic.

Peterborough, Dec. 22—The thermometer this morning indicated 1 degree below zero. During the night, however, it had gone down to 8 degrees below zero.

Shooting Match.

On Christmas day a grand shooting match will be held on the rifle range, near Curtis' brick yard, for live turkeys. Good sport guaranteed. J. J. WHITEMAN. 2d

Children's Aid Society.

The Magistrate made over this morning a baby boy two months and two weeks old to the Children's Aid Society. The child goes to a temporary shelter and will be placed out in adoption as soon as a suitable home is found.

Please Return.

Mr. Robert Walton, while attending the banquet to Mr. Cox, left with his coat and hat in the cloak room adjoining the reception room on Thursday evening last, a gold mounted walking stick, bearing his name, which was removed no doubt by mistake by some one attending the banquet. Will the person who has it kindly return as it is more valuable to Mr. Walton on account of its being a present from a daughter.

Making Home Ties.

Nothing better than a good table—good food. This is an idea of what we can sell you for your Christmas dinner:
Turkeys from 60c up.
Cranberries, 8 and 10c per quart.
Figs, 7, 10, 15 and 20c.
Malaga Grapes (best) 20c.
Table Raisins, 15, 20 25, 30 and 40c per lb.
Walnuts and Almonds, 17c per lb.
Filbert Nuts, 15c per lb.
English Butter-Scotch, 13c.
Table Jellies, in moulds.
Candies, Oranges and Lemons.
Tea of extra value.
MASON & Co., 426 to 431, George St. 3d146

LADIES who wish their gifts to their husbands or friends to bear evidences of thought, care and practical good sense will not fail to earn their grateful appreciation in the bestowal of a cosy Dressing Gown, Smoking Jacket, Fancy Corduroy Vest, Silk Scarf or Travelling Rug such as we carry in stock this season. Even if it has been anticipated and longed for, all the better.

Mercer's

A PROBABLY FATAL ACCIDENT.

A Young Farmer Crushed Beneath a Falling Tree in Millbrook.

A very painful, and what will likely prove fatal, accident occurred on Friday last, on what is known as the Payne farm, just one concession south of Millbrook. Arthur Armstrong, a hard working man who has the farm rented, left his house as usual, with his faithful dog, to go to the woods to fell some trees.

He did not return in time for supper, but his wife, thinking he had delayed on the way home, at first paid no attention to his lateness. When eight o'clock arrived and he was not home she naturally became anxious and started to the woods to look for him. She was met by the dog, which, with the instinct characteristic of the noble animal, tried to tell her that something was wrong, and impatiently led the way.

As she drew near the spot the cries of her unfortunate husband proved to her that all was not well, and in a short while she could see in the clear moonlight her husband pinned to the ground by a large tree. She was, of course, powerless to remove it and at one ran for assistance. Medical aid was also sent for. Willing hands soon arrived and in a short time removed the tree. Upon examination it was found that one leg was broken and the other badly crushed, besides internal injuries. The poor man had been in this position from two o'clock in the afternoon. He is at present in an unconscious state and there is little hope of his recovery.

A FATAL ACCIDENT.

Amputation Was Necessary but not Efficacious.

A most deplorable accident happened in one of the town dry goods stores, yesterday, when as Mrs. Dissenette, of Lindsay, was descending the stairs from the millinery department she fell and sustained a compound comminuted fracture of her left leg, just above the knee.

The unfortunate woman was conveyed to St. Joseph's Hospital, where it was found necessary to amputate the limb. The entire hospital staff of physicians was present and assisted in the operation, but the strain was too much for Mrs. Dissenette to bear and she gradually sank into unconsciousness and died shortly before midnight.

Her relatives have been communicated with in regard to the fatal result of the accident.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

The first match of the season takes place this evening, and after closely watching the practice last night, the executive committee has picked the following men to play to-night: Goal, E. Wasson; point, W. J. Montgomery; cover point, S. Adams, forwards, Lionel King, Walter Phelan, Roger Davidson and Chris Graham.

CURLIANA.

The curlers are in the height of their glory and last night all three rinks were going. The results were as follows:

W E Loch,	R Kerr,
J D Baptie,	C N Brown,
J Stanger,	Geo Fitzgerald,
S Ray, sk.....13	D Belleghem, sk.....21
Alf Terrill,	J Ames,
John A Cameron,	T Connal,
John McClelland,	A Blade,
R H Kells, sk.....18	T Rutherford, sk 21
W G Morrow,	R Waddell,
George Gilroux,	W J Thompson,
W L Allan,	W H Robertson,
Judge Weller, sk 9	A McNeil, sk.....7

"One Year's Sketch Book," "In a Fair Country," both full of beautiful wood cuts. Regular price, $6.00, for $3 00—this week at SAILSBURY'S.

Holiday Photographs.

G E. Whiten, the new photographer of Peterborough, is doing a grand trade since coming here. He is kept very busy. He finishes most of his work on the new Platino finish. There is no better work made in Ontario to-day than is made at Whiten's New Art Studio, on Hunter street west, opposite Oak Hall. His prices are very reasonable. Go and see the quality of his work and be convinced there is none better, and few to equal his work. Give him a trial. dtf

Christmas Tree Entertainment.

The rooms of the Catholic Literary Association to-day present a very pretty scene, as the Christmas entertainment of the Sisters of St. Joseph is now in full swing. The display of articles for sale as well as the general decorations are worthy of mention. Amongst the attractions is a miniature representation of the famous Ferris wheel—a very creditable piece of work. A musical programme will be presented this evening. A full report will be given to-morrow.

Music Every Day.

The more music the happier the home. Why may not the same thing apply to the busy store? Mr. R. Fair of the Golden Lion, has hit upon a happy innovation in the way of a Christmas store attraction by the introduction of a pianoforte in his store presided over by a skilful lady player, who executes an attractive musical programme every day for the benefit of his throng of holiday shoppers. While the cheerful crowds do their buying the music lends a brightness and merriment to the clink of the cash carriers.

The Golden Horse-shoe.

Originality in dressing windows is more general this year than ever before, the "boys" behind the counters vieing with each other in making their show windows put on their most attractive effects. What fashionable dress is to men and women proper window displays are to a store. In the north window of Messrs. H. LeBrun & Co. the window dresser has produced a most excellent effect and the decorator deserves credit for his ingenuity and skill. A large horse-shoe has been built as a background to the window, filling the entire space from side to side and arches up the full height of the window. The symbolic words "Good Luck" is emblazoned on the face of the horse-shoe, and a well-executed bell-shaped design hangs suspended in the centre of the shoe, bearing the words "A Merry Xmas." The horse-shoe is studded with rows of the newest styles of nobby neckwear, presenting a Christmas window feature which preaches a strong trade-creating sermon. The whole window is a glass of fashion, representative of gentlemen's fashionable furnishings, and the picture is such as to make one feel that "what the eye sees the heart desires." 1d

Time is Nearly Up.

This is the week of weeks! Pre-eminently and emphatically the holiday shoppers' week. The week when the most dilatory of buyers must close their negotiations with Santa Claus. The enthusiasm of the crowds at the Peterborough Bookstore is unbounded, and the people all like it. Nothing we have ever done begins to equal what we're doing now. A holiday halo illumines this store as if Christmas electricity had struck the place. Christmas chances broadens—competition ceases—and the happy crowds tell better than anything else the relation of this store to the community. The business is on closest touch with the people. Only a few days more on the calendar. How the time will fly! You have barely time to make out your list and select your presents. Shop early at the Peterborough Bookstore and the time spent will be spent in pleasure. Storm the store! Hundreds have been served already out of our princely stock, but heaps of good things are still left.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

THE NOMINATIONS FOR COUNTY COUNCILLORS.

FULL REPORTS FROM ALL THE DIVISIONS.

Division No. 1 Returns Mr. John Burnham and Mr. Wm. Anderson by Acclamation—Mr. Robert Shaw and Mr. T. G. Eastland Elected by Acclamation in No. 3 — Lively Contests Promised in all the Other Divisions.

Yesterday the nominations for county councillors took place in the several divisions as noted in detail below. The result was that Messrs. John Burnham and Wm. Anderson, ex-reeves of Ashburnham and Otonabee were elected by acclamation for No. 1 Division and Messrs. Robert Shaw, ex-reeve of Harvey, and T. G. Eastland, of Apsley, were elected similarly for No. 3. Of the four members thus elected to serve two years each in the new county council, three are ex-wardens and the fourth, Mr. Eastland, is a new member. In all the other divisions there will be a more or less lively fight for the coveted honour. In No. 2 and No. 5 Divisions there are four candidates and in No. 6 no fewer than six aspirants for the honour of being first representatives in the first county council under the new system.

No. 1 Division,

comprising the village of Ashburnham and the township of Otonabee:

Mr. Wm. Anderson was nominated by Mr. John Lancaster, seconded by Mr. Cephas Woods.

Mr. John Burnham was nominated by Mr. Robert Spears, seconded by Mr. John Lancaster.

There being no other nominations these two gentlemen are elected by acclamation.

Division No. 2,

comprising the townships of North Monaghan, Smith and Ennismore:

James Middleton was nominated by M. E. Sanderson, seconded by E. M. Elliott.

Wm. Crough was nominated by John Young, seconded by Patrick Crough.

Joseph Forster was nominated by Geo. E. Elliott, seconded by Wm. Middleton.

Geo. W. Fitzgerald was nominated by E. M. Elliott, seconded by Chas Reynolds.

Mr. James G. Armstrong was also nominated, but retired.

No. 3, Lakehurst Division.

A large gathering of the ratepayers of Harvey, Galway, Burleigh, Anstruther and Chandos, assembled at Burleigh Falls Monday, for the purpose of nominating candidates to represent this district in the new county council. Mr. J. S. Cairnduff, occupied the chair as nominating officer. The following nominations took place:

Mr. Robert Shaw, Reeve of Harvey, was nominated by Mr. Thos. Flynn, seconded by Mr. A. Johnston.

Mr. A. Brown, Reeve of Burleigh and Anstruther, was nominated by Mr. C. D. R. Booth, and seconded by Mr. John Stone.

Mr. Wm. Hales, Reeve of Chandos, was nominated by Mr. Chas. Armstrong, seconded by Mr. Mitchell McClure.

Mr. Thos. G. Eastland, of Burleigh, was nominated by Mr. W. H. Hales, seconded by Mr. John Holmes.

Each candidate in the order of nomination addressed the electors present on the general expenditure of the county and matters of municipal interest. After the nomination and speeches, three of the candidates conferred with each other and Messrs. Brown and Hales retired in favour of Mr. Eastland, thereby electing Messrs. Robert Shaw, Reeve of Harvey, and Mr. T. G. Eastland, of Apsley, as representatives to the council for a two years term by acclamation.

Division No. 4.

comprising the village of Norwood and Havelock, and the townships of Belmont, Methuen and Asphodel:

Jos. B. Pearce, was nominated by Richard Birdsall, seconded by Ezekiel Nixon.

John Finlay was nominated by Robert Harrison, seconded by Wm. H. Bretheh.

John Brown was nominated by James Freeman, seconded by Samuel Wilson.

S. S. Joyce was nominated by Alex. McArthur, seconded by Wm. Hewson.

John Walsh was nominated by Walter Scott, seconded by Michael Lynch.

Wm. T. Buck was nominated by Thos. McMullen, seconded by Duncan Campbell.

Division No. 5.

comprising the village of Lakefield, and the townships of Douro and Dummer:

W. H. Casement was nominated by R. C. Strickland, seconded by J. Hull.

John Moloney was nominated by John Crowe, seconded by Wm. Leeson.

E. Hawthorne was nominated by Jas. Dewart, seconded by Michael Barr.

Richard Crowe was nominated by Daniel Sedgwick, seconded by Wm. Leeson.

The voting takes place at No. 2, 4 and 5 Divisions on Jan. 4th.

A SENSIBLE CHRISTMAS PRESENT.

A Library of Over 8,000 Volumes and 100 Newspapers and Periodicals for $1.50.

Parents who desire to recognize Christmas by a suitable gift of real value can do no better than give that gift the form of a ticket for the Public Library, which gives access to a well selected library of over 8,000 volumes and to the privileges of a reading room stocked with over one hundred newspapers and periodicals. No more suitable present can be given at the same price. A ticket practically gives your boy or girl a library larger than any private library in Ontario. Think this over and persuade Santa Claus to slip a Public Library ticket into your boy's or girl's stocking. Adult tickets, $1.50; family tickets, for the first $1.00, for the second $1.00, and 50c. for the third.

Kells & Co's. Doll Attraction.

The artistically dressed plate glass windows of Messrs. R. H. Kells & Co. have been the admiration of the ladies during the past week. But to the little ladies of the town, the north window has been "a thing of beauty and a joy forever." There have been more sighs heaved and more heart longings breathed in front of this particular window by the little maidens, 13 years and under, than will ever be recorded. The heart-aches which that prim little doll has caused, dressed in all her "little brief authority," beckoning to hundreds of eager little eyes that the fascinating elf has attraced, only the big basketful of letters addressed to Santa Claus can adequately reveal. As already announced, this beautiful prize doll will be given away to the fortunate young lady, 13 years or under, who will have written the best and most original letter to Santa Claus. A heavy task awits the committee of ladies to whom is assigned the duty of deciding the result of the competition. All the little girls interested are requested to be present at Mr. Kells' store between 8 and 9 o'clock on Christmas eve, when the doll will be awarded. Mr. Kells will have a surprise prepared for all, and it is expected that none of the children will be allowed to go away disappointed.

Ask your grocer for

Windsor Salt

For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best

GIFT-GETTING AND GIFT-GIVING DAYS.

GAMES
Parlour Curling, Crokinole, Parchesi, Halma, Go-Bang, Cards.

DOLLS
An army of Dolls to exterminate before Xmas. They must go and the prices will extinguish them.

TOY BOOKS
At Half Price. All Kinds. All Prices.

SLEIGHS
Children's, Boys, Babies.

Everything, everybody, now has the stamp and go of Christmas. From far and near come explorers to the Mecca for Gifts—

Stratton's Peterborough Bookstore.

Now far and near come Christmassy things—Holiday inviters of new 1896 character, and so low priced as to win the eye of shoppers.

Full preparations have been made to fit your Gift-giving needs. Take this store by storm if you like. Our staff has buckled down to the "duty" of the hour. The store has donned its holiday attire and bids you all welcome.

Albums, Purses, Mirrors, Medallions, Jewel Cases, Baskets, Cuff Cases, Brush Sets, Pin Trays, Photo Frames Onyx Tables, Xmas Cards, The Poets, The Annuals.

Our Sale of Dolls

Has been universal. We have just the tail end left and to clear out every single doll before Xmas we have marked the prices away down so that we do not expect to have a single doll left on Thursday night Pretty China Dolls for 5c. Bisque Dolls for 9c. Bisque Dolls, large, for 15c. In Children's Blocks we have decided to do the same.

Architectural Blocks

For building houses, etc., worth 25c, for 15c.
Architectural Blocks, worth 50c, for 25c.
A B C Blocks, size of box 13 x 9 inches were 40c, now 25c.

A B C Blocks.

A B C Blocks, size of box, 22 x 9 inches, were 75c, reduced to 50c, sale price 40c.
Children's Blocks 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c. The best value ever offered to clear.

Childrens' Toy Books.

Children's Toy Books, fancy stiff bound cover 5c.
Children's Toy Books, every other page a picture, illuminated, stiff bound cover 10 cents.
Children's Toy Books, lots of pictures, stiff board cover 25c.
Children's Toy Books, every other page a coloured picture, over 250 pages, regular price $1, for 40c.

Games.

We want every game sold before Thursday Authors, Go-Bang, Yachting, etc., for 5 cents.
Six kinds of 10c Games. All popular and interesting.
A big assortment of 35c Games. 16 different kinds for 25c.
Strike the Game Counter early if you want to be served at all, as the prices sell every time.

Boys' Sleighs.

Boys' Sleighs, racing steel runners 40c.
Boys' Sleighs, large racing runners 70c.
Boys' Sleighs, very large racing runners 85c.
Girl's Sleighs, a good child's sleigh 45c.
Girl's Sleighs, a size larger 60c.
Girl's Sleighs, large and roomy 75c.

A. H. STRATTON & CO.,

The Peterborough Bookstore, - - - - 417 George Street

PERSONAL.

Mr. Guy Rogers, son of Lt.-Col. H. C. Rogers, is home for the holidays from the Royal Military College, Kingston.

Mr. Lionel King is being welcomed back to town by his many friends. He is home for Christmas from Ann Arbor University, Michigan.

Mrs. James Kinmonth and sister, Miss M. Johnston, of Chicago, are at present visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stenton, 472 Park street.

Remember the Xmas Tree and Sale in aid of the St. Joseph's Hospital, Tuesday and Wednesday, 22nd and 23rd.

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $6.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for .. $3 00

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

W. J. GREEN,

No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

'CANES'

"They are a Creation, They Do Not Grow."

To-day we show a fine line of these goods in "Silver Mounted" Congo woods — the "Prince of Wales" being the favourite pattern.

Prices will be from $1.00 to $2.00.

What a nice idea for a Gentleman's Present.

To help the overtaxed pocket of Christmas shoppers we place on sale in our window a fine assortment of Christmas Novelties in

—Rings
—Bangle Pins
—Bracelets
—Enamel Spoons
—Gold Chains
—Gold Spectacles, &c.

These Goods will be offered at prices that can not help but sell them.

McClelland
300 GEORGE STREET.

Now For Christmas Week!

SPECIAL BARGAINS
...AT...
Hall, Gilchrist & Co's.

The bargains we offer this week will be sufficient attraction to draw large crowds to the PEOPLE'S POPULAR CASH STORE.

We have given all our attention to Dry Goods and assure you that we have an assortment and values not found elsewhere. Everyone invited to call.

Presents for the Baby.

(Everyone buys something for the baby)
Infants Lawn Robes 75c, $1, $1.25, $2, $3, $3.50 special prices.
Infant's Cashmere Robes $1.75, $2.75, $3.25, $4, $4.25, lovely goods.
Children's Dresses $1. $1.50, $2. $3, $4, $6.
Children's Pianfores 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, new goods.
Hemstitched Lawns for aprons 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c, sale prices.
Ladies' White Aprons 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Underwear, Golf Jerseys, Underskirts all at sale prices.

Children's Coats.

(Both comfortable and pretty)
Childrens' Elder Coat Fur Trimmings $1, $1.60, $2.50, $2.75, $4, $4.50 and $5.50.
Children's Hoods to match all the Coats at 25c and up.

Ladies' Ruffs.

Ladies' Fur Neck Ruffs $1.50, $1.75, $2.75, $4, $4.50 and $5. These goods are fully 25 per cent cheaper than you can buy them elsewhere.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, pink, sky and cream 75c.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, black, 25c, 40c and 50c.
Ladies' Ostrich Neck Ruffs, black $2 and $3 00.
Ladies' Capes $5, 7.50, $9, $16.50 in cloth, new styles.
Ladies' Plush Capes $12, $15, $18, special value.
Ladies' Fur-lined Cloaks, special sale price $9.50. Better goods $12. $15, $18, $20. latest styles.
Ladies' Dressing Jackets, (a very appropriate gift) $1.25 in all shades.
Jackets $3 goods for $6 50, better goods $10, $12, $15.

Handkerchiefs.

(A very suitable gift)
100 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, 10c quality, sale price 5c, or 6 for 25c.
20 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 12½c quality, sale price 8c.
White Embroidered Handkerchiefs 12½c, 15c, 20c 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Hemstitch Silk Handkerchiefs 10c, 15c, 25c.
Fancy Gaiters, Needle Cases, Purses, Collarettes, Silk Shawls, Umbrellas.

Men's Christmas Presents.

(Ladies' attention to this)
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs 15c, 20c and 25c special sale prices.
Men's Hemstitched Lawn Handkerchiefs, sale price 15c.
Men's Hemstitch Linen Handkerchiefs 25c, 30c and 40c.
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs 25c and 50c.
Men's White Hemstitched plain silk Handkerchiefs 25c, 35c, 40c 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c.
Fancy Brocaded Silk Handkerchiefs 45c, 60c 65c 75 cents.
Men's Cashmere Mufflers 25c. 50c, 75c, $1.
Men's Silk Mufflers $1.25, $1.50. very special.
Men's Neck Ties, 4-in-hand 25c. 35c, 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Neck Ties, made up 25c, 30c, and 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Braces 25c. 35c. 50c special.
Men's Unlined Kid Gloves, special quality to go at $1.
Full stock of Underwear, Top Shirts, Night Shirts, Collars and Cuffs.

Millinery.

(Always interesting at Christmas time)
Children's Fur Caps $1, worth $1.50.
Hats $1.50, $1.75, $2, $3, reduced to sale price.
Wool Tams 25c and 50c special.

Dress Goods and Silks.

25 Dress Costumes, all we have left at 25 per cent. reduction.
Tweed Dress Goods 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
Silks for Dresses, special $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $1 25.

Linen Table Cloths and Napkins.

Linen Cloths $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $2, $4, $5.
Linen Napkins 75c, $1, $1.25, $1 50, $2, $3.
Linen Tabling in all qualities.
Blankets 75c, $1.10, $1.25, $2.50, $3.50, $4 special.

Kid Gloves and Hosiery.

The greatest assortment of New Gloves you can find all at special prices.
Guaranteed Kid Gloves 75c, $1, $1.25.
Hosiery Cashmere 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
All mail orders receive special attention.
Rugs and Carpets at special prices
Carpet Sweepers the best in the trade.

Spot Cash. One Price. Small Profits.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

How about that Extra Pair of

TROUSERS

you promised yourself before New Years? Time to measure you now. We study your style, and when rightly made, a photograph taken from life would look something like this—see how they fit:

P. SIMONS & CO

Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY. DECEMBER 22, 1896.

STEPS UPWARD BY PUBLIC SCHOOL PUPILS.

RESULTS OF THE CHRISTMAS EXAMINATIONS.

Pupils who Succeeded in Passing—List of Honour Pupils—Names of Pass Pupils Given in Order of Merit.

Perhaps nothing contained in this issue, or any other for months past, will be read with as great a flutter of little hearts, as the following list of promoted pupils of the Public Schools. To most of these little scholars their success will be as great a triumph as winning an election will be to a political candidate.

Central School.

FROM SR. III TO JR. IV.

Honours—Owen Sawers, Albert Brandrett.

Passed — Harold Armstrong, Jessie Knox, Eva Rose, (Daisy Mills, Hattie Melville, equal), Hesk l Dean, (Maggie Roy, Willie Wilson, equal), Maggie Thompson, Pearl Pratt, Ethel Montgomery, Gertie Hutchinson, Teenee Maude, (Minnie McFarlane, Lina Clinkscale, equal), Jessie Garrow, Maggie Oldham.—19.

FROM JR III TO SR. III.

Honours — Wallace Goodfellow, Nellie Cookson, Clara Butler.

Passed—Robert Cunningham, Robert Parker, James Hamilton, Jennie Roadhouse, Mary Davidson, Annie Irwin, Elna Marks, Arthur Graham, (Harry Roberts, Will Randle, equal). Annie Fanning, Mabel Sutton, Emma Pedlar (George Hall, Harry Kingcote, equal), Olive English, Edith Pascoe, Mabel Moore, Ethel Moore, May Laing.

SR. II. TO JR III.

Honours—Fred Craig, Kathleen Martin, Dave Smith, Allison Hamilton, Maud Rush, John Tully, Pearl Fitzgerald.

Passed—Pearl Main, Aggie Davis, Lulu Seward, Jennie Isbister, Noma Logan, Charles Redding, George Armstrong, Arthur Mann, Stanley Yelland, Frank McIntyre, John Cookson, May Dunford, Ethel Bradburn, Pearl Norton, Stewart Laing, Clara Hawkins, Bertha Freeburn, Greta Symonds, Walter Reid, Flo Lush.

FROM JUN. II TO SEN. II.

Honours.—Charles Johnston, Ernest Fletcher, Clara Kidd, Norman Smith, Harry Hook.

Passed.—(Edith Crossley and Herbert Meehan, equal), Lulu Fox, Gladys Roy, Minnie Boyd, Sadie Free, Alex. Davidson, Pearl Aselstine, Robbie Duncan, Tommy Frost, Katie Graham, (Willie Lockhart and Harry Goodfellow, equal), Rosa Huggins, Eva Nesbitt, (Gordon Thornton and Willie Rose, equal), Cecil Arnott, Mary Maxwell, Lizzie Irwin, Adah Newton, Russel Thompson, Alma Foote, James Simmons, (Tommy Sargison and Melville Jamieson), Willie Graham.

FROM SEN. PART II TO JUNIOR II.

Honours.—Gertie Pollard, Willie Godfrey, Ruth Carlisle, (Tottie Ames and Edith Russell, equal). Alan Moore, Melville Robinson, (Burton Miller and Wilbert Nicholls, equal). Clinton Henry, Ray Logan, (Josie Hawkins and Ruby Main, equal), (Alex. McGregor and Maggie Reid, equal), Gertie Curry.

Passed.—(Arthur Seward and Pearl Meeks, equal), Mollie Meldrum, (Elsie Curry and Lizzie Smith, equal), (Willie Morris and Herbert Routley, equal), Valeeta Munro, Gordon Logan, Ollie Foster, Hazel Swaine, Bertha Hendren, Olive Kylie, Eddie Reed, Roberta Munro.

FROM JR. PT. II TO SR. PT. II.

Honours—Harry Ames, Willie Armstrong, Mabel Godfrey, Grace Johnston, Willie Kindred, Keith Leeb, Muriel Martin, Bruce Turnbull, Ernest Warde.

Passed,—(Bertie Laing and Newton Redner, equal), Sidney Bradburn, Charlie Kingscote, Crawford Rush, Garnet Greer, Howard Logan, Nettie Isbister, (Roy Doxsee and Harry Wheeler, equal), Stella Davies, Edna Yelland, Minnie Erskine, Harold Mowry, Alice Runnels, Mildred Lovekin, Effie McWhinnie, (Walter Burritt and Maggie McGregor, equal), Monica Somerville, Walter Belleghem, Olive Mowry, Ethel Oliver.

FROM SR. PT. I. TO JR. PT. II.

Honours, — Harold Hudson, Elinor Collins, Stanley Shaw, (Arthur Belleghem, Hazel Kidd, Irwin Marks, equal). E. Kells, Willie Metherall, Harry Mann, Rufus McKnight, Lloyd Munro, George Butler, Jack Seymour, Maggie Butler.

Passed — Ernest Randle, Hammie Nicholls, Ernest Brownscombe, Lulu Wallace, (Stanley Ion, Ada Mann, equal), Eva Irwin, (Carl Hudson, Mabel Rayequal), Effie Mann Bruce Fisher, Horace Smith, equal), (Geo. McAndrew, Daisy Robson, equal), (George Godfrey, Eddie Mann, equal), Willie Smith, (Herbert Metcalfe, Willie Williams, equal).

FROM SR. PT. I TO JR. PT. II.

Passed—Gussie Robinson, Ned Simmons, Sidney McIntyre, Roy Mann, Eddie Cooney, Oscar Coones, Willie Christoe, Cyril Lech, Bruce McMartin.

FROM JR. PT. I TO SR PT I.

Honours—Howard Moore, Vernon Craig, Lena Thorndyke, Geraldine Billington, Hilda Symonds, Ethel Rae, Mattie Robertson, Arthur Blaine, Lorne Scriver, Lillias Somerville, Olive Irwin, Lillian Cox, Edgar Grose, Herbie Johnston, Frieda Hall.

Passed—Eleanor Seward, Daisy Wood, Helen Routley, Pearl Foster.

South Central School.

FROM SR. III TO JR IV.

Honours—Maud McCrae.

Passed—Ethel Jenkins, Mabel Rickey, Eliza McWilliams, Bertha Mowry and Eva Bullen, equal), Ivy Irwin, Ethel Nicol, Cora Mowry, Ivy Jamieson, Millie Bacon, John Miller, Herbert Kent, Ethel Plummer, Nellie Pilling, Pearl Lundy, Ethel White, Jennie Hall, Ethel Barrie, Robert Robertson, Gerald Hall, Martha Jones, Zetta Harper, Mary Booth, Madge Davidson, Annie McCannan, Aggie Paterson.

FROM JR III TO SR III.

Honours—Chas. Gilbert, Robbie Hall, Amelia Rose, Ethel Wills, Archie Hillier, May Foord, Fred Kelly, Bella Campbell, Bertha Dunlop, May Taylor, Flora Campbell, Jas. Holmes, Allie Firth, Cloyd Fee, Ernest Wilson, Bertha Jones, Sadie Perry, Emma Bullen, Flo Poole.

JR. II. TO SR II

Honours—Mary Libby, Willis Vass, John Morrison.

Passed—Alice Boyd, Mabel Doten, Willie Cawthorne, Ethel Rawlings, Amy Jamieson, Eva McCrae, Sarah Booth, Minnie Wilkins, Charlie Barrie, Hugh Louden, Mary Rush, Grace Williams (Walter Miller and Fred Holland, equal); (Florence Cameron and May Adam, equal); Fred Rickner, Harold Hall, Percy Gilbert, Mildred Brightman.—23.

SR. II. TO JR. JR.

Honours—Bertie Holland, Myrtle Irwin, Harry Green, David Drake.

Passed—Fanny McFadden, Percy Dawson, Meldrin Corbett, Percy Mowry, Roy Bacon, Lizzie Fairley, Myra Moore, Alice Woods, Eddie Devine, Willie Bourne, Bruce Patterson, Beatrice Tovey, Ellen Taylor, Mona Barton—18,

JR. II. TO SEN. II.

Honours—Charlie Elliott, Arthur Vass, Arthur VanEvery.

Passed—Wilfred Jenkins, Nellie Gibson, Willie Morris, Albert Allen, Bruce Wills, Norman Smith, Blythe Buller, Nellie Glass, Ida Parrington, Ethel Mudge.

SR. PART II TO JR. II.

Honours—Vina Monerief, Luella Bullen, Maud Rome, Gertie McMillan, Florence Russell, Ida Rehill, Florence Smith, Helen Davidson, Ernest Tovey, Mabel Gilbert, Bruce Mowry.

Passed—Sam Mulligan, Willie McDonald, Ralph Hillier, Herbert McMillan, Angus Louden, Roy Mensies, Annie Hamilton, Daisy Brewer, Clarence Buller, Eliza Rush, Mary Mensies, Victor Williams, George Dunford, Sadie Starr, Olive Chambo, Stanley Gillespie, Lottie Scott, Audrey Carveth.

FROM JR. PART II TO SR. PART II.

Honours—M. Yelland, John McWilliams, Mabel Davis, Willie Allen, Allie Woods, Mamie Montgomery, Fred Reed, (Annie Kindred, Harry Latimer, equal).

Passed — Ruby Clegg, Willie Darke, (Wesley Elliott and Edith Williams, equal), Fred Haskill, Charlie Lacheur, Emily Sherwood, Charlie Ackerman, Arthur Jobe, Sidney Brewer Firth Buller, (Tommy Brownlee and Eva Campbell, equal).

FROM SR. PART I TO JR. PART II.

Honours — Walford Hatton, Reuben Hartley, (Lilian Wood and Mabel Throop, equal), Harry Huffman, Helen Williams, Arthur Emmerson, Martha Murray.

Passed—Hattie Rush, Herbert Rush, Frank Sawers, Robert Howden, Norman Barrie, (Ernest Hamilton and Frank Gibson, equal), Bessie Latimer, Katie Hamilton, Florence Corcoran, Tommy Ford, Johnny Evans, Austin Cranfield, Ethel Eagleson, Murray Nichol, Norman Corbett, Bertha Griffin, Nettie Hudson, Dixon Nicholls, Charlie Rodman, Herbert Taylor, Maud McMullen, Herbert Miller, Pearl Armstrong, Walter Baptie, Maggie Kearns.

JR. PT. I TO SR. PT. I.

Honours, — Bessie Gillespie, Walter Libby, John Brownlee, Willie Harris, Norman Hatton, Ethel Rehill, Robbie Morrison, Hazel Buller, Muriel Burritt, Pearl Smith, Carrie Armstrong, Rosa Mulholland, Reggie Winch, Irene Lilliee, Revell Connor, Lena Drake, Charlie Scott, Stanley Bamford, Ernie Armstrong.

Passed, — Jennie Gibbs, Willie Rose, Florence Grover, Archie Dryland, John McLennan, Bessie Mowry, Robbie Sherwood, Ethel Adam, Eddie Armstrong, Rob Edmunds, Robbie Sawers, Martha Bullen, Stella Blackburn, Ruby Williams, Mabel Morris, Lizzie Brewer, Hobart Dunsford, Charlie Robertson, Pearl Hudson, Willie Kerns, Pearl Warton, John Bickell, Helen Noble, Hazel Morris.

Park Street School.

JR. III TO SR. III.

Honours—John Hardwicke, John Oldham.

Passed—Louis Speer, Gerald Rackham, George Perks, Agnes Horsfield, Alma Frowde, Reid Monro, Lizzie Armstrong, Daisy Buchanan, Henry Bladen, Croyland Yokome, Nettie Dawe, Bessie Henderson, Daisy Dobbin, Alice Loch, David Hooey.

SR. II TO JR. III.

Honours—Lavinia Wilson, Jack Cameron, Maude Chapman, Malcolm Brand Robert Robertson, Harry King, Joe Kemp, Tom Dawson, Mattie Barrett.

Passed—Alfred Wynn, Lily Hall, Sam Bailey, Willie Kennedy, John Gunn, Arthur Wood, Geo. Edmondson.

JUN. II TO SEN. II.

Honours—A. Horsfield, E. Mathieson, Fred. Richardson, V. Hunter, A. Hodgson, L. Denne, R. Dawson, Pansy Kempt.

Passed.—Ida Edmondson, Frank Millikea, Emma Scott, Bertha Stenton, Leonard Dobson, Ray Burleigh, E. Weller, H. Sanderson, Clara Scott, Vernon Dawson, Lottie Kennedy, Rollie Kennedy, Irene Perks, Harry Baker, Jennie McNern.

SEN. PART II TO JUN. II.

Honours.—Lillie Yenney, Clarke Rundle, Alice Nesbitt, Vernon Morphet, Amy Hardwicke, Annie Hardiel, Mary Oldham, Nellie Gunn, John Logan, Birdie Taylor, Herb. Johnston.

Passed. — Herman Davidson, Mabel Brown, Roxie Edmondson, Harry Barrett, Frank Taylor.

JR. PART II. TO SR. PART II.

Honours—Victor Tully, Annie Allison, Birdie Job, Mabel Chapman.

Passed—Shirley Wesley, Louisa Armstrong, Lola Ostrom, Flo McIntosh, Flo Robinson, John Johnston, Jessie Mein, Max Cameron, Arthur Perks, Gordon Cox, Ada Richardson, Willie Harrer, George Hooey and Lenore Sanderson, equal.

SR. PT. I TO JR. PT. II.

Honours—Willie Cox, Bertie Weir.

Passed—Eric Kimball, May Jory, Susie Warner, Bruce Kennedy, Lillie Wilson, Clarence Rundle, Melville Wilson.

FROM JR. PART I TO SR. PART I.

Honours—Jim McNern, Warden Brown, Chester Frowde, Arthur Dawe, Harry Appleby, Arthur Blade, Charlie Horsfield, Bertie Curtis. (Geo. Cross and Thomas Johnston, equal).

Passed—Helen Harper, Minnie Pearce, Bruce Robertson, Eddie Peters, Eddie King, Elsie Dawson, Hilda Dobbin, Edna Kemp, Laura Turner, Raymond Ostrom, Alan Munro, Gordon Spear, Ada Hooper.

Barnardo Ave School.

SEN. III TO JUN. IV.

Passed.—Herbert Walton, Lawrence McClennan, Willie Pickles, John Campbell, Roland Kemp, Willie Mann, Eddie Trollope, James Melrose, Bessie Sperry, Violet Billings.

JUN. III TO SEN. III.

Honours.—Fred. Howson, Clarice McClennan, John Dandas, Hamilton Hall, Fred Clegg.

Passed.—Watson Butcher, David Watson, Roland Hilliard, Willie Tongas, Lawrence Smyth, Mabel Lush, Charlie Curtis, Willie Cooper, Howard Ellis, Gertie Hartley, Ronald McKee.

SR. II. TO JR. III.

Honour—Alma Webber, Lawrence Maguire, Hazel Chowen, Mary Pratley, Gladstone Melrose.

Passed—Gertie Wherry, Hazel Armstrong, Roscoe Howson, Alex. Mulhern, Kenneth Simpson.

JR. II. TO SR. II.

Honours—Agnes Allison.

Passed—Stanley Fife, Eva Sherwood, Howard Clegg, Annie Dundas, Bessie Elcome, Clarence Webber, Lithgow Sherwood, Dollie Hopkins, Maude Finnie, Brock Green, Bertha Wareham, Melville Mitchell, Wilfred Fitzgerald, Clarence Smith, Roxie Howson, John Davidson, Herb Long, Florence Hartley, Orval Kingdon, Gussie Daly, Wesley Flannery, George Finnie, Flo. Watson.

SR. PART II TO JR. II.

Honours—Willie Fitzpatrick, Malcolm Wallace, Willie Debbil, Sibyl White, Sadie Melrose.

Passed—Clarence Wilson, James Wallace, Willie Belleghem, Claude Sherwood, Lloyd Webber.

JR. PART II TO SR. PART II.

Honours—Philip Dawson, Max Fife, Bruce Brady.

Passed—Jennie Davidson, Teenie Hart, Ford Turner, Mabel Curtis, Cresswell Billings, Allan Milliken, Lizzie Green, Maud Cooper, Harry Hall, Charlie Ingram, Daisy Billings, Florence Armstrong, Bertha Campbell.

SR. PT. I TO JR. PT. II.

Herbert Cooper, Walter Lilley, Harry Smith, Nelson Tamblin, Walter Gordon, Stanley Kingdon, Frank Maunden, Reginald Dickinson, Herbert Belleghem, Albert Clarence Hilliard, Thos. Munden, Holden Blackwell.

JR. PT. I TO SR. PT. I.

Honours—Helen Denne, Olive Pentland, Arthur Wherry, Minnie Ellis, Douglas Byers, Claude Jackson, Wilbert Ragan, Mabel Sperry, Ethel Kemp, Mina Jackson.

Passed — Melville Hartley, Norman Allison, Bertha Jackson, Elwin Harrison, Gertie Tongas, Vera White.

George Street School.

SEN. III TO JUN. IV.

Honours.—Mabel Moore, Hattie Barrett, Lily Carlisle, Pearl Carton.

Passed.—Mabel Robertson, Jennie Horsfield, Lettie Turnbull. (Eddie Bacon and Mabel Dunnigan, equal), Ida Smith, Jessie Gunn, Percy Blade, Annette Collins, Clifford Chapman, John Ross, Elna Hutchinson, Wilhelmine Gumpricht, John Lush, Reuben Pollard, Eva McCullagh, Alberta Fritz, Vida Foote, Frank Dawson, Violet Baker, Ida Rutherford.

JR. III TO SR. III.

Honours.—Harold Lovekin, Alice Fair Maggie Gillespie, Robert Reid, Alec Donell, David Carlisle.

Passed, — Arthur Boucher, Harold Graham, Edith Anthony, Lillian Hill, Fred Staples, Alex Mann, Helene Hay, Frank Rozell, (Sadie Rutherford, Edwin Fisher). Mabel Seymour, Herbert Foy, Edna Armstrong, Bertha Strain, Lizzie Round, Fred Collins, May Foy, Lillie Lockhart.

JR. PART I. TO SR. PART I.

Honours—Florence Creamer, Fred Haggart, Ada Straine, Euphemia Smith, Ruth Anthony, Cedric Mortimer, Harry Fisher, Charlotte Harris and Howard Jeffries, equal; George Martin, Hazel Stanger, Wilbert McIntosh, Lillie Hill, Leroy Thornton.

Passed—Lillian Fair and Stanley Wade, equal; Evans Bradburn; Louise Morris, Irene Sharpe, Georgina Gumpricht.

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COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS.

List of promoted Pupils—The Names Arranged in Order of Merit.

Below may be found the results of the written examinations recently held in the two subdivisions of the Lower First Form of the Collegiate Institute. The names are arranged in the order of merit, the percentage obtained on the total being placed opposite each. All pupils that obtained 50 per cent. or over will next term constitute Grade A; the others, Grade B.

SUBDIVISION I. A.

R Nimmo	72	I Hay	71
N Fawers	70	B Turner	69
M Mahoney	68	M McGill	67
F Bell	65	G Stanley	64
W Rosboro	63	A Westlake	63
W Poussette	62	J Dixon	61
A Hall	60	L Rush	59
E Thornton	59	N Thompson	58
G Bailey	58	O Throop	57
N Fitzgerald	57	H Boulter	57
A Way	56	E Brumwell	56
J Snelgrove	56	R Cameron	55
H Wakey	55	E Maybee	55
F Brisbin	55	I Morris	55
E Ackerman	54	O Mathias	54
E Gillespie	54	B Huston	53
J Laing	53	N Stanley	52
C Manson	52	M McNeil	52
B Sanderson	50	A Gilchrist	50
A Collins	50	R Gibbs	50
A Armstrong	50	F Roy	50

SUBDIVISION I. B.

N Bell	49	G Meade	49
L Moore	48	V Bell	48
F Burnham	48	E Hill	48
M Speer	48	R Rye	48
W Peace	48	P Faint	47
W Staples	47	R Moher	47
L Hall	46	W McDonell	46
F Weir	46	B Tovey	45
E Miller	45	L Foote	45
H Gillespie	44	T Irwin	44
M Foote	44	R Stone	43
B Best	43	L Best	43
A Fuller	42	J Bell	42
W Robinson	41	J Brick	41
B Boomer	40	M Bradburn	40
B Hughes	39	F Bradburn	39
R Donell	38	G Kendry	38
F McGrath	37	M Fisher	35
J Erskine	35	A Hawkins	34
A McBain	34	N McKee	32
G Kempt	19		

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The Stock is new and as it must be sold within a limited time Big Bargains will be given.

Goods the people want. Prices the people like. This is the whole story. The sale of this Stock will be short and profitable to buyers.

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Meetings of the general public will be held this week and next to inspect the stock of meats at Kennedy & Nelson's store, 340 George street. It is the high grade stock we carry and the moderate prices we charge that draw the crowd. We are determined to sell only the best, and to this end we have our stock shipped from the west where nothing but the highest grade of cattle is raised.

We have had our store made more inviting than usual, by decorating the windows with holly and deer heads. Inside the store you will find the most delicious meats.

Our Beef is of the best; our Pork cannot be found fault with; our Canned Goods must go, although being sacrificed; our Mince Meat sells where sold before; our Lard has been found satisfactory; the Butter we handle is No. 1.

We have great advantages in the fowl line, by having bought ahead all the fowl required, which goes into the hundreds.

SPECIAL TO THE LADIES.

We have bought a National Cash Register which sits on a marble counter in a convenient part of the store. On the top of it is a most handsome mirror. It is a most beautifully designed machine. Every sale is registered, and every purchaser gets a receipt for her purchase, and if she keeps them until the required amount is obtained, which will be found on every receipt, will be redeemed at our stores, 340 George street, or 387 Water street.

We are very desirous of having you, one and all, call and see for yourselves what we really do keep.

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Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

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And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc

Store Can Be Secured.

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Mercer's

Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue the business in his own name in future.

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Ninety-eight per cent. of all cases of consumption are cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It corrects all disorders of the digestive organs, invigorates the liver and makes the appetite keen and the assimilation perfect; it makes new blood, pure blood, and lots of it. It builds new and healthy tissue. It is the great flesh-builder. It acts directly on the lungs, driving out all impurities and disease germs. Thousands have testified to its merits. All good druggists keep it.

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Without the wind was wailing,
The night was cold and drear;
Within the red logs crackling,
Proclaimed the Christmas cheer.

"If Santa Claus would only,"
Said little Bertha, "now
Come down the jet black chimney
With painted doll and cow.

"With elephant and zebra,
And scarlet cockatoo,
Rhinoceros and camel,
And frog and kangaroo,

"I should be very happy
To see his features sweet,"
Her father said, with laughter,
"The logs would burn his feet."

He sent them to the kitchen
And told them that no doubt
Santa'd come down the chimney
When he saw the logs put out.

Then upstairs went the father
A-laughing with delight,
Put on a great fur ulster
And hair and whiskers white.

He brought the toys down with him,
And when they flocked about
He gave them fruit and candies
And laughed to hear them shout.

He gave them toys and kissed them,
And sent them up to bed,
That he might join the reindeer
And speed upon the sled.

"The children all are happy,"
Unto his wife said he,
"And we shan't have the bother
Of dressing up that tree.

"Hurrah for all the blessings
That light our cozy ken!
Hurrah for Merry Christmas
And peace unto all men!

TWO CHRISTMAS EVES

CHAPTER I.

"Not another word, sir," said old Eben Withers in his usual decisive manner. "I know nothing about the girl, and I don't desire to, but I do not intend you to marry for some years, and then you are not to choose a penniless bride. You are to build up the family fortune, sir, not scatter it. No; I will not listen." And he turned to his morning paper again.

Young Eben said more than his prayers sometimes, and it would not do to set down all he said to himself as he left the room. He was as plucky a lad as there was in seven counties

"LET US PART IN KINDNESS."

around, but he had always been obedient, partly from a sense of duty and partly because of the genuine love that existed between father and son.

But even young Eben, after he met Miss Mildred, saw things a little differently and would perhaps have used another word than love in speaking of his father. Certainly it did not seem as if his filial love was very strong when he came to tell her what his father had said. In those days he told her everything. Afterward he grew older and learned a good many things.

Miss Mildred did not take it well. Young Eben was dissatisfied with the promptness with which she said that she would never forgive herself if she should be the cause of a quarrel between him and his father.

Young Eben looked at her attentively before speaking again, and that was a thing calculated to bewilder a man. You couldn't fully appreciate the beauty of her brown hair with its odd gleams of red and of gold before you would be admiring her broad low forehead, full in the temples, rounded and symmterical as it was. Then a flash from her deep, large, hazel eyes would fasten your gaze for a mement, till the perfect complexion and chiseled, classic features would coax it away, and the sweet glory of her face would perplex you so with its multiplicity of charms that you would fall to wondering which of them was most to be desired.

All this beauty, which his father had undertaken to deny him, without even seeing it, made young Eben desperate. "Then you want me to marry some other woman," he said.

"No, no! Never!" she exclaimed almost wildly as she threw her perfect arms around his neck and began to sob at the thought. Her quick emotions were not the least of her charms.

And that is why she did not take it well. She would, and she wouldn't listen to either side of the question. Young Eben must obey his father, and he must never cease to love her, nor ever marry any one else. And nothing was ever to induce her to waver in any respect. It was delightful—and somewhat perplexing.

"If you won't settle the matter," he said finally, "I will." This, by the way, was what he had intended from the first.

"Settle it, how?" she asked in some alarm.

"By marrying you," he said firmly, "but not just now. I will do nothing rashly."

It must be said that the next few months were pretty hard ones for the boy. He had set himself to wait till he should be of age, the next December, not with the thought of defying his father even then, but because he would render his services loyally to the last day. So time went on. His duty was done at his desk in the counting room so well that his father could not complain, rigid taskmaster though he was. His sweetheart was not neglected, and yet he found time, or made it, to keep up his studies faithfully.

Of course, the birthday came in due time. Birthdays do. In the morning old Eben met him with something like emotion.

"I have looked forward to this day," he said, "as anxiously as you. You have been a good son and I believe you always will be. I am proud of you, and I believe you will live to be proud of yourself. Now that you are a man I want to start you with this. It is yours to do with as you like."

"This" was a check for a small fortune. He took it from his pocket as he spoke and handed it to the young man, who flushed with surprise and perfect natural pleasure as he looked at it.

"It would be idle, sir, to try to thank you in words for this, or for all your kindness to me all my life," he said. "But I have something else to ask. Even this princely gift of money seems small compared to that."

Old Eben's face darkened. He did not like to hear money spoken of lightly, and it seemed an ungracious speech. However, he spoke kindly and with all sincerity.

"What is it, my son? You are not likely to ask anything that I could refuse to-day."

"I want you, sir, to reconsider what you said about my marrying. Let me introduce you to the woman—"

The dark face grew rigid. "Let us understand this now," said the father interrupting. "I insist upon your obedience so long as I play the part of a father. I have no legal claim, I know—"

"Don't talk of a legal claim, father," said the son, interrupting in his turn.

"Very well. It is not a claim, but I am still your father, and so long as you continue in my home you are my son. Let me hear no more of this folly. I will never consent to this marriage. Do you understand?"

"I do, God help me!" exclaimed young Eben. "And you must understand me also. I shall certainly marry the girl I love, and I do not change, sir, any more than you. I will obey you in all else, but not in this."

"Then we may as well part now," said old Eben, stung beyond endurance by the first defiant words he had ever listened to. "You can have no claim on me henceforth."

"If we part," said the lad, his voice breaking, "let us part in kindness at least. I ask for nothing more." And he stepped forward with his hands outstretched.

But the other drew back. "I said you had no claim on me. My kindness was for my son, not for an ingrate. Obey me and everything shall be as it was. If not, go now."

With a despairing gesture the young man turned away, but his father spoke, "Stop a moment," he said. "You have forgotten your check." And he pointed to where young Eben had dropped it on the table. "I gave you that, sir, before you had defied me. It is still yours."

"I cannot take it, father," said young Eben, with some spirit, though not defiantly, "You would not give it to *me* now, and I cannot receive what does not come from your hearty good will."

"As you choose," said his father. "I certainly would not give it to you now."

And after the young man left the room he picked up the slip of paper and tore it in bits before throwing it into the fire. Then, seating himself at the table, he rang for his breakfast. When it was brought, however, he sat for an hour looking straight before him and finally, leaving it untouched, he arose and went to his office.

"God help your poor father," said Mildred as she nestled in young Eben's arms in the shelter of their new home the night before Christmas.

"Amen!" said young Eben. "He is poor, indeed, in loneliness, but I never can cease loving him."

CHAPTER II.

It was a bright, happy year for the youngsters, contrary to the laws of fiction, for they had love and hope and hard work to fill the time and good common sense to guide them, but old Eben had never relented, and there

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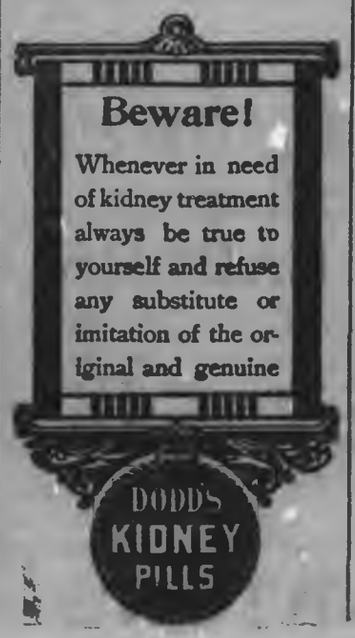
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TWO CHRISTMAS EVES.

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was a shadow over the little home, happy as it was. One evening late in the year young Eben had come home from his work and settled himself, as his habit was, to study, when he was suddenly interrupted.

"I want to talk a little while," said Mildred, pulling his book away and seating herself on his knee.

"Good," said young Eben, smiling, "but you must pay for my time."

But after she had done that very satisfactorily with a kiss she sat for a long time with her head on his shoulder, saying nothing till at length he said, "I thought you wanted to talk to me, dear?"

Still she was silent a moment, as if it were hard to begin. Then she said, "What would you like best for a Christmas present?"

Young Eben laughed. "It's some time to Christmas yet," he said. "I hadn't thought. Besides you gave me the most precious gifts in the world last Christmas. Anything else would seem very small after that."

"How lovely to say that!" she exclaimed, kissing him again. "And to say it as if you meant it. But that is just what I am afraid of."

This was bewildering. "What are you afraid of?" asked young Eben.

"I think"—she faltered, "that the angels are going to bring you—about Christmas time—a blessed gift, straight from heaven, and I'm afraid you'll love it more than you do me. Then came a

"FOOL!" SHE BEGAN.

flood of tears—happy ones that young Eben was too wise to try to stop.

Old Eben might have softened a bit if he had known about this, but, of course, he didn't. He kept himself well informed about the lad he loved, but proud as he was to see that his son could make his way in the world without help, he was sensitive enough to feel it an injury to his own importance and unreasonable enough to feel his anger increasing week by week. One day when he was more incensed than usual he made a will leaving all his fortune to a distant cousin, Alice Withers, who had come to keep house for him.

And so the breach seemed hopeless, but Christmas was coming again, and strange magic is working everywhere in the Christmas season, softening men's hearts and quickening all impulses to peace and good will. As the year drew to a close old Eben grew weaker and more infirm. Day after day he sat alone, careless of his business, thinking always of his ruined hopes and eating his heart out. On young Eben's birthday he shut himself in his room and would see no one, but he was harder than ever next day. hopes and eating his heart. On young Eben's birthday he shut himself in his room and would see no one, but he was harder than ever next day.

Nothing moved him till that strange magic of Christmastide came. Here, there and everywhere it worked, penetrating even old Eben's mansion despite the barred doors, and reaching his stony heart as he sat thinking of his well beloved son, and of his wife of his youth, so long dead.

It was another stormy Christmas eve. Suddenly he rang for a servant, and sent for his lawyer in haste and within an hour he sat alone again, looking with a happy smile at the new will he had made. "I will go to my son in the morning," he said to himself, "and we will have a happy Christmas once more."

Smiling tenderly, he fell asleep in his armchair in front of the great open fire place, where the flames were roaring up the chimney. After a time he awoke with a start.

Between him and the fire stood Alice reading the will he had just made. She was furious with rage as he saw at a glance, and just as he started she was about to tear the document in two.

With an angry cry he leaped forward, his indignation giving him a strength he had not felt for months. His cry startled her, and with a quick movement she cast the paper into the flames before he could reach her. Then with a mocking laugh she turned toward him.

"Fool!" she began. "Do you think."

And then she stopped. The shock had been too much for the old man, and he fell on the floor before her insensible.

That night in young Eben's cottage there came a feeble wail, telling that a new born soul had flown in through the storm to the warm shelter of a happy mother's arms. All was well, the nurse said as she brought the lusty man child out, for Eben to see, and

LOOKED TO SEE WHAT IT MIGHT BE.

the young father's heart was moved with a great yearning. It must not be, he thought, that there should be any anger or hatred any more in the world. Whatever lay in his power he would do to bring peace.

So, when the first excitement was over and he was told that Mildred was asleep, and must not be disturbed, he buttoned himself in his greatcoat and set out in the storm to seek his father's house and ask once more for his love.

The wind buffeted him, and he laughed. The driving snow beat upon him, and he shook it off lightly. Suddenly a paper fluttered along on the gale and struck him in the face, and he instinctively reached up and caught it. Then, stepping under a light, he looked to see what it might be.

Here was magic, if you please. The will that Alice had thrown into the flames had been caught in the roaring draft of the old-fashioned chimney and had been carried by the spirit of Christmas straight to the hands of the heir. It was scorched a little, but not injured.

Young Eben glanced through it and then noted the date, and with a glad shout sprang forward again. At his father's door Alice met and would have stopped him, but he pushed her aside with a laugh and went straight to the old man's room.

There lay old Eben, weak from his fainting fit, but little worse for it.

"My son! My son!" he cried out eagerly. "Now I can die in peace."

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Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper—that portion containing the wording "SUNLIGHT SOAP." These (called "Coupons") are to be sent enclosed with a sheet of paper on which the competitor has written his or her full name and address, and the number of Coupons sent in, postage paid to Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto, marked on the Postal Wrapper (top left-hand corner), with the NUMBER of the DISTRICT Competitor lives in.

No. of District	Name of District
1	Western Ontario, consisting of Counties York, Simcoe & all Counties W. and S. of these
2	East Ontario, consisting of Counties Ontario, Muskoka & all Counties E. & N. of these
3	Province of Quebec
4	Province of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the 5 districts, prizes will be awarded as follows:

The 5 competitors who send in the largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Gold Watch, value $25.

2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

5. Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., will endeavor to award the prizes fairly to the best of their ability and judgment, but it is understood that all who compete agree to accept the award of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., as final.

LEVER BROS., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto

The Bicycles are the celebrated Stearns', manufd. by F. B. Stearns & Co., Syracuse, N.Y., & Toronto, Ont. Each wheel is guaranteed by the makers and has complete attachments

SO RICH—SO PURE—SO WHOLESOME—SO DELICIOUS

KURMA PURE CEYLON Tea

BLACK OR MIXED IN HALF AND ONE POUND PACKETS ONLY AT ALL GROCERS—25, 30, 40, 50 AND 60 CENTS A POUND

THE DAVIDSON & HAY, LTD., WHOLESALE AGENTS, TORONTO

What Nicer Present TO GIVE OR GET THAN A PLANT IN BLOOM?

—Carnations, —Azaleuas,
—Primulas, —Calla Lillies,
—Begonias, —Heliotropes,
—Abutilons, —Geraniums, Etc.,

Now in Flower and will Flower all Winter.

WEST-END GREENHOUSES,

465 PARK STREET, at residence of G. M. Roger.

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Very Handsome BRASS BANQUET LAMPS —AND— Library Lamps —AT— W. A. SANDERSON'S

The Jeweler and Optician.

A brilliant lamp, the blazing hearth and the long winter evenings afford delightful moments in every well regulated home. Remember to look at my attractive stock of Ornamental Lamps when out shopping. They make a lovely present.

LIFE ASSURANCE.

Rate of Interest Earned in 1895 by Leading Canada Life Companies.

THE SUN LIFE OF CANADA	5.26
" Great West Life	5.25
" Ontario Mutual	5.21
" North American	4.95
" The Canada Life	4.58
" Confederation Life	4.43

The above figures are taken from "Money and Risks" based on the reports published in the Dominion Government Blue Book.

As INTEREST is the CHIEF ELEMENT entering into the PROFIT EARNING power of any Company, the above figures plainly show the enviable position held by the SUN LIFE OF CANADA.

W. H. HILL,

Manager for Central Ontario,

400 Water Street, Peterborough, Ont.

Discharge the Doctor and Stick to the Creamy

DIAMOND ♦ ALE

For a Spring Tonic This is both Medicine and Advice. In Pints and Quarts. Brewed from the Finest Hops and Choicest Malt by the Toronto Brewing and Malting Co. L'td.

India Pale Ale, Amber Ale, EQUALLY WHOLESOME and FATTENING, Extra Stout, Half and Half

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RY

For Christmas and New Year's —HOLIDAYS—

WILL ISSUE ROUND TRIP TICKETS AS FOLLOWS:

GENERAL PUBLIC

Single First-class Fare

Going December 24 and 25; Returning until December 26, 1896.
Going December 31 and January 1; Returning until January 2, 1897.

Single First-class Fare & One-Third

Going December 23 to 25, December 30 and 31 and January 1; Returning until January 4, 1897.

TEACHERS AND STUDENTS

(On surrender of Certificate signed by Principal)

Single First-class Fare & One-Third

Going December 11 to 24; Returning until January 11, 1897. To all stations in Canada, Windsor, Sault Ste. Marie, Port William and East.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS

(On presentation of Commercial Travellers' Railway Certificate.)

Single First-class Fare

Going December 19 to 25; Returning until January 4, 1897. To all stations in Canada. Ask your agent for a Christmas Card.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

Special Excursion Fares TO ALL POINTS IN CANADA.

1896--CHRISTMAS--1896

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE

Going December 24th and 25th, 1896, returning December 26th, 1896.

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE AND ONE THIRD

Going December 23rd to 25th 1896 inclusive, returning January 4th, 1897.

1897--NEW YEAR'S--1897

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE.

Going December 31st, 1896, and January 1st, 1897, returning not later than Jan. 2nd, 1897.

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE AND ONE-THIRD

Going December 30th and 31st 1896, and January 1st, 1897, returning not later than January 4th, 1897.

School Vacations.

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE AND ONE-THIRD to Teachers and Students on surrendering standard form of School Certificate. Tickets to be issued December 11th to 24th, 1896 inclusive, valid to return not later than January 11th, 1897. For full particulars apply apply to

GEO. J. HORKINS, or WM. HAYDEN, City Agt., Bradburn's Block Depot Agt.

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SELECTS AND STANDARDS.

FISH.

—Salmon Trout, —Kippered Herring,
—Whitefish, —Sloccos,
—Finnan Haddie, —Fresh Herring,

FRUIT.

—Catawaba Grapes —Bananas,
—New Lemons, —Chestnuts,
—New Oranges, —Cranberries,

RELISHES.

—New Canadian Club House Cheese,
—Heinz's German Relishes,
—Curtis' Free. Catsups,
—Curtis' Preserved Fruits,
—English Worcestershire Sauce.
—Boston Salted Beans.

VEGETABLES.

—Bermuda Onions, —Parsnips,
—Celery, —Cauliflowers,
—Sweet Potatoes, —Carrots,
—Cabbage,

CANNED FRUIT, CANNED FISH, CHOICE CONFECTIONERY

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Gas at $2 per Thousand Cubic ft.
Gas (for cooking or heating) at $1.25 per Thousand Cubic ft.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Arc Lamps, $65.00 per Annum,
Incandescent Lamps, (16 Candle) $7.50 per Annum.

Series Lamps, 66 c. p., not furnished.

Incandescent Lamps for house lighting, by meter at 2 cent per 16 c. p. lamp per hour.

A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

"MIST" 10c.

COUGH LOZENGES.

Will clear your Throat in a Minute

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HOLIDAY FURS
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Our tables are overflowing with everything in Fine Furs just the most exquisite sorts for Xmas Giving. A specially selected stock for a Special Trade and marked at special Prices. Sales are being freely made.

There's a general acclaim on all sides as to the exclusiveness of our stock and we are laying ourselves out to give the people the most for their money, never forgetting Quality counts more than a dollar or so in selecting a Fur Garment. We Guarantee what we sell.

Attractive windows indicate what you'll see inside—come in at once.

To all and everyone we wish a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year.

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WRITING CONTEST.

Prizes Donated by Mr. H. Calcutt to Ashburnham Public School.

Last summer Mr. H. Calcutt, who always takes a deep interest in educational matters, offered two prizes to the Third, Fourth and Fifth Classes of Ashburnham Public School for the best vertical writing at the December examinations.

The contest took place last week, and and the papers were submitted to Inspector Brown, who very kindly consented to act as judge. His decisions were as follows:

First prize—Mollie Blois. She receives $1.00

Second prize—Laura Craig. She receives 50 cents.

Mabel Scott took third place, and Edith Beattie fourth place, and many others were almost as good.

By giving these prizes, Mr. Calcutt encouraged the pupils very much in their efforts to become good writers, and he deserves and receives the hearty thanks of the teachers, pupils, and all interested in the welfare of Ashburnham Public School.

Carelessness in girlhood causes the greatest suffering and unhappiness in after life. Little irregularities and weaknesses in girls should be looked after promptly and treatment given at once. Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription promotes regularity of all feminine functions, makes strength and builds up a sturdy health with which to meet the trials to come. The Favourite Prescription is not a universal panacea. It is good for but one thing. It is directed solely at one set of organs.

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AN OPEN LETTER.

To Candidates for the Council of 1897—The Treatment of the Deserving Unemployed.

GENTLEMEN,—We would respectfully draw your attention to a question of importance which has hitherto received no practical solution. We refer to the question of providing work during the winter season for the unemployed poor. If a man be out of work and out of money in Peterborough he must beg or starve. The town does not provide temporary employment for those who are unable to find work. Strange to say, it prefers to give charity. It would be a timely and excellent act for some man to take this matter up and deal with it thoroughly and properly.

Yours, etc.,
A MEMBER OF CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Hockey match to-night.

—The Board of Trade meets to-night.

—The Butler case is again enlarged at the Police Court.

—The skating and curling rink is now open for the season,

—Mount Hebron Encampment, No. 56, I.O.O.F., meets to-night.

—Meetings are called this evening of the License Committee and Court of Revision.

—Thos. Brown on a charge of drunkenness was discharged by the Magistrate this morning.

—A couple of wages cases against Corry & Laverdure were enlarged at the Police Court this morning.

—Mr. Whiten's photograph studio will be open on Christmas Day, for special sittings and family groups.

—The owner of a horse blanket picked up on Aylmer street this afternoon, may have his property by applying at the police station.

—The seats of the Ramsay Rich entertainment in the Opera House on Christmas afternoon and evening are being rapidly taken.

—The sun in its unwearied course has now reached its extreme southern limit, and soon the days will cease becoming shorter and start out again on the lengthening process. The shortest days of the year are Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

—The Christmas tree and sale in aid of the House of Providence, St. Joseph's Hospital, opened to day in the rooms of Catholic Association, over Cox & Davis' The articles for sale comprise children's clothing, useful and fancy goods, toys and articles suitable for holiday presents. Meals served at all hours for 15c.

Overwhelming money - saving chances at Grafton & Co's Xmas Sale.

COLDSPRINGS SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Successful Annual Entertainment—A Fine Programme Presented.

The annual Christmas entertainment in connection with the Coldsprings Union Sunday School was held last night. There was a very large attendance, including the choir of the Charlotte street Methodist church, and the entertainment was in every was a delightful success.

Mr. H. P. Kennedy, superintendent, occupied the chair, and introduced the following programme:

Opening selection	Choir
Address	Thos Spears
Vocal solo	Miss Ames
Reading	Chas Lisson
Marching song	School children
Ladies' quartette	Misses Delande, Robinson, Sherlock and Stevens
Dialogue—"Playing Doctor"	
Vocal solo	Miss Minnie Kitney
Reading	Mr D Kennedy
Club swinging	Miss Maggie Gille pie and Miss E Long
Children's exercise	
Vocal solo	Miss Florence Hall
Reading	Mr H P Kennedy
Dialogue (in 3 acts)—"High Life below Stairs"	
Instrumental duet, mouthorgan and guitar	
Recitation	Master Willie Huston
Children's exercises—"Wisdom's Treasures"	
Reading	Mr Beer
Male quartette	Messrs Steers, Mabee, Harvey and Skitch
Dialogue	
Recitation and Tableau	

God Save the Queen.

The Sunday School children deserve great credit for the pleasing way in which they went through the exercises.

At the conclusion of the programme the choir was very hospitably entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Kennedy at their residence.

Children Free.

Adams & Son's Co., 11 and 13 Jarvis street, Toronto, Ont., are sending out some very handsome paper dolls with moveable heads and bodies. They send a set of sixteen for nine cents in stamps, or a sample one for the children free.

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5.75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 236 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

Ladies and Gentlemen, too, who desire to make a particularly happy hit in the way of a Present are advised to shop at MISS MELVILLE'S FANCY GOODS STORE, 424 George Street. Save you much thinking.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS.

Suffering from Weak Kidneys, Many Cannot Find Rest.

Cure Where Other Pills Fail.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Effected a Lasting Cure—The Grateful Woman Tells how she was Restored to Health—Let Others Profit by Her Experience.

As long as one can eat well and sleep well, one's health is not materially impaired. Food and sleep are Nature's restoratives. Many an ache or pain, many a deficient secretion or abnormal excretion, is overlooked in the beginning until slumber and digestion are effected.

Then the patient becomes alarmed.

Kidney diseases may be detected early by examination of the urine. But most people let that pass without paying attention. When Kidney Disease becomes further advanced, they affect the nerves of brain and stomach. Appetite fades away and Insomnia stalks in.

Stop the encroachments of Kidney Diseases at the outset. Take care of your Kidneys and your Kidneys will take care of you.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are the Restoratives of Science. Made from harmless herbs they act directly upon the kidneys and repair them. At any stage of Kidney Disease they are the medicine to use.

Never known to fail. Thousands of cures. Here's one:

OWEN SOUND, Ont., Dec. 3.—Mrs. Lydia King, of 63 Beech street, certifies to the value of Dodd's Kidney Pills, after having tried various other pills in vain for relief, she writes: "I have been troubled with Kidney Disease, which led me to insomnia. At times my urine was very bad and I could not hold it. I tried several other medicines but of no use. I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills and I concluded to try them, and I can highly recommend them, as they have been the means of curing my disease.

MRS. LYDIA KING.

Price 50c. a box. If not on sale at your druggists, write Dodds Medicine Co., Toronto, enclosing 50c. in stamps.

Catholic Prayer Books—a big line—cheap at SAILSBURY'S.

T. Fitzgerald's Wood and Coal Yard.

All customers kindly leave orders at once and avoid the rush Thursday, as I cannot deliver Christmas Day.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., Box 55.) 12d133

B. Brown & Co., 394 George Street.

Our Christmas fruits are the finest obtainable in Montreal and Toronto markets. We have just laid in a choice stock with the intention of supplying the town. Connoisseur Cluster Raisins, Currants, Layer and Cooking Figs, Prunes, Dates, Piper's pure Chocolate, Spices and everything needful for Christmas cakes and puddings. Don't forget to call.—B. BROWN & Co., Grocers, also Wines and Liquors.

A Very Fine
OLD CANADIAN
WHISKY,
$3 50 per gallon at
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COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Canadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

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BALL & CO.

Can suit everybody. They keep the latest style of goods to make up to your order, and will give you the new fashionable cut with perfect fit, as only a practical tailor can.

TAKE NOTICE.—No garment can ever fit if it has to be altered and dragged to pieces, after being cut to your measure.

Good Goods, no misfits or trying on repair

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Cox's New Block Water Stree

PROF. GREGOR'S LECTURE.

The Life and Accomplishments of the Great German Poet, Goethe.

The Ottawa Citizen of Friday, Dec. 18th, has the following in reference to Prof. Gregor, of McGill University, who will deliver his great lecture on Goethe, in the George street Methodist church, to-morrow evening, when the admission will be free—a silver collection being accepted at the door. The Citizen says:—

"A rare treat was enjoyed last evening by a fairly large and thoroughly appreciative audience in the lecture hall of the *Normal School building*. Professor Gregor, Ph.D., of Heidelberg University, who occupies the chair of German in McGill University, brought to his subject a wealth of knowledge and appreciation that put his hearers "en rapport" with the subject—Goethe. All who had the privilege of hearing the lecturer were delighted. The doctor touched on the youth of Goethe—his mother's beautiful character, and great influence on her son, his student life and early love of letters, relations towards his college professors, his distaste for professional life, his invitation and subsequent appointment as Prime Minister to the Court at Weimar. Goethe's chief works, including his great masterpiece, "Faust," his sincere friendship for Schiller, his undisputed pre-eminence in the whole field of German literature, his culture, fondness for art and science, were all dwelt upon. Prof. Gregor has a pleasing manner and an impressive delivery.

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For wearing shabby and misfitting Garments when you can secure A 1 goods and perfect fit at the following prices at 432 GEORGE STREET:

Trousers..... $3, $4, $5
Suits..... $12, $14, $16
Double Breasted Ulsters $12, $13, $15.
Handsome Ties and Braces for the Xmas trade.

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Arrangement made to meet the wishes of those desiring same. 422 George St., North of Foot & McWhinnie.

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MINING SHARES FOR SALE—12,000 shares of the Slocan Queen Mine at 10c. per share also one-seventh interest in the Tough Nut and United Empire Mine. For particulars address J. D. BROOK, Box 545, Peterborough.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET: central locality. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. 6eod135

TO LET—NO. 198 KING STREET; HEATED by hot water; bath. Apply to W. RUDKINS, 185 King street. 2d140

HOUSE TO LET—62 WATER STREET; 7 rooms; city water. Apply to ADAM HALL. dtf

FOR SALE—A GOOD MEDIUM SIZE, J. & J. Taylor Safe with Combination Lock—a bargain. Apply at the EXAMINER Office. dtf

265 HUNTER STREET—FURNISHED Rooms to rent; with or without board.

TO RENT—SEVERAL COMFORTABLY Heated Rooms Bank of Commerce Buildings; suitable for bedrooms or offices. Apply to 457 George street. dtf93

TO RENT IMMEDIATELY—HOUSE NO. 211 Barnardo Avenue; nearly opposite the North Ward School. Apply at 457 George Street. dtf

OFFICE TO RENT—RECENTLY OCCUPIED as American Consulate and Rochester Star Nursery, No. 41 Water Street, next the Post Office; good vault, heated with hot water; all modern conveniences. Apply to DENNISTOUN, PECK & STEVENSON. dtf

TO LET—NO. 133 EDINBURGH STREET, corner of Aylmer, newly papered and painted. Apply to J. J. Landy, over China Hall. dtf

TO RENT—IMMEDIATELY—HOUSE No. 468 Park street; $7 a month. Apply to TORONTO SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY, 457 George street. dtf

FOR SALE—A DOUBLE OFFICE DESK with 16 drawers; as good as new. Will be sold cheap as it is larger than owner requires. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. ft

HOUSE FOR SALE IN ASHBURNHAM—large two story, solid White Brick House, containing 11 rooms, cellar under all; furnace, (hot air); hard and soft water; stable for horse and cow; good orchard; having a frontage on Elizabeth street of 102 feet by a depth of 200 feet. Will be sold at a bargain and on easy terms. Apply to HALL & HAYES, Barristers, Peterborough. dtf

FOR SALE—FINE TWO STORY BRICK Dwelling, 270 King Street; well built and warm; inside finish hard wood; hard and soft water; heated with hot water furnace; good brick shed and other improvements. Also for sale Lots Nos. 2 and 3 south of Rink street. Apply to THOMAS CORKERY on the premises

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Every nook and corner of the store filled with the most delirabe things for Christmas.

Valencia Oranges	Canned Delicacies
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Spanish Grapes	Fine Confectionery
Luscious Figs	Apples, Bananas
Toothsome Dates	English Walnuts
Crosse & Blackwell's Specialties	
Cranberries	Sea Palms, etc.
Celery	Finnan Haddies
Fine Fish, etc.	Fowl

Xmas Oysters Select—cans or bulk.

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Only Best Goods.

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Handsome Christmas Gifts both sensible and attractive are found in our stock of tableware.

—Pearl Handle Dessert Sets,
—Fish Sets,
—Coffee Spoons,
—Ice Cream Forks,
—Berry Spoons,
—Gravy Ladles,
—Cream Ladles,
—Pepper Dusters,
—Salt Cellars,
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HOLIDAY HINTS FOR THE LADIES

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Ladies' $1.00 Corsets..... Reduced to 75c
Ladies' 75c Corsets..... Reduced to 50c
Ladies' 50c Corsets..... Reduced to 40c
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Finest and Cheapest Vests in Town. Cheaper grades similarly reduced in price.

Men's $1.00 Shirts and Drawers.....reduced to 75c
Men's 75c Shirts and Drawers.....reduced to 55c
Handkerchiefs—2 for 5c and up to 25c each.

JUST RECEIVED—A Holiday line of Ladies and Children's Lined Kid Mitts and Gloves, from 50c to 85c.

Wool Tam O'Shanters, in various colours, only 23c.

Remember C. G. Gemmell's Removal Sale Now Going on at 325 George Street, Opposite Market Building.

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If you want to see one of the grandest "Old Time" displays of Christmas Meats visit J. J. Howden's Meat Mart, 461 George Street. Excellent supplies of well-fed Beef, Lamb, Veal and Pork. Great Show of our Sugar-Cured Hams, Breakfast Bacon, Spiced Rolls, Tongue, Sausage, Fancy Meats, Chopped Suet, etc. Abundant supply of Turkeys, Geese, and Chickens—all ready for your Christmas bill of fare.

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More customers every day. Crowds all eager to buy now as we will not be here to sell you another year. Fathers, Mothers, Daughters and Sons, now realize that this Sale means what we advertise, A BIG SAVING ON THEIR PURCHASES.

Our 'Xmas Goods are all opened up this week. They had all come to hand before I decided or even thought of selling out, and now that I have mde the decisions out the goods must go. No stock in town equal as to variety and newness of goods. Only two weeks more and Xmas will be over. Help yourself by saving money and you will help me.

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GOLDEN LION.

Novel Attraction for a Big Holiday Trade.

These are busy times for the wide-awake retailers, and the Golden Lion has caught the spirit of the occasion. Our whole staff have been planning and working like beavers in order to put extra enthusiasm into the Christmas Holiday Work. This store has had some mighty creditable displays in its time, but this shall out-class any and all previous efforts. We believe we have enough special features planned for the next week to keep us on the jump from morning till night. Some "overtime" may be required, but what matters it, "Christmas comes but once a year."

To lend additional brightness to the scene we have made special arrangements for a Five Days **Musical Reception** to be given to the shoppers at this store. One of Williams' Upright Grand Pianos has been placed in position and a skilled lady musician will preside at the piano every day from nine o'clock, a m., until the store closes.

Here are some of the many specials to tempt the busy throng of Christmas shoppers :—

—Harrison's Perfumes 35c oz. Bring your bottles and have them filled.
—Harrison's Sachet Powders.
—Silver Mounted Mirrors 25c, 35c and 50c.
—Silver Mounted Toilet Bottles 35c.
—Triple-plate Silver Mugs, handsomely chased 25c and 35c.
—1000 sheets Popular Music, instrumental and vocal, 5c per sheet. Selections from this music will be played each day.
—Ladies' Fancy Belts 25c, 50c and 75c.
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Ladies' Fine Unlined Kid Gloves, shaded Blacks, were $1.00	50
Ladies' Lined Kid Gloves, Blacks and Tans, extra lengths, were $1.75	1 00
Ladies' Lined Kid Mitts, were $1.50	1 00

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THE CHICAGO PANIC

President Lyman Gage Uses Strong Expressions

REGARDING FIRST NATIONAL BANK

One Black Sheep Does Not Indicate That the Whole Flock is Bad—Other Banks are in Good Shape—The Bank of Minnesota, at St. Paul, Goes Under,

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Lyman G. Gage, president of the First National Bank, said last evening concerning the National Bank of Illinois suspension : "It is better that such an institution should be pushed to the wall instead of continuing and spreading out. If there is one black sheep in the flock that is no indication that all are the same color. The fact that there is one liar is not sufficient fact that we are all liars. True, we expected the election of McKinley would bring good times and stable financial conditions in its wake. There is no reason as yet to doubt that belief. McKinley's administration, or rather his election, cannot prevent results of mismanagement. Nothing can secure a situation in which bad loans and bad management generally are at fault. It would be unjust to say that the temporary disquiet is confined to all the banks dependent on and clearing through the National Bank of Illinois, because there are some sound banks among the number which survive the ordeal. It cannot be denied that these failures will have a discouraging effect. They certainly will not be conducive to any good. There is something gained, however, by the fact that such an institution is out of the way."

The comptroller of the currency called for statements from the National banks yesterday, showing their condition at the close of business on Dec. 17.

Fourteen of the banks in Chicago had completed their statements last night. These included nearly all the larger banks. The showing made by them is an exceedingly satisfactory one, and makes a good comparison with the last statement. The fourteen banks show total loans of $63,639,223, as compared with $63,665,693 on Oct. 6. The total deposits are $94,391,452, as compared with $83,258,208. The cash resources amount to $47,896,089, as compared with $37,761,503 on Oct. 6. The legal requirement in reserve is 25 per cent., or for the fourteen banks, as shown in the statements, the required reserve is $23,597,863, while there is held $47,396,089, or more than 50 per cent. There is held in excess of the legal requirements $24,298,226.

At the other National, private and state banks there was an ordinary transaction of business, with no more people paying their respects to the paying teller than to the receiving teller. In banking circles the general opinion is that yesterday's failures will end the present troubles.

Shortly after 11 o'clock a crowd of depositors gathered at the Hibernian Banking Association, in the Ashland Block, to withdraw their savings. This bank is regarded as one of the strongest in the city, having withstood every panic. For this reason it is one of the largest depositories for savings in this city. President Clarke, in an interview, said the savings bank would take advantage of the law by which demands for $50 or more must be accompanied with a 30-days' notice, and $100 or more by a 60-days' notice. Demands of less than $50 will be paid on sight. Mr. Clarke said the bank had 75 per cent. of its reserve funds on hand and could stand a run of two months if necessary.

A heavy run on the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank in the Rookery Building, began as soon as the doors were open for business this morning. There is not the slightest connection between the failed National Bank of Illinois and the Illinois Trust Company. During the excitement yesterday there was only a small increase of withdrawals from the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, and the officers of the bank said they were willing to let the depositors in the savings department have all the money due them if they called for it, as it meant a big saving of interest money for the bank. The bank anticipated a run to-day and there is such a heavy reserve fund of idle money in the vaults that President John Mitchell has no misgivings as to the ability of his bank to pay a few millions, if necessary. At the Garden City Banking and Trust Company's bank the run of yesterday had practically run out its length.

ST. PAUL BANK GONE DOWN.

Lack of Ready Money Caused the Bank of Minnesota to Close Up.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 22.—The Bank of Minnesota, William Dawson, president; Robert A. Smith, vice-president, and William Dawson, jr., cashier, closed its doors at 11 o'clock this morning. Lack of ready money was the cause.

According to the last statement of the Bank of Minnesota it had a paid-up capital of $600,000, surplus $150,000, undivided profits $143,700, individual deposits $2,145,250, bank deposits $502,540, and loans and discounts $2,433,990.

State Bank Examiner Kenyon this morning took official possession of the books and assets of the bank, closing its doors, pending a thorough investigation of its affairs. The bank has been in need of ready cash for some time. At a meeting of the clearing house at noon the bank was formally suspended, upon the report of the Banking Committee. A special committee has also been appointed by the Clearing House Committee to prepare a statement for the public. This committee, in advance of this statement, informed a representative of the United Associated Presses that the bank would undoubtedly resume business in a short time and protect all of its creditors in full. The directors are all men of wealth and property interests and they have already signified a willingness to meet the requirements of the occasion.

Two Other Banks Gone.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 22.—The Union Stock Yards Bank of South St. Paul and the State Bank of St. Paul, both of which cleared through the Bank of Minnesota, have closed their doors.

MR BENNETT WILL VACATE

The East Simcoe Seat Will be Open by the Resignation of the Sitting Member

Barrie, Dec. 22.—(Special)—To-day's proceedings in the East Simcoe election trial were somewhat more interesting. The court room remained well filled during the whole sitting, which lasted from 9.30 a.m. till 7 p.m., with one hour off at midday. So far 22 witnesses have been examined, and a number of charges dismissed, while judgment has been reserved in two cases, but the number of charges yet to be investigated indicates a long sitting to-morrow and possibly the trial may extend over part of Thursday, as well. The petitioner was all week to attend his pleadings this morning, and the name of John Thomas was substituted for that of Norman Thompson who was wrongly named as an agent of the respondent. Another charge, numbered sixty, was also added and will be heard to-morrow.

A portion of the forenoon was occupied with the examination of Mr. Coste, an officer of the Public Works Department, in reference to some dredging, said to have been done at Midland, under the direction of Mr. Bennett, for Chew Bros., who have a mill at that place, but further particulars were deferred until to-morrow.

It is learned here at a late hour to-night that in all probability Mr. Bennett will vacate his seat and the recent election be declared void. The parties to the petition have apparently come to an understanding at a hole-in-the-corner meeting just held, and each side will pay its own costs. This comes in the nature of a surprise, as when court adjourned this evening, it was the general opinion that Mr. Bennett would retain his seat.

WEALTH RUINED THEM.

The Harrowing Story of Kate Lowery, Formerly of Durham, Ont., and Her Family.

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 22.—A pathetic story was that told to Judge King in Police Court to-day by Mrs. A. J. Irish, who, accompanied by two children, one 4 years old and the other two, applied for a warrant for the father and mother of the children on the ground of abandonment. About five years ago Robert Caldwell married Kate Lowery. The wedding at the time created somewhat of a sensation, for the bride was but 16 years of age. The two began life in the old First Ward and got along nicely. The two children were born and the home was a happy one. Good fortune seemed to dwell in the house. About two years ago Kate Caldwell fell heir to $5000. Then there was a change in their lives. They spent the money freely, and in a short time had forgotten their old ideas of thrift. In a short time the little fortune had been dissipated, and the family removed to Durham, Ont., and went to live with Mrs. Lowery, Mrs. Caldwell's mother. About five weeks ago Caldwell left Durham and came to this city. Three weeks later his wife followed, leaving the children with their grandmother. Mrs. Lowery followed them here with the children and left the latter in the care of Mrs. Irish a week ago Thursday last, promising to come for them next day. She did not reappear, having immediately returned to her Canadian home. One of the children had been operated upon by a doctor and is totally blind. The other is partially blind. They were scantily dressed and excited the commiseration of the Police Court spectators. The judge directed Mrs. Irish to have them made comfortable at his expense and issued warrants for the arrest of the inhuman parents.

Four Men Probably Lost.

Tacoma, Dec. 22.—Alaskan papers of Dec. 10 bring the announcement that George Wilson, James Hurley, Indian "Big Charley," and a man named Harris, have been missing since Nov. 9. They left Wrangel in a small boat, expecting to go a short distance and return the same day. No food or blankets were taken along. During the day a heavy storm swept over that section.

A large number of families in Union County, Arkansas, are starving.

GEN. MACEO IS DEAD

The Cuban Agent at Jacksonville Now Admits It.

EX-PREMIER CASTELAR OF SPAIN

Writes a Gentlemanly Letter to the American People—He is Glad of the Power of Veto Vested in the President of the United States.

New York, Dec. 22.—President Tomas Estrada Palma of the Cuban Junta has received a letter from J. A. Huau, the Jacksonville agent of the Cuban republic, stating that there need not now be the slightest doubt that Gen. Maceo was killed. He said he has made a careful investigation of the reports through persons stationed at Havana and that the result was a confirmation that Maceo fell and was buried in a canefield. The location of the grave is known only to those who conducted the burial.

Cubans Have a Government.

Paris, Dec. 22.—The Gil Blas (newspaper) publishes a report of an interview with Senor Betances, the representative of the Cuban Insurgents in Paris, in which he declares that the assertion that the revolutionists in Cuba have no government is false. The Cubans, he says, have an organized government in the form of a Junta, whose members are acting together under the assent of the active participants in the rebellion and a majority of the inhabitants of the island. The sympathy of the American people with the Cubans, Senor Betances says, is entirely unselfish and springs from a feeling of compassion for the victims of Spanish tyranny.

Have Been Secretly Preparing.

Madrid, Dec. 22.—A despatch to The Imparcial from Havana says: Three thousand troops have sailed for Manzanilla to join the forces near that place in an attack upon the insurgents under Gen. Garcia, who is now holding the road to Bayamo.

The Madrid and provincial press continue their campaign of denunciation against the United States, but their columns contain nothing new in the way of abuse of the American Government. It is asserted that the Spanish Government has been secretly preparing for war for some time past.

Cotton Growers Object.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 22.—The cotton exchange has passed resolutions declaring that the recognition of Cuba would be "instrumental in lowering the values of all farm products, our greatest export product, cotton, to the benefit of the foreign consumers and the detriment and injury of the American producers. We feel that it is unnecessary for us to affirm our loyalty to this nation, but in case of necessity we pledge our unanimous support to maintain the honor and integrity of this republic."

Cameron's Bill Will Not Go.

New York, Dec. 22.—A Washington special to The Times says the Cameron Cuban resolution will not pass Congress.

Cameron will be fortunate if he gets it through the Senate. Sentiment against it is too strong for its friends to get it passed in the two months remaining of the session.

Castelar to the Americans.

New York, Dec. 22.—A Madrid special to The Journal contains an address signed by ex-Premier Castelar to the American people, giving his views upon the situation in Spain and the United States. The address recites the reforms heretofore granted to Cuba and says the same liberty of conscience, instruction, the press and public meeting as is allowed here in Spain is allowed them, but nobody could prevent them from trying to establish a sovereignty by arms. Referring to the United States, he says: The American constitution has distinguished between Americans and naturalized citizens, requiring the condition of birth in America for election to the Presidency. This is wise, for now we see the difference between Cleveland, who is prudent, and those who would rush the United States into war. For one thing it has assured a President who is shielding us from the recognition of belligerency or independence of a republic that has no existence, who is shielding us from the craziest of resolutions, which would have the inevitable effect of bringing on war. And as Mr. Cleveland has acted, so will McKinley. As a Republican he will, perhaps, do even more than would a Democrat to discourage jingoes who advocate a war, bound to be equally fatal to the victor and vanquished, breaking the bonds of association which bind the Old World to the new. I deduce from Mr. Cleveland's message that he will stand as defender of his own theory, not to recognize the belligerency of the Cubans. A liberal government like ours cannot learn from outsiders its faults in governing the Antilles or submit to a mediator. President Cleveland, like myself, was obviously persuaded of the truth when he wrote his message, completely favorable as it was to Spain. What surprises me is the senseless proposition so favorably received by the Senate recommending the acknowledgement of Cuban rebels as belligerents—recommending the independence which is impossible, and which would be a frightful aggravation to the Spanish people and a violation of international courtesy. They tell me that conflict is inevitable. It will be as uncalled-for an aggression on the part of the United States as was that of Napoleon in 1808 when he invaded our territory. We have done everything possible to avoid a war, everything but humiliate ourselves before the strong, and sully our national history with indignation. But if the United States declare for belligerency we will maintain our rights against all odds; but we do not believe, we cannot believe, that the Americans, the humane, the progressive, will declare for it. As for ourselves, we will do everything we can to avoid this sad interference, without pride, but also without timidity.

Weyler Going Out to Fight.

New York, Dec. 22.—A despatch to The Herald from Havana says: Captain-General Weyler will leave Havana immediately for Pinar del Rio to continue his campaign in the field.

Brazil Sympathizes With Cuba.

New York, Dec. 22.—The Herald's Rio Janeiro advices state that the agitation in that city in favor of the Cuban revolutionists continues without abatement. The Cuban committee is organising more meetings of sympathy and for the collection of funds for the insurgents. The university students held a meeting yesterday which was dominated by ardent enthusiasm.

It is officially stated that the Brazilian Government will recognize the belligerency of the Cubans as soon as the United States shall do so.

Paris, Dec. 22.—The Secretary of the Spanish Embassy here, the Marquis De Novallas, has declared that but for American interference the Cuban insurrection would have been terminated long ago. He is quoted as adding: "The recognition of the independence of Cuba by the United States would only be the result of an insignificant whim. I believe that the struggle will terminate before the end of February."

The Soleil says: If the United States recognizes the independence of Cuba, European opinion will unanimously support Spain against America.

Mothers

Anxiously watch declining health of their daughters. So many are cut off by consumption in early years that there is real cause for anxiety. In the early stages, when not beyond the reach of medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla will restore the quality and quantity of the blood and thus give good health. Read the following letter:

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Cough

and nothing seemed to do her any good. I happened to read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and had her give it a trial. From the very first dose she began to get better. After taking a few bottles she was completely cured and her health has been the best ever since." MRS. ADDIS PECK, 12 Railroad Place, Amsterdam, N. Y.

"I will say that my mother has not stated my case in as strong words as I would have done. Hood's Sarsaparilla has truly cured me and I am now well." CORA PECK, Amsterdam, N. Y.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1896

MILLBROOK.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Death of W. W. Needler.—It is with deep regret that the public will learn of the death of Mr. W. W. Needler, which sad event took place at the residence of his father, at eleven o'clock Saturday night. Mr. Needler has been ailing for some time and his death was by no means unexpected. The body was conveyed to the English church Tuesday at two o'clock, where service was conducted, after which the funeral proceeded to the front church burying ground for interment.

William Walker Needler was the eldest son of Mr. Geo. Needler, the well known miller of this place, and was born in the year 1856. After receiving a good education he entered the milling business with his father with which he was connected til the commencement of his illness. He was one of Millbrook's most highly respected citizens. From his youth he has been prominently connected with the Anglican church, and for the past eight years has been superintendent of the Sunday school. By his death, therefore, a gap will be left in the church work that will be hard to fill. Dr. Needler, of Toronto University faculty, is a brother of the deceased,

At a meeting of the town council the other evening, on motion of Councillor Bateson, the Electric Light Company were notified that their services for street lighting were no longer required. Thus after enjoying electric light for a little over a year the town will again be in darkness. This move is owing to the very poor service the company has been giving the town.

Children Free.

Adams & Son's Co., 11 and 13 Jarvis street, Toronto, Ont., are sending out some very handsome paper dolls with moveable heads and bodies. They send a set of sixteen for nine cents in stamps, or a sample one for the children free.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

To remove worms of all kinds from children or adults Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe and sure remedy.

BELMONT.

Minutes of the Council.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Pursuant to notice the Council met at the Town Hall on Monday, the 7th day of December, 1896. Members all present, J. B. Peoples, reeve, in the chair. Minutes of former meeting read and confirmed. The following abatements of statute labour were made:—Wm. Hamilton, sr., $2.00; W. Dafoe, $2.00; D. McIntyre, $2.00; Wm. Parcels, $2.00; James Caskey, $2.00; — McGinnis, $2.00; Henry Gibson, $2.00. F. Post, arrears of taxes, roll of 1895, $4.25; David Johnston, arrears of taxes, roll of 1895, $3.70. On motion the above abatements were passed. On motion of Deputy Reeve Anderson, David Meldon was paid the sum of 25c for repairs of 10th con. line, north of Round lake road. On motion of Councillor Wilson bylaw No. 368, was supplemented by the sum of $2. Application of E. Daley to purchase timber on side road across the 9th con. lots 10 and 11. On motion of Councillor Sexsmith, Councillor Wilson was made commissioner to examine said timber with power to sell and to report to council. On motion of Councillor Sexsmith, Stephen Sophie was paid the sum of $11.75 for repairs of washout boundary Belmont and Marmora. On motion of Deputy Reeve Anderson, the sum of $5 is to be expended on boundary Methuen and Lake lot 7 On motion of Councillor Wilson, Robert McCutcheon was paid the sum of $6 for repairs of culvert, Devlin's hill, Oak lake road. Application of S. Fainging to have 7th concession line, south of G. Varty's corner.—Not granted. On motion of Councillors Sexsmith and Wilson the sum of $48 66 was paid for sheep killed by dogs, as the parties made oath as required by law. On motion of Councillor Wilson the sum of $4 is to be expended on 7th con. line, on lot 1, to make a ditch. On motion of Councillor Wilde, Mr. Beebe is to be paid the sum of $4 for watching Mrs. Wesse's cows for 1895. On motion of Councillor Wilde the assessor is to be paid the sum of $3.00 postage and stationery, roll of 1896. On motion of Councillor Wilson, T. Cunning is to be paid the sum of $1, repairs of plough broken on the road. Application of D. Breckenridge for the timber on 5th concession line across lot 16 as compensation for cutting out road.—Application granted. Application of John O'Neil to purchase timber on south boundary.—Left in the hands of the Reeve with power to act. Amount voted Dec. 7th, 1896, $112.36; amount previously voted, $1,237.10; total voted up to date, $1,349.46. On motion of Councillor Wilson, council adjourned to meet at the clerk's office on Tuesday, 15th of Dec., 1896, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

INJURY AND NEGLECT.

He Failed in Health and Strength—His Kidneys Ached and he Took Doan's Kidney Pills.

Deseronto, Dec. 14 (Special)—Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. James Stokes, who for the past fifteen years has been shipper for the Rathbun Company.

Lately he had run down in health and strength to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now as the result of using Doan's Kidney Pills is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes he said:—

"From over-lifting and strain I suffered greatly from kidney trouble, being advised, after all else had failed, to use Doan's Kidney Pills; from the first dose I got relief, and hundreds of people here can vouch for my cure."

OTONABEE.

Council Meeting.

Councillor Weir was authorized to have the town hall platform widened. The clerk was instructed to write the Telephone Co., whose poles are erected on this municipality, that many of them are obstructing the sides highway that is used for winter roads, and requesting them to have the poles changed where interfering with travel. On motion of Messrs. Johnston and Lancaster, a special grant of $75 was given to widen and raise the road on on 3rd con. line, opposite lot 31, on condition that Ward No. 3 appropriate $100. Mr. Anderson, commissioner. On motion of Messrs. Weir and Duvell, Alex. McFarlane was granted $8.33, the municipality portion of the cost of excavating a ditch through through the old Cobourg Railway to take the water off the road allowance. On motion the collector was allowed the following dog tax deducted from the 1896 roll as the persons had left the township: James Healy, $1; Denis Guerin, $1; J. H. Hewson, $1; C. Calder, $1; C. B. Smith, $1. The treasurer presented a statement of expenditure from the 15th Dec., 1895, to 1st Jan., 1896, and of receipts and expenditures from the 1st Jan. 1896, to the 15th Dec., which was adopted and signed by the reeve, the clerk to get 200 copies printed for posting up and distribution according to law. Maurice Fitzgerald made complaint of an error in his assessment of $1000 on east ½ lot 29, concession 2, and Wm. Fitzgerald of $1,000 on west ½ lot 29, concession 2. Maurice Fitzgerald's schedule was presented in proof of his complaint, which is $3,200; in 1895 his lot is assessed for $2,300. John Martin and J. D. Manly complained of an error of $900. Martin's 100 acre lot in 1895 was assessed for $2400 and his 50 acre lot for $900—total $3,300; in 1896 the 100 acres is assessed to Manley, tenant, for $2300 and the 50 acres to E. J. Hair, tenant, $900. On motion a rebate of $5.90 was allowed to Mr. Fitzgerald and $6 66 to Mr. Manley, and in the absence of Wm. Fitzgerald's schedule the clerk was instructed to notify the assessor to attend next meeting of council and give evidence in the matter. Mr. Lancaster reported the sale of the following lots of timber on the 4th concession line between lots 12:—A. Weir, $4.50; P. Bolin $5.25, Wm. Weir $3, and Wm. Anderson on the 2nd concession line, lot 25; Alex Patterson, $3; lot 25, Jas. Devlin, $5. The following accounts were passed—Dr. Shaw, salary, M. H. O., $5, visiting J. Shearer's and A. Esson's re scarlet fever, $3; J. H. Taylor, gravel, $14.50; F. Barnett, posts and plank, $44.14; Wm. Hastie, repairing Jas. Armstrong's house, 30c; W. McFarlane, cutting wood, 65c; R McIntyre, care of hall division court, 50c, Jas. McNeil, lamp and pitcher for hall $1, Z M. Tucker, repairing hall windows, 95c, Wm. Dowdel, 64 rods wire for snow fence, $16, R. Hanbidge, cedar, $3.16, R. A. Deyell, cedar, $13 95, gravel, $3 08, James Youre, culverts and plank, $12, John O'Leary, gravel, $3 50, R. English, provisions for Jas. Metcalf, $18, nails 17c, oil for town hall, 35c, John Dinsdale, sanitary inspector, $4, Richard Hope, timber, plank and spikes for Lang's bridge, $44.45, Geo. Esson, gravel, $3. Council adjourned to 11th January, 1897.

TWEED TOPICS.

Mrs. James Davenport Makes a Statement for the Benefit of Others.

Mrs. Davenport is well-known in Tweed, and this is how she spoke to our representative concerning Doan's Kidney Pills. Said Mrs. Davenport:—

"I have suffered for some years from dizziness puffing under the eyes, pains in the side and back, sleeplessness, poor appetite, and in fact, was in a bad state generally.

"I took two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills which I got at P. K. Newton's drugstore, and experienced immediate relief from their use.

"I am now very much better indeed; appetite improved, pain almost disappeared and I feel stronger and healthier in every particular.

"I heartily recommend them to all sufferers from kidney trouble."

For sale by James Lynch, druggist, 168 Hunter street, Peterborough.

LAKEWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

We are having a snow storm at present. It will be much appreciated. As the roads are frozen hard and are smooth a little snow will make good sleighing.

There was a party at Mr. M. Woodbeck's on Friday last, there being a large gathering. They put on their finest foot gear to keep time to the music—furnished by C. B. Hawley and sons—till four o'clock in the morning.

Miss Keating had a taffy party on Wednesday of this week, at Mr. F. Wheeler's. Miss Keating will be greatly missed in this place, as she is a lively and attractive girl. She takes her departure next Monday, after teaching in this back place for a year. We wish her success and a safe journey.

There was another party at Henry Prouty's last evening. They had a jolly time.

Mr. J. Billied had a wood bee on Wednesday.

Mr. A. Wilson had a wood bee Thursday. Wood bees and parties are the order of the day.

One of Peterborough's government men was through these parts examining standing timber.

C. N. Dingman's cow that strayed away in September last was found by himself dead in the woods.

I will wind up by wishing Mr. Editor and all the readers of THE EXAMINER a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Catarrh in the Head

Is a dangerous disease. It may lead directly to consumption. Catarrh is caused by impure blood, and the true way to cure it is by purifying the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures catarrh because it removes the cause of it by purifying the blood. Thousands testify that they have been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

HOod's Pills are purely vegetable and do not purge, pain or gripe. All druggists. 25c.

Men who suffer from mental worry and overwork should take Miller's Compound Iron Pills. 50 doses 25 cents. Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentry, Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. Never travel without it. Price 25c.

Karl's Clover Root,

the great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures Constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 289 George street.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

YOU CAN'T CATCH AN OLD BIRD WITH CHAFF

Neither can the intelligent public be caught with fictitious advertising. OAK HALL prides itself on always doing just what it advertises. Since the inauguration of our Special Sale in **OVERCOATS** we have been clearing them out rapidly yet we have a good assortment left to choose from which we are offering at the same Great Reductions. If you are in need of an Overcoat we can supply you at a price to suit your pocket, be it ever so slim. We have also made great reductions in our Children's Department. Parents will profit by getting their Boys' Clothing from us:—

WE BELIEVE
- The People Know a Good Thing.
- The People Want Good Things.
- We Give Them What They Want.
- That's Why We Do The Business.

A Handsome Christmas Present Given to Every Purchaser.

The Reliable One-Price Clothiers, Peterboro.

OAK HALL

W. J. WATTAM, Manager

More Elbow Room.

That's what's wanted next. Business is crowding us out of the back door and the demand comes from all departments for larger premises. We ought to be thankful, and must do all we can to encourage this healthy condition of trade.

While we are planning to double our capacity we want to clear the goods out of the way rapidly, and for this purpose have started a

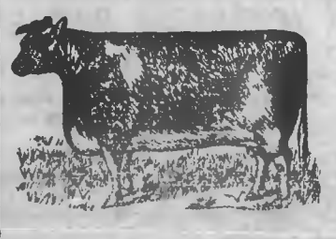
GIANT SALE OF STOVES

"HAPPY THOUGHTS,"
"RADIANT HOMES."
"HONOR BRIGHTS."

and all and every one of our splendid line of Buck's Stoves must be moved out by customers, who wish to take them away, at about their own prices. The store and the storey above are both full of them. Thirty days will hustle them all out if the people know a good thing when they see it.

MICKS & COX,

237 Hunter Street.



Christmas Show OF— MEATS! ...AT... J. J. Howden's

If you want to see one of the grandest "Old Time" displays of Christmas Meats visit J. J. Howden's Meat Mart, 461 George Street. Excellent supplies of well-fed Beef, Lamb, Veal and Pork. Great Show of our Sugar-Cured Hams, Breakfast Bacon, Spiced Rolls, Tongue, Sausage, Fancy Meats, Chopped Suet, etc. Abundant supply of Turkeys, Geese, and Chickens—all ready for your Christmas bill of fare.

Eat and Be Merry. "Christmas comes but once a year!" Telephone 39.

HOLIDAY HINTS FOR THE LADIES

Keep in mind the Removal Sale now going on at C. G. GEMMELL'S Corset and Furnishing Store. You can secure many excellent bargains in Sensible Christmas Gifts such as these:—

Ladies' $1.00 Corsets	Reduced to 75c
Ladies' 75c Corsets	Reduced to 50c
Ladies' 50c Corsets	Reduced to 40c
Ladies' 75c Wool Undervests	Reduced to 55c

Finest and Cheapest Vests in Town. Cheaper grades similarly reduced in price.

Men's $1.00 Shirts and Drawers	reduced to 75c
Men's 75c Shirts and Drawers	reduced to 55c

Handkerchiefs—2 for 5c and up to 25c each.

JUST RECEIVED—A Holiday line of Ladies and Children's Lined Kid Mitts and Gloves, from 50c to 85c.

Wool Tam O'Shanters, in various colours, only 25c.

Remember C. G. Gemmell's Removal Sale Now Going on at 325 George Street, Opposite Market Building.

"MIST" 10c. COUGH LOZENGES.

Will clear your Throat in a Minute

Manufactured by THE KEY MEDICINE CO. 305 Yonge St. Toronto

For sale by all Druggists.

LEARY'S HACK

Livery and Boarding Stables, 325 Water Street.

Commercial, pleasure and family driving specially attended to. Ladies' and Gentlemens' Saddle Horses always readiness. Noted for the finest rendezvous, the nicest rigs the best equipments. A First-class Hack always ready for Weddings and Funerals and General Driving. A careful and courteous and obliging driver. charge.

R. H. LEARY, Proprietor

TELEPHONE { Night or Day.

Retiring From Business.

CLEARING SALE OF MILLINERY.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's, newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

CHILDREN'S BONNETS, FANCY HOODS, CAPS AND MUFFS.

which will be sold much below cost. A number of PATTERN HATS and BONNETS to be sold at half price. This is a rare chance for Ladies' to get the newest and most stylish goods at half the regular price. Come early and secure bargains as the goods must be sold.

MRS. CASSIDY

423 George Street.

Two Doors north of Examiner Office.

MRS. APPLEBY'S

Charming Xmas Novelties.

If in doubt where to buy your Christmas Gifts, do your shopping at Mrs. Appleby's New Fancy Goods Store, 426 Water Street.

All the needed material for presents you want to work with your own hands. Children's White Coats and Bonnets to match, Fancy Wool and Silk Slippers, Tea Cosies, Art Linen and Silk Lawn Handkerchiefs, Table Centres, Crepe Paper, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

HARK! HARK!

You Can Almost Hear the Christmas Bells, at

PHILP & CO'S

Fruit, Oyster, Game and Confectionery Store.

Every nook and corner of the store filled with the most desirable things for Christmas.

Valencia Oranges	Canned Delicacies
Florida Oranges	New Relishes
New Lemons	Filberts, Almonds
Spanish Grapes	Fine Confectionery
Luscious Figs	Apples, Ba anas
Toothsome Dates	English Walnuts
Crosse & Blackwell's Specialities	
Cranberries	Sea Salmon, etc.
Celery	Finnan Haddies
Fresh Fish, etc.	Fowl

Xmas Oysters Select:—cans or bulk.

The very Choicest Lines of **Chocolates, Creams and Confectionery.**

All new—all fresh—just opened out.

Glad to see all old friends and many new ones!

Come and get a bunch of English Holly with your purchases.

876 George St., Phone 18.

DECORATIONS.

FLAGS AND BUNTING.

Decorations of any and every kind done in the most artistic manner by practical men and at the most reliable prices. Flags and Mottoes to rent. Carpet Covers or Dancing Lines to Rent. Folding Tables to Rent. A few Carnival Suits to Rent, as

J. J. TURNER & SONS

The Tent, Awning and Flag Makers, George St., Peterborough. Telephone 139 or 218.

SCOTT & HOGG

DEALERS IN RELIABLE

HARD AND .. .. SOFT **COAL**

Of all Sizes.

Office and Yard—At the Elevator, west of Railway track, Ashburnham. 'Phone 204.

CUT THIS OFF

and read it carefully before buying your Christmas Gifts, and you will be sure to select something that is sensible and useful:

—New Christmas Neckwear 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c. Assortment and beauty never equalled in Peterborough.
—Elegant Silk Mufflers 30c, 40c, up to $1.00.
—Silk and Wool Scarfs 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25.
—Initial Silk Handkerchiefs.
—Reindeer Gloves, Angora lined.
—Kid Gloves, lined and unlined.
—Dressing Jackets.
—Silk Umbrellas, Silver Mantled tight rolling, with silk or leather covers.
—White Silk Handkerchiefs.
—White Dress Shirts.
—New Collars and Cuffs.
—White and Coloured Sweaters.
—Hockey Stockings.
—Fancy Velvet and Corduroy Vests
—Silk Embroidered Suspenders.
—Natural Wool and Fine Scotch Underwear.
—Men's Good Wearing Ulsters from $5 00 up.
—Men's Fine Suits from $3.75 up.
—Boys' Ulsters from $2 50 and up.
—Boys' Fine Suits all reduced in price

OUR BOYS' DEPARTMENT has won for itself the confidence of parents. Every garment will be found well made and every price the lowest.

TAILORING DEPARTMENT. Suits and Overcoats made to order during the Holidays, from 20 to 30 per cent. lower than regular prices.

The more you know about our Clothing, our Furnishings, and our Prices the better you will be satisfied. During these last days of the year, DOWN GOES THE PRICES. The substantial test of time has proved our reliability, and WHAT WE SAY WE MEAN. Our trade during the year has been satisfactory, and we can afford to give our customers a BENEFIT during the Merry Christmas Time "Compliments of the Season to All.".

H. LEBRUN & Co

Break Up a Cold in Time
BY USING
PYNY-PECTORAL
The Quick Cure for COUGHS, COLDS, CROUP, BRONCHITIS, HOARSENESS, etc.

Mrs. Joseph Norwick, of 68 Sorauren Ave., Toronto, writes: "Pyny-Pectoral has never failed to cure my children of croup after a few doses. It cured myself of a long-standing cough after several other remedies had failed. It has also proved an excellent cough cure for my family. I prefer it to any other medicine for coughs, croup or hoarseness."

H. O. Barbour, of Litle Rocher, N.B., writes: "As a cure for coughs Pyny-Pectoral is the best selling medicine I have... my customers will have no other."

Large Bottle, 25 Cts.

DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO., Ltd.
Proprietors, Montreal

NEWS FROM OTTAWA

Prof. Robertson Wants to Work Up Poultry Trade

BETWEEN CANADA AND ENGLAND

He is Now in Eastern Ontario Interviewing the Farmers—The Canadian Quarters for the Risley Team—Personal and Other Notes From the Capital.

Ottawa, Dec. 21. (Special) -- Professor Robertson during the past few days has been visiting different points in Eastern Ontario to look into the possibilities of building up a poultry trade with England. The Agricultural Commissioner is more than ever convinced of the possibilities of working up a mutually profitable connection between the Canadian producer and the British consumer. Throughout Eastern Ontario Prof. Robertson found the farmers indisposed to go more extensively into the poultry raising business under the present market conditions. Prices this year ran from 8c to 8 1-2c a pound for good turkeys, while the farmers find that less than 10 cents doesn't make it worth while to feed and fatten for the market. The fall in price is evidently due to the fact that the demands of the home and Boston markets do not keep pace with the supply.

It is Prof. Robertson's belief, after a careful study of the governing conditions, that with cold storage transportation, and systematic catering to the requirements of the British poultry trade, a steady shipment of Canadian turkeys to England might be maintained from October to March, realising prices in England that would yield the Canadian farmer fully ten cents a pound, and at the same time bringing down the price in England to a figure that would encourage consumption among the artisan classes. The Commissioner estimates that three to four cents a pound would cover the cost of cold storage, freight, commission and retailer's profit. Allowing ten cents a pound to the producer, this advance would still give the British consumer his turkey at very little, if any, over the present price of a roast of beef.

The Commissioner was informed by farmers in the vicinity of Smith's Falls that, if assured of an average price of ten cents a pound, they would raise 100 turkeys for the market where they now supply not more than 40 to 50 to each farm. He concludes, therefore, that the exploitation of the English market is well worth the cost of a fair trial.

In response to the invitation of a sub-committee of the council of the Dominion Rifle Association, 11 sets of plans have been sent in for the proposed Canadian headquarters at Bisley. The building is to be constructed of and finished with Canadian woods, and resembling in outward appearance as far as possible a Canadian house, surrounded on the front and ends by a verandah not less than ten feet in width, the whole, whilst not too ornate, to present a pleasing and substantial appearance. The principal object of this building is to make a showing of Canadian woods and their adaptability for inside finish and decoration. Parliament voted $5000 for the structure, but the association proposes to expend about $2500 more on it. The council of the association will meet next month to decide which set of plans shall be accepted.

The Minister of Agriculture and the Dominion Agricultural and Dairy Commissioner will attend the January meetings of the Ontario dairy associations. The convention at Brockville will be held Jan. 6, 7 and 8, the St. Mary's convention Jan. 13, 14 and 15, and the convention at Brantford, Jan. 19, 20 and 21.

Through train service between Ottawa and Parry Sound commenced today.

B. McCamby's hotel at Manotick was burned to the ground on Saturday night. Nine horses were destroyed. The total loss is about $9000.

Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Christmas trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea:—

Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Ruffles Collars and Neckwear
Veilings and Nettings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c.
Cloth for a Mantle
Winter Jackets
Winter Underwear
New Corsets
Lace and Embroidery

No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

MISSES CAHILL
403 George Street.

Ex-Mayor McDougall has decided not to be a candidate for the Mayoralty, leaving only Ald. Cluff and ex-Ald. Crannell in the field.

Hon. W. S. Fielding has gone to Nova Scotia to spend the Christmas holidays.

Sir Richard Cartwright went to Kingston on Saturday night and may remain over the Christmas holidays. Mr. E. C. T. O'Hara, his private secretary, left for his home in Chatham to-night.

Hon. A. G. Blair leaves Vancouver to-morrow on his return trip to the east.

The winter mail service between Prince Edward Island and the mainland is now being maintained by the tug Petrel.

The Finance Minister's office in the eastern block is being cleaned and garnished for the first time in eighteen years. It will be refurnished.

A few years ago the number of children on the Separate school rolls in the city exceeded those attending the Public schools. Now the tables are turned. Last month there were 4041 children attending the Public schools and 3706 the Separate schools.

There will be no further investigation into the tariff until the first week in January, when sittings will be resumed at Montreal. After business is completed there the Ministers will proceed to Quebec, St. John, Halifax and New Glasgow.

Dr. Borden reported a peculiar occurrence to the police to-day. This morning a boy tried to sell a table at his residence, 204 O'Connor-street, and when the servant would not buy it the lad broke the fancy plate glass in the front door.

Sir C. H. Tupper will not leave Victoria, B. C., until the end of January.

Mr. J. P. Collier of Winnipeg has been appointed private secretary to Hon. Clifford Sifton.

Gustavus W. Wicksteed, Q. C., former law clerk of the House of Commons, celebrated his 98th birthday anniversary to-day. Mr. Wicksteed, who, as far as is known, is Ottawa's oldest citizen, is still quite active and bids fair to pass the century mark.

Hon. Wilfrid Laurier and Madame Laurier paid a visit to the Rideau-street Convent yesterday. They were received by the Sister Superioress of the convent. The Premier was well pleased with the visit.

A CASE OF DIABETES.

No Help from Medical Men—Suffered for Many Years—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

North Bruce, Dec. 21 (Special).—An old and well known settler in this township, named Thomas Brooks, who lives on lots 7 and 8 in the 14th concession, is rejoicing with his neighbours over his recent recovery, and he said:—

"I was cured by using twenty-four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and, as nothing else ever helped me, I say they saved my life.

"I had tried all the doctors of this locality and was treated for Diabetes, hoping and suffering for years.

"From reading of cures I determined to use Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I must say that after using the first box I would have considered them reasonable at ten dollars a box."

A VERY SAD CASE.

Tragedy in the Higher Classes of English Society Which Had Very Melancholy Features.

New York, Dec. 20.—A special from Mr. Ballard Smith, London, to a morning paper here, says: Never was there a sadder tragedy in the higher classes of English society, nor one more typical of its recent moral degeneracy than the suicide this week of the beautiful Mrs. Le Champion. She was only 23 years old, was the daughter of a noted soldier of an old family and married two years ago Loftus Le Champion, the son of another old soldier of equal birth. The two had been friends from childhood.

The best man at the wedding was young Lieutenant de Crespigny, an officer of the Guards, the son of Sir Claude, a famous sportsman and a direct descendant of a Norman chief. Mrs. Le Champion last month sued for judicial separation on the ground of her husband's cruelty, and got it, but her husband accused her of improper relations with young de Crespigny, and their child was given into the charge of a third party. Reports of this suit were cabled, but the fact was known to only a few in London, and not disclosed to the public. The husband and the alleged lover had a fist fight last summer at the fashionable Hurlingham Club, behind an aristocratic force of men and women spectators at a polo match. The wife was found dead a few mornings ago with an empty laudnum bottle beside her, and two letters. One letter contained her poor little will, leaving her diamond necklace to her babe, another necklace to Lady de Crespigny and a diamond ring to Claude de Crespigny, the son. The other letter, left unfinished, was to her husband. There was only this sentence: "Dear Loftus,—I am sorry to go without your forgiveness."

At her funeral yesterday, besides the members of her family and all the de Crespignys, Mr. Le Champion, dressed in deep mourning, drove up and stood with a friend at a little distance from the other mourners.

Drank Poisoned Whiskey.

Slatersville, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Intelligence was received here at a late hour to-night that three men had been killed and two were not expected to live, while three are crazy from drinking whiskey, which is supposed to have been poisoned. In addition to the men who are not expected to recover and those who are dead, about a dozen more are reported ill and the casualties will probably reach 8 or 10.

Carelessness in girlhood causes the greatest suffering and unhappiness in after life. Little irregularities and weaknesses in girls should be looked after promptly and treatment given at once. Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription promotes regularity of all feminine functions, makes strength and builds up a sturdy health with which to meet the trials to come. The Favourite Prescription is not a universal panacea. It is good for but one thing. It is directed solely at one set of organs.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, a 1008 page medical work, profusely illustrated, will be sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to cover postage only. Address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N.Y.

Constipation Cured.

Gents,—I was in very poor health for over four years; the doctor said it was constipation. Not wanting to spend too much cash I got three bottles of B.B.B. and took it regularly, I can certify that I am now in the very best of health and feel very grateful to B.B.B.

Alfred Teroux, Montreal, Que.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood clear your complexion, regulate your bowel and make your head clear as a bell. 25c 50c. and $1.00.

Quick headache and Constipation are promptly cured by Burdock Pills. Easy to take, sure in effect.

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MUNYON
TALKS ON
Dyspepsia.

HOW TO CURE YOURSELF

In all forms of stomach trouble Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure will promptly cure where there are such symptoms as pain or soreness in the stomach, indigestion or distress after eating, pressure and fullness in the stomach, shortness of breath, poor appetite, coated tongue, sour or bitter raising from the stomach, heartburn, wind on the stomach, constipation, dizziness, faintness and lost energy.

When these symptoms are associated with biliousness, yellow-coated tongue, nausea, bitter taste in the mouth and sallow skin take Munyon's Liver Cure in alternation with the Dyspepsia Cure, an hour apart. Where there is obstinate constipation keep the bowels open once a day by using Munyon's Constipation Cure until they become regular under the effect of the Dyspepsia Cure. When there are troublesome heart symptoms alternate Munyon's Heart Cure with the Dyspepsia Cure. If there is great nervousness or inability to sleep, alternate Munyon's Nerve Cure with the Dyspepsia Cure. If the blood is poor in quality alternate Munyon's Blood Cure and Dyspepsia Cure. By this plan of treatment one can eradicate the worst forms of stomach troubles and their complications, and make the cure permanent.

A separate specific for each disease. Sold by all druggists, mostly for 25 cents a bottle.

Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, 23 and 25 Albert street, Toronto, answered with free medical advice for any disease.

Holly.

Not one pretty flower would stay
When old autumn nipped the grass,
For she had a cruel way,
Though as red cheeked as a lass.
Winter had our northland taken,
His white flags by winds outshaken.

What, then, was there bright enough
For the merry Christmas day?
"Good Dame Nature, be less rough,"
Said the folks. "Leave storms, we pray.
Bring some posies and be cheery,
Lest she find the world be dreary."

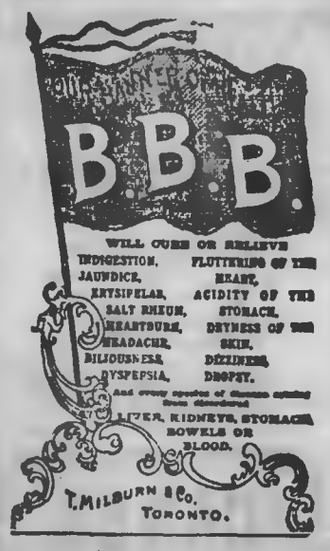
"What are posies in the gleam
Of my beautiful white frost?"
Said the old dame from her dream.
"By the hedge, all snow embossed,
Bloom itself the glad day carries,"
And she held up holly berries.

How their scarlet brightness shone
In the morning's airy tracks!
Nature is a wise old crone.
She knows what a picture lacks.
Winter lost is melancholy.
Christmas laughed to see the holly.

Since that hour, now far away,
When time's tired wing was light,
In the path of Christmas day
Always shines the berries bright,
And mid all its tender folly
Gleams the blush of Christmas holly.

Singers, public speakers, actors, auctioneers, teachers, preachers, and all who are liable to over-tax and irritate the vocal organs, find, in Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, a safe, certain, and speedy relief. A timely dose of this preparation has prevented many a throat trouble.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Cholera, Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus and all summer complaints and fluxes of the bowels in children or adults.



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FARMERS
...AND...
FARMERS' SONS!

We are compiling a long list of Farms for Sale, to Exchange or Rent which we intend to advertise extensively and to do so free of charge, unless we sell, exchange or rent, when our regular and reasonable commission will be charged.

Call on us for anything you want in Real Estate in town or country.

Our office in block next to Post Office will be open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

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HAIR PREPARATION

Cures Baldness, Grey Hair, Irritation of Scalp, Eczema, Removes Dandruff, Restores Grey Hair to Natural Color, Stops Falling Out, &c. Guarantee in all cases. References if requd:
Residence—513 Reid St., north end.
Hamilton Mfg Co's Works, Peterborough.

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TAXIDERMIST,

Dealer in Eyes, Artificial Leaves and Frosting also Importer of Foreign Birds and Skins from all countries.

Birds, Animals, Fish and Snakes Stuffed and Mounted in and out of cases in the best life-like style at Lowest Prices. DEERS HEADS a specialty. A stock of foreign and native birds always on hand for sale.

Residence—176 Hayvey Street, Peterborough.

Down Go the Prices
To Stimulate the Holiday Trade.

ANOTHER CUT, ANOTHER SLASH, ANOTHER SACRIFICE!
"LET BYGONES, BE BYGONES."

OUR HALF PRICE OVER-REDUCTION SALE has been left behind and the prices goes down a notch lower. "Let Bygones be bygones." The very climax of successful buying has been attained by stupendous Money-Saving chances offered us, until now, with an establishment filled to overflowing with an assortment unequalled by any retail house in the Dominion—BARRING NONE—we emphatically predict for the next Thirty days the heaviest sale ever known in **Overcoats, Ulsters, Driving Coats, Winter Underwear, Gents' Furnishings, Gents' Fur and Felt Hats.**

PRICES WE CAN PROPHESY ON

OVERCOATS.

Men's Imported Ulsters, were $15	now $9 00
Men's Ovecoats, were $10	now 5 50
Men's Tweed Ulsters, were $10	now 5 00
Men's Beaver Overcoats, were $10.50	now 5 00
Men's Frieze Ulsters, were $8.50	now 3 90
Men's Worsted Overcoats, were $9.50	now 4 50
Men's Nap Overcoats, were $7.50	now 3 00
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, were $7	now 4 00
Boys' Cape Overcoats, were $5	now 2 75
Boys' Tweed Overcoats were $4.50	now 2 75
Boys' Tweed Capes, were $2.90	now 1 70

SUITS.

Men's Auburn Mills Worsted Suits, were $9.50	now $5 90
Men's Auburn Mills All Wool Suits, were $8	now 5 00
Men's Yorkshire Tweed Suits, were $7.50	now 4 75
Men's Canadian Tweed Suits, were $6 50	now 3 90
Boy's Auburn Mills Suits, were $7	now 4 25
Boys' Blue Serge Suits, were $6	now 3 75
Boys' Scotch Tweed Suits, were $9	now 5 50
Boys' Canadian Tweed Suits, were $3.50	now 1 95

CAPS AND FURS.

25 Coon Fur Coats, were $30	now $16 50
30 Black Goat Coats, were $17.50	now 12 90
25 doz Sealette Caps, Jockeys	now 0 65
40 doz. Dominion Sealette Caps	now 1 00
200 Imitation Caps	from 19c to 0 50
2 doz. Persian Lamb Caps. were $5	now 2 90
50 Victoria Wedges, were $4.50	now 2 90

FURNISHINGS.

Men's Heavy Twill Cotton Night Robes	69c
Men's Silk and Satin Ties, four-in-hand and knots, were 25c. each	now 2 for 25c
Men's Fancy Ringwood Gloves, worth 40c	now for 25c
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched	for 15c
Men's Heavy Underwear, were 25c	now 19c
Men's Heavy All-Wool Underwear, were 50c	now 35c
Men's Heavy O. K. Wool Underwear	40 and 60c
50 doz. Pongee Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched	35c
25 doz. White Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs	50c
Gough's World-Beater All-Wool Socks, Ribbed Top	10c
10 doz. Men's All-Wool Cardigan Jackets, Worth $1.25	50c

BOOTS AND SHOES.

We have not quoted prices in Boots and Shoes, but we have everything to cover the feet of men, women and children, in Boots, Shoes, Slippers, Rubbers, etc. Our stock would be less than complete if we had not everything.

GOUGH BROS.,
The Ceaseless Toilers for the People.

SELECT YOUR
Christmas Box
IN ADVANCE and let it be a
MASON & RISCH
PIANO

This was the favourite Christmas Box among the cultured last season and promises to be so again this year. Select your Piano in time as the finest go first. Only one standard for tone and touch and that the highest.

Special Cases in English Oak, Satin Wood, Burl, Mahogany, Rosewood and Walnut.

THE MASON & RISCH PIANO COMPANY, LIMITED, 32 KING ST. WEST, TORONTO.

COST

Will Not be a Barrier

to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.00, now $ 75
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.25, now 1 00
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.75, now 1 25
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.00, now 1 50
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $3.50, now 2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 60
Lacing Gloves..... were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour d.... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1 25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves .... were $1 25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now 0 25
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

ack Cashmere Hose..... were 30c, now 20c
Higher Grades at Cost.
eavy Wool Hose..... were 20c, now 15c
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 25c, now 20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

ROBERT HALL

285 George Street, Peterborough,
Telephone 171.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers in the DAILY EXAMINER to ensure a prompt change of their advertisement, will please hand in their copy the evening previous to the date the "ad." should appear.

Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Waller & Co.

are selling California Grapes at 15c. per lb.

Probabilities.

Northeast to northwest winds; partly fair; light local snow; lower temperature.

Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

Children's Aid Society.

The Children's Aid Society desires to thank Mr. Walter Stocker for his kindness throughout the year and for a Christmas contribution as well.

T. Fitzgerald's Wood and Coal Yard.

All customers kindly leave orders at once and avoid the rush Thursday, as I cannot deliver Christmas Day.

A Heavy Engineer.

At the throttle of the locomotive of a freight train passing this station the other day stood a fair seized engineer who tips the scale at 291 pounds. Mr. Wm. Hamilton is a Lindsay man, and besides being solid in flesh and muscle he is a solid man in the performance of his duties.

Opera House To-Night.

The New York Stars, Gus Hill's wonderful vaudeville company, will be the attraction at the opera house to-night. The company and the artists are the best that can be procured, and all lovers of good, clean wholesome vaudeville can rest assured of an entertainment far above the average. Every act and song is new and up-to date. Don't fail to attend this entertainment or you will miss a good thing. Prices 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents. Seats now on sale.

Sunday School Union.

A meetings of the Sunday School Normal Institute under the auspices of the County S. S. Union was held in the Selwyn Methodist church last evening, Mr. Roberts occupying the chair. The The topic, "The Holy Temple," was taken by Mr. M. W. Matchett, of Ashburnham, who discussed it in a most lucid and instructive manner. The attendance was very large and most encouraging to those who are interested in the work of the Normal Institute.

Making Home Ties.

Nothing better than a good table—good food. This is an idea of what we can sell you for your Christmas dinner:
Turkeys from 60c up.
Cranberries, 8 and 10c per quart.
Figs, 7, 10, 15 and 20c.
Malaga Grapes (best) 20c.
Table Raisins, 15, 20, 25, 30 and 40c per lb.
Walnuts and Almonds, 17c per lb.
Filbert Nuts, 15c per lb.
English Butter-Scotch, 12c.
Table Jellies, in moulds.
Candies, Oranges and Lemons.
Tea of extra value.
MASON & Co., 426 to 431, George St. 3d146

THE GOSPEL OF PURE LINEN.

Our offerings in Linen Goods all bear the imprint of exclusive correctness, and include "just the very thing" that will be appreciated :—

—Pure Linen Dress Shirts,
—Pure Linen Collars,
—Pure Linen Cuffs,
—Pure Linen Handkerchiefs,

Accompanied with a genteel or cavalier selection of Neckwear, and the parcel is complete.

Mercer's

PETERBOROUGHS START THE SEASON WELL.

TORONTO HOCKEYISTS WERE BADLY BEATEN.

The Dashing Forward Line of the Home Team is as Effective as Ever And the Defense is Well High Impregnable.

That the Peterboroughs are as invincible as of yore was amply demonstrated to the crowd of cheering hockey enthusiasts, which saw them easily defeat the Imperial Bank team of Toronto at the rink last night.

The visitors were a dashing crowd of players, but their combination rush seldom got past Sam Adams at cover, and when it did Montgomery appeared to be impossible to get around.

The teams lined up as follows :

Imperial Bank.		*Peterboroughs.*
Foster	goal	E Wasson
Paterson	point	W J Montgomery
Kavanah	cover point	S Adams (Capt)
Cosby	forwards	R Davidson
Thorne		W Phelan
Sprague		L King
Whitely (Capt)		C Graham
A. Allen	umpires	W E Leon

Referee—H Kirby.

THE SUPERIORITY

of the Peterboroughs was perceptible from the start, when after a scrimmage on centre ice, Graham and King made a fast rush up the ice and, easily getting through the visitors defense, nearly scored. The same trick was repeated again and again, and the shots rained thick and fast on the Toronto goal, but as the boys have only had one practice this year their shooting was slightly off colour for the first five minutes. The spectators expected to see the home team go to pieces at any minute on account of being out of trim, but their staying power seemed to increase as the game went on. King finally scored out of a scrimmage in front of the Imperial goal. After this it was easy. So easy, in fact, that the boys had an opportunity of giving each man on the team the work in turn in order that their individual strength might be *judged*. Naturally the greatest interest was centred on Chris. Graham, who was the first of the younger players to be given a trial with the seniors. He acquitted himself favourably and by his work certainly earned a

PLACE ON THE TEAM.

He proved himself to have a quick eye and to be as fast as any man on the ice in his rush, with the probable exception of King. His dodging and interference are both good and though he is not as well up in lifting and shooting, as the other forwards, yet it is thought that with practice he will improve on this point. Everyone was pleased with the showing he made.

Lionel King seems to be even faster this year than ever. His marvellous side shots were made with greater accuracy than ever and judging by the way in which the puck struck the boards, the velocity with which it flew from his stick to the goal must have been something terrific. As in the old days a good deal of the shooting devolved upon him, but in the latter part of the game the puck was passed to Phelan to allow him to show what he could do with it, and the way he sent it through the flags must have made the unfortunate Toronto goal man think that

CANNON BALLS

were going past him. Although revelling in a superfluity of adipose tissue, "Scuddy" is all there when called upon, and is still the backbone of the team. With a few pounds' reduction in weight, he will play the best game of his life, and that is saying a good deal. Never did his close checking show up to better advantage than last night.

Roger Davidson played his hard, steady game of last season, but being a most unselfish player he didn't do much scoring, being content to participate in the rush, and allow the opposite wing to do the tallying.

Sam Adams at cover point was an enigma, which the visitors could not solve. His interference, and the manner in which he broke up their rushes was as fine an exhibition of scientific hockey as has ever been seen on the local rink. The other defence men were hardly given a chance to show what they could do. The

DODGES AND PASSES

of the visitors seemed to avail them nothing, as Sam seemed to be on both sides of the rink at once and intercepted the puck at every turn. The only way to pass him, it seemed was by lifting the puck over his head and out of reach of his stick, and when it did get down around the Peterborough goal there was the invincible "Monty," the nonpareil of Canadian point men, and he seemed to think that his special mission was to fool those Toronto men. When the visitors heard that he thought of giving up playing because his eyesight was not as good as in former years, they looked as though they thought that the Peterborough boys could prevaricate even better than they could play hockey, as the game which Montgomery put up was "a thing of beauty and a joy forever."

Ernie Wasson, in goal, had little or nothing to do during the early part of the game, but just before the whistle blew Adams and Montgomery got out of the way and let the Toronto forwards in on him. He had his work cut out for him then and the shots on goal rained thick and fast from every side, but by quickness and coolness he was able to stop everything that came along, playing as pretty a blocking game as has been witnessed on the ice for years. Although the Intermediate team is most anxious for his services, the seniors cannot spare him, as by his work last night he showed an aptitude for goal defense, which places him in the front rank of defense men.

The score at the close was announced as being 7—2 in favour of Peterborough.

Mr. H. Kirby, of Ottawa, proved a most satisfactory referee. He was a member of the Capitals when they were champions of Canada and so was well posted on the points of the game and had an eagle eye for offsides.

The attendance was not as large as it might have been through insufficient advertising. It takes printer's ink to make the rink populous. If the Peterborough people are made aware of the date of a good match they will be there.

Just received, 200 cloth bound books, regular price 40c., this week 25 cents. A second lot, gilt tops, regular price 50c., for 30 cents—at SAILSBURY'S.

Chinese Laundries.

The Toronto Star is starting a crusade against the Chinese laundries. There are now over 2,000 people employed in the regular laundry business in Toronto, most of whom are women and girls. The Chinese are cutting into the business seriously, and many of these females are losing their places. Toronto is feeling the truthfulness of Rev. Maxwell's remarks in Parliament.

'Twas just before Christmas, when o'er all the town
The people were thinking of cheer,
And these were they word the passed all around:
"I want CALCUTT'S Porter and Beer."
It stands the test. There is always room for one more case on the wagon.
"Cranberry sauce and CALCUTT'S Beer!
Christmas comes but once a year!"
Telephone or send your order. 2d

Buy your Xmas Presents at Grafton's.

A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRADE.

The Question of Inducing an Important Industry to Remove to Peterborough—Disseminating the Advantages of Peterborough as a Market Centre—Mr. Cahill Made a member—Other and Minor Matters.

A statutory meeting of the Board of Trade was held in the Council Chamber last night. There were present Mr. Benj. Shortley, president, in the chair, Mr. H. S. Knapman, secretary, Messrs. T. A. Hay, A. L. Davis, F. J. Rogers, B. S. Ackerman, Geo. McWilliams, Geo. W. Ramsay, F. H. Dobbin, W. Manson, R. Fair, and T. E. Bradburn.

The secretary submitted the following communications.

From the Board of Trade, Guelph, stating that that board had considered the resolution of the Peterborough Board in regard to memoralising the government to give six months notice of the coming into effect of tariff changes, and did not see its way clear to act upon the resolution, and thought it would be unwise to interfere with the government regarding the tariff question at the present time.

This was the only answer returned from the large number of boards of trade to which a circular respecting the resolution had been sent.—Received.

From the Pope Manufacturing Company, respecting their intention of not establishing a branch in Peterborough.—Received.

From the Navy League, of Toronto, asking the co-operation of the Board respecting the subsidising of steamship lines and the inability of Canadian seamen to form a part of the Imperial Naval Reserve. The communication was referred to the Council of the Board to report upon the subject.

Mr. T. Cahill was proposed and elected a member of the Board.

COLLECTION OF TAXES.

Mr. T. A. Hay moved, seconded by Mr. F. H. Dobbin, that it is the opinion of the Board it would be beneficial to the ratepayers of Peterborough if the collection of taxes were divided so that half would be collected early in the summer and the balance at the expiration of six months, and that the Town Council be requested to consider the matter with a view of carrying out this arrangement.

Mr. Hay said a great many people had spoken to him in favour of making the payment of taxes in instalments.

The chairman favoured the principle but thought the first date was too early.

The general opinion was that the proposal was a step in the right direction, and the resolution was adopted.

MARKET REPORTS FOR THE OUTSIDE.

Mr. R. Fair brought up the matter of publishing weekly market reports and sending them to certain country post offices outside of the county, where the local papers did not circulate. He thought that this means of making known the advantages of our excellent market would result in bringing to town many persons who do not now visit it.

The matter was referred, on motion of Mr. Fair and Mr. Bradburn, to the Mercantile Committe to investigate and report.

A NEW MANUFACTORY.

Mr. Neil brought up the matter of a manufacturing company, which proposed enlarging its operations and erecting additional buildings. The enterprise had an output of about $400,000 a year, employed 200 people, with a daily pay roll of $225. Mr. Neil said he had got from the directors what would be the least inducement that would tempt the removal of the factory to Peterborough. This was for Peterborough to pay half the cost of new buildings, grant exemption from taxes, pay the cost of removing present machinery and guarantee of water power at the present rate, $200 per year. The buildings required would be: one building four stories high, 40x50, one 12x15, one 12x20, one 30x30 and a warehouse three stories in height, 50x100. The separate buildings were required to meet the demands of the insurance companies. It was necessary to deal with the matter promptly, as the board of directors of the company would meet next Monday. If the reply were favourable Mr. Neill had no doubt that the company would hold the matter in abeyance for a time. Mr. Neill said he had no interest in promoting the removal except his desire to benefit the town.

Mr. Kendry thought it would be a good thing for the town, but in view of the uncertainty of the cost of removing machinery, he would prefer that the town erect the buildings entirely and leaving matter of removal to the company. The scheme was worthy of encouragement, and as the one pressing need of the town was new manufacturing enterprises, he would be glad to have the Board of Trade deal with the matter.

Mr. Meldrum suggested that the proposed company would employ as many hands as the Electric Company, which cost the town about $38,000, and he thought no ratepayer would like to see that enterprise leave the town, (hear, hear) and he thought we should generously encourage new manufactures, else the town would go back. We had to have factories here to maintain a prosperous career. He thought the question of water power at the same rate was an obstacle, on account of the nominal rate charged at the present site of the factory.

Mr. Davis pointed out that debentures for $35,000 would represent a cost of $1,500 a year, which would be met by the taxes paid by increased population, with a return of $70,000 a year in wages, which would be spent in the town, and an increase in population by about four hundred. If he were rich enough to own the town, it would not be long before he would give the town the benefit of the presence of the proposed factory.

Mr. Kendry moved, seconded by Mr. Meldrom, that it is the opinion of this Board that the town should make every effort within its power to induce the company in question and that after thoroughly considering the matter, that the town would be warranted in going to an expense of from $30,000 to $35,000 to secure the said factory.—Carried unanimously.

Mr. Hay brought up the matter of the encroachment of citizens upon the land between the river bank and the C. P. R. spur line and a resolution looking to secure this for the town was adopted, and the Board adjourned.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Kells & Co's. Doll Attraction.

The artistically dressed plate glass windows of Messrs. R. H. Kells & Co. have been the admiration of the ladies during the past week. But to the little ladies of the town, the north window has been "a thing of beauty and a joy forever." There have been more sighs heaved and more heart longings breathed in front of this particular window by the little maidens, 13 years and under, than will ever be recorded. The heart-aches which that prim little doll has caused, dressed in all her "little brief authority," beckoning to hundreds of eager little eyes that the fascinating elf has attracted, only the big basketful of letters addressed to Santa Claus can adequately reveal. As already announced, this beautiful prize doll will be given away to the fortunate young lady, 13 years or under, who will have written the best and most original letter to Santa Claus. A heavy task awits the committee of ladies to whom is assigned the duty of deciding the result of the competition. All the little girls interested are requested to be present at Mr. Kells' store between 8 and 9 o'clock on Christmas eve, when the doll will be awarded. Mr. Kells will have a surprise prepared for all, and it is expected that none of the children will be allowed to go away disappointed.

GIFT-GETTING AND GIFT-GIVING DAYS.

GAMES
Parlour Curling,
Crockinole,
Parchesi,
Halma,
Go-Bang,
Cards.

DOLLS
An army of Dolls to exterminate before Xmas. They must go and the prices will extinguish them.

TOY BOOKS
At Half Price.
All Kinds.
All Prices.

SLEIGHS
Children's,
Boys,
Babies.

Everything, everybody, now has the stamp and go of Christmas. From far and near come explorers to the Mecca for Gifts—

Stratton's Peterborough Bookstore.

Now far and near come Christmassy things—Holiday inviters of new 1896 character, and so low priced as to win the eye of shoppers.

Full preparations have been made to fit your Gift-giving needs. Take this store by storm if you like. Our staff has buckled down to the "duty" of the hour. The store has donned its holiday attire and bids you all welcome.

Albums,
Purses,
Mirrors,
Medallions,
Jewel Cases,
Baskets,
Cuff Cases,
Brush Sets,
Pin Trays,
Photo Frames
Onyx Tables,
Xmas Cards,
The Poets,
The Annuals.

Our Sale of Dolls
Has been universal. We have just the tail end left and to clear out every single doll before Xmas we have marked the prices away down so that we do not expect to have a single doll left on Thursday night Pretty China Dolls for 5c. Bisque Dolls for 9c. Bisque Dolls, large, for 15c. In Children's Blocks we have decided to do the same.

Architectural Blocks
For building houses, etc., worth 25c, for 15c.
Architectural Blocks, worth 50c, for 25c.
A B C Blocks, size of box 13 x 9 inches were 40c, now 25c.

A B C Blocks.
A B C Blocks, size of box, 22 x 9 inches, were 75c, reduced to 50c, sale price 40c.
Children's Blocks 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c. The best value ever offered to clear.

Childrens' Toy Books.
Children's Toy Books, fancy stiff bound cover 5c.
Children's Toy Books, every other page a picture, illuminated, stiff bound cover 10 cents.
Children's Toy Books, lots of pictures, stiff board cover 25c.
Children's Toy Books, every other page a coloured picture, over 250 pages, regular price $1, for 40c.

Games.
We want every game sold before Thursday Authors, Go-Bang, Yachting, etc., for 5 cents.
Six kinds of 10c Games. All popular and interesting.
A big assortment of 35c Games. 10 different kinds for 25c.
Strike the Game Counter early if you want to be served at all, as the prices sell every time.

Boys' Sleighs.
Boys' Sleighs, racing steel runners 40c.
Boys' Sleighs, large racing runners 70c.
Boys' Sleighs, very large racing runners 98c.
Girl's Sleighs, a good child's sleigh 45c.
Girl's Sleighs, a size larger 60c.
Girl's Sleighs, large and roomy 75c.

A. H. STRATTON & CO.,

The Peterborough Bookstore, - - - - 417 George Street

LECTURE ON "GOETHE."

Dr. Gregor, of McGill University Gives an Interesting Address.

Last evening Dr. Gregor, of McGill Univerity, lectured on "Goethe" in George street Methodist church. The lecture well repaid the audience for coming out on so cold a night. Dr. Gregor dealt with the whole range of Goethe's life, work and literary influence, and some phases of his private life as well.

Rev. Dr. Torrance moved and Mr. Sheriff Hall seconded a very cordial vote of thanks.

The lecturer gave his services wholly free to the charities interested, and has the satisfaction of having conferred both a financial and literary benefit.

"One Year's Sketch Book," "In a Fair Country," both full of beautiful wood cuts. Regular price, $3.00, for $2.00—this week at SAILSBURY'S.

CHRISTMAS DAY.

Afternoon and Evening,
Ramsay and Rich
the Amusing Entertainers,
in the Opera House,
under the auspices of
Otonabee Lodge, I.O.O.F.

CHRISTMAS DAY.

'CANES'

"They are a Creation, They Do Not Grow."

To-day we show a fine line of these goods in "Silver Mounted" Congo woods — the "Prince of Wales" being the favourite pattern.

Prices will be from $1.00 to $2.00.

What a nice idea for a Gentleman's Present.

To help the overtaxed pocket of Christmas shoppers we place on sale in our window a fine assortment of Christmas Novelties in

—Rings
—Bangle Pins
—Bracelets
—Enamel Spoons
—Gold Chains
—Gold Spectacles, &c.

These Goods will be offered at prices that can not help but sell them.

McClelland
338 GEORGE STREET.

Now For Christmas Week!

SPECIAL BARGAINS ...AT... Hall, Gilchrist & Co's.

The bargains we offer this week will be sufficient attraction to draw large crowds to the PEOPLE'S POPULAR CASH STORE.

We have given all our attention to Dry Goods and assure you that we have an assortment and values not found elsewhere. Everyone invited to call.

Presents for the Baby.
(Everyone buys something for the baby)
Infants Lawn Robes 75c, $1, $1.25, $2, $3, $3.50 special price.
Infant's Cashmere Robes $1.75, $2.75, $3.25, $4, $4.25, lovely goods.
Children's Dresses $1, $1.50, $2, $3, $4, $6.
Children's Pinafores 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, new goods.
Hemstitched Lawns for aprons 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c, sale prices.
Ladies' White Aprons 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Underwear, Gulf Jerseys, Undershirts all at sale prices.

Children's Coats.
(Both comfortable and pretty)
Childrens' Elder Coat Fur Trimmings $1, $1.50, $2.50, $2.75, $4, $4.50 and $5.50.
Children's Hoods to match all the Coats at 25c and up.

Ladies' Ruffs.
Ladies' Fur Neck Ruffs $1.50, $1.75, $2.75, $3, $4.50 and $5. These goods are fully 25 per cent cheaper than you can buy them elsewhere.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, pink, sky and cream 75c.
Ladies' Feather Neck Ruffs, black, 24c, 40c and 50c.
Ladies' Ostrich Neck Ruffs, black $2 and $3 00.
Ladies' Capes $5, 7.50, $9, $10.50 in cloth, new styles.
Ladies' Plush Capes $12, $15, $18, special value.
Ladies' Fur-lined Cloaks, special sale price $8.50. Better goods $12, $15, $17, $20, latest styles.
Ladies' Dressing Jackets, (a very appropriate gift) $1.25 in all shades.
Jackets $6 goods for $4 50, better goods $10, $12, $15.

Handkerchiefs.
(A very suitable gift)
100 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, 10c quality, sale price 5c, or 6 for 25c.
50 doz. Ladies' White Irish Lawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 12½c quality, sale price 8c.
White Embroidered Handkerchiefs 12½c, 15c, 20c 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Hemstitch Silk Handkerchiefs 10c, 15c, 25c.
Fancy Gaiters, Needle Cases, Purses, Collarettes, Silk Shawls, Umbrellas.

Men's Christmas Presents.
(Ladies' attention to this)
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs 15c, 20c and 25c special sale prices.
Men's Hemstitched Lawn Handkerchiefs, sale price 15c.
Men's Hemstitch Linen Handkerchiefs 25c, 30c and 40c.
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs 25c and 35c.
Men's White Hemstitched plain silk Handkerchiefs 25c, 35c, 40c 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c.
Fancy Brocaded Silk Handkerchiefs 45c, 50c 65c 75 cents.
Men's Cashmere Mufflers 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.
Men's Silk Mufflers $1.25, $1.50, very special.
Men's Neck Ties, 4-in-hand 25c, 35c, 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Neck Ties, made up 25c, 35c, and 50c. All new styles special for Christmas trade.
Men's Braces 25c, 35c, 50c special.
Men's Unlined Kid Gloves, special quality to go at $1.
Full stock of Underwear, Top Shirts, Night Shirts, Collars and Cuffs.

Millinery.
(Always interesting at Christmas time)
Children's Fur Caps $1, worth $1.50.
Hats $1.50, $1.75, $2, $3, reduced to sale price.
Wool Tams 25c and 50c special.

Dress Goods and Silks.
25 Dress Costumes, all we have left at 25 per cent. reduction.
Tweed Dress Goods 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
Silks for Dresses, special $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2 25.

Linen Table Cloths and Napkins.
Linen Cloths $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $3, $4, $5.
Linen Napkins 75c, $1, $1.25, $1 50, $2, $3.
Linen Tabling in all qualities.
Blankets 75c, $1.10, $1.25, $2.50, $3.50, $4 special.

Kid Gloves and Hosiery.
The greatest assortment of New Gloves you can find all at special prices.
Guaranteed Kid Gloves 75c, $1, $1.25.
Hosiery Cashmere 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
All mail orders receive special attention.
Rugs and Carpets at special prices.
Carpet Sweepers the best in the trade.

Spot Cash. One Price. Small Profits.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

Pure Gold Flavouring Extracts are as good as Pure Gold Baking Powder.

Absolutely Pure.

The Careful Housewife Will Use No Other.

Pure Gold Flavouring Extracts—True Flavour.

Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1896.

CLOSING EXERCISES

At the Central and South Central Kindergartens.

The interest in the work of the Kindergartens has steadily increased in Peterborough, since the introduction of the system, and manifested itself yesterday in an overflowing attendance at the closing exercises of the Central and South Central classes.

In some sections the system has not flourished with the vigour which is desirable and in several instances it has had to be relinquished altogether, but not so in Peterborough. The superior educational advantages enjoyed by the town has apparently so raised the standard of all classes, that the merits of the Kindergarten were at once appreciated and it is now universally recognized as one of the strongest factors in our deservedly lauded curriculum of study.

Yesterday numbers had actually to be turned away from the doors and the proposition therefore to hereafter hold the exercises in the market hall or opera house should be received with favour by the Board of Education. The kindergarten class rooms in both schools were most beautifully decorated for the occasion with evergreens, holy and flags, whilst the windows were hung with gay tinsel drapings, cut in pleasing patterns by the tiny little ones in attendance.

At the Central kindergarten Miss Warner is in charge, being assisted by Misses Mamie Hall, Lottie Smith, Elsie Cameron. Miss Smith presided at the piano yesterday and to her sympathetic interpretation of the various accompaniments, much of the success of the progress made is due. Music possessing a wonderful influence apparently on the minds of the children.

The regular staff was also assisted for the afternoon by Miss Laura Collins.

In the South Central Miss Lillie Davidson is in charge, and by her winsome manner has won the love of her little charges to a degree which ensures her success in the work. She is ably assisted in her efforts by Misses Ada Gillespie, Lillie Bacon and Jennie Allen.

The exercises were almost identical in both schools, opening with a prayer recited in concert, when all the little heads were humbly bowed in worship. Afterwards the hymn "God is Love" was sung, and then the bright song of welcome and the the Christmas greeting.

Songs indicative of the season were sung in sequence, interspersed with other pleasing little ditties, the programme being as follows:

PROGRAMME.

Prayer
Hymn, "God is Love"
Song of Welcome
Carol—Christmas greeting
Dandelion song ..... Summer
The Brown Birds ..... September
The Shoemaker ..... Trade
October's party ..... October
Hark thro' the pine boughs ..... November
The Weaver
Jack Frost
Old Winter } December
Merry Merry Bells
Christmas, Glad Christmas
Jolly Old Fellow } Christmas
The Ball
Gifts and Occupations
Marching and Circle Games
Christmas tree
God Save the Queen.
Good-bye Song

Oranges

12c at Waller & Co's. 1d

R. Brown & Co., 394 George Street.

Our Christmas fruits are the finest obtainable in Montreal and Toronto markets. We have just laid in a choice stock with the intention of supplying the town. Connoisseur Cluster Raisins, Currants, Layer and Cooking Figs, Prunes, Dates, Piper's pure Chocolate, Spices and everything needful for Christmas cakes and puddings. Don't forget to call.—R. Brown & Co., Grocers, also Wines and Liquors.

Do it up Right!

Blessed is he that expecteth nothing, but findeth much on Xmas morning. In "checking off" let there be a goodly sprinkling of Silk *Gifts*—Silk *Scarfs*, Silk Ties, Satin Ties, Silk Handkerchiefs, Satin Shirt Protectors, Silk Suspenders. Nowhere can you get such high-class novelties as here.

STILL LEFT—A few Camel's Hair Smoking Jackets, small sizes, 34 and 36, your choice for $4.00.

Mercer's

ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL CHARITY ENTERTAINMENT.

A Great Success in the Catholic Association Rooms—Beautifully Decorated Apartments—Everything Successful—Large Attendance—Liberal Sales—An Out-and-out Success—Continued this Evening—A Fine Musical Programme to be Presented.

The rooms of the Catholic Literary Association were yesterday transformed into a perfect bower of beauty by the committee of ladies having in charge the Christmas tree entertainment in aid of the House of Providence—St. Joseph's Hospital. The entertainment was under the personal supervision of Mother Vincent, and she is certainly to be congratulated on the success of the first day, as the rooms were crowded until a late hour in the evening.

Upon going through the main entrance into the dining hall, one is struck with the beauty of the decorations which adorn the walls and gasaliers. There is a profusion of evergreen in prettily arranged designs, which were tastily set off with decorations of pink. The dining tables also contained pretty bouquets of begonias.

But the young ladies waiting on the tables were too cute for anything, being attired in caps of pink, together with aprons of the same material, and were, as a gentleman said, at dinner, "in the pink of perfection." The following are the lady waiters: Misses F. Sullivan, M. Begley, M. E. Kelly, K. Simons and M. Riley.

The refreshment tables were liberally patronized and the bill of fare was an excellent one in every respect. The following ladies constituted the Refreshment Committee: Mesdames M. McFadden, John Coughlin, John Dunn, John Simons, P. Sherbineau. The ladies are certainly to be congratulated on the manner in which this department is being conducted.

Upstairs in the assembly room everything is business, and the display of articles for sale are arranged on tables and present a very pretty and attractive appearance, so much so in fact that one could hardly resist purchasing. The tables are loaded down with every conceivable article suitable for holiday presents.

The main table, known as the fancy table, is in charge of the following ladies: Mesdames Justus Dunn, Harry LeBrun, R. Pope, B. Morrow, T. B. McGrath, Thos. Kelly, J. Hurley and J. C. Sullivan. Misses J. McCarthy, M. O'Brien, Annie Simons, May Kelly.

Fancy table, *No. 2*—Misses E. and A. Vinette, A. Henry, M. Henry and M. Burke.

Religious table—Miss J. A. Moran.

Refreshment booth—Mrs. P. Begley.

Aside from these sale tables were other attractions, however, which were a source of considerable revenue as well as enjoyment.

The fish pond, in charge of Mesdames Geo. Ball and J. J. Lynch, was swarmed with anglers, and the ladies in charge reported fishing to be excellent.

The Ferris wheel, in charge of Misses A. O'Neil and A. Simons, is something new in the amusement line and it proved a bonanza to the ladies in charge.

The Christmas tree, with Santa Claus standing guard, was in charge of Mrs. M. Riley and Mrs. M. Halpin. This proved to be the centre of attraction for the youngsters.

Everything and everybody seemed to be hustling, and the rooms were crowded all evening with a gathering that came prepared to invest and procure the articles on sale.

At eight o'clock Mr. L. V. O'Connor ascended the platform and after the inevitable small boy was brought to order, introduced the following programme:

Instrumental music ..... Miss K Hurley
Christmas chorus ..... Convent pupils
Instrumental duet—piano and violin ..... Miss K Hurley and Miss L Connor
Comic song ..... Mr Dan Donoghue
Recitation ..... Miss L Halihan
Song ..... Miss May Callaghan
Drill ..... Convent pupils
(Miss Vivian Donoghue, Captain.)
Recitation ..... Miss Carrie White
Quartette
Accompanists ..... Mrs T Dunn and Misses K Hurley and M Doherty

During the day and evening the following clergy were present,—His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, Ven. Archdeacon Casey, Fathers O'Connell, Fitzpatrick, Scanlan and Canlan.

The Christmas tree is being continued to day and also this evening, when a musical programme will be presented.

LAST NIGHT'S SOCIAL.

Miss Shortly's Sunday School Class Entertain.

On account of the various other attractions which took place last evening the attendance was not as large as it would otherwise have been at the social which was given in the Y.M.C.A. Hall by the members of Miss Shortly's George street Methodist Sunday school class.

Miss Shortly very ably filled the chair. In her remarks she said the object of the social was to raise a little money in aid of some of the country Sunday schools which needed help. She was sorry there was not a larger attendance, but she assured those present that they would be presented with an excellent programme.

The opening number was a splendidly-executed piano solo by Miss E. Coveney. Following this Miss E. Whitten gave a recitation in doing which she fully sustained her reputation as a very clever elocutionist. Miss C. Belleghem then followed with a vocal solo, in which she, as usual, delighted the audience. The crowning event of the evening was the Shakesperian burlesque, which was well given by Misses Kendry, Coveney, Yenney and VanEvery, and Mr. Roy Zimmerman, following which Miss Sadie Ratherford gave a well-received recitation. Mr. Jas. Browne, in his usual pleasing manner, gave a vocal solo, after which Miss Hattie Holmes gave a fine recitation, which brought down the house. Miss I. Melrose then gave an excellent piano solo, and very kindly responded to an encore. The closing number on the programme was a recitation by Miss Ethel Bradburn, which was very creditably given, after which refreshments were served by the members of the class, in the gallery of the hall. This brought the pleasant evening, which all present had enjoyed very much, to a close. Great credit is due to Miss Shortly and the members of her class for the very clever manner in which the social was conducted.

No. 1 Soft Shell Almonds.

13c. per lb. or 2 for 25c. at Waller & Co's.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cures.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel on Saturday, Dec. 26th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. dw

Holiday Photographs.

G. E. Whiten, the new photographer of Peterborough, is doing a grand trade since coming here. He is kept very busy. He finishes most of his work on the new Platino finish. There is no better work made in Ontario to-day than is made at Whiten's New Art Studio, on Hunter street west, opposite Oak Hall. His prices are very reasonable. Go and see the quality of his work and be convinced there is none better, and few to equal his work. Give him a trial. dtf

DO YOU SMOKE? DO YOU WANT A PIPE?

Our stock is still large and of first quality. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. by buying from us now. Save it. The whole stock in trade for sale "en bloc." CLEGG'S RETIRING SALE, (Next to Stratton's Bookstore).

ST. PETER'S SCHOOL.

The Standing of the Pupils for the Fall Term.

FORM IV.

Number of marks obtainable, 1185.

Senior class—Leo Callaghan, 925; D. Kane, 913; J. O'Brien, 901; R. O'Brien, 875; C. McDonnell, 852; H. Sullivan, 842; J. O'Connell, 819; E. Doherty, 804; G. McFadden, 780; M. Kennedy, 773; L. Clancy, 694; W. Moher and J. Gorham each 654; P. O'Toole, 630; R. Spratt, 611; A. Delaire, 591; F. Conroy, 565; J. Judge, 367.

Junior class—J. Dolan, 988; F. McDonald, 897; T. O'Donnell, 775; F. Hurley, 774; H. Gilman 771; J. Kylie, 745; T. McGrath, 735; G. Pope, 697; W. Sheehan, 673; H. Overend, 642; W. McCormack, 636; A. Dunn, 614; G. Brennan, 511; E. E. Ferguson, 491; F. Eano, 477; John Mulligan, 382; Jas. Mulligan, 302.

These marks do not indicate the ability of the pupils so much as they do the pupils' regularity and diligence.

L. R. Keogh, Principal.

FORM III.

Marks obtainable, 655.

Fred Flaherty, 535; Stanley Giroux, 525; John Clancy, 513; Hubert Galvin, 512; Godfrey Coughlin, 512; Ed. Fitzgerald, 504; Joe O'Brien, 498; Fred Pope, 494; Baptise Vinnette, 481; David Hoban 471; John Kearns, 470; Reuben Phalen, 428; Will O'Toole, 417; Will Kelly, 385; John Primeau, 365; Joe Larone, 322; Albert Halpin, 316.

FORM III.

Marks obtainable, 600.

Juniors.—Thomas McManus, 508; Leo D'Russia, 501; Willie O'Brien, 498; James Callghan, 474; Albert Lavasseur, 457; Joseph Heffernan, 426; Joseph Reviard, 426; Victor Sullivan, 429; Mattie Kearns, 419; John Heffernan, 410; Willie Jays, 393; John Delaney, 387; Paul Woelke, 384; Michael Jeffers, 372; Joseph Sullivan, 358; Joseph Gilman, 341; Boney Anglesey, 337; Frank Fountain, 329; Frank Hourigan, 329; Raymond Mahony, 311; Patrick Faherty, 300; Frank O'Connor, 297; Herbie Fitzgerald, 242; Willie Judge, 234. —K. Ryan, teacher.

FORM II.

No. of marks obtainable, 500

Junior Second Class—Albin Quinlan, 412; L. Brennan, 410; Harry Kane, 398; Thos. Kelly, 378; Raymond Welsh, 373; Herbert Delaney, 365; Charley Delaney, 360; Julius Woelke, 348; Oscar Hallihan, 344; Herbert Conroy, 338; Charlie Sullivan, 328; Louis O'Reilly, 323; Frank Hickey, 313; Kenny Overend, 312; Tommy Jeffers, 304; Charlie Primeau, 301; Herbert Hickey, 291; Joseph White, 288; Frank Huppie, 280; Leo Fountain, 282; Fred Clancy, 268; John Cadigan, 200.

FORM II.

No. of marks obtainable, 385.

Junior Part II—Ovila Lalonde, 340; Eddy Redmond, 322; John Brady, 320; Fred Delaire, 296; Bertie Cadigan, 295; Francis Sharp, 287; Vincent Sullivan, 276; George Kearns, 273; Joseph Ferguson, 272; Leo Sullivan, 275; Leo Dideen, 274; Michael O'Brien, 269; Hector Clancy, 274; Bernard Sullivan, 271; Harry Hayes, 270; Bertie Hayes, 233; Willie Heffernan, 250; Joseph Lanor, 243; David Conroy, 221; Harry Frazer, 202; Joseph Devlin, 200; John Hoban, 181; Frank Frazer, 175; James Kelly, 172; John Costello, 172; Emmet Kane, 172; Leo Vinette, 150; Fergus Crough, 102; Louis Denny, 102; Dora Vinette, 100; Leo Primeau, 100.

M. A. O'Connell, teacher.

FORM I.

Total marks obtainable, 350.

Class A.—Leonard Giroux, 343; Omer Giroux, 334; Eugene Coughlin, 324; Henry Hickey, 320; Joe Minicolo, 318; Herbie Barrie, 315; Arthur Sharp, 309; Willie Clancy, 304; Tom Collins, 303; Otto Storrs, 302; Roy Galvin, 301; (Morty Brennan, 300, and Geo. Heffernan, 300, equal); Chas. Kane, 298; Rollie Halpin, 294; Tommy Riley, 290; Willie Cahill, 285; Fred Kearns, 284; (Stephen O'Toole, 281, and Alex. Morency, 281, equal); Johnny Horan, 280; Athanase Mercier, 274; Stafford Sullivan, 273; Tommy Meade, 272; Fred Spratt, 271; Bertie Conroy, 269; Fred Conroy, 266; Reuben Lynch, 265; Vincent Clancy, 260; Donat Lalonde, 255; Gerald McFadden, 242; Harry Quinlan, 236; Herbie Heffernan, 211; Jimmy Fiblan, 192; Earl Downey, 140.

T. Deannard, Teacher.

THE NEW INSPECTOR HERE.

He Meets the Principals and the Supervision Committee.

Mr. Duncan B. Walker, the recently appointed Inspector of the Peterborough Public Schools, arrived in town this morning and spent the day here on his way through from Brockville to Chatham, in which latter place he will spend his holidays.

During the morning a meeting of the principals of the respective schools was held in conjunction with the Supervision Committee, at which Mr. Walker was present, and an informal talk was held regarding the studies of the ensuing year and the disposition of the large number of pupils which have been promoted at the recent examinations.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—E. Welsh's fruit flavour Creams is the biggest lead in town, at 25c per lb. box. 2

—Mr. Whiten's photograph studio will be open on Christmas Day, for special sittings and family groups.

—E. Welsh is selling a 10c. lb. box of Chocolate Drops, Chocolate Carmels, Creams and Taffies. Just the thing for Xmas. 2d

—Rev. Mr. Speer, of Broadway Methodist Tabernacle, Toronto, invited his congregation to a free feast in the basement of the church. While waiting for the dinner, and as the smell of good things filled the air, he pleaded with those present to double their weekly offerings.

Lots of 5 and 10 cent games at Sailsbury's.

A Very Fine OLD CANADIAN WHISKY, $3.50 per gallon at ALEX. ELLIOTT'S.

See the big display of Ties at Grafton & Co's, worth 25c and 35c now 10c.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by the Local Meteorlogical Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Dec. 23, 6.30 a. m. ..... zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	11	—8

The minus sign (—) signifies below zero.

Cow Choked to Death.

Mr. Thos. Edgar, Communication Road, Smith, had the misfortune to lose a valuable cow on Sunday through choking while eating split carrots. Mr. Edgar says the animal was a very valuable one for dairy purposes.

Letter from Santa Claus.

DEAR LITTLE CHILDREN,—I have asked Mr. Stratton to put this letter in the EXAMINER for me for you to see, as I wish all the little children of Peterborough to visit me to-morrow so that I can speak to each one of you.

I am kept very busy in my bookstore grotto, but have appointed to-morrow to receive all little children that I have not yet shaken hands with. So ask your mother or father to kindly bring you.

With kind love to all, I am,
Your faithful friend,
SANTA CLAUS.

Grotto of the Peterborough Bookstore—The popular store for Christmas shoppers.

CHRISTMAS DAY.

Afternoon and Evening. Ramsay and Rich, the Amusing Entertainers, in the Opera House, under the auspices of Otonabee Lodge, I.O.O.F. CHRISTMAS DAY.

Before it is too late pick out a supply of common sense

Christmas Stocking Fillers.

Next to the pleasure of picking them out, is the pleasure of knowing that the goods are good, the values are good and that every Gift will give pleasure to the receiver:—

—Fancy Silk Neck Scarfs
—Warm Wool Mufflers
—Lovely Silk Handkerchiefs
—Nobby Narrow Ties
—Stylish Fancy Bows
—Silk Embroidered Suspenders
—Kid and other Gloves
—Fashionable Dress Shirts
—Linen Collars and Cuffs
—Fine Soft Underwear
—Snug-fitting Hosiery

It will be a Merry Christmas to you and to your friends if you send them the Gifts picked from our beautiful new stock.

PETE SIMONS & CO.

MILITIA.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on envelope, "Tenders for Peterborough Drill Shed," will be received at this office, up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 30th day of December, 1896, for the repairs necessary to the roof of the Peterborough Drill Shed.

Each Contractor will prepare his own Specification, and forward the same in detail with tender. Any further information required may be obtained from Lt.-Col. Bell, Peterborough.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

A. BENOIT, Captain,
Secretary.

The Department of Militia and Defence.
Ottawa, 21st December, 1896. 6147

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The rink is now open for skating forenoons, afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies	$2 00
For Gentlemen	3 00
For Girls	1 50
For Youths	2 00
For Boys	1 50

FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each additional member half rates.

Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN GRANN, Sec.-Treas.

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How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to improve their Education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book-keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the student.

Many have fitted themselves for better positions by attending our Night School. You can do the same.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings, 7 to 9 p.m.

PRINGLE & McCREA,
Opposite Post Office. *Business College.*

HOLIDAY LEADERS

4 lbs. Choice Raisins	for 25c
4 lbs. Choice Currants	for 25c
Schoppe No. 1 Cocoanut	per lb 25c
Choice Fresh Mixed Peel	per lb 25c
3 lbs. Mothers Mince Meat	per lb 25c

Figs, Dates, Oranges, Lemons, Table Raisins and Delicious Confectionery. Just watch for our candy advertisement, an Eye Opener.

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Chase and Sanborn's Coffee

The *quality* of the *Coffee* we sell under our *trade mark* is our best advertisement.

This Seal is our trade mark, and guarantees perfection of quality, strength and flavor.

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Bought at 55c on the Dollar.

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Has bought D. O. LeGendre's stock of First-Class Dry Goods at 55c on the Dollar, and he will sell it off without reserve at the late firm's place of business, No. 323 George Street, next door to G. Carton's Grocery,

Commencing Thursday, Dec. 24th, 1896.

The Stock is new and as it must be sold within a limited time Big Bargains will be given.

Goods the people want. Prices the people like. This is the whole story. The sale of this Stock will be short and profitable to buyers.

COME ONE. COME ALL.

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FLUID BEEF SET (In Pure Aluminum) Get one while they last.

OUR SPECIAL OFFER.

1 Tray, 1 Spirit Lamp, 2 Cups, 2 Spoons, 1 Water Boiler, 2 Salt and Pepper Castors, 1 Bottle Methylated spirits,

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Crowds of people examine it daily.

Great care was taken in the selection.

The Beef is killed by experienced men.

Our Pork gives entire satisfaction.

Our Canned Goods are selling fast.

We have large orders for Fowl. Give yours early.

You may order your Summer Savory, Sage and Cranberries the same time as you order your fowl.

Our Mince Meat is guaranteed to contain nothing but the best qualities.

Chopped Suet is kept on hand.

WHEN BUYING HERE be sure you secure your receipt for every purchase. Our delivery men will call regularly at your house if so desired. You may then order your Butter, Eggs, Canned Goods, Beef, Pork, Mince Meat, Chopped Suet and everything in the Meat line.

We will give to Every Purchaser on Xmas Eve, a Branch of Holly. This was got especially for you.

340 George St. 387 Water St.

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Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $8.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for - - **$3.00**

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

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IN BOTTLES.

Native Port	40c
St. Augustine	50c
Dry Catawba	50c
Sweet Catawba	50c
Black Cherry	50c
Blackberry	50c
Orange Wine	50c
Grape Wine	50c
Peach Wine	50c
Old Port Wine	75c
Very Old Port	$1.00
Old Sherry Wine	75c
Very Old Sherry	1.00

ON DRAUGHT.

	PER GAL.
Wines, Ports & Sherries	$2.00 to $6.00
Gins	2.00 to 5.00
Rums	3.00 to 6.00
Brandies	3.00 to 6.00
Whiskies	2.50 to 3.50

Ales, Porters and Stout, pints and quarts, by the dozen or keg.

Fancy Table Raisins, English Walnuts, Florida Oranges, Table Figs, Dates, Prunes, Biscuit, Cheese, and a superior line of Fresh Staple Groceries, specially selected for Holiday trade.

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FAT MAN—"Hello, there skinny! Have you given your Holiday Order for CALCUTT'S beefy Ale or Porter?"

SLIM MAN—"Yes, sir, I've thrown physic to the dogs, and started off on Calcutt's prescription. Going to fatten up for 1897, you bet."

Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue the business in his own name in future.

W. G. FOWLER

Begs to announce to all his old customers and the public generally that he has bought out the business formerly carried on by W. G. FOWLER & CO., and has put in a full and complete stock of

New Groceries, Sugars, Fruits,

And other staple lines. As I intend to carry on a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS in future, I will sell all goods at the CLOSEST CASH PRICES. You can now get the Cheapest Christmas Groceries in town at

W. G. FOWLER'S,
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WHETHER YOU BUY...

"TETLEY'S" 40c., 50c., 60c., or 70c. blend

You are getting the best value for your money.

"Tetley's" TEAS

"FROM ANCIENT INDIA AND SWEET CEYLON."

REPAIRED A WRONG.

Caleb, the driver, had been speculating upon the white haired stranger on the seat beside him ever since the stage left the railway station. He wanted a square look into his eyes before venturing a "feeler," but the big slouched hat prevented that. Now, in sight of town, on the slope ahead of them, the stranger thawed and began to question, loosing Caleb's tongue volubly.

"And that's the orphanage," he continued, pointing to a sightly white building in the midst of a grove of evergreen trees on the brow of the slope ahead of them. "Joshua Hanson's money started it, but they have hard work to keep it going. Always hampered for funds; unlucky from the first start, 15 years ago. They had a fire, then they were robbed of a round sum"—

"Robbed! Who would rob orphans?" interrupted the stranger.

"Well, nobody expected it of Dick when he was trusted with the money. He got into wild company, and it went in some kind of speculation that was to double it. Served a sentence in state prison for it. Too bad. I suppose he's gone to the dogs since. Precious few ever get over that disgrace. Pity. I knew Dick from a boy. He was awful good hearted."

"Yes. Robbery of orphans was a fine proof of goodness," returned the old gentleman, with cutting sarcasm.

"Well, he only meant to borrow the money," said Caleb.

"Poor excuse to cheat the fatherless," persisted the other with severity.

"There's Millicent Roundaway on her way to the orphanage," pursued Caleb as the stage reached the level beyond the slope. "She's taught the children to sing like nightingales for Christmas. There's to be a tree in the church and a big time."

The stranger seemed to regard the young woman in a long fur trimmed garment ahead of them with interest.

"She's done a power for them first and last, and they worship her," said Caleb. "Queer she don't get married," he added reflectively as he touched up the grays, "but I don't know a man in Waverly good enough for her."

With the last words the grays dashed round the curve and brought up in fine style before the Waverly hotel. The loungers watched the stranger climb down from his perch. Caleb was ahead of him, tumbling his big trunks off with an air of "knowing the whole business, if he liked to give it away," the porter told the others.

The stranger was christened the Mystery very shortly. He had meals sent to his rooms. "J. H. Afterforth" on the hotel register was as noncommittal as his ponderous, strapped trunks. Always with hat drawn down, he took long, lonely walks around the town and its outskirts. He might be a harmless lunatic, it was conjectured, until he was seen to go in and out of the orphanage several times, when it got round that he was a rich, eccentric relative of one of the children, who, if he found all things on the square, was likely to give them a handsome Christmas donation. In fact, Mr. Malladew, the superintendent, admitted that he had hopes a new friend had been raised up to them.

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The church on the hill above Captain Roundaway's place was the center of attraction on Christmas eve. Curious rumors were afloat, although the tree committee had been personified caution, that three ponderous trunks were to turn telltales, and that the Mystery was to have not only a finger but both arms and shoulders, up to his ears, in the festivities. The five oaks and pines right and left of the church, girdled by Chinese lanterns, kept up mysterious noddings and whisperings, and those in a position to peep through the tall windows upon the dazzling sight within sent thrilling bulletins from time to time to their less fortunate neighbors.

The air was mild, as if it had been filtered of frost for the occasion. The path of light from the church reached clear down over the snow to Captain Roundaway's piazza. He stepped out of his door into it; then his wife; then Millicent. Others ahead, more behind, hurrying, converging from all points, laughing, chattering, wondering what the evening was to bring forth, and all passing into the church until the seats and aisles were full.

Once inside they found themselves in a bower of evergreens, and, of all things, two Christmas trees, blazing away in splendor! One, the usual size, hung with the usual quota of Waverly's Christmas presents, was completely overshadowed by the other, which towered roofward, a very monarch of the woods, wearing its royal honors not unconscious, but with the air of triumphant, tantalizing mystery.

Everybody, from Mr. Merrivale, the minister, to deformed Billy Bowline, the peanut vender, was bowing and smiling to everybody else. The orphans were in the front pews in gala dress. There was much craning of necks and wondering over the tall tree and the mysterious father thereof, for it was well understood that the white bearded stranger was the sole author and finisher of this transcendent surprise.

"Mebbe he's the Wandering Jew," suggested Billy Bowline, leaning forward on his crutch toward the tree longingly.

"Looks more like Rip Van Winkle, with his white hair," dissented Ned, the barber's boy, who had lately seen Joe Jefferson from the "heaven" of a city theater.

"Pooh! Didn't I say he was Santa Claus himself the first day!" was the triumphant query of Ben, the hotel boy.

How these orphans' fingers laced and interlaced, and how their eyes flashed from tree to tree until both seemed to kindle into one blaze! How they aroused Millicent's reassuring smile, with confidence in their own ability to tune their throats when called upon.

In the midst of all, Millicent's eyes had a faraway, reminiscent expression of sadness, as if she were occupying a sphere inside the radiant ones around her. And the Mystery, who was in a small room beyond the platform, with the tree committee, stood looking through the door at her, so absorbed that Rhoda Barker had to give him a smart shake to call his attention to the mask and toggery in which he must array himself at once.

"There he is! That's the Mystery!" went round the church when Santa Claus, in fantastic array, with snowy head and the jolliest of rubicund faces, came from the anteroom, flourishing a long wand with ribbon streamers, and took his stand between the two Christmas trees. For a minute the commotion in the air made the evergreens tremble and the lights dance.

The chairman mounted a small table on the platform, and after many shouts and much waste of breath brought the meeting to order. At a signal from Millicent, who played a piano accompaniment, the orphans bubbled and overflowed in a joyous Christmas carol, which brought everybody into sympathetic unison and fairly seemed to make the trees join arms and whirl each other round from sheer enthusiasm.

"See, see!" was echoed as half a dozen Christmas fairies in misty tulle and spangled wings came filing out of the anteroom.

Santa Claus marshaled them around him by quaint and curious flourishes of the wand he carried and began to despoil the smaller tree. Its fruitage was soon scattered right and left by the dainty little messengers, and then Santa Claus, with more flourishes, turned to the other, ready for invasion by the miniature world, which, after all, only remained for the larger one to plunder.

"Won't he need a long stepladder to reach the top of it?" queried Billy Bowline.

"If I had a seat in the chandelier, I could play a great game," Ben said.

"You watch him charm the things down," said Ned. "He's a wizard. That wand has magic in it."

"The orphans of the orphanage will prepare for the lion's share of the plunder," Santa Claus called out in jovial tones, and he broke up the flirtation under the bough abruptly by consigning the youth in a sailor suit to one fairy and the long lashed coquette to another, she uttering a little squeak of protest as he did so.

The orphans had indeed been remembered royally. Presents were just rained upon them by the fluttering fairies. Back and forth they glanced and doubled, on the wing surely, for their slippered feet never touched the carpet. The folks on the tree were robbed unceremoniously of picture books and heaped up baskets of candies, fruit and bonbons and all their other treasures and themselves consigned bodily to the tender mercies of the boys and girls reaching out hearts and hands to them, to which they resigned themselves with many a wink and a sleep. Clothing there was, too, piles of it, from blue and pale Tam O'Shanters down to patent tipped shoes. But why enumerate? Enough that Santa Claus was getting in no half way strokes.

He stood back from the tree with a view to dispersing the soft clouds clinging to the summit of the tall tree all the evening, as if it had settled down there from the summer sky of the tropics.

A touch of the wand, and it materialised into a dainty India shawl. He flourished it aloft airily, turned round on his heels in apparent uncertainty as to its disposal, wound it into a fluffy ball with the wand and tossed it up, caught it dexterously, roved with his eyes all over the church, faced round to Millicent's quarter, where the orphans beamed, faced back upon the tree committee, again to Millicent, letting his eyes rest upon her, and then everybody, watching his monkey capers, saw the shawl descend and settle in graceful folds over her head and shoulders.

"What is the meaning of that tomfoolery, I wonder?" Captain Roundaway muttered under his breath uneasily, and his shaggy eyebrows lowered perceptibly as he noticed Millicent's smiling, blushing perplexity.

"So the Mystery has let his mantle fall upon Millicent," remarked Dr. Challfour.

"It seems to belong there, doesn't it?" remarked Mr. Malladew as his clear eyes searched her blond face in the azure cloud with just a shade of anxiety.

"You know what it all means," challenged the doctor's wife with her fan.

"We shall see later," returned Mr. Malladew.

The fairies, having got through with the orphans, were now fluttering like silver butterflies all over the church, with their hands full. Gift books with cream margins and handsome bindings, more baskets of candied fruits and bonbons, more dolls and more animals for other children, until it did seem that the Mystery had had to find some outlet for his benevolence to avoid bursting outright. Billy Bowline had, besides books and sweetmeats, a complete outfit from top to toe. Deborah Tenny, who had been carried to the church in a big armchair with pillows and who had not left her bed for a year, was fairly overcome by the comforts and luxuries heaped upon her. Squire Halliday opened a morocco case put in his hands to find a five minute repeater and massive gold chain of exquisite workmanship. His wife had a box pushed into her lap which contained fold on fold of lustrous satin. By the

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REPAIRED A WRONG.

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time the boughs were bared everybody in town had some memento from the Mystery.

At the last minute a small oblong box, with spring clasps, was carried in both hands to Mr. Melladew by the largest of the fairies. There were some conjectures over its contents as he lifted the lid cautiously and closed it, shutting off the curious from even a peep.

You may guess that by this time so much pent up curiosity over the Mystery was likely to cause an explosion. Luckily an escape valve was at hand.

While the orphans hugged their dolls and munched candy slyly, not to betray greediness, and other folks compared presents and munched sweetmeats openly, and Millicent's eyes shone like misty stars from out the azure cloud of India, and Captain Roundaway, her father, grew grave and gay by turns, watching her, and the squire looked at his watch and chain and then at his wife, and his wife looked at the lustrous satin and then at Santa Claus, and the doctor quizzed Mr. Melladew, and Lawyer Winthrop put forth a riddle to Nathan Curtis about the Mystery, which the Rev. Mr. Merrivale, without giving Nathan Curtis the first chance, hastened to expound, and others, scanning Santa Claus from head to foot, whispered of a certain likeness to some one—while all this and more was going on the chairman, or table man, mounted the table again, got a show of order, after laboring a full quarter of an hour for it, and made them understand that Mr. Melladew had something to say to them.

Mr. Melladew stood, holding the mysterious box conspicuously, until complete silence had fallen.

"Friends," he began slowly, as if he wished every word to be an apple of gold in a picture of silver, "you will, I think, be glad to know that the money taken from the orphanage funds ten years ago has been restored to us trebled."

He held up the box as he spoke and drew out of it a shining handful of coins, allowing them to fall back with a jingle.

There was a profound sensation.

"The older ones will remember the circumstances," he went on, with a furtive glance at Squire Halliday, "and that there was more of grief than indignation among us. Would we not be glad to know that he who did the deed had lived down both it and the disgrace bravely, had made an honorable place for himself among men and had now come forward to repair the wrong?"

There was one suspended breath around him.

"If he were here, would you, could you not even find it in your hearts to give him a frank and hearty hand of fellowship?"

"Yes, yes! We would!" on all sides.

"Those in favor of Santa Claus unmasking at once will say 'Aye.'"

One tremendous and unanimous "Aye!" resounded.

Santa Claus stepped forward from the shelter of the tall Christmas tree. He threw off his fantastic garments. The grotesque mask of the evening fell to his feet, carrying the white wig and beard along with it, and a man not over 30, with a square jaw and pathetic, dark eyes, which held the shadow of past suffering in them, stood bared to these questioning glances, with a mingling of shrinking sensitiveness and manly self possession that won the hearts of the entire crowd at once and forever.

Everybody swayed toward him. The older people were tracing the likeness of the brown, manly face to the boyish one they remembered before his life had suffered eclipse.

"I'm blowed if isn't Dick Halliday himself!" was Captain Roundaway's suppressed comment.

"Dick Halliday! Why, it's Dick, sure enough. Wouldn't you have known him anywhere!" sounded over the church.

Squire Halliday and his wife had their faces hidden.

"I thought there was something all fired familiar about him the day he rode on the stage with me," said Caleb Dashabead in deep disgust at his own stupidity.

"He's a fine fellow if he has worn prison garb," was the comment of Dr. Chalifoux to Captain Roundaway. "Comes of good stock, you see. Had the grit to live it down."

"Yes," assented the captain absently. "I wish he had steered clear of the rocks in the first place," he added, with his eyes on Millicent's face, now flooded with a mild radiance as of moonlight. It was plain she still loved him. If the broken engagement was to be reversed, why, then—

Dick stood there silent. It was a trying ordeal, this bidding publicly for the respect and confidence of his townspeople with the taint of dishonor not yet outlived. To one of Dick's nature sin brings its own punishment. But, seconded by Mr. Melladew, he had dared all in this peculiar fashion, because he longed, let it be whispered, to be reinstated fully for the sake of Millicent, whose life he had so shamefully clouded.

The murmur in the church swelled to a round of heartfelt applause. What but large, generous sentiments could have been the outcome of that evening?

"My friends, I thank you," Dick began and broke down completely.

Squire Halliday and his wife were making their way up the aisle. There were few dry eyes in the church as the father, whose proud heart had been bowed in shame over his dishonored name, grasped Dick's outstretched hand with a trembling "God bless you, my son!" and the mother, whose heart had yearned over her wayward boy all these years, drew his head down upon her breast tenderly and dropped tears of joy upon his face.

"Makes me think of the night she first held him in her arms, 30 years ago," said Dr. Chalifoux in a broken voice.

"Halliday ought to be proud of him," rejoined Lawyer Winthrop, whose pleading had shortened Dick's sentence. "It isn't every young fellow who can recover from a slip so thoroughly."

"I move we march round and give him a handshake," said Lawyer Winthrop.

Seconded and carried, and Dick, as they filed up the aisle to welcome him, wondered if it was only last night he had lain awake shrinking from imagined hisses and epithets such as are apt to descend upon sinners of his stripe.

Up they came—Mr. Melladew beaming over the unanimous and hearty reception when he had feared deep seated prejudice; Rev. Mr. Merrivale resting his hand on Dick's head with a hearty "Happy Christmas;" Dr. Chalifoux with a hard grip that spoke volumes. On and on they came—Billy Bowline and Ned, Deborah Tenny, in her armchair, with tears on her lashes and a smile about her mouth; Millicent, with sweet flushed face and tremulous lips, still in her cloud of drapery, letting her warm palm rest in his, frankly and tenderly even; Captain Roundaway, with all reservations vanishing from his big, kindly nature, nurtured on old ocean, when he looked keen and close into Dick's half pleading, honest eyes; the orphans, too, bonbons in their cheeks and "things" hugged under their arms; everybody, in fact. Millicent's face had told tales.

At last a scattering to the lower regions, where a spread awaited those who were left with an appetite.

Dick was seated between his father and mother, who were flanked by Dr. Chalifoux, Lawyer Winthrop and the rest of the "old stock," and Mr. Melladew took out letters from Dick's friends in California and passed them round, and Dick must needs recount how he worked his way out to the Pacific coast as a hand before the mast and struck it rich in the goldfield after a hand to hand tussle and afterward went into business in San Francisco, where he now had many friends, which he did with halting speech, modestly, for this whole hearted ignoring of a grave misdeed by all of them quite overcame him.

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On Christmas day the Russians adhere to their strictly national dishes. In the morning their breakfast consists of boursch, the national soup, or broth, composed of the fermented juice of beet root, sour cream, boiled cabbage and meat bouillon. This extraordinary mixture tastes much better than it reads, and after the quantity necessary to appease the appetite is consumed in the morning an enormous punch bowl is filled with the soup and stands upon a side table during the day. In all well regulated Russian households there is also found upon the same table a roasted pig, dressed with boiled buckwheat, or kasche, as it is called, mingled with the liver, heart and other edible adjuncts of the animal. This pig is especially raised and killed for Christmas day. It weighs never more than seven or eight pounds.

Accompanying these there is the pasca, a mixture of white cheese, cream, butter, sugar and raisins, which are all placed together in a wooden bowl and allowed to stand for 24 hours. There is also the koulische, a cake plentifully filled with raisins, and then, as a little side dish, are the varicolored eggs that all good Russians are expected to eat with salt that has been purified by roasting. The evening meal is composed of great dishes of sausages and immense joints of roasted veal, which, together with the black bread peculiar to the country, is eagerly devoured and washed down with plentiful libations of koumiss and vodka.—New York World.

A genuine ghost-story has yet to be attested; but not a genuine blood-purifier. Over and over again it has been proved that Ayer's Sarsaparilla stands alone among medicines as the most reliable tonic-alterative in pharmacy. It stood alone at the World's Fair.

A Gascony Tradition.

In Gascony there is a tradition that the lost spirits in hades experience a cessation of their tortures on Christmas day, and that on this one day of the year there is rejoicing even in the lower regions.—Exchange.

A Silesian Superstition.

In Silesia there is a superstition that a boy born on Christmas day must be brought up a lawyer or he will become a thief.

Catarrh is a constitutional disease and requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies the blood.

Miller's Compound Iron Pills cure constipation. 50 doses 25 cents. Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

The Merriest Day.

Then do not select the merriest of the 365 days for your doleful recollections, but draw your chair nearer the blazing fire and if your room be smaller than it was a dozen years ago put a good face on the matter and troll off the old ditty you used to sing and thank God it's no worse. Look on the merry faces of your children, if you have any, as they sit around the fire. One little seat may be empty; one slight form that gladdened the father's and mother's pride to look upon may not be there. Reflect upon your present blessings, not upon your past misfortunes, of which all men have some. Your Christmas shall be merry and your New Year a happy one.—Charles Dickens.

A MESSAGE TO MEN.

Proving that True Honesty and True Philantrophy Still Exist.

If any man, who is weak, nervous and debilitated, or who is suffering from any of the various troubles resulting from youthful folly, excesses or overwork, will take heart and write to me, I will send him confidentially and free of charge, the plan pursued by which I was completely restored to perfect health and manhood, after years of suffering from Nervous Debility, Loss of Vigor and Organic Weakness.

I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble. Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. Geo. G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich.

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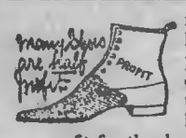

is leather,—workmanship—and how much of it is profit? The Shoe you should buy and the Shoe most dealers sell, differ as these proportions differ. Your next pair will have more leather value, and less profit for the dealer, if you see that it's Goodyear Welted, and stamped on the sole, $3, $4, or $5.

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SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE AND ONE-THIRD to Teachers and Students on surrendering standard form of School Certificate. Tickets to be issued December 11th to 24th, 1896 inclusive, valid to return not later than January 11th, 1897. For full particulars apply apply to

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—Salmon Trout, —Kippered Herring,
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—New Canadian Club House Cheese,
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INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough with the name and address of the same, will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO COCHRANE

License Inspector West Peterborough

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To all and everyone we wish a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year.

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SALVATION ARMY NOTES.

Celebration of the Christmas Season—Handsome Results of the Week of Self-denial.

The Salvation Army in this town will celebrate the birth of Christ by an early morning march at 6.30, and a prayer meeting in their barracks at 7 a. m.

Ensign Burrows, of Kingston, who has the oversight of the junior work in Eastern Ontario, will be present Christmas afternoon to conduct a meeting at 3 p. m. and a children's jubilee at 8 p. m., with a Christmas tree as the attraction.

Sunday at 3 p. m. Ensign Burrows will organize the Band of Love in connection with the Army's Sunday school work in Peterborough. All are invited to attend these services.

We are pleased to be able to inform the citizens of Peterborough that our recent special self denial effort has been a grand success. Our target for this corps was set by Provincial Headquarters at Kingston at $250, but we have far exceeded that and raised the nice sum of $450. We wish to thank our many friends who assisted us in this effort and in return trust that we shall more than ever be made a blessing to your city. We have already sent several unfortunate girls from here to our rescue home in Toronto and we wish to say here if we can be a help to you in this direction or any other way, we are at your service to seek and save the fallen.

THE PETERBOROUGH CORSET FACTORY.

Splendid New Premises to be Provided—The Growth of the Business Demands More Room and Improved Facilities.

During the past eighteen years the Peterborough Corset Factory has been in successful operation and, by the merit of its goods, has grown so rapidly that it has surpassed the capacity of its present premises; therefore, new premises every way suited in size and conveniences to constantly increasing needs of the business to supply the demands of the corset trade for its unquestionably superior products, are demanded.

For the past couple of months Mr. Thos. Rutherford has been busy fitting up a new store and factory at 208 and 210 Charlotte street. The store proper has a wide frontage of 25 feet, with broad plate glass front. The ceilings, which are lofty, are metallic and the store fixtures are of ash and oak, and all of the fittings are of the best quality and most modern style. A new building for factory and work-room has been erected in the rear, and everything is of the most complete character to meet the conditions of a most perfectly equipped factory. The premises are lighted with electricity and gas, and electric bells and speaking tubes are included in the equipment.

As before stated, the business has been established eighteen years, and every year has been marked by improvements in the quality and perfection of the Corsets produced. G. G. Gemmell has shown special aptitude in meeting the wants of the ladies of the country, adopting every improvement in method and material that experience has shown desirable. The result is that the Peterborough Corset Factory has become one of the leading Corset concerns in Canada. These Corsets are shipped to all parts of the country and sold direct to the wearer, through lady agents, as far west as Windsor, north to Winnipeg and east to the Ottawa Valley. There are in this wide area of country seven special travellers employed by the Factory, and in addition to these there are resident agents in all important centres.

It is intended to add another department to the Peterborough Corset Factory—the manufacture of blouses and shirt waists, which will be sold direct to the consumer, thus saving the cost of the middlemen's profits.

THE INSTITUTE "LIT."

The Successful Regular Meeting — The Programme Presented.

The ninth regular meeting of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute Society was held Dec. 21st with the President in the chair. After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, the following programme was rendered:

Selection	Glee Club
Journal	Mr J Fessenden
Duet—guitar and mouth organ	Messrs Davidson and Sisson
Reading	Mr Denny
Duet	Messrs Gray and Alexander
Dialogue—"Shakesperian Burlesque"	Five pupils
Selection	Glee Club
Critic's report	Mr Cavanagh

The meeting then closed with the National Anthem.

MORE NEW BOOKS FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following new books have been received and placed on the shelves:

Cook's Voyages around the World	*Synge*
Through Swamp and Glade	*Munro*
A Romany of the Snows	*Parker*
The Seven Seas	*Kipling*
Revenge	*Barr*
A Splendid Sin	*Grant Allen*
The Facts of the Case	*Spence*
The Boy Skipper	*Metcalfe*
Nailing the Colours	"
On the Face of the Deep	"

CHRISTMAS AT HAND.

Winding up the Year at H. LeBrun & Co.'s With Rousing Reductions in Prices all Over the Store.

No matter what may be the preparations you are making for the Christmas celebration, one of the most important of all is to dress in becoming economical clothing and furnishings. There's no excuse for being shabbily dressed with such specially good chances to buy as are presented by Messrs. H. LeBrun & Co., of the City Clothing Store, from now until the end of the year. This firm as usual is already prepared and primed for the occasion. They have anticipated the varied needs of men, youths, boys and children. They congratulate themselves on having had a satisfactory year's business, and are pleased and contented all round. And now as the last merry days of the year go out they are prepared to give their numerous friends a substantial benefit. They have been friends to the gentlemen and youths of Peterborough for a good many years and are getting better every year. Great table loads of clothing, ulsters, overcoats and suits are awaiting seekers after bargains. Your size is there, and whether your purse is big or little the firm can suit you. Merchants mechanics, bankers, clergymen, lawyers, doctors, youths, boys and children are being clothed from H. LeBrun & Co.'s reliable stock, because they have so much confidence in it. You can't afford to waste a single cent these days, and that's why it looks as if this firm were prepared to serve people who want honest goods without charging them loaded prices. Made to order or ready-made—its all the same—the prices have been dropped down for the balance of the year, to help make shoppers hearts all the lighter and merrier. In neckwear the display is unexcelled, and the drop in prices makes the selling go lively. Then they have received many other new and attractive things for Christmas gifts in the way of silk scarfs, mufflers and handkerchiefs, gloves, hosiery and underwear, handsome smoking jackets, leather-covered umbrellas, dress shirts, &c. You can't shop at the City Clothing Store without striking a bargain. Just throw in your line and you land a prize every time. H. LeBrun & Co. dw-tf

Catholic Prayer Books—a big line—cheap at SAILSBURY'S.

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The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., Box 55.) 12d132

COURT OF REVISION.

It Meets for the Last Time This Year.

Councillor Hughes, chairman, presided at the meeting of the Court of Revision last evening, when the following appeals were disposed of:

From James O'Brien, complaining of arrears of taxes charged on his property.—No action taken.

From W. H. Roberts, asking for refund of $3, which he claimed had been wrongfully collected from him last year.—Recommended that refund be made.

From Meldrum & McAllister, asking for a correction in their taxes on oatmeal mill.—Correction made.

From the same firm asking for an abatement of taxes on account of their property having been burned.—Remission of $117.60 granted.

From John Kelly, complaining of an assessment of a lot for the Park street drain.—The Court will make a recommendation to the council to grant request.

From Mrs. Rebecca Hartley, for remission of taxes on store that had been vacant.—No action.

From P. J. McNamara, stating that lot 9, plan 82, had been assessed twice, in 1895 and 1896.—Order made correcting error.

From John H. Southard, asking for remission of personal property tax, on the ground that he had to pay taxes in Ashburnham, where he is now living.—No action.

A number of applications for remission of taxes on charitable grounds were laid over.

Neuralgia's Persistent Agony

Has but one source of relief. Nerviline—nerve pain cure—penetrates to the irritated nerves, soothes them into repose, and affords relief almost instantly. The whole range of medicine affords no parallel to Nerviline as a pain reliever.

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We take pleasure in informing the public that we have completed arrangements by which we can supply our old brands of flour manufactured with every care to suit the requirements of our trade. We can guarantee the same satisfaction that our flours have always given, as we are having them made from our own blends of wheat and under our personal supervision. Orders will be taken as usual at our down town office, corner of Simcoe and Bethune streets. Telephone No. 113. MELDRUM & MCALLISTER Millers.

Ladies Don't Smoke,

but they have a tender regard for some fellahs that do. The great festival of Christmas will soon be here, and between now and then people will naturally think of buying presents for their friends. Mr. Chas. LeGros, the live George street tobacco and cigar dealer, realising that money is very scarce, has put everything in the line of cigars and pipes down to cost, and when he says cost, he means business. LeGros is a hustler, and likes to give his customers a benefit at Christmas times. He imports all his goods direct, and saves the wholesalers' profit. A few of the snaps which he offers are to be seen in his window. He has the finest lot of pipes in Canada, all of B.B.B. manufacture. In cigars, his imported cigars are of the finest, and this is proved by the testimony of the best people of the town who smoke them. Ladies who know the weakness that their gentlemen friends have for a good cigar or a meerscham pipe, a swell mouthpiece or a handy tobacco pouch can take a hint and have a quiet talk with Charley on the subject. Call and see him and you will be astonished at the prices and quality of his pipes, cigars and smokers' sundries. ALIVE C. LEGROS, 339 George street. tf

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Suits..... $12, $14, $16

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Handsome Ties and Braces for the Xmas trade.

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Arrangement made to meet the wishes of those desiring same. 422 George St., North of Foot & McWhinnie.

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Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enameledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

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FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

MINING SHARES FOR SALE — 18,000 shares of the Slocan Queen Mine at 10c. per share also one-seventh interest in the Tough Nut and United Empire Mine. For particulars address J. D. BROCK, Box 545, Peterborough.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET; central locality. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. 6od135

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TO RENT—SEVERAL COMFORTABLY Heated Rooms Bank of Commerce Buildings; suitable for bedrooms or offices. Apply to 437 George street. dtf93

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—Gravy Ladles,
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BRAM MURDER TRIAL

The Accused Tells His Story in Court at Boston.

A STRAIGHTFORWARD RECITAL.

Not a Sign of Nervousness Displayed—Dignity and Intelligence Marked the Bearing of the Man, Who Showed No Vindictiveness Towards the Prosecuting Witnesses.

Boston, Dec. 23.—In the trial to-day of Mate Thomas W. Bram, charged with the murder of Captain Nash, Mrs. Nash and the second mate of the barquentine, Herbert Fuller, the defence began their side of the case. Mr. French, of counsel for Bram, made the opening argument. In part he said: "Everything points to the conclusion that these fiendish crimes were committed by an insane man. Whoever the man was, he has appeared before you in this court, but he has appeared in a far *different guise than he did* when he committed that crime. If you have formed any opinion as to this case, you are asked to suspend judgment until you have seen on the witness stand the defendant himself, and heard him tell the story of his innocence. The proposition which the Government is bound to prove beyond a doubt is not who killed Capt. Nash, but did Thomas Bram kill him? Brown is the Government's principal witness, and he was branded by the District Attorney as suspicious and under a shadow of guilt, in his opening address. He is the only witness on whom the Government relies for its positive proof of guilt, and no one would convict a man on such testimony of a capital crime. All the other testimony is purely circumstantial."

The first witness for the defence was the defendant Bram himself, who testified, after being sworn, that his name is Thomas Mead Chandler Bram, 33 years old, and was born in St. Catharines, one of the West Indian Islands. He gave his testimony in a firm tone of voice, with much dignity and intelligence, without the slightest suggestion of nervousness. Continuing, he told of his early career in New York, Boston and Cambridge, Mass. Part of the time he was manager of a restaurant in Boston, New York and Chicago, for one Dennett, who established restaurants in various cities. In telling of his seafaring life and his shipping as mate of the Herbert Fuller, he related how he had had some trouble with Brown, who growled when witness showed him how he wanted the deck scrubbed. In his story of the tragedy he said he was on deck from 12 to 1 o'clock, when he went below to get a sandwich and a drink. He returned immediately. Just before 2 o'clock Soliac disappeared. At 2 o'clock witness heard a noise aft; saw a man abreast of the mizzen rigging, who proved to be Brown. Witness returned from aft and called. "Four bells" to Brown, but received no answer. He soon went aft again, and saw Brown putting on his slippers. In the meantime Soliac had taken the wheel. Witness went forward; when he returned he met a man with a revolver (Monks) coming up from the cabin. Witness shielded himself with a board. Monks informed him that the captain had been murdered. He then went below with Monks.

The remainder of witness' testimony to recess was substantially as given by others regarding the disposition of the bodies, the steering of the ship, etc.

He told his story in a clear, ringing, resonant voice, every syllable of which could be heard in any part of the court room, without hesitation, and with scarcely a suggestion from counsel. The interruptions were few, because he did not wander, but kept close to the facts. He manifested no prejudice or feeling against his accusers, nor did he in any way attempt to give color to the tragic narrative. He spoke of the actions and conduct of Brown with the same firmness that he did of the others, and did not emphasize, while he spoke of Brown's moody and strange behavior, as Brown's shipmates had done.

THE TRIP TO HALIFAX.

After recess Bram resumed his testimony and described the trip to Halifax after the murders. He was told to watch Brown, because he acted very suspiciously during the Tuesday night following the tragedy. Monks, Bram and Spencer were talking Wednesday afternoon, when Brown joined them. Brown said he had been followed by the sailors all night.

Witness then described Brown's movements and how guilty he appeared. Bram said he changed his clothes on Saturday, and it had been a week since he had changed them. He took a bucket and washed his soiled clothes and left them in soak all Saturday night. There was no blood on them. He was awakened Saturday night by the steward to listen to some peculiar noises.

When witness was put in irons and lashed to the mainmast Spencer told him he believed he did not commit the murder, but that he must know about it. Spencer said later: "We ought to get $500 each salvage, but if you had taken the vessel in we would get nothing."

Witness related his uncomfortable experience in Halifax jail, and also identified a lot of wearing apparel as his own. He said if the sails were trimmed right the ship steered easy. She was ballasted with about six tons of rocks.

He then described at some length the windows and the general arrangement of the cabin. Bram denied telling Wasson that each would get two years if they did not convict Brown. He described an arrangement whereby the wheel could be left and the ship would run some time. He knew the wheel to have been lashed three times. Twice, with wind on the quarter, he knew the boat to sail about eight minutes, going eight knots per hour, with the wheel lashed. He said the conditions on July 13 were favorable to lashing the wheel and the vessel would sail for quite a distance for 10 to 15 minutes, and could slightly change her course.

This was the most logical and convincing testimony yet given and there seemed to be no evasion. Bram was explicit in all his testimony.

Court adjourned until 9.30 to-morrow.

A DESPERATE AFFRAY.

One Man Against 30 and the 30 Were Beaten and Two Killed.

St. Louis, Dec. 23.—A special from Guadalajara, Mexico, says a desperate affray has occurred at the ranch of Juan Vidrio in that State. Vidrio had trouble with his employes a few days ago, and thirty of them attacked him. He was seriously wounded by the first volley of shots, but took refuge in his residence, and fired on his assailants, killing two of them and wounding seven badly. Twenty members of the mob have been arrested and will probably be shot.

BROKEN LEG AND FROST BITES.

The Unfortunate Predicament of R. Bryon, of Merritton—Grand Trunk Men Laid off.

Merritton, Dec. 23.—(Special, via Welland.)—Last night about midnight R. Bryon of this place, while returning from Niagara Falls, fell off the rear end of the train in the G.T.R. yards here. He lay where he fell for several hours, and then, recovering consciousness, tried to crawl to where he could get assistance. He was not found until early this morning, when it was discovered that his leg was broken and both feet and hands were frozen. The unfortunate man will lose his leg and probably his life.

The G.T.R. are making several economical strokes along the Welland branch, and the result is several former employes are looking for work.

A 4-YEAR-OLD TOT'S AWFUL DEATH.

Little Mabel Florence Gilroy's Night-dress Caught Fire From the Stove She Lived for Hours.

Toronto, Dec. 24.

Mabel Florence, the 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilroy of Napier-street, over the Don, was yesterday burned to death. About half-past 9 in the morning the child's night-dress took fire from the stove in the sitting room. The cries of the child and another little girl brought the parents in from a neighbor's house, when the flames were quickly extinguished. Dr. Rowan was immediately summoned, and did all he could for the little sufferer, but the injuries were so serious that death took place at 6 o'clock in the evening.

Tossed by a Steer.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Nelson Morris, the millionaire packer, and J. C. Bohart, a live stock commission man at the Union stock yards, were gored by a steer while passing through a cattle pen this morning. Both men were tossed against the fence, and Bohart had a shoulder dislocated. Mr. Morris escaped with slight bruises.

FIFTEEN POUNDS OF GOLD

Found by a Toronto Man in the Sultana Mine Near Rat Portage the Other Day.

Toronto, Dec. 23.

Word reached the city yesterday that Walter Ross and Arendt Angstrom, manager of the Bertram Mine Works Company of Toronto, visited the Sultana mine and report that a rich strike occurred there. Walter Ross declares that he never saw a specimen in his life equal in richness to a sample which was brought up from the bottom of the Sultana shaft. A chunk of rock, weighing about 15 pounds, was simply full of gold. Mr. Angstrom declares to the same effect, and he said he never saw anything like it although he has seen specimens from all over the world.

Cold in the Adirondacks.

Saratoga, Dec. 22.—The lowest temperature this winter thus far prevailed in the Adirondack region this morning. At North Creek the thermometer recorded 14 degrees below zero, at Marion River and Carry, 23 below; at Keene Centre 4 below, and at Schroon Lake 3. At this place the temperature was 2 below.

Mrs. McCaffery Gets $250,000.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—The jury in the John McCaffery will case returned a verdict in Judge Dunne's court this afternoon in favor of Mary Dawson McCaffery, finding her to be the legal widow of McCaffery. The verdict gives her an interest in the estate of about $250,000.

COERCION IS RIGHT

When Applied to the Assassin of Turkey.

THE POWERS WILL ACT IN CONCERT

And Abdul Hamid Will be Compelled to Enforce the Promised Reforms—Lord Salisbury Called a Conference of Ambassadors and Joint Action Was Agreed Upon.

London, Dec. 23.—It is apparent here that the powers have finally become convinced that the Sultan's promises amount to nothing, and they are determined to begin a policy of coercion. The Marquis of Salisbury last Monday summoned the Ambassadors representing the European Governments here to the Foreign Office, and communicated to them the views of the British Government of the definite proposals of Russia for joint intervention, in order that each Ambassador might communicate them to his own Government, and thus enable the representatives of the great powers at Constantinople to be properly instructed. There is reason to believe that unless the Sultan, within the next ten days, shows a deference of which at present he is little suspected, very decisive steps will be undertaken in the name of the joint powers.

A despatch from St. Petersburg says that The Novoe Vremya announces that it is probable that within a few days the Russian Black Sea fleet will appear in the Bosphorus, where it will be joined by the squadrons of the other powers from the Dardanelles.

ALL THE POWERS AGREED.

Constantinople, Dec. 23.—All the Ambassadors have now received instructions to concert fresh proposals with the view of improving the situation in the Ottoman Empire. The proposals before being submitted to the Sultan will be referred to their respective governments. All the powers, including Russia, as repeatedly announced during the last few months, have agreed in principle to the expediency of employing coercion should the Sultan be recalcitrant. But the form of coercion to be employed will not be determined upon until an emergency arises.

MRS. MAY MARRIES AGAIN.

Secures a Husband and a Title in the Gay French Capital.

Paris, Dec. 23.—The marriage of Count Luis Dandigne of Paris to Mrs. Frederick May of California was celebrated in the Chapel of the Papal Nuncio in this city at noon to-day. In the absence of the Nuncio, Archbishop Ferrata, the ceremony was performed by Monsignor Celli, the Auditor of the Papal Delegation to France. The bride wore a costume of blue velvet. The witnesses for the groom were the Marquis of Dandigne and Baron Charette. The bride's witnesses were her brother, Mr. Coleman, and United States Ambassador Eustis. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served in the bride's apartments in the Hotel Vendome.

FIREBUGS IN LONDON.

The Residence of Earl Russell at Maidenhead Burned to the Ground.

London, Dec. 23.—The residence of Earl Russell at Maidenhead on the Thames was burned to the ground this morning. The fire was undoubtedly of incendiary origin as Earl Russell has recently got several menacing letters, some of them threatening him with personal injury and others threatening the burning of his property. There is no doubt that the fire is one of the results of the action for criminal libel brought by Earl Russell against his mother-in-law, Lady Scott, which is now under adjournment because of the death of Frederick Kast, one of the defendants, and the illness of Lady Scott.

LEO XIII. TO THE CARDINALS.

His Holiness Deplores the Situation of the Papacy in Italy.

Rome, Dec. 23.—The Pope received the Sacred College of Cardinals this morning and expressed to them his good wishes for the New Year. His Holiness delivered an address to the cardinals, in which he reviewed the political situation at home and abroad and deplored the situation of the Papacy in Italy. The Pope also said that his intentions in the matter of having made overtures to King Menelek of Abyssinia, with a view of obtaining the release of the Italian soldiers who were held by the Abyssinian King as prisoners of war, had been misrepresented.

IS ABLE TO FIGHT.

Spain Can Gather Forces to Maintain an International War

Madrid, Dec. 23.—Queen Regent Christina will, on Christmas day, sign a decree, ordering the operation of certain reforms in the Island of Porto Rico.

Admiral Beranger, Minister of Marine, denies that the Government is purchasing war ships.

Gen. Ascarraga, Minister of War, has rendered an account to the Queen Regent of the work which has been done by the War Minister with a view to the arising of possible complications.

The Epoca, a semi-official organ, declares that, together with the reserves, the Spanish army is fully capable of maintaining an international war.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

The Queen Will Personally Prepare a Biography to Appear in 1897.

London, Dec. 23.—The St. James' Gazette says the Queen will personally dictate and revise a biography of Her Majesty which will appear in 1897. The work will tell the story of the longest reign in the history of England as the Queen herself regards it.

The Post Will be Left Vacant.

Paris, Dec. 23.—The Figaro to-day intimates that, owing to the difficulties between France and Great Britain in regard to Egypt and Turkey, the post of Baron De Courcel, as French Ambassador to the Court of St. James, may be left vacant for a while.

A Quiet Wedding

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 23.—This morning a quiet ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. McGillivray at the residence of Prof. Dupuis, University-avenue, when his only daughter was united in marriage to the Rev. Mavin Taylor, Methodist, Merrickville. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor held a reception, to which the members of Levana Society of Queen's College, of which the bride was president up to within a few days ago, and Young Ladies' Society of Chalmer's Church, the only two organizations with which Mrs Taylor was identified, were invited. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor took train for Montreal for a tour through the east.

Mothers

Anxiously watch declining health of their daughters. So many are cut off by consumption in early years that there is real cause for anxiety. In the early stages, when not beyond the reach of medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla will restore the quality and quantity of the blood and thus give good health. Read the following letter:

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Cough

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1896

CHRISTMAS.

Christmas-tide is a divinely beautiful paradox—always old—ever new. The deep blue convex of Niagara's leaping crest presents ever the same majestic aspect, yet there is a ceaseless change in its component element, the ever flowing tide of crystal water. The blessed spirit of Christmas is always with us, yet the human elements, the conditions of the hour, perpetually change. From the joyous gatherings, whose happiness brightens even the glow of the home scene, there are absent faces; with all of us there are changes in the material conditions of life, but always the same general spirit of love and good will, the same thoughtful remembrances, hallow the sacred festival.

The associations with this festival are of a joyous and happy character, because it suggests the beginning of a new era in the history of mankind, when the great gift of the All-father was made to the fallen sons of men; and in all Christian lands the day is universally observed as a season of relaxation and rejoicing. And with reason. The anniversary itself is the chief reason, because its beginning inaugurated new relations; it established upon a new basis the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man. It reconciled the erring human with the perfect Divine. It established a type of the Elder Brother. All this is cause for rejoicing. Before the Babe was cradled under the star in the Bethlehem stable, the world knew not the evidences of love that now exist. It is only in Christian lands that the charity "that is kind" finds organized expression in the maintenance of asylums for God's afflicted, refuges, charities, etc., the embodiment of the wider spirit of love that came to earth in the form of the Son of Man. Therefore, it is meet that men rejoice and make merry at the Christmas-tide.

There is another reason why Christmas should be hailed with pleasure. It calls a delightful halt in the mad race for wealth and worldly gain and the selfish pursuits that take too little heed of others. At Christmas the most sordid chips the shell of self, and devotes his thoughts to others. This is the season of giving of gifts and of kindly remembrances of those bound to us by the ties of kinship or by social ties. It is the time when millions of little ones are made happy and how little rejoices their young, guileless hearts! Then, this is the season when long absent friends are re-united; when the children who have left the parent roof to plant a roof tree of their own, gather round the old hearthstone and enjoy the bliss of the family reunion. From far and near the plunging ships and the rushing trains bring the welcome guests.

But there is a place for the query as to whether we should be merry at Christmas. How many hundred thousand are there in our sister colony, India, who are perishing for lack of bread! How many thousands are there even in this happy land, the favoured of heaven, to whom the festival brings no significance, the day no gladness. Want, cold, hunger, nakedness, stalk through the wretched rooms of thousands of abodes. For these no Christmas Day dawns, no added brightness shines. In our own merrymaking we should not forget those around us, who feel in their wretchedness and despair that not only Christmas, but life itself, holds no joy, and we should help make the day brighter to them by sharing the blessings that the day has brought to us.

In this spirit of universal charity to all those around us may we observe the dawning Christmas Day, and in this spirit THE EXAMINER wishes all its readers

A MERRY CHRISTMAS!

LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. Walter Madill and wife are visiting friends at Athens.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hull are spending their Christmas at Cobourg, the guests of Mr. Collins, Mrs. Hull's father.

Mr. T. H. Benson and bride came home on Wednesday of last week and in the evening were serenaded by the band. The band boys were well pleased with the reception, being treated to an oyster supper at the Queen's.

Miss Beatty Ferguson is spending her Christmas holidays in Belleville, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. J. Campbell.

Mrs. Wagner is visiting friends at Stouffville.

Miss Alice Sherin has returned home from he school at Barrie.

Mrs. G. Vinette, of Peterborough, will be at the Queen's Hotel, Lakefield, on Monday, December 28th, with a supply of her valuable preparations for the hair, which restores gray hair to its natural colour, stops falling out, cures baldness, scalp troubles, etc.

For suitable Christmas gifts, R. Graham & Son have a choice assortment to choose from. Also new fresh Christmas groceries at popular prices

Dr. Harvey Clare, who has been practising here for the past six months, has gone to New York, where he will take up a post graduate course in Bellevue Hospital.

Mr. John Northcott, sr., has gone to Toronto to spend Christmas.

Mrs. John L. Madill and family are spending their Christmas holidays in Kingston.

Mrs. R. Graham leaves on Thursday for Pasadena, Cal., to spend the winter with her son, Mr. Jas. D. Graham, M. A.

A runaway took place on Tuesday afternoon. A team was in Mr. Cooper's yard, and getting away broke the wagon coming out of the gate, and went down Queen street with the two front wheels at a pretty lively pace. At the bridge they turned and went down the canal to the lower cut, but were stopped by Mr. Fitzgerald's men. No damage was done the horses.

On Tuesday forenoon the closing of the school was made a very pleasant occasion by an address and the presentation of a comfortable chair to the popular principal, Mr. W. A. Evans. The address was read by Miss Annie Leonard, and the chair presented by Miss Delbert Robinson and Ethelbert Moore. Mr. Evans made a suitable reply. A good programme was provided by the scholars and visitors who were present.

Have you bought a heavy freize ulster this winter? R. Graham & Son are offering a fine assortment in fawn, brown, Oxford and black at $4.05, $5.25, $6 00, and $9 60. It will pay you to buy one of their coats, as they are well made and well trimmed.

STATUTORY MEETING.

On Tuesday evening of last week the statutory meeting of the council was held in the town hall. According to the new law this was the last meeting of the old council and was for the purpose of winding up the business of the year and receiving the treasurer's statement.

Members present were Reeve Casement in the chair, and Councillors Lillicrap, Braden, Moore and Hull.

The minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

The reeve read the treasurer's statement of receipts and expenditure of the village for the year 1896:

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand last year	$ 404 23
Coorporation notes	1,000 00
Police Court	6 00
Rent of hall	45 00
Rent of ward school	80 00
Dog tags	97 00
Legislative grant to schools	137 00
Street watering	82 91
Hotel and other licenses	223 33
Non-resident taxes	35 26
Cash per collector	3,540 00
Miscellaneous	277 50
	$6,547 50

EXPENDITURES.

Cleaning snow	$ 45 25
County rate	502 10
Salaries	438 00
Streets and sidewalks	582 11
Charity	67 65
Electric Light	205 25
Painting and supplies	98 65
Dog tags	3 25
Interest	68 15
Interest on Debentures	250 00
Sinking Fund	208 50
School Board	1,755 50
Corporation notes	1,700 00
Miscellaneous	324 75
	$6,713 24

On motion the treasurer's statement was received, and will be published according to law.

Moved by Councillor Hull, seconded by Councillor Moore, that the clerk be authorized to prepare a bylaw extending the time for the return of collector's roll until Dec. 26th, 1896.—Carried.

Bylaw No. 229 to amend bylaw No. 205, to amend the time to which the collector may return the rolls, to Dec. 26th, received readings, was passed, sealed and signed by the reeve and clerk.

Council adjourned to meet Dec. 25th.

A CASE OF DIABETES.

No Help from Medical Men—Suffered for Many Years—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

North Bruce, Dec. 21 (Special).—An old and well-known settler in this township, named Thomas Brooks, who lives on lots 7 and 8 in the 14th concession, is rejoicing with his neighbours over his recent recovery, and he said:—

"I was cured by using twenty-four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and, as nothing else ever helped me, I say they saved my life.

"I had tried all the doctors of this locality and was treated for Diabetes, heping and suffering for years.

"From reading of cures I determined to use Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I must say that after using the first box I would have considered them reasonable at ten dollars a box."

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For Infants and Children.

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As Well as Ever

Dear Sirs,—After suffering for two years from acute indigestion I tried B.B.B. I took only three bottles, which made me as well as ever I was. I highly recommend B. B.B. to all dyspeptics.

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- The People Want Good Things.
- We Give Them What They Want.
- That's Why We Do The Business.

A Handsome Christmas Present Given to Every Purchaser.

The Reliable One-Price Clothiers, Peterboro.

OAK HALL

W. J. WATTAM Manager

WARSAW.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mrs. Sedgewick is visiting at Mr. Jos. Payne's.

Mr. A. Fletcher is visiting friends in town.

A concert and Christmas tree will be held in the Methodist church on the 25th. Admission 10 and 15c.

J. Bluett has moved his workshop to Main street.

A. F. Choate has a large stock of Christmas goods on hand.

Mr. J. Reid of Manitoba, is home for a few days.

A large number of turkeys have been secured for the shooting match to be held on the 25th. A good day's sport is expected.

The Best Way To Cure

Disease is to establish health. Pure, rich blood means good health. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier It tones up the whole system, gives appetite and strength and causes weakness, nervousness and pain to disappear. No other medicine has such a record of wonderful cures as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pill; assist digestion, prevent constipation. 25c.

Men who suffer from mental worry and overwork should take Miller's Compound Iron Pills. 50 doses 25 cents. Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Karl's Clover Root,

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FOR A SPOOL OF THREAD—

and he will give you the kind he makes most profit on—and small blame to him.

But ask him

For a spool of CLAPPERTON'S THREAD, and you'll get the kind that will give you most profit and satisfaction—and it costs no more than inferior kinds are sold for.

It pays you to get

CLAPPERTON'S THREAD.

Does not break or snarl.

FAT MAN—"Hello, there skinny! Have you given your Holiday Order for CALCUTT'S beefy Ale or Porter?"

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If you want a well-made Christmas Cake, leave your order at Long Bros.' Home-made Cakes Iced and Ornamented to order.

Our Own Make of Candies are pure and unadulterated, and altogether different from the kind sold at grocery stores.

ENGLISH HOLLY just received—in excellent condition, thick with red berries, just the thing for Xmas decorations.

LONG BROS., 386 and 414 George St.

More Elbow Room.

That's what's wanted next. Business is crowding us out of the back door and the demand comes from all departments for larger premises. We ought to be thankful, and must do all we can to encourage this healthy condition of trade.

While we are planning to double our capacity we want to clear the goods out of the way rapidly, and for this purpose have started a

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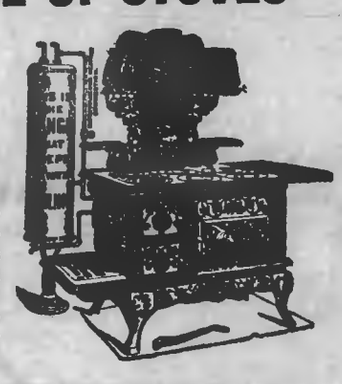

and all and every one of our splendid line of Buck's Stoves must be moved out by customers, who wish to take them away, at about their own prices. The store and the storey above are both full of them. Thirty days will hustle them all out if the people know a good thing when they see it.

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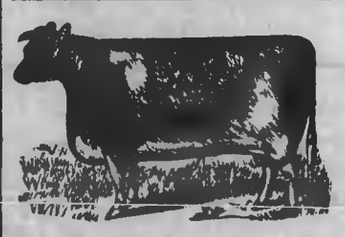

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Charming Xmas Novelties.

If in doubt where to buy your Christmas Gifts, do your shopping at Mrs. Appleby's New Fancy Goods Store, 426 Water Street.

All the needed material for presents you want to work with your own hands. Children's White Coats and Bonnets to match, Fancy Wool and Silk Slippers, Tea Cosies, Art Linen and Silk Lawn Handkerchiefs, Table Centres, Crepe Paper, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

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Every nook and corner of the store filled with the most desirable things for Christmas.

Valencia Oranges	Canned Delicacies
Florida Oranges	New Relishes
New Lemons	Filberts, Almonds
Spanish Grapes	Fine Confectionery
Luscious Figs	Apples, Bananas
Toothsome Dates	English Walnuts
Crosse & Blackwell's Specialties	
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Celery	Finnan Haddies
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No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

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MANY CATTLE LOST

Through the Severity of Weather in the Northwest.

DEEP SNOW AND TERRIFIC FROST

Prevented the Beasts From Picking Up a Living—New Tariff Schedule of the Argentine Republic Mr. Robertson, M P., Helps the Barnard Out Matons—Ottawa News

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—(Special)—The severe weather in the Northwest has caused the death of a large number of valuable cattel. Reports have been received at the Agricultural Department from Fort McLeod to this effect. The snow is five feet deep and the thermometer 33 degrees below zero. There was no possibility of grazing for the stock, and prospects are disastrous for cattle on the ranges. If the ranchers could corral the cattle, then prospects might not be so bad, but the stock has drifted and the snow is so deep that the owners could not round them up. Writing again, the same official reports that during the last month the cattle suffered terribly. They had nothing to live on but brush for 17 days, and the ranchers could not hunt them up to feed them. It is estimated that fully 50 per cent. will die from starvation and exposure.

A new tariff schedule, prepared by the Government of the Argentine Republic, has been listed at the Department of Trade and Commerce. No changes in the Customs duties are noticeable, but the fixed valuation of the several articles of import have been altered considerably. By this system of fixed Customs' values, the ad valorem duty practically becomes a specific tax. While pine unplaned is valued for duty at 35 cents per square metre, the duty remaining at 15 per cent., the duty on plain lumber is 25 per cent. on a fixed valuation of 50 cents per square metre. In the currency of the republic, however, gold is still at a very high premium.

Capt. Spain, commander of the fisheries protection fleet, has returned from Owen Sound, where an investigation was held by him into the collision last summer in the St. Clair Canal between the Government steamer Petrel and the American steamer Ramapoe. Capt. Spain will report his finding to the Minister.

Mr. J. Ross Robertson, M.P., Past Grand Master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Canada, has shown his sympathy with the Ottawa brethren in the loss of all their relics, regalia, etc., by the Sparks-street fire, in a practical shape. Yesterday there arrived from Toronto a magnificently bound volume of the Sacred Law, a box of working tools, and three gavels to be used by the W.M.'s and wardens of the city lodges. The working tools are contained in a beautiful case, silk lined, the tools being of the very finest quality. The gavels are replicas of the old-time gavel used in the German operative lodges centuries ago, and now adopted as the gavel in the Lodge of the Quatuor Coronati, No. 2076, London, England. The formal presentation of these magnificent gifts was made at the meeting of Chaudiere Lodge, No. 264, last evening, when Past Grand Warden Cook, on behalf of Mr. John Ross Robertson, M.P., handed them to Mr. E. D. Parlow, D.D.G.M., chairman of the Masonic Hall Committee, and Mr. William Rea, secretary.

Lieut.-Col. Borden, Minister of Militia, Gen. Gascoigne, Col. Aylmer, Adjt.-Gen., and Col. Lake, Quartermaster-Gen., paid a visit yesterday to the proposed site for the new rifle ranges in Nepean Township. There are two available sites, one below Rockliffe and the one referred to in Nepean, beyond the Experimental Farm. The suitability of the Nepean site for a range has now been tested, and it is very likely that the Minister will very soon decide between the two. The new range cannot, however, be ready for next season. Col. Aylmer is in favor of the Nepean site.

The board which will enquire into the Queen's Own troubles and the long-standing dispute over Col. Hamilton's position has been appointed by the Minister of Militia. Lieut.-Col. Maunsell, district officer commanding, will be chairman, and two Lieutenant-Colonels will also act, one from Ontario and the other from Quebec. Col. Starke of the 3rd Vics. will be the latter officer.

Mr. Gilbert Parker, the Kipling of Canada, arrived at the Capital to-day accompanied by Mrs. Parker. They are the guests of Dr. Bourinot, Clerk of the Commons, under whose convoy they made a visit of inspection to the Parliament Buildings this afternoon.

Prof. Prince, Dominion Fisheries Commissioner, who has just returned from the Maritime Provinces, met with great success in the meetings he conducted among the fishermen and canners. A number of suggestions were made for changing of seasons for local reasons, and these will all be taken into consideration by the Minister.

John Lambert Payne, former private secretary to Sir Mackenzie Bowell, has been transferred from the Privy Council Department to the Department of Militia. William Wilfrid Campbell takes the place of Mr. Payne in the Privy Council Department.

Since the present Ministry took office there have been a number of suggestions made to the Trade and Commerce Department for the development of trade between Canada and the British colonies at the Cape. A Canadian trade journal recently published a special edition for distribution in South Africa. There have also been applicants at the Cape for the position of commercial agent there on behalf of the Dominion.

The Penitentiary Committee at Kingston are investigating the circumstances that attended the escape of two prisoners there lately. The new wing of the institution is to be completed by spring, and will afford accommodation for 1000 prisoners.

The Controller of Customs will doubtless order an investigation into the existence of a sort of free trade between North Dakota and Manitoba alleged to have been discovered by some business men of Langdon, N. D. They say that all the wheat of the northwestern part of that county, which has always been hauled to Langdon, has been this year brought across the line and shipped from Manitoba points, the distance being much less, and no duty being charged. They say the custom house officer at Crystal City, Manitoba, keeps the hotel there and permits the farmers from Dakota to bring their wheat duty free to Crystal City.

The condition of the Canadian emigrants in Brazil has again been brought to the attention of the Government. Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain has cabled the Governor-General that the consul at Rio informs him that instructions concerning the emigrants are earnestly needed, and that they should be sent home. Mr. Chamberlain presumes the Canadian Government is taking action in the matter.

A delegation of representatives of city fish and game clubs had a most successful interview with the Quebec Government, who will reduce hunters' license fees to $5. This will be acceptable to local sportsmen.

Messrs. W. L. Hogg and Stevenson, directors of the Granite Creek Mining Company, were here to-day interviewing shareholders regarding the future workings of the company.

Mr. Bostock, M. P., left for British Columbia to-day.

Singers, public speakers, actors, auctioneers, teachers, preachers, and all who are liable to over-tax and irritate the vocal organs, find, in Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, a safe, certain, and speedy relief. A timely dose of this preparation has prevented many a throat trouble.

CATTLE TRADE IN THE NORTHWEST.

The Business is Extending in Alberta and Will Soon Outdo Ontario and Quebec Combined.

Montreal, Dec. 23.—(Special.)—Mr. Jas. Gordon of the well-known Northwest cattle exporting firm of Gordon and Ironsides, was in the city to-day, and talked to your correspondent concerning cattle raising in the western country. "We have had," he said, "a very rough November, and if the winter is an ordinary one there will be a considerable loss in cattle, but if the season is favorable they will pull through, although the stock will be quite poor next spring." Mr. Gordon's firm will winter no less than 8000 head of cattle this year in Alberta, and, although there are ups and downs, like every other line of business, he has the greatest faith in the future of the Canadian Northwest as a stock raising country. "Canada," he adds, "exported during 1896, 101,000 head of cattle, and of this number 30,000 came from Manitoba and the Northwest, and I believe that in less than five years the Northwest will send more cattle than the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec combined."

"What does this mean to the Northwest?" Mr. Gordon was asked.

"Well," he replied, "it means that last year the Northwest exported 40,000 head, and they realized the farmers and ranchers $37 per head, while this year the figures will be somewhere near 30,000, at $35 per head.

"Now," said Mr. Gordon, "let us see how this will compare with the returns to the farmers of Montana, the ranching county par excellence of the United States. The average price per head in Montana has been $36.20, and in Alberta $37.30.

"Yes," he continued, "the farmers out there are in good shape, especially those who have been carrying on mixed farming. Business is better in Winnipeg than for years," and returning again to the discussion of stock raising, Mr. Gordon told The World that no less than 15,000 stockers had been sent up to Alberta from Manitoba and even from the Province of Ontario for the purpose of feeding.

The exporter then referred to the political outlook, and said that the people of the Northwest expected great things of Hon. Mr. Sifton, who was a clever and courageous politician, and, he believed, the right man in the right place.

The Crow's Nest Pass Railway would, in Mr. Gordon's opinion, soon be built, and it would place Alberta in the position to sell a great deal of its surplus beef to the great mining centres which that road will pass through.

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Chrysanthemums, very great display
Roses and Carnations choice and fresh.
Bouquets and Floral Designs made up in artistic styles at shortest notice.
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Dealer in Eyes, Artificial Leaves and Frosting also Importer of Foreign Birds and Skins from all countries.
Birds, Animals, Fish and Snakes Stuffed and Mounted in and out of cases in the best life-like style at Lowest Prices. DEERS HEAD a specialty. A stock of foreign and native birds always on hand for sale.
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Livery and Boarding Stables,
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Commercial, pleasure and family driving specially attended to.
Ladies' and Gentlemens' Saddle Horses always in readiness.
Noted for the finest roadstery, the nicest rigs the best equipments.
A First-class Hack always ready for Weddings and Funerals and General Driving. A careful and courteous and obliging driver. charges.
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TELEPHONE 405, Night or Day. } Proprietor

"MIST"
10c.
COUGH LOZENGES.
Will clear your Throat in a Minute
Manufactured by
THE KEY MEDICINE CO.
396 Yonge St. Toronto
For sale by all Druggists.

HOLIDAY HINTS FOR THE LADIES
Keep in mind the Removal Sale now going on at C. G. GEMMELL'S Corset and Furnishing Store. You can secure many excellent bargains in Sensible Christmas Gifts such as these:—
Ladies' $1.00 Corsets ..... Reduced to 75c
Ladies' 75c ..... Reduced to 50c
Ladies' 50c Corsets ..... Reduced to 40c
Ladies' 75c Wool Undervests ..... Reduced to 55c
Finest and Cheapest Vests in Town. Cheaper grades similarly reduced in price.
Men's $1.00 Shirts and Drawers ..... reduced to 75c
Men's 75c Shirts and Drawers ..... reduced to 55c
Handkerchiefs—2 for 5c and up to 25c each.
JUST RECEIVED—A Holiday line of Ladies and Children's Lined Kid Mitts and Gloves, from 50c to 85c.
Wool Tam O'Shanters, in various colours, only 23c.
Remember C. G. Gemmell's Removal Sale Now Going on at 325 George Street, Opposite Market Building.

LIFE ASSURANCE.
Rate of Interest Earned in 1895 by Leading Canada Life Companies.

THE SUN LIFE OF CANADA	5.26
" Great West Life	5.25
" Ontario Mutual	5.21
" North American	4.95
" The Canada Life	4.58
" Confederation Life	4.43

The above figures are taken from "Money and Risks" based on the reports published in the Dominion Government Blue Book.
As INTEREST is the CHIEF ELEMENT entering into the PROFIT EARNING power of any Company, the above figures plainly show the enviable position held by the SUN LIFE OF CANADA.
W. H. HILL,
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DIAMOND ♦ ALE
For a Spring Tonic This is both Medicine and Advice. In Pints and Quarts. Brewed from the Finest Hops and Choicest Malt by the Toronto Brewing and Malting Co. L'td.
India Pale Ale
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EQUALLY WHOLESOME and FATTENING
Extra Stout
Half and Half
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and read it carefully before buying your Christmas Gifts, and you will be sure to select something that is sensible and useful:
—New Christmas Neckwear 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c. Assortment and beauty never equalled in Peterborough.
—Elegant Silk Mufflers 30c, 40c, up to $1.00.
—Silk and Wool Scarfs 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25.
—Initial Silk Handkerchiefs.
—Reindeer Gloves, Angora lined.
—Kid Gloves, lined and unlined.
—Dressing Jackets.
—Silk Umbrellas, Silver Mantled tight rolling, with silk or leather covers.
—White Silk Handkerchiefs.
—White Dress Shirts.
—New Collars and Cuffs.
—White and Coloured Sweaters.
—Hockey Stockings.
—Fancy Velvet and Corduroy Vests
—Silk Embroidered Suspenders.
—Natural Wool and Fine Scotch Underwear.
—Men's Good Wearing Ulsters from $5 00 up.
—Men's Fine Suits from $3 75 up.
—Boys' Ulsters from $2 50 and up.
—Boys' Fine Suits all reduced in price
OUR BOY'S DEPARTMENT has won for itself the confidence of parents. Every garment will be found well made and every price the lowest.
TAILORING DEPARTMENT. Suits and Overcoats made to order during the Holidays, from 20 to 30 per cent. lower than regular prices.

The more you know about our Clothing, our Furnishings, and our Prices the better you will be satisfied. During these last days of the year, DOWN GOES THE PRICES. The substantial test of time has proved our reliability, and WHAT WE SAY WE MEAN. Our trade during the year has been satisfactory, and we can afford to give our customers a BENEFIT during the Merry Christmas Time "Compliments of the Season to All."
H. LEBRUN & Co

COST

Will Not be a Barrier

to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts	were $1.00, now	$ 75
Ladies' Underskirts	were $1.25, now	1 00
Ladies' Underskirts	were $1.75, now	1 25
Ladies' Underskirts	were $2.00, now	1 40
Ladies' Underskirts	were $2.50, now	2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves	were $0.75, now	$ 50
Lacing Gloves	were $1.00, now	75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour d	were $1.00, now	0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured	were $1.25, now	1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves	were $1 25, now	1 00
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.20, now	12½c
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.30, now	0 25
Cashmere Gloves	were $0.35, now	0 25

Handkerchiefs at cost.
Vellings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

ack Cashmere Hose	were 20c, now	20c
Higher Grades at Cost.		
eavy Wool Hose	were 20c, now	15c
Heavy Wool Hose	were 25c, now	20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

ROBERT HALL

385 George Street, Peterborough, Telephone 171.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers in the DAILY EXAMINER to ensure a prompt change of their advertisement, will please hand in their copy the evening previous to the date the "ad." should appear.

Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

"One Year's Sketch Book," "In a Fair Country," both full of beautiful wood cuts. Regular price, $6.00, for $3.00—this week at SAILSBURY'S.

T. Fitzgerald's Wood and Coal Yard.

All customers kindly leave orders at once and avoid the rush Thursday, as I cannot deliver Christmas Day.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

The Ellsworth Property.

Putting the Ellsworth property in the market (lot 15, corner of Elizabeth street and Lake street, (Ashburnham) will no doubt make a complete change in business aspects in Ashburnham. The sale is to be on the 28th, at 2 p.m., at the Morgan House. 3d148.

Wanted His Breakfast.

A couple of young ladies residing on Antrim street were quite badly frightened this morning through the fact that about half-past six o'clock their front door was roughly assailed by a tramp who made every effort to bring himself under their notice, but after having ascertained who the early caller was, they decided not to answer the door, but they had no peace for the next half hour, as the visitor seemed to have made up his mind to breakfast with them.

Mark street Christmas Tree and Entertainment.

The annual Christmas tree and entertainment in connection with the Mark street Methodist Sunday school will be held so morrow evening—Christmas night—commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. An excellent programme of music, recitations, dialogues, etc., has been prepared and an enjoyable time is anticipated. Come one, come all. Admission, two for 25c.; small children of school free.

Have You Forgotten Anybody?

Are you ready for Christmas Eve? If not during this evening the Peterborough Bookstore will welcome and aid you to complete the gift duties of the season. Nothing in this store's past to match the thousands of Santa Claus gifts we have passed out, and yet there's plenty left of the good things. Leave the prices to us and you will say that you lost nothing by coming to-night. As all good novels end well—we'll end our Christmas local by wishing one and all "A Merry Christmas."
A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Making Home Ties.

Nothing better than a good table—good food. This is an idea of what we can sell you for your Christmas dinner :
Turkeys from 60c up.
Cranberries, 8 and 10c per quart.
Figs, 7, 10, 15 and 20c.
Malaga Grapes (best) 20c.
Table Raisins, 15, 20, 25, 30 and 40c per lb.
Walnuts and Almonds, 17c per lb.
Filbert Nuts, 15c per lb.
English Butter-Scotch, 13c.
Table Jellies, in moulds.
Candies, Oranges and Lemons.
Tea of extra value.
MASON & Co., 426 to 431, George St. 3d146

"Same to You."

NOW, WHILE THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT PERVADES THE EARTH, AND MEN FEEL THE BROTHERHOOD OF MAN, WE UNITE WITH YOU IN GOOD WISHES AND GOOD-WILL.

WE EXTEND THE COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON TO ALL, WITH BEST WISHES FOR A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS.

Mercer's

CHRISTMAS CHIMES.

Church Services in Commemoration of the Great Festival.

And she brought forth her first-born son and wrapped Him in swaddling clothes and laid Him in a Manger ; because there was no room for them in the inn.—St. Luke II-7.

In commemoration of the great Christian festival of Christmas there will be special celebrations in the several churches according to the following schedule of services :—

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.

Services during the day in St. Peter's Cathedral will begin by a high mass at 5 30 o'clock a.m., followed during the morning by low masses until 10 30, when Pontificial High Mass will be celebrated by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor. The choir will render Lambillotte's mass at this service and also at 5 30 a.m. Grand Vespers at 7 p.m. Music during the day will be rendered under the direction of Mr. G. W. Mulligan.

ST. JOHN'S.

The church has been most beautifully and elaborately decorated for the Christmas season. While the decorations are of this character they are in quiet taste befitting the sacred edifice. The services will be as follows : Holy Communion at 8 a.m. ; Morning Prayer, address by the Rector, and Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Special music appropriate to the season will be presented.

ST. JOHN'S MISSION.

The services at this place, conducted by Rev. W. L. Armitage, will be morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion at 11 a. m.

ST. LUKE'S.

St. Luke's is also beautifully decorated. The services for Christmas day are : Holy Communion (choral) at 8 a.m. ; Morning Prayer and sermon by the Rector at 11 a.m. Special music has been prepared.

It is expected that three memorials will be placed in St. Luke's church on Christmas day. The new oak choir stalls, being a part of the memorial to Hon. Robert Hamilton, the memorial tablet to the late Rev. W. C. Bradshaw, and a brass font ewer by a member of the congregation, in memory of two children.

THE GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.

It has been the custom of late years to hold alternate Christmas services in the Charlotte street and George street Methodist churches. The service tomorrow will be held at eleven o'clock in the morning in the George street church and the sermon will be delivered by Rev. J. J. Ree. The collection will be in behalf of the Poor Fund.

SEVERAL ACCIDENTS.

The Patients are Doing as Well as Can be Expected.

Mrs. Edwards, of Ashburnham, was over in town one afternoon during the early part of the week, and slipped on the icy sidewalk, breaking one of the small bones in her wrist. Although the injury is a very painful one it is not serious.

Mr. Frank Baxter, of Ashburnham, an employee of the Geo. Matthews Co. (Ltd.), got caught in some machinery yesterday with the result that the back of his hand and the middle and third finger were badly lacerated. Amputation will not be necessary.

Mr. T. J. Doris, a mechanic with the Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co., had the top of the index finger of his left hand taken off the other day, through having it caught in some machinery in the shop. It was feared at first that that the finger would have to be amputated at the first joint, but as no bones are broken, Dr. Moher is endeavouring to have the top of the finger grown on again. The progress of the experiment will be watched with interest, but it will be impossible to form an idea of the success of the operation for a few days yet.

THE GEORGE STREET SCHOOL.

An Informal Reception Held Wednesday Afternoon.

On Wednesday afternoon a large number of the parents of the pupils attending the George street school assembled to witness the closing exercises. Trustees Peter Hamilton, J. J. McBain and W. H. Hill were in attendance.

The routine work of the school was continued until 3 o'clock, and the visitors were given an opportunity of seeing the scholars at work. At three o'clock a short programme was contributed as follows :

Vocal solo.....Miss Lillian Hall
(with autoharp accompaniment.)
Recitation.....Edna Armstrong
Mouthorgan solo.....Joe Cobb
Recitation.....Sadie Rutherford

The pupils of the senior third division then served refreshments to the visitors, and a pleasant social half hour was spent during which Miss Mark, the principal, was presented with a beautiful hand-painted china jardineare by Miss Pearl Carton on behalf of the pupils. The address was read by Miss Wilhelmine Gumpridht.

By an error the name of Jos. Cobb was omitted from the pass list of the senior third division of the George street school, when the results of the examinations were published earlier in the week.

PERSONAL.

Miss Nellie Brault is spending Christmas week with friends and relatives in Toronto.

Mr. Adolphe Letellier, who is attending Queen's College, Kingston, is home for the holidays.

Mr. Hubert Brennan, of Malone, N.Y., is home on a visit to relatives in Ashburnham.

Mr. McCaig, of the Collegiate Institute staff has gone home to Collingwood to eat his Christmas dinner.

Messrs. T. J. Crowley, P. Kelly and Thos. Mahoney, of St. Michael's College, are all home for the Christmas vacation.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—E. Welsh's fruit flavour Creams is the biggest lead in town, at 25c. per lb. box. 2

—Mr. Whiten's photograph studio will be open on Christmas Day, for special sittings and family groups.

—Mr. Robert Fair wishes to state that the accident through which a woman recently died in St. Joseph's Hospital did not occur on his premises, but in the store known as the Golden Lion, in Lindsay.

—E. Welsh is selling a 10c. lb. box of Chocolate Drops, Chocolate Carmels, Creams and Taffies. Just the thing for Xmas. 3d

—The management of the Opera House is to be congratulated on procuring so excellent a company as that which occupied the boards last night. As a vaudeville show Gus Hill's combination cannot be surpassed.

—Joe Young, who has charge of the Riverside Park skating rink, Ashburnham, expects that if Jack Frost lingers there will assuredly be skating to-morrow afternoon. The electric light is being placed for lighting purposes during the evening. No doubt the rink will be well patronized.

'Twas just before Christmas, when o'er all the town
The people were thinking of cheer.
And those were they word the passed all around :
"I want CALCUTT'S Porter and Beer."
It stands the test. There is always room for one more case on the wagon.
"Cranberry sauce and CALCUTT'S Beer!
Christmas comes but once a year!"
Telephone or send your order. 2d

ADDRESS PRESENTED TO REV. J. C. DAVIDSON.

The Rector of Peterborough Kindly Remembered by the Mission Congregation—His Appreciative Reply.

Last night at the close of the weekly service in St. John's, Messrs. W. B. Bamford, R. W. McFadden, assistant church wardens, and Messrs. W. D. Points, A. Smeaton and J. W. Cranfield, representing the Mission congregation waited upon Rev. J. C. Davidson, rector, to bear the greetings and congratulations of the congregation on the occasion of Mr. Davidson's approaching marriage which takes place in Montreal on Tuesday, December 29th.

The gentlemen named met Mr. Davidson in the vestry, and Mr. Bamford read the following

ADDRESS :

Rev. J. C. Davidson, M. A., Rector of Peterborough :

DEAR SIR,—We, your parishioners of the South Ward Mission, wish to take this opportunity of extending to you our most cordial congratulations and most heartfelt good wishes on the occasion of a most important period in your life. And we would ask you to believe that these congratulations and good wishes are no merely formal expression, but a radiation of the warm feelings of respect and love for you that glow in our hearts. We all remember the faithful work which, as priest and pastor, you have bestowed upon this parish, and we would specially remember the warm interest you have taken in that portion of it which we more particularly represent. Your name is named in love and gratitude in many a home where sorrow and suffering have been mitigated and relieved by and through your tender ministrations.

We believe and feel that the holiday journey you are about to undertake has been earned by faithful and unremitting devotion to duty. We trust that it may be happy and prosperous to yourself and all to the amiable lady, who will share it, as well as the life long companionship, which we hope will be happy and as useful to the interests of the Church as has been the past of both. We trust and pray that we shall have the pleasure and joy of welcoming your safe return, when we hope to be able to give more substantial evidence of our congratulations and good wishes than these few heartfelt words may furnish.

Wishing you, dear pastor, a pleasant voyage and safe return, we are, on behalf of the congregation, of St. John's South Ward Mission,

Yours very faithfully,
W. B. BAMFORD, } Assistant
R. W. MCFADDEN } Churchwardens.

Christmas, 1896.

REPLY.

Rev. Mr. Davidson, who was deeply touched by this evidence of affection and esteem, in a few words most heartily expressed his thanks for the kindly sentiments of the address. He particularly valued this appreciation of his work, and said that it was a very great encouragement and assistance, and would nerve him to renewed efforts to advance the interests of a congregation that had already shown so much zeal, earnestness and progressive spirit in promoting the welfare of the Church in that portion of the Parish. In closing he requested the delegates to convey to the Mission congregation the assurance that he was entirely unable to express, his sense of the encouragement which the kindly act of the congregation through the delegation afforded him. His journey abroad would be all the more enjoyable when he realized that he left behind him so many earnest spirits and he congratulated both congregations on the circumstance that, in his locum tenentes, Rev. Messrs. Stevenson and Armitage, he had representatives who would look well and wisely after the varied interests of the parish he loved so well.

Rev. Mr. Davidson leaves on Monday morning for Montreal followed by the warm wishes, not only of both congregations, but as well of all classes of citizens, who have learned to respect his great zeal and public spirit in every good cause and his self-sacrificing efforts to benefit not only his own flock, but all the citizens of the town, irrespective of denominational lines and social distinctions.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

Miss Emma Might Remembered by her Sunday School Class.

The Sunday School class of little girls taught by Miss Emma Might in the George street Sunday school, met at her residence George street, last evening, and presented her with a very handsome jardinere and palm.

The following address was read by Miss Jessie Dunn :

Dear Miss Might :

It becomes my pleasant duty on b half of your Sunday School class, to remind you that we are not forgetful of the fact that by your patient love and devotion to your class you have won our highest regard and esteem. You have taken that interest in the class that ensures successful results, and by your example you have shown us how we may all labour for the Master's cause.

We therefore ask your acceptance of this gift and trust it will aid in reminding you in the days to come of the hours you spent as teacher of this class.

In presenting this testimonial I assure you, on behalf of your class, that as a patient teacher, a wise counsellor and a most excellent instructor, you will ever be remembered with feelings of the highest regard and esteem.

The presentation was made by Miss Ida Rutherford.

A most enjoyable evening was afterwards spent during the course of which refreshments were served.

A GRATIFYING SUCCESS.

The Christmas Tree Entertainment in Catholic Association Rooms.

The Christmas tree entertainment in the Catholic Association rooms was brought to a successful close last evening.

The hall was crowded to over-flowing in the evening, and the sale of fancy work was kept up until late in the night, and the fish pond and Ferris wheel (which, by the way, was cleverly constructed by Mr. T. J. Doris) were kept busy.

At eight o'clock the following excellent programme was introduced by Mr. T. J. Begley, who acted as chairman :

Instrumental solo.....Mrs T Dunn
Song, "The Phantom Ship,".....Mr Mulligan
Song.....By the Tots
Song (encored).....Miss N Lewis
Recitation, "Little Joe".....Miss L Ball
Dialogue....Misses V Donoghue and M Collins

The committee in charge desire to thank all those who in any way contributed to the success of the Christmas entertainment.

Suitable.

What more suitable for an Xmas present than one of China Hall's lovely $10.00 dinner sets !

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cures,

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel on Saturday, Dec. 26th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. dw

"Mikado" Still in the Market.

We take pleasure in informing the public that we have completed arrangements by which we can supply our old brands of flour manufactured with every care to suit the requirements of our trade. We can guarantee the same satisfaction that our flours have always given, as we are having them made from our own blends of wheat and under our personal supervision. Orders will be taken as usual at our down town office, corner of Simcoe and Bethune streets. Telephone No. 113. MELDRUM & MCALLISTER Millers.

Ask your grocer for

Windsor Salt

For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

TO ALL THE READERS OF

"THE EXAMINER."

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And lo, the angel of the Lord came unto them, and the glory of the Lord shone around about them ; and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, "Fear not ; for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto to you is born this day, in the city of David, a Saviour, which is Christ, the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you, ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."—St. Luke II.

Buy your Xmas Presents at Grafton's.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday :

Dec. 24,—8.30 a. m.....11° below zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	9°	—1°

The minus sign (—) signifies below zero.

TO-MORROW! TO-MORROW!

In the Opera House.
Afternoon and Evening.
RICH AND RAMSAY,
The Merrymakers.
Under the auspices of Otonabee Lodge, I. O. O. F.,
Admission—Afternoon, 25 cents., Children 10 cents, to all parts of the house.
Evening—35 cents and 25 cents.

No Excuse

For wearing shabby and misfitting Garments when you can secure A 1 goods and perfect fit at the following prices at 423 GEORGE STREET :

Trousers.....$3, $4, $5
Suits.....$12, $14, $16
Double Breasted Ulsters $12, $13, $15.
Handsome Ties and Braces for the Xmas trade.

ROBERT WEIR

Issuer of Marriage Licenses.
Arrangement made to meet the wishes of those desiring same. 423 George St., North of Foot & McWhinnie.

NIGHT SCHOOL

How many of the Young Men and Women of our town are anxious to improve their Education. We give every opportunity to anyone wishing to spend their evenings in studying Arithmetic, Writing, Spelling, Book-keeping, or Shorthand, and Typewriting. Any or all of these subjects may be taken by the student.

Many have fitted themselves for better positions by attending our Night School. You can do the same.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings, 7 to 9 p.m.

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Opposite Post Office. *Business College.*

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"They are a Creation, They Do Not Grow."

To-day we show a fine line of these goods in "Silver Mounted" Congo woods — the "Prince of Wales" being the favourite pattern.

Prices will be from $1.00 to $2.00.

What a nice idea for a Gentleman's Present.

To help the over-taxed pocket of Christmas shoppers we place on sale in our window a fine assortment of Christmas Novelties in

—Rings
—Bangle Pins
—Bracelets
—Enamel Spoons
—Gold Chains
—Gold Spectacles, &c.

These Goods will be offered at prices that can not help but sell them.

McClelland

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417 GEORGE STREET, December 24th, 1896.

Welcome the Coming Guest.

"They who joy would win
Must share it—Happiness was born a twin."

So said Bryon, and so say we, to-night—Christmas Eve—while hundreds of thousands are helping to make hundreds of thousands happy, we, in grateful recognition of the splendid holiday trade bestowed upon us, desire to express our thanks to the ever increasing troops of friends and patrons of the Peterborough Bookstore. Age and Childhood alike have contributed to our prosperous season, and to one and all we send our CHRISTMAS GREETING.

A. H. STRATTON & CO.

PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

Agent for Butterick's Patterns. Telephone No. 225

A Merry Christmas To All.

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'Y.

We have very much pleasure in wishing our many customers and friends a very Merry Christmas. We have good reason to do this as our friends have made this season a pleasant one for us. Our customers have so increased in numbers that our goods are to be found in almost every home.

We have many surprises for you during the remaining days of this month.

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'Y.

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

Christmas Morning—At Mother's Bedroom Door.

Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1896.

PETERBOROUGH PEOPLE IN THE NORTHWEST.

Mr. Edward Emmerson Pays a visit to Peterborough—His Favourable Opinion of the Northwest.

Mr. Edward Emmerson, a former resident of Otonabee, but now a resident of Alameda, Northwest Territory, accompanied by Mrs. Emmerson, is on a visit to Peterborough, intending to stay the winter.

Five years ago next March Mr. Emmerson and family went to the Northwest to engage in farming, which he now carries on extensively. He had a square mile of farm—640 acres. When he went west his farm was in its natural condition, not a furrow turned, nor a roof in existence. He had now good farm buildings and some two hundred acres under the plough. He follows mixed farming successfully and both he and the family like the country well. They are three miles from the C. P. R. main line. Mr. Emmerson, though not exactly in love with high rates, has a good word for the C.P.R. which is an inestimable boon to the settlers. The chief drawback is the lack of regular school privileges. Schools owing to the sparse population are not maintained the year round. This is the chief drawback. There are two churches—Presbyterian and Methodist. A Christian Endeavour society meets every Wednesday, and the people go long distances to attend religious services. The settlers are generally of a good class and exceptionally well behaved. There are several Peterborough people within visiting distance in the vicinity, including Mr. E. Crossley, son of Mr. H. Crossley, town, who came down with Mr. Emmerson to pay a visit. Mr. Heaslip, late of Ballilleboro, the Turnbull brothers, Wm., James, Albert and Leonard, and others. Mr. Emmerson and family are well pleased with the Northwest—they have inconveniences in some respects but abundant compensations in others. He and Mrs. Emmerson will return to the Northwest about the first of March.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Retiring Members by Effluxion of Time in the Several Wards.

The Peterborough Board of Education is by all odds the best local legislative body we have in the town. The members meet to do business and they do it, and do not waste hours in windy declamation at the expense of the interests of legitimate business. The following are the retiring members of the board: No. 1 Ward, Mr. J. J. McBain; No. 2 Mr. W. H. Wrighton; No. 3 Ward, Dr. Burnham, the present chairman of the Board; No. 4, James Edgecombe. It is probable that these gentlemen will again serve if re-elected. It seems desirable that Dr. Burnham's services should be retained, if the electors of his ward so will it. Not that his claims, as an ordinary member are superior to those of the other gentlemen whose term of office expire with the year, but because his presence as the head of the board serves a useful purpose. It gives the board a presiding officer, who maintains with tact a firm hand, keeping the board strictly to the business of the occasion, resulting, as hinted above, in the business being transacted in a business-like manner, without the importation of distracting side issues which result from the mania for oratorical display that characterizes many of the members of a body one could name.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park (Box 55.) 12d123

J. Brown & Co., 394 George Street.

Our Christmas fruits are the finest obtainable in Montreal and Toronto markets. We have just laid in a choice stock with the intention of supplying the town. Connoisseur Cluster Raisins, Currants, Layer and Cooking Figs, Prunes, Dates, Piper's pure Chocolate, Spices and everything needful for Christmas cakes and puddings. Don't forget to call.—E. Brown & Co., Grocers, also Wines and Liquors.

Do it up Right!

Blessed is he that expecteth nothing, but findeth much on Xmas morning. In "checking off" let there be a goodly sprinkling of Silk Gifts—Silk Scarfs, Silk Ties, Satin Ties, Silk Handkerchiefs, Satin Shirt Protectors, Silk Suspenders. Nowhere can you get such high-class novelties as here.

STILL LEFT—A few Camel's Hair Smoking Jackets, small sizes, 34 and 36, you choice for $4.00.

Mercer's

WE ARE INTERESTED IN THEM

Mr. Pakenham and Mr. Walker of Brockville, say Good-Bye.

The Brockville Times has the following reference to two gentlemen, in whom Peterborough is warmly interested, viz., Mr. Pakenham, formerly of town, and Mr. Walker, Peterborough's new Inspector:

"The Collegiate Institute Conversazione last evening proved a brilliant and unparalleled success, the attendance far exceeding the expectation of the most sanguine promoter. Such a crowd was never seen before in the classic halls of the B.C.I. The fashionable audience was estimated at over eight hundred, and they thronged every corner of the tastefully decorated class rooms and corridors.

The chair was occupied by Judge McDonald, and before proceeding, Hon. John F. Wood, George A. Dana, M.P.P., and James Cummiug, Esq., were invited to seats on the platform.

In his opening address Judge McDonald congratulated the staff and students upon their justly successful entertainment. Never in the history of the Institute had the work been performed so successfully as in the past year. "While congratulating ourselves upon these results," said Judge McDonald, "there are mingled feelings of pleasure and sorrow, for we are soon to lose the services of two teachers who have helped to bring the Institute up to its present high standard." Mr. Pakenham and Mr. Walker, he said were both sorry to leave. The promotion each had received was a distinct tribute both to the work they had done and, and their individual worth. He hoped their successors would carry along the good foundation they had laid.

Hon. John F. Wood, being called upon, delivered a pleasing address, full of encouragement to the students and complimentary to the staff of teachers and the Institute Board. He joined with the chairman's regret in losing Mr. Pakenham.

Mr. Dana added his quota of regrets over Mr. Pakenham's departure. He also referred in suitable terms to the removal of Mr. Walker.

Mr. Pakenham and Mr. Walker were called to the platform by the chairman. On behalf of the students, Mr. El. Richardson read an address to Mr. Pakenham and Mr. John Grant presented him with ten volumes of a history of English Literature by Henry Morley.

Mr. Pakenham, in replying made a speech full of feeling. He paid a high tribute to the students and to his fellow teachers. Mr. Pakenham expressed the feelings of sorrow he felt in parting with the students and his last and best wish was a sincere Godspeed.

Mr. Walker was then presented with an address and a set of Ruskin's works. The address was read by Miss Taplin and the presentation made by Miss Smart.

Mr. Walker said that his labours had been labours of sincere pleasure, if they had been such as to lighten the labours of the students. Their kindness, attention and courtesy were evidences of the students' appreciation. He wished every pupil success.

Led by Judge McDonald the students gave three rousing cheers for Mr. Pakenham and Mr. Walker."

MR. CALCUTT'S GENEROSITY.

He Gives Additional Prizes for Writing in the Ashburnham School.

As was noted in these columns a few days ago Mr. Calcutt very kindly gave two prizes, of one dollar and fifty cents, for the best two specimens of vertical writing from the Ashburnham public school. These prizes were won by Mollie Blois and Laura Craig.

In the contest Mabel Scott and Edith Beattie took third and fourth places, being very close to the winners, and Mr. Calcutt has since given prizes of fifty cents each to these also, in recognition of the merit of their penmanship.

Mr. Calcutt takes a genuine interest in the work of education and manifests it in a very practical manner.

Just received, 200 cloth bound books, regular price 40c., this week 25 cents. A second lot, gilt tops, regular price 50c., for 30 cents—at SAILSBURY'S.

Ladies Don't Smoke,

but they have a tender regard for some fellahs that do. The great festival of Christmas will soon be here, and between now and then people will naturally think of buying presents for their friends. Mr. Chas. LeGros, the live George street tobacco and cigar dealer, realizing that money is very scarce, has put everything in the line of cigars and pipes down to cost, and when he says cost, he means business. LeGros is a hustler, and likes to give his customers a benefit at Christmas times. He imports all his goods direct, and saves the wholesalers' profit. A few of the snaps which he offers are to be seen in his window He has the finest lot of pipes in Canada, all of B.B.B. manufacture. In cigars, his imported cigars are of the finest, and this is proved by the testimony of the best people of the town who smoke them. Ladies who know the weakness that their gentlemen friends have for a good cigar or a meerschaum pipe, a swell mouthpiece or a handy tobacco pouch can take a hint and have a quiet talk with Charley on the subject. Call and see him and you will be astonished at the prices and quality of his pipes, cigars and smokers' sundries. ALIVE C. LEGROS, 330 George street. tf

ASHBURNHAM PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Report of the December Examinations and Promotions.

Fifth class—1,201 marks—Oscar Matchett, 945; Mollie Blois, 832; Bertha Bennett, 715; Eliza Edwards, 666.

Senior fourth class—1,951 marks—Florence Butcher, 913; Terrot Glover, 907; Edith Beattie, 849; Sybil Stethem, 820; Ralph Quinn, 727; Laura Craig, 702; Mabel Scott, 690; Walter Tighe, 688; Bruce Beattie, 677; Wallace Wood, 676; Harold Crane, 643; Daisy Distin, 638; George Smith, 618; Sidney Tivey, 610; Robert Manicee, 602; Frank Eden, 564; Lannie Mowry, 560; Jessie Crane, 559; Alice Scott, 531; Ross Craig, 511; Matthew Edwards, 494; Harry Crocker, 461; Ethel Record, 427; Eva Moore, 210; Florence Dormer, 184.

Jr. 4th class—1,051 marks—Mamie Ingram, 765; Bertha Symonds, 656; Mabel Crocker, 641; Donald Edwards, 627; Annie Dawson, 606; Harry Rogers, 597; Carry Noyes, 596; Bruce Pollock, 570; Pearl Law, 558; Sid Gibbs, 548; Claude Rogers, 537; Maude Long, 529; Grace Goldie, 506; Alex. Gillespie, 481; John Eynon, 408; Harry Cox, 316.

Writing Contest—Third fourth and fifth classes, for two prizes of $1 and 50c, presented by Mr. H. Calcutt—1st prize, Mollie Blois; 2nd prize, Laura Craig. Mr. J. C. Brown, Public School Inspector, acted as judge and his decisions gave universal satisfaction. The writing of several others was almost as good as that of the winners, and the writing of all has improved wonderfully in the past four months.

SENIOR THIRD.

Honour roll—Howard Bennett, May Pollock, Effie Fowler.

JUNIOR THIRD TO SENIOR THIRD.

Honours—Blanche Westlake, Madeline Stone, Joe Frith.

Passed—May Courtney, Carl Russel, Roy Wylie, Minnie Dormer, Ida Russell, Bruce Gillespie, Melville Moore, Phyllis Goldey.

SENIOR SECOND TO JUNIOR THIRD.

Honours—Bertha Telford, Carrie Whittaker, Ernest Wylie.

Passed—Carrie Doupe, Alice Revoy, Ella Distin, Phœbe Eynon, Ada McKnight, Clara Craig, George Russell.

JUNIOR SECOND TO SENIOR SECOND.

Honours—Beatrice Hartley, Annie Pollock, Alice Wand, Rosie Bennett, Lulu Scott, Edna Rogers.

Passed—Gordon Butcher, Eva Wylie, Emma Williams, Ethel Quinn, Harry Wyatt, Herbie Anderson, Bella Long, Charlie Crane.

SENIOR PART II TO JUNIOR SECOND.

Passed—Tom Edwards, Herbert Stethem, Edna Dobbin.

JUNIOR PART SECOND TO SENIOR PART SECOND.

Honours—Jessie Waddell, Hattie Williams, Tom Bullied, Nettie Castle, Mary Clark, D'Eyncourt Stone, Minnie Graham.

Passed—Flossey Scott, Letitia Wood, Annie Maxwell, George Ferguson, Jennie Gillespie, Leslie Russell, Ethel Pogue.

SR. PT. I TO JR. PT. II.

Laura Smithson, Percy Crane, George Butcher, Norman York, Clara Adams, David Smith, Clifford Cox, Willie Maxwell.

SECOND TABLET CLASS TO SENIOR PT. I.

Muriel Scott, Lillie Chrowe, Jas. Burgess, Hattie Eynon, Percy Hartley, Fred Wyatt, Maggie Anderson, Jennie Buck, Willie Butcher, Wesley Devall, Russell Devall.

FIRST TABLET CLASS TO SECOND TABLET CLASS.

Hazel Craig, Kathleen Long, Ray Nellis, Violet Whittaker, Lillie Scott, Annie Dunk, Carrie Armstrong, Lizzie Telford, Elsie Pollock, Edward Mitchell, Jennie Revoy, Rollie Ferguson, Willie Henthorn, Eva Crane.

At this examination the examinations in the Senior Third, Junior Fourth, Senior Fourth and Fifth classes were test examinations, and not for purposes of promotion.

There were promotions in all classes below these.

In future there will be no promotions from one room to another in December, but there will be promotion examinations in the First classes, Part I., and in Junior Part II. and Junior Second classes.

In June, each year, there will be promotion examinations in all classes.

By the above-mentioned system of examinations, hasty, imperfect, and superficial work will be avoided, and pupils will receive a more thorough training.

Parents and guardians are urged to see that pupils in their charge attend regularly, for if they fail at the June examinations those in the higher classes will have to remain where they are for the succeeding year.

A report is given to each pupil on the last school day in each month. These are to be signed by the parents or guardians and returned at once to the teachers.

Miss Allin and Miss Wood will attend the Normal School during the next session. Their places are to be filled by Miss Ethel Dawson and Miss Mary Erskine, respectively. By their departure the school loses the services of two efficient teachers, who have been very successful in their work.

SELWYN LITERARY SOCIETY.

The Selwyn Literary Society met as usual in the Temperance Hall on Dec. 18th, the president in the chair. After the minutes of last meeting were read and adopted, the following programme was rendered.

Critic's report ..... J J Hoolahan
Reading ..... Mrs W C Manning
Instrumental music ..... Mr Soccee
Address, current events ..... E McIlmoyle
Solo ..... Miss Clara Middleton
Debate—Mr S Middleton and Miss McConkey, and Mr R Pearson and Miss Middleton
Song ..... Mr A Walton
Recitation ..... Miss F Graham
Address ..... Rev A J Terrill
Reading, "History of our own times" ..... J M Robert,
Reading ..... Mr Jos Nicholl,
Paper ..... Editor.

Miss Middleton was appointed critic for the next meeting, and it was arranged to have the meeting on the evening of Dec. 25th, after which the National Anthem was sung and the meeting closed.

Lots of 5 and 10 cent games at SAILSBURY'S.

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Our stock is still large and of first quality. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. by buying from us now. Save it. The whole stock in trade for sale "en bloc." CLEGG'S RETIRING SALE, (Next to Stratton's Bookstore).

A PLEASING PROGRAMME.

An Entertainment in the Gymnasium Tuesday Night—The Programme.

The class of the Junior Fourth, of the Central School, comprised of sixteen little girls, gave a most pleasing entertainment in the gymnasium Tuesday night, to which they invited their friends. Principal Smith presided and made a few opening remarks, after which the following interesting programme was presented:

Opening chorus, "The Maple Leaf" ..... Girls of the class
Dumb Bell exercise ..... Miss Mary A; pleby
Recitation .....
Hoop Drill and March .....
Song, "Marguerite" ..... Major Rundle
Recitation, "Papa's Letter" ..... Miss Donna Bronson
Song ..... Misses Kindred, Shera, Elliot and Potter
Zig-zag march .....
Reading ..... Major Rundle
Recitation, "The Dying Orphan" ..... Miss Nellie Whiten
Club swinging .....
Song ..... Major Rundle
Distribution of presents from the Christmas tree,

God Save the Queen.

Holiday Photographs.

G. E. Whiten, the new photographer of Peterborough, is doing a grand trade since coming here. He is kept very busy. He finishes most of his work on the new Platino finish. There is no better work made in Ontario to-day than is made at Whiten's New Art Studio, on Hunter street west, opposite Oak Hall. His prices are very reasonable. Go and see the quality of his work and be convinced there is none better, and few to equal his work. Give him a trial. dtf

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Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enameledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc Store Can Be Secured.

Conger's Fair

HOLIDAY LEADERS

4 lbs. Choice Raisins ..... for 25c
4 lbs. Choice Currants ..... for 25c
Scheppe No. 1 Cocoanut ..... per lb 25c
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Figs, Dates, Oranges, Lemons, Table Raisins and Delicious Confectionery. Just watch for our candy advertisement, an Eye Opener.

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GRAND NEW STOCK

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Has bought D. O. LeGendre's stock of First-Class Dry Goods at 55c on the Dollar, and he will sell it off without reserve at the late firm's place of business, No. 323 George Street, next door to G. Carton's Grocery,

Commencing Thursday, Dec. 24th, 1896.

The Stock is new and as it must be sold within a limited time Big Bargains will be given.

Goods the people want. Prices the people like. This is the whole story. The sale of this Stock will be short and profitable to buyers.

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Crowds of people examine it daily.

Great care was taken in the selection.

The Beef is killed by experienced men.

Our Pork gives entire satisfaction.

Our Canned Goods are selling fast.

We have large orders for Fowl. Give yours early.

You may order your Summer Savory, Sage and Cranberries the same time as you order your fowl.

Our Mince Meat is guaranteed to contain nothing but the best qualities.

Chopped Suet is kept on hand.

WHEN BUYING HERE be sure you secure your receipt for every purchase. Our delivery men will call regularly at your house if so desired. You may then order your Butter, Eggs, Canned Goods, Beef, Pork, Mince Meat, Chopped Suet and everything in the Meat line.

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Other popular Cigars reduced in same proportion.

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All 50c Pipes Reduced to 25c
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Cigar Cases, Pouches and other Smokers Sundries similaly reduced. Now's the time to treat your fellah's.

"ON A STRING."—Violin Strings and Strings for all stringed instruments, kept on hand. Also Mouth Organs at prices to blow yourself on. Swagger Sticks and Walking Canes, Silver and Gold Mounted, to suit all tastes.

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—Coffee Spoons,
—Ice Cream Forks,
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—Gravy Ladles,
—Cream Ladles,
—Pepper Dusters,
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And hundreds of other choice things. New patterns and splendid value.

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MILITIA.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on envelope, "Tenders for Peterborough Drill Shed," will be received at this office, up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 30th day of December, 1896, for the repairs necessary to the roof of the Peterborough Drill Shed.

Each Contractor will prepare his own Specification, and forward the same in detail with tender. Any further information required may be obtained from Lt.-Col. Bell, Peterborough.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

A. BENOIT, Captain,
Secretary.

The Department of Militia and Defence, Ottawa, 21st December, 1896. 6d117

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St. Augustine	50c
Dry Catawba	50c
Sweet Catawba	50c
Black Cherry	50c
Blackberry	50c
Orange Wine	50c
Grape Wine	50c
Peach Wine	50c
Old Port Wine	75c
Very Old Port	$1.00
Old Sherry Wine	75c
Very Old Sherry	1.00

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Wines, Ports & Sherries	$2.00 to $6.00
Gins	2.00 to 5.00
Rums	3.00 to 6.00
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RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies	$2 00
For Gentlemen	3 00
For Girls	1 50
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FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each additional member half rates.

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JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

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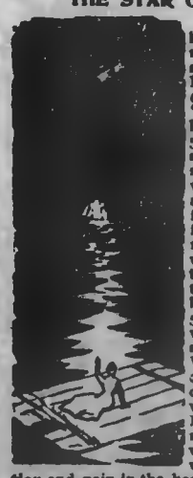
THE STAR OF HOPE.



"I had lost all hope and gone to my father's to die," said Mrs. MOLLIE EVANS, of *Mound, Coryell Co., Texas.* "I gave birth to a baby a year ago, the 9th of June last," she adds, "and seemed to do very well for 8 or 9 days, and then I began to feel very bad, my feet began to swell, my stomach was all wrong and I seemed to suffer with everything that could be borne. I was in bed 5 months and there was not a day that it seemed I could live. We had the best doctors that our country afforded. I was a skeleton. Every one that saw me thought that I would never get well. I had palpitation and pain in the heart, terrible pain in my right side just under the ribs, terrible headaches all the time; a bearing down sensation; a distressed feeling in my stomach all the time; could hardly eat anything and it looked as if I would starve. All the time I would take such weak trembling spells, and it seemed as if I could not stand it. There were six doctors treating me when I commenced taking your medicine. I had lost all hope and gone to my father's to die. I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and his 'Favorite Prescription' together, and I took them regularly until I felt as if life was worth living again."

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Mollie Evans.

CATTLE QUARANTINE

Hon. Mr. Fisher and Dr. McEachran Succeed

IN THEIR MISSION TO WASHINGTON

Regulations Will be Relaxed—Michigan Fruit Men are Pretty Warm Against Canadian Competition—The New Australian Liner Aorangi to Sail March 17 Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Hon. Sydney Fisher and Dr. McEachran have been successful in their negotiations with the American authorities for a relaxation of the quarantine regulations. An agreement has been arrived at very much on the lines indicated last week. Effect will be given to the agreement by the passage of an Order-in-Council, as our own regulations are concerned, and across the line by corresponding governmental action. The Minister of Agriculture is not expected back till next week. It is his intention to spend a few days in New York before returning home.

A Michigan fruit grower, in giving an account of the late meeting of the State Horticulturist Society which was attended by Mr. John Craig, Dominion Horticulturist, says: "The society placed itself on record as being decidedly opposed to the present tariff laws, which admit Canadian summer fruits without tariff, while that (the Dominion) Government imposes a high import duty on Michigan fruit. A memorial was drafted and passed asking all Michigan Congressmen to use their influence to secure the passage of a law that will get even with the Dominion fruit growers."

The Department of Marine is calling for tenders for the removal of the hull of the United States vessel Grand Traverse, wrecked towards the close of navigation near Colchester reef, in Lake Erie. The wreck lies directly in the channel, and while the operation of removal will be attended with considerable expense the department considers it important that the channel should be cleared before the opening of navigation next spring.

The Canadian commercial agent at Trinidad, Mr. Fripp, has advised the Department of Trade and Commerce that the centennial celebration of that colony will take place on Feb. 15. The steamer Duart Castle, which is due to sail from Halifax on Jan. 23, is timed to arrive at Trinidad on Feb. 15, so that Canadians intending to participate in the centennial will be able to make close connection by the regular steamer.

The Department of Trade and Commerce has been advised that the date of sailing from London of the steamer Aorangi, the new vessel of the Huddart line, which is to ply between Sydney and Vancouver, has been fixed for March 17. She will therefore make her first trip from Sydney to Vancouver in April. The addition of a third steamer to the line will allow of more frequent trips, and will also be taken advantage of for the purpose of enabling New Zealand to participate in the advantages of the service. Hope is expressed at the department that Canadian shippers will embrace the opportunity of the sailing of the Aorangi from London, as they will be able to obtain favorable rates across the Atlantic. This vessel will relieve the congested state of freight accommodation between Vancouver and Australia, which at present is such that steamers of the Canadian-Australian line are coaling at Honolulu in order to save the 450 tons of space required by extra fuel.

J. C. Boyd, Superintendent of the "Soo" Canal, was in the city yesterday. The usual repairs will be carried on to the canal through the winter, to place it in proper shape for next season. Possibly some changes regarded as desirable by the Minister on his recent inspection may be executed.

The Department of Railways and Canals is completing the final arrangements for the winter service on the Baie des Chaleurs Railway. The company have been carrying on repairs to the road bed and trestles, and keeping the line clear of snow, which is the greatest obstruction to transportation in the winter.

News of the arrival of the big guns ordered by Col. Lake in England is daily awaited by the militia authorities.

Mr. A. H. Taylor, for the past 30 years local agent for the Grand Trunk Railway, and who shortly severs his connection with the company, was today presented by leading citizens with a handsome testimonial in the shape of an address, a purse of gold and a beautiful ring. The presentation was made by the Mayor. Mr. Taylor fittingly replied.

The Ottawa Woman's Council purposes tackling the public library question again. A resolution in regard to the starting of a public library in the city will be presented to the new City Council as soon as possible. The ladies say they are determined to push the question to a conclusion.

E. J. Rainboth of Ottawa, who was appointed a commissioner to enquire into charges which were preferred against James Martin, Indian agent at Manlwaki, on the Gatineau, is proceeding with the enquiry. Mr. Martin is accused of having taken an active part in the Conservative interest in the constituency during the last general elections, with a view of defeating C. R. Devlin and electing J. M. McDougall. There were other charges against Mr. Martin besides those of a political character, which Mr. Rainboth has been asked to investigate.

John Crerar, Q.C., of Hamilton, who was appointed a commissioner to investigate the reasons why the writ for Algoma was withheld after it had been issued by the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, prior to the last general elections, so that the election did not take place until after June 23, has been taking evidence in the case here. He will likely have his report ready about the end of the week.

John T. Ross, barrister, of Halifax, N.S., was to-day appointed a commissioner to investigate the charges of offensive partisanship made against employes or officials of the Intercolonial Railway in the Province of Nova Scotia, who took an active part in the recent general election.

The Controller of Customs went to Montreal to-day to be present at the banquet of the Commercial Travelers' Association.

The Postmaster-General is back, after a fortnight's absence in Cornwall.

The cold spell still continues. At the Experimental Farm last night the thermometer fell to 15 degrees below, and at 8 o'clock this morning it was 11 below.

A bulletin is being prepared by the Agricultural and Dairy Commissioner, giving further details concerning the Government's plan of cold storage facilities.

Hon. Mr. Davies returned from the Pacific Coast this afternoon.

Major Sutherland, chief Government whip, left for home to-night.

Rev. Mr. Maxwell, M.P., arrived in the city to-day.

Charles Langelier, ex-M.P., and Dr. Guay, M.P., are here on patronage matters.

ROSSLAND DELEGATES

Interview Ministers at Ottawa and Lay Their Requests Before Them—Satisfactory Meeting.

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—The Rossland Board of Trade delegation, who arrived here to-day have had what they consider to be a most successful visit, and they left for Toronto to-night well satisfied with their mission. The deputation consisted of Mr. J. F. McLaughlin, president; J. A. Smith, secretary; D. B. Bogle, vice-president, and editor of The Mining Review and Richard Armstrong, barrister, formerly of Toronto. During the day they saw the Premier, Messrs. Tarte, Sifton, Mulock and other Ministers. One of the chief matters which they impressed upon the Ministry, and especially upon Mr. Sifton, who has just assumed charge of the Immigration Department, was the importance of immediately formulating a vigorous policy regarding immigration. They urged that circumstances were favorable for the Government making British Columbia practically their immigration field for the next few years, the present interest in the mining resources of that country being such as to draw the attention of the world to that wonderful country. They pointed out that if the Government assisted in drawing attention to the mining resources of the province it would lead to a large influx of capital, which meant augmented population. The time was never more opportune, in the judgment of the delegation, for effective work in the direction indicated.

Another important topic which the deputation submitted to the Premier was cheaper transportation facilities for the Kootenay country. The immediate construction of the Crow's Nest Pass Railway was an imperative necessity for the proper development of the district. Three-fourths of the ores which were being mined in Rossland district were what is known as low grade ores, and it was necessary to secure cheap fuel in order to smelt them. The construction of the Crow's Nest Pass Railway would render millions of tons of coal easily accessible, and would enable smelters on the Canadian side to obtain coal and coke at a much lower rate than that now being paid. Much of the coal being used at Rossland and vicinity came all the way from England via Seattle. Blacksmith's coal is at the present time selling at from $35 to $40 per ton, while anthracite brings $25 a ton. In the houses in Rossland wood is being burned for fuel, costing $7 per cord. Unless a supply of coal is secured the smelting business will go to the United States and the delegation desired that it should be retained in the country.

It was pointed out also to the Ministers that the Crow's Nest Railway should be built as a Government work, and operated as such but that running powers should be given to the C.P.R. and all other roads. Pro-Government in the Rossland country is practically unanimous against the C.P.R. being given exclusive control over the Crow's Nest route.

The deputation urged upon Mr. Tarte prompt measures to improve navigation from Revelstoke to Trail, so that steamers would not be impeded during low water. They also saw Mr. Mulock and asked for increased postal facilities for the district.

The deputation have good reason to be satisfied with their visit, the Ministers assuring them that their representations would receive every consideration.

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THE NEW PRIMATE.

Appointment of Archbishop Temple—A Sensation Caused During the Ceremony by a Protest.

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At the beginning of the ceremony the Rev. Edward Brownjohn startled those present by rising from his seat and thrice protesting against the confirmation of the newly appointed Archbishop, on the ground that he held to the doctrine of evolution.

The action of Mr. Brownjohn created a great sensation, and when the congregation assembled had recovered somewhat from their astonishment many persons stood up on their seats and hooted and groaned at the protesting clergyman for some time. When order was restored Archbishop MacLagan refused to entertain the protest, whereupon Mr. Brownjohn left the church amid the groans of the audience. The excitement then subsided, and the services proceeded.

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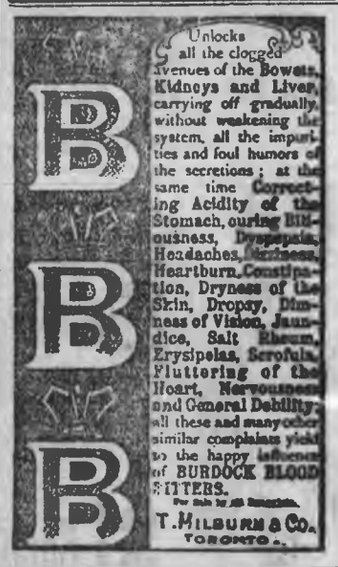

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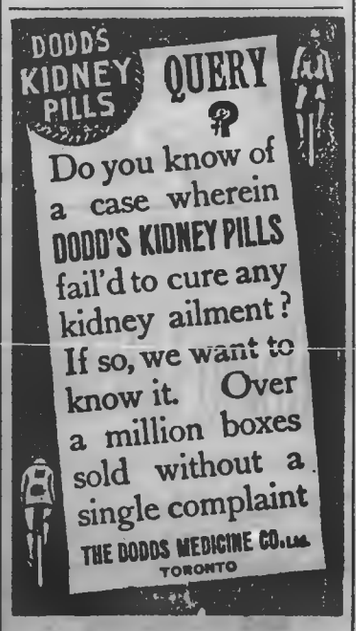
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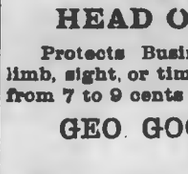

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CORPSE HELD FOR DEBT.

Man's Inhumanity to Man Demonstrated in Buffalo—But the Money Didn't Come.

Buffalo, Dec. 22.—The body of Jerome Kelly, which was held here for payment of debts contracted to his doctor, druggist and nurse, was finally released Saturday and shipped to Pontiac, Mich. Dr. Patteson, who was charged in a despatch from Pontiac on Saturday with having caused the body to be held and presenting exorbitant bills, denies the charge. The bills in total amounted to but $90, one-half of which only was for the doctor's bill. Dr. Patteson further says: "Jerome Robins, a lawyer from Pontiac, who is a brother-in-law of Kelly, came to Buffalo on the day following Kelly's death. He claimed the body, but had no funds even to pay the undertaker or the shipping charges, and it was not delivered to him."

The doctor made no bones of the statement that the body was held with the hope that Kelly's relative might be induced to settle the charges before the body was shipped, and as this has been the first case of impounding a corpse for debt which has been made public in many years it has created not a little stir.

INJURY AND NEGLECT.

He Failed in Health and Strength—His Kidneys Ached and he Took Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Dunsmuir, Dec. 14 (Special)—Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. James Stokes, who for the past fifteen years has been shipper for the Rathbun Company.

Lately he had run down in health and strength to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now as the result of using Dodd's Kidney Pills is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes he said:—

"From over-lifting and strain I suffered greatly from kidney trouble, being advised, after all else had failed, to use Dodd's Kidney Pills; from the first dose I got relief, and hundreds of people here can vouch for my cure."

CATTLE FOR EUROPE.

Samuel Allerton Finds Fault Because of the Recent Concessions to Canadian Shippers.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Samuel Allerton has made reply to the letter of Sterling Morton, Secretary of Agriculture, relative to cattle shipments to European ports. Speaking directly of the shipments of Canadian cattle from American ports recently, Mr. Allerton says: "I am informed Canadian shippers loaded on the Allan Line boat Peruvian 472 cattle (capacity 630); also on the Cunard Line boat Carinthia 630 cattle (capacity 870). In order to take these boats away from the American shipper they paid a premium of 10s a head for the privilege of not taking the entire capacity of the boats. The steamship companies expect to get American shippers to fill the boats, but no American shipper would load those boats to come into contact with Canadian cattle.

"Now, you must see that this reduced the shipments of American cattle in one week 2000 head.

"You see the result of allowing Canadian cattle to be shipped through Vermont to Boston, as they come into competition with our shippers and charter the steamships. This broke our cattle market 15 cents a hundred in one week and reduced the value of 50,000 cattle in one week fully 30 cents a hundred. This was a loss to the American farmer, grower and feeder of cattle.

"Now, is it doing justice to the United States farmer or our Government to open the ports, exposing our cattle with Canadian cattle, which English veterinaries have declared are tinctured with contagious pleuro-pneumonia? Surely, so long as the Canadian Government will not allow American shippers to load from their ports, why should we allow them to load from our ports, and to reduce the value of our cattle by taking the steamships from American export shippers?"

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BRAM OR BROWN?

It Appears to be a Question Between Them as to Killed Captain Nash and His Wife.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 22.—There was much speculation in the United States Circuit Court this morning before the judges took their seats on the bench as to how they would rule regarding the sensational testimony which District Attorney Hoar wished to introduce in the trial of Mate Bram. The opinion of the court was delivered by Justice Colt, who said that the evidence was plainly inadmissible and its admission would be a violation of the fundamental laws of evidence. It is, he said, proposed to prove that the defendant had been on another vessel six months or more before he was on the Herbert Fuller and that he had proposed to kill the captain and seize the cargo and vessel. This was no logical connection with the case being tried, and the evidence was rejected. The first witness called was Oscar Anderson, a seaman on the Fuller at the time of the tragedy. He went aft in the cabin with the others and described finding the bodies, the acts of the defendant and others, the signing of the paper and other acts of the crew in corroboration of the testimony of the previous witnesses. The witness described the conduct of Brown the night before the murder. He came up to the witness and said: "You can lie down and take a nap." I lay down, witness said, and he began walking about the deck. Then he came and looked at me and I got scared. He asked: "Are you asleep?" I said "No." I told the steward about it the next morning, and said I wanted something done to him, because I thought he was going to do something to me. After the murder he became very quiet and would not talk. Before the murder he was talking all the time. I never knew Brown to sleep on the deck before the night of the murder, and I never knew any one else to do so.

Francis M. Lobenc, a member of the crew of the Herbert Fuller on the night of the tragedy, agreed with the last witness regarding the conduct of the vessel with the wheel lashed with the conditions as they were on that night. Bram was on deck and at 2 o'clock called out four bells, and witness went aft to relieve Brown at the wheel. After Brown had gone forward from the wheel and while witness was at the wheel Bram went down the steps of the after companionway. Continuing, the witness said: "I then saw him run up the companionway. He was gone about 30 seconds. Hardly had Mate Bram got up on deck, when I heard the passenger Monks say: "I am all right." The mate came up and looked at the compass, and I could see his face by the binnacle light. It was white. Standing at the wheel, witness looked through the window and saw a heap of clothing on the floor in the dark room occupied by the captain. He had one hand on the wheel. When witness went to the wheel he heard what seemed to be a gurgling sound from the cabin.

Witness Lobenc, being questioned regarding Brown's forecastle stories, said that he told about killing a man in Rotterdam and said he got clear by playing insanity.

"Did he use the word insanity?"

"Yes, sir." (Brown, when on the witness stand, professed not to know the meaning of the word insanity).

Continuing, witness said that during this conversation, there was talk about a barrel of kerosene aboard and that Brown had suggested that it be spilled on the cargo and set on fire. He heard him talk to himself and laugh, but witness could not understand what he was saying. Witness took charge of the vessel after the captain's death, having been appointed first mate by Bram. Neither Monks nor Spencer had anything to do with it. Witness said that he had seen the wheel lashed by Capt. Nash a few days before the murder. The vessel was sailing free and the wheel was lashed for five minutes. Had once said, "We suspected Brown on account of his behavior; he behaved so badly." When there was a question about the disposal of the bodies, Brown said: "Throw the bodies overboard." When Brown was at the wheel he wore a blue flannel shirt, white trousers with blue stripes, a pair of slippers and a white hat. Saw shirt and trousers hanging up to dry next day and the shirt was the same that the witness had seen being washed on the Sunday before. When the defendant was put in irons he asked why it was done, and Spencer told him it was for the murder he had committed. He said, "I am an innocent man."

On re-direct examination, witness repeated the kerosene story and said Brown told him just before the night of the murder: "There is a barrel of kerosene on the ship and it would not take long to spill it over the cargo and set it on fire."

Dr. F. W. Draper of Boston, a graduate from Harvard Medical School and a professor there, was now put on the stand. He is an expert on deaths caused by violence. He was asked many hypothetical questions by both sides. Dr. Draper said death must have been caused by an instrument like an ax and that it was not necessarily instantaneous. He said the blows would not make anything but a thud. Asked if the assailant could escape blood under the conditions described, he said "I think so." However, he thought a person would be likely to get spattered.

After a few minutes' recess the prosecution announced that the Government's evidence was all in. Counsel for defense announced that they were physically unable to make their opening to-night, and the court was adjourned until 9.30 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Stole the Bank's Money.

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 22.—Edwin J. Smith, individual bookkeeper of the Bank of Commerce, which institution is in the hands of receivers, was arrested late to-night on a charge of appropriating $2000 of the bank's money. The discrepancy was discovered by the receivers and when confronted Smith admitted his guilt. He says no one else is connected with the affair.

France Increasing Her Army.

London, Dec. 22.—The Standard will to-morrow publish a despatch from Paris saying that the Cabinet has decided to introduce a bill in the Chamber of Deputies providing for the addition of a battalion to each of the infantry regiments and increasing the war footing of the army by 100,000.

IT IS IN THE AIR.

Tweed People Talk About it.

It is in the air.
Can't stop it spreading.
Can't keep down a good thing.
People who don't know about it want to known.
People who do know, want to tell about it.
It is kidney education.
Tweed people are learning fast.
Here are some facts.

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"I had to urinate very frequently, in fact my rest was disturbed by frequent rising at night for that purpose. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, at Newton's drugstore, and have experienced great relief from the first.

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HON. A. G. JONES TALKS.

Says the New Canadian Government is Pro-American, Also Pro-British.

London, Dec. 23.—A long interview appears in The Chronicle this morning with A. G. Jones, in which he declares that it is wrong to suppose that because the Canadian Ministry is pro-American in its sympathies, it is therefore anti-Imperial. The Ministers, he said, desire commercial reciprocity with the United States, but they utterly reject the idea of discrimination against British goods. An undying sentiment of attachment to England existed in Canada, Mr. Jones added, and would not be affected even if she were obliged to contribute her share to the national defence.

Cuban Coupons Not Cashed.

London, Dec. 22.—The London agencies of the United Railways of Havana announce that it will be impossible to cash the coupons falling due on Jan. 1, 1897. Arrangements are being made for the transfer of the property of the United Railways to an English company.

Neuralgia is the prayer of the nerves for pure blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier and nerve builder.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer 'Saved my Life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels Price 75c. Sold by John Nugent 289 George Street.

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Now that the holiday season is drawing near, we would advise dealers to place their orders early to be sure of no delay.

We have the finest mince meat made and put it up in all sizes of packages.

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For the successful Treatment of all Diseases of the Kidneys and Urinary Organs,

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These Pills are put up in large wrapping boxes at 50 cents. Sold by all Druggists and Dealers—never by count or in bulk, and never under any other name than DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

The Dodd's Medicine Co., Toronto.

Gentlemen—A new medicine called Dodd's Kidney Pills has been recommended to me by my physician, and, by his advice, I send one dollar, the price of two boxes. Please send them without delay.

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Verandah, Hand Cabinet or other kinds of Turning done in P. BEGLEY'S usual cheap and satisfactory style. See our neat Verandah Brackets.

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Primary, Secondary or Tertiary BLOOD POISON permanently cured in 15 to 35 days. You can be treated at home for same price under same guarantee. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay railroad fare and hotel bills, and no charge, if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, Iodide potash, and still have aches and pains, Mucous Patches in mouth, Sore Throat, Pimples, Copper Colored Spots, Ulcers on any part of the body, Hair or Eyebrows falling out, it is this Secondary BLOOD POISON we guarantee to cure. We solicit the most obstinate cases and challenge the world for a case we cannot cure. This disease has always baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians. $500,000 capital behind our unconditional guaranty. Absolute proofs sent sealed on application. Address COOK REMEDY CO., 307 Masonic Temple, CHICAGO, ILL.

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Use Big G for Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Spermatorrhœa, Whites, unnatural discharges, or any inflammation, irritation or ulceration of mucous membranes. Not astringent or poisonous. Sold by Druggists, or sent in plain wrapper, by express, prepaid, for $1.00, or 3 bottles, $2.75. Circular sent on request.

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To You for Some Time About the Advantages of Drinking Pure—

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CEYLON TEA

Are You Benefiting by our Advice?

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We invite inspection of our large stock of Fine Furs manufactured by us in all the different Furs including Ladies' Jacket, Capes, Collarettes, Storm Collars, Ruffs, &c., in Seal, Persian Lamb, Gray Lamb, Sable, Mink, Beaver, Otter and the cheaper Furs.

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TO GIVE OR GET THAN A PLANT IN BLOOM?

—Carnations, —Azaleuas,
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THE Man who is simply "going to insure" is usually no better than the man who has'nt made the decision. In fact he is usually worse, because he has considered the subject and been convinced of his duty, but has not done it. "Nothing is done so long as anything remains undone." On application to either of the undermentioned gentlemen, full particulars will be furnished in regard to the Unconditional Accumulative Policy issued by the

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New in Principle, Design and Application, guaranteed to give satisfaction—30 years' experience in this one line exclusively.

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Heartburn, Sick Headache, and all Stomach Troubles,

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Ask your Druggist for them.

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Gas at $2 per Thousand Cubic ft.
Gas (for cooking or heating) at $1.25 per Thousand Cubic ft.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Arc Lamps, $65.00 per Annum,
Incandescent Lamps, (16 Candle) $7.50 per Annum.

Series Lamps, 55 c. p., not furnished.

Incandescent Lamps for house lighting, by meter at ½ cent per 16 c. p. lamp per hour.

A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Liquor Act Notice.

INFORMATION of a contravention of the Liquor License Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough with the bona fide name and address of the person to be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO COCHRANE,
License Inspector West Peterborough

Crooks Act Notice.

INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the East Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Warsaw with the bona fide name and address of the sender, will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly

J. J. CROWE
Hall's Glen P. O.
License Inspector, East Peterborough

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY.

For Christmas and New Year's

—HOLIDAYS—

WILL ISSUE ROUND TRIP TICKETS AS FOLLOWS:

GENERAL PUBLIC

Single First-class Fare

Going December 24 and 25; Returning until December 26, 1896.
Going December 31 and January 1; Returning until January 2, 1897.

Single First-class Fare & One-Third

Going December 18 to 24, December 30 and 31 and January 1; Returning until January 4, 1897.

TEACHERS AND STUDENTS

(On surrender of Certificate signed by Principal)

Single First-class Fare & One-Third

Going December 11 to 24; Returning until January 11, 1897. To all stations in Canada, Windsor, Sault Ste. Marie, Fort William and East.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS

(On presentation of Commercial Travellers' Railway Certificate.)

Single First-class Fare

Going December 19 to 25; Returning until January 4, 1897. To all stations in Canada. Ask your Agent for a Christmas Card.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

Special Excursion Fares

TO ALL POINTS IN CANADA.

1896--CHRISTMAS--1896

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE

Going December 24th and 25th, 1896, returning December 26th, 1896.

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Going December 23rd to 25th 1896 inclusive, returning January 4th, 1897.

1897--NEW YEAR'S--1897

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE.

Going December 31st, 1896, and January 1st, 1897, returning not later than Jan. 2nd, 1897.

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE AND ONE-THIRD

Going December 30th and 31st 1896, and January 1st, 1897, returning not later than January 4th, 1897.

School Vacations.

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE AND ONE-THIRD to Teachers and Students on surrendering standard form of School Certificate. Tickets to be issued December 11th to 24th, 1896 inclusive, valid to return not later than January 11th, 1897. For full particulars apply apply to

GEO. J. HORKINS, or WM. HAYDEN,
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SELECTS AND STANDARDS.

FISH.

—Salmon Trout, —Kippered Herring.
—Whitefish, —Cheese,
—Finnan Haddie, —Fresh Herring,

FRUIT.

—Catawaba Grapes —Bananas,
—New Lemons, —Chestnuts,
—New Oranges, —Cranberries,

RELISHES.

—New Canadian Club House Cheese,
—Heinz's German Relishes,
—Curtis' Spec. Catsups,
—Curtis' Preserved Fruits,
—English Worcestershire Sauce.
—Boston Baked Beans.

VEGETABLES.

—Bermuda Onions, —Parsnips,
—Celery, —Cauliflowers,
—Sweet Potatoes, —Carrots,
—Cabbage,

CANNED FRUIT,
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One Minute Headache Cure--10c.

For Sale at all Druggists and 395 Yonge Street, Toronto.

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WELCOME

—TO—

CHRISTMAS

With the song of "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men," the joyous Christmas Morn will soon be ushered in.

Out of a full heart, this store, which has sent forth its furry blessings to many hundreds, also sends forth its sincerest wishes that its numerous friends and patrons, as well as every one in this Canada of ours—and the nations of the world—may possess in larger measures than ever the rich breathings of Christmas Day, that all may swell the melody of the bells as they ring it out:—

"A MERRY CHRISTMAS."

FAIRWEATHER & CO.

MANUFACTURING FURRIERS.

George Street, Peterborough | 101 Yonge Street, Toronto | Kent Street, Lindsay.

NORWOOD MODEL SCHOOL EXAMINATION.

List of Successful Candidates—Those Who Won Honours.

In order to pass with honours 75 per cent. of marks were necessary; to pass 60 per cent.

Passed with Honours — Evelyn Carey, Grace Coughlan, Eleanor Courtney, Aggie Maud Fra-er and E. Agnes Moloney.

Passed—Lizzie A. Armstrong, Jessie Bell, Hildegarde Bonnycastle, Lillie Convey, Lillie Doherty, Fleda Eaton, May Edgar, Maggie Edmison, Jessie Elmhirst, Eliza Fraser, Maggie J. Jordan, Emma Kennedy, Mary E. McEwen, Hattie L. McLachlan, Elsie Mathieson, Eunice Milburn, Lillie Moffat, Mary E. Payne, Maude Staunton, Gertrude Thompson, Belle Wherry, Florence White, Minnie Young, John W. Anderson, Hugh F. Brackenridge, Harry Convey, Michael F. Costello, Cecil C. Cragg, Beecher Cryderman, Ernest Doidge, Fred J. Elmhirst, John A. Graham, William Herbert Graham, Richard Healey, Ezra Howson, Marvin S. Kennedy, Robert J. Lancaster, Ernest McIlmoyl, Percy G. Might, William John Patterson, William C. Pickens, Carleton E. Richardson, Francis M. Shannon, Herbert A. Stephenson, Alfred W. Trickey. Julia A. Hales received a district certificate for one year.

Catholic Prayer Books—a big line—cheap at SAILSBURY'S.

See the big display of Ties at Grafton & Co's, worth 25c and 35c now 10c.

Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 15c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Cadadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

ANOTHER COBOURG RESIGNATION BOUGHT.

Result of the Cobourg Customs Collector Inquiry—Price Offered and Accepted for the Office.

Cobourg, Dec. 23.—The Cobourg customs house commission appointed to inquire into charges that Mr. George Gullet, M. P., Mr. Daniel McAllister, landing waiter at this port, and M. W. J. Maher had negotiated the purchase from the late Mr. C. E. Ewing, the collector, his resignation and have Mr. D. McAllister appointed in his stead, was concluded this afternoon, and the charges were declared by the commissioner to be proven. What action will be taken now remains to be seen, but the judgment was so severe against Mr. Gullet that it is scarcely likely that the matter will rest at this point. The commissioner was Mr. Charles Seager, police magistrate of Goderich. The commissioner said the case was plainly made out, and he decided that Messrs. Geo. Gullet, M.P., Mr. Daniel McAllister and Mr. W. J. Maher were implicated in the transaction.

Children Free.

Adams & Son's Co., 11 and 13 Jarvis street, Toronto, Ont., are sending out some very handsome paper dolls with moveable heads and bodies. They send a set of sixteen for nine cents in stamps, or a sample one for the children free.

Ladies and Gentlemen, too, who desire to make a particularly happy hit in the way of a Present are advised to shop at MISS MELVILLE'S FANCY GOODS STORE, 424 George Street. Save you much thinking.

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5 75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 230 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

A Very Fine
OLD CANADIAN
WHISKY,
$3 50 per gallon at
ALEX. ELLIOTT'S.

GILT-EDGED BUTTER.

A Limited Number of Customers Wanted for weekly supply of choice Dairy Butter. No roots fed, satisfaction guaranteed, sample order solicited. Leave your address at the "Examiner" Office. 6od

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

YOUNG'S POINT.

From our own Correspondent.

Mr. Austin Dunn who was ill has recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wilson are spending a few weeks in Lakefield.

Mr. Thos. Hockaday is confined to his house through illness.

The Dramatic Club expect a large number at their concert here on Christmas night. Those desiring a pleasant evening should be here.

A young man from Chemong received a cold bath here one day last week. He was skating and ventured out too far, therefore dropped through. He is none the worse of his swim, for he is looking fresher than ever.

Carelessness in girlhood causes the greatest suffering and unhappiness in after life. Little irregularities and weaknesses in girls should be looked after promptly and treatment given at once. Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription promotes regularity of all feminine functions, makes strength and builds up a sturdy health with which to meet the trials to come. The Favourite Prescription is not a universal panacea. It is good for but one thing. It is directed solely at one set of organs.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, a 1008 page medical work, profusely illustrated, will be sent free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to cover postage only. Address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N Y.

Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue the business in his own name in future.

W. G. FOWLER

Begs to announce to all his old customers and the public generally that he has bought out the business formerly carried on by W. G. FOWLER & CO., and has put in a full and complete stock of

New Groceries, Sugars, Fruits,

And other staple lines. As I intend to carry on a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS in future, I will sell all goods at the CLOSEST CASH PRICES. You can now get the Cheapest Christmas Groceries in town at

W. G. FOWLER'S,
159 Hunter Street.

Down Go the Prices

To Stimulate the Holiday Trade.

ANOTHER CUT, ANOTHER SLASH, ANOTHER SACRIFICE!

"LET BYGONES, BE BYGONES."

OUR HALF PRICE OVER-REDUCTION SALE has been left behind and the prices goes down a notch lower. "Let Bygones be bygones." The very climax of successful buying has been attained by stupendous Money-Saving chances offered us, until now, with an establishment filled to overflowing with an assortment unequalled by any retail house in the Dominion—BARRING NONE—we emphatically predict for the next Thirty days the heaviest sale ever known in **Overcoats, Ulsters, Driving Coats, Winter Underwear, Gents' Furnishings, Gents' Fur and Felt Hats.**

PRICES WE CAN PROPHESY ON

OVERCOATS.

Men's Imported Ulsters, were $15	now $9 00
Men's Overcoats, were $10	now 5 50
Men's Tweed Ulsters, were $10	now 5 00
Men's Beaver Overcoats, were $10.50	now 5 00
Men's Frieze Ulsters, were $8.50	now 3 90
Men's Worsted Overcoats, were $9.50	now 4 50
Men's Nap Overcoats, were $7.50	now 3 00
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, were $7	now 4 00
Boys' Cape Overcoats, were $5	now 2 75
Boys' Tweed Overcoats were $4.50	now 2 75
Boys' Tweed Capes, were $2.90	now 1 70

SUITS.

Men's Auburn Mills Worsted Suits, were $9.50	now $5 90
Men's Auburn Mills All Wool Suits, were $8	now 5 00
Men's Yorkshire Tweed Suits, were $7.50	now 4 75
Men's Canadian Tweed Suits, were $6 50	now 3 90
Boy's Auburn Mills Suits, were $7	now 4 25
Boys' Blue Serge Suits, were $6	now 3 75
Boys' Scotch Tweed Suits, were $9	now 5 50
Boys' Canadian Tweed Suits, were $3.50	now 1 95

CAPS AND FURS.

25 Coon Fur Coats, were $30	now $16 50
30 Black Goat Coats, were $17.50	now 12 90
25 doz Sealette Caps, Jockeys	now 0 65
40 doz. Dominion Sealette Caps	now 1 00
200 Imitation Caps	from 19c to 0 50
2 doz. Persian Lamb Caps, were $5	now 2 90
50 Victoria Wedges, were $4.50	now 2 90

FURNISHINGS.

Men's Heavy Twill Cotton Night Robes	69c
Men's Silk and Satin Ties, four-in-hand and knots, were 25c. each	now 2 for 25c
Men's Fancy Ringwood Gloves, worth 40c	now for 25c
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched	for 15c
Men's Heavy Underwear, were 25c	now 19c
Men's Heavy All-Wool Underwear, were 50c	now 35c
Men's Heavy O. K. Wool Underwear	40 and 60c
50 doz. Pongee Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched	35c
25 doz. White Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs	50c
Gough's World-Beater All-Wool Socks, Ribbed Top	10c
10 doz. Men's All-Wool Cardigan Jackets, Worth $1.25	50c

BOOTS AND SHOES.

We have not quoted prices in Boots and Shoes, but we have everything to cover the feet of men, women and children, in Boots, Shoes, Slippers, Rubbers, etc. Our stock would be less than complete if we had not everything.

GOUGH BROS.,

The Ceaseless Toilers for the People.

SANTA CLAUS IN MOURNING!

His Time-Honoured Friend—C. B. ROUTLEY—Going Out of Business, While Crowds of Old Friends and Well-Wishers Express Their Sincere Regrets.

Only a few more days left to wind up the business. The last stroke of 12 on New Year's Eve terminates Mr. Routley's connection with this business, after 20 years of successful and honourable dealings with the good people of Peterborough. No black marks against his financial record—no failures—no compromises—no protested notes. Following the example of his ancestors he retires from business with a clean record—never having paid less than a Hundred Cents on the Dollar to his creditors.

PARTING DAY BARGAINS!

Mr. Routley wishes all his friends a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and solicits a continuance of their kind patronage in the future for his successor Mr. C. F. Kutzbach, who takes possession of the store January 1st, 1897.

To make the clearance of the present stock more sweeping than ever, the last days of our Sale will present greater attractions than anything yet. The time to buy is when the other fellow wants to sell. Price elsewhere, if you like, but come back here and you'll buy. See what Rousing, Royal, Parting-Day Bargains we can give you yet in Sleighs, Drums, Dolls, Mechanical Toys, Rocking Horses, Toy Cradles and Chairs Boy's Tool Chests, Fancy Leather Goods, Fancy Celluloid Goods, Albums, Christmas Cards, Trunks, Valises, and hundreds of other THINGS, in spite of our big selling.

COME! COME! AND SEE AT 379 GEORGE STREET, SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS.

CARD!

To All Mr. Routley's Customers and the Public Generally.

I beg leave to announce that I have entered into an engagement to purchase the balance of Mr. Routley's Stock left after the 31st of December, and have deposited the sum of $1000 to bind the bargain. I have also secured the lease of the present store and premises and will continue to carry on the business in my own name on and after Jan. 1st, 1897. The store will be re-stocked with an entirely new and elegant assortment of Fancy Goods of all kinds.

Respectfully soliciting a continuance of your patronage.

C. F. KUTZBACH,
(Late of Chicago.) Successor to C. B. Routley.

The Daily Examiner.

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Turning Colder.

South-west to north-west winds; generally fair, higher temperatures, with light local snow falls, then turning colder.

R. F.

Compliments of the Season.

—THE—

GOLDEN LION

Wishes all its friends and customers an enjoyable Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year.

The Golden Lion has none but thanks for the patronage of the year now closing. A preference has been shown that has swelled the volume of trade over its counters to the largest ever extended the business.

The Golden Lion assumes that this preference expresses the views of these who have favoured it, and is a tangible evidence that the methods and systems of the store meets with approval.

The Golden Lion fulfills as well as promises and during the year now at hand all that diligence, experience, courtesy and friendly offices can do to make the business of shopping pleasant to the customer will be done, and right willingly.

With Thanks,

Very Respectfully,

Robt. Fair,

Importer of Dry Goods & Carpets

Sign of the Golden Lion, 283 George Street, Peterborough.

P. S.—McGill College Regulation Ribbon, now on sale here. R. FAIR

Wives! Sisters! Mothers!

We can afford to sell cheap, but we can't afford to mislead you. We have no buncombe stock to slaughter, but we can offer you honest inducements to buy your Holiday Gifts.

This store is not a Dry Goods—Furniture-a-la-side-show combination. We rely entirely on the attractiveness of our goods and Special Bargains to entice you. We need no pictures, no pianos, no granny-phones—only Plain Talk.

Ladies' and Gent's Lawn, Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs in all the newest styles of border and embroidery.

Ladies' Silk Mitts.

Ladies' Silk Ties.

Pointed Lace, the new thing for collars and trimming.

Lace Collars—Ready-made.

Ladies' and Gent's Kid Gloves. A special line of ladies' at 75c, regular $1 goods, to be had in all the best shades.

Ladies' Cashmere Gloves in black and coloured, in light and heavy makes. A special line with kid facing. These are very pretty as well as serviceable.

Privilege in all styles and prices. We have always been noted for keeping the largest and prettiest stock in town.

Ladies' Wool Hoods and Shawls in all the different makes.

New Veilings. Over 100 different styles to choose from, also a special make of Nun's Veiling for heavy veils.

Children's Tam O'Shanters from 25 cts. upwards.

Infants' Wear in Baby Wool Jackets, Bootees, Infantees, Fine Veils, Fur Boas, Silk and Wool Hoods, Wool Mittens, all at prices as attractive as the goods are handsome.

MISS RUDKINS

412 George St. Crystal Block, Opposite EXAMINER Office.

Before it is too late pick out a supply of common sense

Christmas Stocking Fillers.

Next to the pleasure of picking them out, is the pleasure of knowing that the goods are good, the values are good and that every Gift will give pleasure to the receiver:—

—Fancy Silk Neck Scarfs
—Warm Wool Mufflers
—Lovely Silk Handkerchiefs
—Nobby Narrow Ties
—Stylish Fancy Bows
—Silk Embroidered Suspenders
—Kid and other Gloves
—Fashionable Dress Shirts
—Linen Collars and Cuffs
—Fine Soft Underwear
—Snug-fitting Hosiery

It will be a Merry Christmas to you and to your friends if you send them the Gifts picked from our beautiful new stock.

PETE SIMONS & CO.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

HOUSE TO LET—703 WATER STREET; 7 rooms; city water. Apply to ADAM HALL. dtf

FOR SALE—A GOOD MEDIUM SIZE, J. & J. Taylor Safe with Combination Lock—a bargain. Apply at the EXAMINER Office. dtf

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET; central locality. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. 6eod135

TO RENT—SEVERAL COMFORTABLY Heated Rooms Bank of Commerce Buildings; suitable for bedrooms or offices. Apply to 437 George street. dtf28

TO RENT IMMEDIATELY—HOUSE NO. 211 Barnardo Avenue; nearly opposite the North Ward School. Apply at 437 George Street. dtf

OFFICE TO RENT—RECENTLY OCCUPIED as American Consulate and Rochester Star Nursery, No. 41 Water Street, next the Post Office; good vault, heated with hot water; all modern conveniences. Apply to DENNISTOUN, PECK & STEVENSON. dtf

TO LET—NO. 223 EDINBURGH STREET, corner of Aylmer, newly papered and painted. Apply to J. J. Lundy, over China Hall. dtf

TO RENT—IMMEDIATELY—HOUSE No. 203 Park street; $7 a month. Apply to TORONTO SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY, 437 George street. dtf

FOR SALE—A DOUBLE OFFICE DESK with 16 drawers; as good as new. Will be sold cheap as it is larger than owner requires. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. ft

HOUSE FOR SALE IN ASHBURNHAM—large two story, solid White Brick House, containing 11 rooms, cellar under all; furnace, (hot air); hard and soft water; stable for horse and cow; good orchard; having a frontage on Elizabeth street of 103 feet by a depth of 208 feet. Will be sold at a bargain and on easy terms. Apply to HALL & HAYES, Barristers, Peterborough. d68tf

FOR SALE—FINE TWO STORY BRICK Dwelling, 270 King Street; well built and warm; inside finish hardwood; hard and soft water; heated with hot water furnace; good brick shed and other improvements. Also for sale Lots Nos. 2 and 3, south of Rink street. Apply to THOMAS CORKERY on the premises

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New Bank of Commerce Building, Peterborough, and 69 Yonge St., Toronto.

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Holiday GLOVE BARGAINS.

A rare opportunity to buy Christmas Gifts in Ladies' and Gentlemen's Lined Gloves, at a discount extending to 50 per cent. under marked prices:

	Christmas Sale Price
Gentlemen's Lined Kid Gloves, Tans and Browns, were $1.00, now	$ 50
Gentlemen's Lined Kid Gloves, Black, extra quality, were $1,25	65
Gentlemen's Kid, Kangaroo and Moose Gloves, extra value, $1 to	1 75
Ladies' Fine Unlined Kid Gloves, decided Blacks, were $1.00	50
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Policemen Carry Children Out of Danger.

LOSS NEARLY A MILLION DOLLARS

The Sohmer Piano Factory and Polyclinic Hospital Among the Places Destroyed —Inmates of the Latter Were Panic-Stricken, But No Lives Were Lost.

New York, Dec. 25.—An early morning fire on East 33rd-street to-day destroyed property valued at nearly a million dollars and rendered 100 people homeless. Four buildings, including Sohmer's piano warehouse and the New York Polyclinic Hospital, were destroyed. The destroyed buildings also include a large five-storey brick factory building.

The piano warehouse occupied a fourth of the block and the polyclinic was a four-storey building, with a front of 50 feet on East 33rd-street. The fire began at 7.00 o'clock on the second floor of Pinaire's snuff factory at 211 East 34th-street. When the first engine arrived on the scene the fire had already communicated with the piano factory adjoining on the east. Several large streams of water were poured on the burning building, but without apparent effect, and third and fourth alarms for engines were sent in.

The police, under Sergt. Gagen, aroused the sleeping tenants of the building on the west of the burning factory. There was a panic when the tenants found smoke pouring in their rooms, and several of them escaped narrowly with their lives. With the aid of the police 18 families, consisting of 75 people, were carried from the building.

Sturdy policemen, carrying small children in their arms, were cheered by the large crowd as they brought them down the stairs and out on the street. Several girls only partially dressed opened the windows of their rooms on the fifth floor and stepped on the fire escape in front of the building. One of them was about to jump to the street when a policeman, who had entered the room, drew her back and carried her to the street. At 8 o'clock the piano warehouse owned by Sebastian Sohmer was on fire from cellar to roof, and 15 minutes later the roof fell in. The fire had by that time assumed such energetic proportions that the hospital in the rear of the warehouse and fronting on 34th-street was in imminent danger.

There were 58 patients in the building, and when they were aroused there was another panic. Patients whose condition had been very serious leaped from their beds and ran towards the stairs. The nurses and employes of the hospital assured them there was no danger, and the panic was temporarily quelled.

The flames communicated with the roof of the hospital at 8.30 and in several minutes the upper floor was belching forth huge waves of smoke and fire. The firemen who were inside the building were ordered to leave the structure, and several lines of hose poured water on it from the elevated tracks on 34th-street. The tenement house from which the tenants had been rescued by the policemen had been considered safe by the firemen until 8.30, when a strong wind blew the flames over it. In a short time the roof caught the heat of the factory fire, and ten minutes afterward the interior was ablaze. Several streams of water had no apparent effect, and in a short time the roof fell in. The front wall of the fifth floor followed a short time afterward, and then the firemen turned their attention to the tenement adjoining on the west. The roof of the building at 221 fell in at 8.45 and carried with it to the ground the four floors. The piano warehouse wall, which was almost solid and nearly 200 feet long and 60 feet high, collapsed shortly afterwards. A part of it fell on the roof of the East River Hotel and damaged the building to a great extent. The firemen poured several streams of water on the hotel, but fire started in the rear of the top floor shortly after the wall fell upon it.

The fire was under control at 10 o'clock. Nothing remained of the three buildings except parts of the outer walls. The building in which the fire started was occupied on the first, second and third floors by J. F. Kaldenberg, a manufacturer of pipes and smokers' materials.

The Sohmer piano warehouse is a total loss. The loss to Sohmer in stock and machinery will reach $300,000, with the probability that when account of the stock which was in it is taken it will reach $100,000 more. The building was assessed at $200,000, but was valued at nearly twice that amount.

Several persons were slightly injured during the progress of the fire.

A HORRIBLE AFFAIR.

Poor Little Tot Found Besmeared With Its Dead Mother's Blood and Badly Frozen.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 25.—Mrs. Frank Watson, wife of a stationary engineer, was shot and instantly killed some time last night and her husband is under arrest, charged with the murder. Watson and his wife had been separated, but recently appeared to have become reconciled. This morning a man occupying the same house heard the infant of the Watsons crying in an unusual manner, and, upon investigation, found the mother dead and the little one covered with blood and badly frozen. Shortly after the arrival of officers, Watson also appeared. Blood was found on his clothing. The baby will probably die from freezing.

IT WAS A WILD RIDE.

The Grand Forks, B. C., Stage Smashed to Atoms in a Canyon—An Awful Leap.

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 25.—Meagre particulars have reached here of a terrifying experience and perilous ride of ten passengers on the stage running between Marcus and Grand Forks, B. C. When the stage left Grand Forks for Marcus it was equipped with runners, the sleighing being good. Everything went along all right until the stage was about to descend a steep hill a mile in length near Hall's Ferry, when in some manner the horses broke loose.

Before the passengers could jump out the stage started down hill at a rapid rate of speed and gaining momentum every second. The passengers simply became paralyzed with fright and clung to each other, momentarily expecting to be dashed to death. For nearly a quarter of a mile the stage kept the road, when a curve was reached. Like a rocket it left the road and shot down into the canyon with its human freight.

About a hundred feet down the stage struck a huge boulder with terrific force. The stage was reduced nearly to kindling wood, while the passengers were thrown out in every direction.

It may be recorded as a miracle that nobody was killed outright. The deep snow in which the passengers landed undoubtedly saved the lives of all. Edward Davis, a well-known mining man, received perhaps fatal injuries. All the other passengers were more or less injured. The names of the other passengers are not known yet nor the extent of their injuries.

WAS SHE HYPNOTIZED?

A Handsome Young Woman Found Herself Married to a Man Who Was Objectionable to Her.

Jamestown, N.Y., Dec. 25.—A man giving his name as Berton M. Main and his residence as Sheldon, Ill., a phrenologist, came here four weeks ago and engaged board at the Woodburn, a high-class boarding house. Last night he was married to Miss Mary Whitman, the handsome young sister of the landlady of the Woodburn, but tonight he is in the city jail, having been arrested on a charge of getting the girl under hypnotic influence, and then marrying her. The bride says she has no recollection of the marriage or even what followed it, until to-day, and can hardly believe that she was married, but the proof is absolute. The groom was arrested on complaint of the girl's parents, and she joins in the petition for release from the man, who she claims is very objectionable to her, but when in his presence she makes no complaint. The bride was engaged to be married to another young man of this city, and claims to have had no thought of marrying any one else.

A MADDENED CROWD.

An Explosion Caused a Stampede of Christmas Shoppers at the Central Market in Cleveland.

Cleveland, Dec. 25.—Central Market was crowded with between two and three thousand Christmas shoppers at about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when an explosion occurred, which was immediately followed by cries of fire. The crowd became panic-stricken, and scores of women, many of them leading children, were knocked down and trampled by the frenzied people. A large number received cuts and bruises, but no one is reported seriously injured. The explosion occurred in the office of the Braudt Provision Company, and was caused by an oil tank connected with a heater. $500 was on a desk when the explosion came, and the money was blown in all directions. The fire was soon extinguished, and then the crowd began fighting for the coin and bills, which were scattered all over the market place. It was only after a hard fight by the police and fire departments that the maddened crowd was restored to order.

CHRISTMAS KILLINGS.

Three Homicides Marked the Day of Peace and Good Will in Savannah.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 25.—Three homicides are the result of Christmas in Savannah. One negro boy shot another through the heart this morning, killing him instantly. William Titcombe, a white man, was fatally stabbed in a quarrel early this morning and died in a few hours. Levi Rutledge, colored, was shot and killed by a policeman to-night.

SPRINGHILL MINES

Again Visited by Fire With Disastrous Results.

A GREAT CALAMITY TO THE TOWN

Miners and Their Families Thrown Out of Means of Living—Fire Started in the East Slope and Spread Rapidly—The West Slope is Also in Danger.

Halifax, Dec. 25.—A report was received here to-night that a serious fire is raging in the big Springhill coal mine in Cumberland County. The fire broke out during the day, and despite the efforts made to extinguish them the flames succeeded in getting beyond the control of those fighting to subdue them, until now, it is believed, the company will suffer a very heavy loss. The fire started in the east slope and spread so rapidly that it soon reached the adjoining slopes.

While the fire has not got a foothold in the west slope, it is raging so fiercely alongside of it that it is feared it will also suffer seriously from the conflagration. It is considered that it will be a hard fight to save it, but the miners are working desperately to keep the flames from spreading further.

The other slope, the north one, is not in imminent danger.

The fire originated in an 800-foot level and was caused by the pipeway carrying steam into the mines to operate the machinery becoming overheated. A large gang of men were at work at the time. At the first indication of danger they made a rush to escape and all reached the surface safely.

The flames spread quickly to the 1300-foot level, which it has now converted into a raging furnace. Flames are issuing from every opening to the slope. Two cupolas were burned down and a bank-head had to be torn away. Efforts were made to prevent air from entering the mine, every opening being closed, but so far this has been ineffectual in staying the work of the fire. The men were placing themselves in great danger while performing this work, and the peril finally became so great that they had to be called away.

It was feared an explosion would occur. So far, however, there has been none, but a most disastrous one may occur at any moment. It is stated that the east slope will be unworkable for some time, and may even have to be abandoned. At times flames shoot 100 feet into the air from the main opening to the mine.

The disaster will be a terrible one to Springhill, a town of 6000 people, supported wholly by the men working in the mines, which are owned by the Cumberland Coal and Railway Company. Manager Cowans is at present in Montreal. The total loss from the fire cannot be estimated at present, but it will reach a very high figure.

The Springhill mines have been the scene of several calamities, the most serious being that of February, 1891, when nearly 120 men and boys were killed by an explosion.

The escape of all the men working in the mine when the present fire broke out is remarkable. Had an explosion followed immediately the loss of life would have been great. Measures will be taken at once for the relief of the families whose bread-makers have been thrown out of work. Some hundreds may be deprived of employment for months.

BLEW OUT HIS BRAINS.

A Well-dressed Man Seated on the Steps of the Brooklyn City Hall Shot Himself Dead.

Brooklyn, Dec. 25.—A well-dressed man about 30 years old, while seated on the steps of the City Hall shortly after 10 o'clock, placed a revolver at his right temple and blew out his brains. In the pockets of the suicide were found $11 in bills, some small change, a certificate of four shares of $100 each in the General Investment Company of Buffalo, N.Y., dated March 3, 1895, issued to William Morrow, and several receipts from the company, showing payments on the same. There was also a card on which had been freshly written in pencil on one side, what appeared to be the firm name of Bradley & Porter, and on the other side "Good-bye; August will return again." There was also found a slip of paper, on which was written: "Mrs. Murray, No. 627 East 154th-street." The body was taken to a police station.

BEN JONES ARRESTED.

A Former Paying Teller of the National Bank of Illinois in the Tolls at Chicago on An Old Charge.

Chicago, Dec. 25.—Benj. B. Jones, expaying teller of the National Bank of Illinois, which failed Monday, was arrested last night on an old charge, and the police authorities believe that they can compel him to divulge alleged irregularities in connection with the bank officials. One year ago Jones and Joseph Wilson, the receiving teller of the bank, were accused of absconding with $18,000. Until lately Jones had not been heard of. Wilson, however, was arrested, but through influential friends, it is said, was not prosecuted on the charge. Meanwhile, it is alleged, Jones lived in Topeka, St. Paul and the Dakotas. A short while ago Jones came back to Chicago, and this is said to have been no secret from officials of the banks who charged him with the embezzlement. When seen in his cell to-night, Jones denied that he knew of any irregularities of the bank officials.

WHO KILLED ZANONE.?

He Was Called Out of a New York Saloon and Stabbed to Death

New York, Dec. 25.—Antonio Zanone, a barber, is dying at St. Vincent's Hospital with two stab wounds in his left breast and the police are looking for Luigi Catalone, who is accused of attacking him without provocation. Zanone was drinking at midnight Thursday with Julius Naelone, Salvator Galine and Simeon Calagoire, who live above the saloon at 237 Elizabeth-street. Someone knocked at the hall door and called him out. A moment later his friends heard him fall and found him lying in the hallway bleeding. An ambulance surgeon said that his wounds were mortal, and took him to St. Vincent's Hospital.

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THE LIBERAL AND THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY.

Under the heading "Time to Reorganise" the evening Star says:—"It used to be a comforting belief of the Conservative party that if the Liberals did by accident or luck attain to power at Ottawa, inability as practical politicians would prevent them holding office more than a couple of years. Even after the recent elections it the general Conservative opinion that the new government would not retain its power beyond the next campaign, while many were so sanguine as to declare that the Conservatives would be called upon to form an Administration before the life of the Parliament expired. That opinion is not now expressed. It is a delusion, and the party men and journals are not so confident as they were a few months ago. It is admitted that the Liberal party has been revolutionised; the Liberal leaders have become eminently practical in politics and are strengthening their grip on the treasury benches in the most up-to-date and skilful manner possible. Keen, clever politicians, level-headed men with ballast, are directing the job, and are making hay while the sun shines. In the meantime the Conservative party, having recovered from the knock out blow, and learned what struck it, is sitting supinely by. The attempt at reconstruction was botched by incompetent bosses, and apparently has been forgotten. A lethargy has fallen upon the party, and about the only signs of life have been the blunders of Mr. Foster. Good luck will scarcely help the Conservatives back to office, and if they expect to retrieve their political fortunes it is time something was done to put the party in fighting shape."

AID FOR THE ARMENIANS.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—A "Thank-offering" sent to the undersigned, to be forwarded without delay to help the Armenian sufferers, who have undergone persecution and suffering so protracted and so indescribably great, would be a most appropriate "Christmas" or "New Year's" gift from the students and scholars of the universities, colleges, high schools and public schools of Ontario, where, thank God, persecution to the death for religion is happily unknown. Will each institution and school endeavour to make as liberal a collection as possible for this purpose? It is much needed; and the giving of a little money for such an object would benefit those who give it, almost as much as those who will receive it. Yesterday I received the following information from the Duke of Westminster, London, England, which speaks for itself: "Four hundred thousand Armenian Christians destitute in Turkey. The Duke of Westminster has received trustworthy information that there are no less than 400,000 Armenian men, women in children in Asiatic Turkey who are in a most deplorable condition, and on the verge of starvation, besides the widows and orphans left unprovided for by the late massacres in Constantinople and in the Asiatic provinces. Many are wandering in the forests without food and almost naked. All funds received are sent to Her Majesty's Ambassador at Constantinople, who directs their distribution, aided by a local European committee. Twenty depots have been opened in Anatolia, and at least £100,000 is required to provide for these destitute people, who must perish unless aided by charity." I should be greatly pleased to see a good response to this appeal, and shall with the least possible delay forward all such "Christmas" or "New Year's" thank-offerings to the sufferers, through the Duke of Westminster, chairman of the Executive Committee in London.

Yours, etc.,
WALTER B. GIKIE,
52 Maitland Street,
Treasurer for Canada.

Toronto, December 7th, 1896.

THE HARVEY SCHOOL QUESTION.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR.—Allow me a brief space on the above question re "Lover of Fair Play." I do not purpose again appearing before your readers in this matter, as I do not think that "Fair Play" has given a negative reply to my most important allegations. I charged the trustees that for ulterior reasons they had broken faith with the people. I charged them also of dealing dishonourably with the retiring teacher. I alleged that this was done for private and monetary considerations. I claim now that "Fair Play" has not, in in his answer, touched these, therefore they are not contradicted. I also charged the secretary-treasurer of falsely reporting the Inspector's school report to the teacher, and as positive proof gave his subsequent correction. This charge "Fair Play" said he would not answer—(clever fellow.) He referred it to the school meeting and not to your readers, as in duty bound. I now charge the secretary-treasurer with advising the retiring teacher (I suppose he was pouring oil on the troubled waters, or perhaps it was a balm to his conscience) to apply for a school that was not in the market. It is needless to say that Miss Downs very strongly repudiated a course so dishonourable, and her reply was couched in indignant terms, so much so that partly regretting language so sanguine, she requested the secretary-treasurer to destroy the answer. I say so because the threshing out threatened by "Fair Play" is going to be on the lines of exposing this letter. "Fair Play" will not discuss the merits of the respective teachers. Surely not. How could he? Miss Strachan was never, so far as I know, in this district before coming to usurp this school. Her home is in Southampton. "Fair Play" is hardly fair in his contention that subscribers' to that petition only desire was to keep down taxes, but they contended that it was fair to give an increase of salary to a tried servant rather than an untried one, and a stranger; particularly so when it is known the trustees have at different times spoken highly of Miss Downs, and gave her a recommendation over their own signature.

Yours truly,
L. T. H.

GALWAY.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Snow fell to the depth of three inches on Sunday. This will make good sleighing for Christmas. Everybody will expect Santa Claus now.

Mr. Robt. Shaw, reeve of Harvey, and a Mr. Johnston, spent a day in Galway last week. Mr. Shaw, who is a candidate for the County council under the new system, was either looking after the requirements of the division which he intends to represent, or soliciting votes—we believe the latter to be the case. Mr. Shaw has been eight years in the County Council without a break. He was elected Warden in 1894, which position he filled very creditably, and if elected now will no doubt make a good representative.

Mr. John Cain, who had the sad misfortune to lose his beloved wife a short time ago, was again visited by the grim monster, who this time claimed a bright little girl about twelve years old. The community have deep sympathy with Mr. Cain.

Mr. Adam Craig's only child, a little boy about four years of age, was suddenly seized with croup, and expired after an illness of very short duration. His remains were taken to the Kinmount cemetery last Saturday.

ANOTHER BATTLE.

Spanish Reports Claim a Victory—Other Reports Say it Was a Massacre of Non-Combatants.

Havana, Dec. 25.—An official announcement was made to-day that the Spanish troops, under Col. Rabanal, have had an engagement with several rebel parties under Rojas. The scene of the fighting was near Cimarones. A rebel camp was captured and the insurgents were completely routed, with a loss of 36 killed. The Spanish loss was one killed and eight wounded. Advices from a more reliable source than the Government show that the so-called engagement was simply a massacre of unarmed non-combatants by the troops.

Burned to Death.

Louisville, Dec. 25.—At Farmers, Ky., last night, Rod. Padgett, a drunken prisoner, set fire to the city prison and was burned to death.

A CASE OF DIABETES.

No Help from Medical Men—Suffered for Many Years—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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is the friend in need. It will reduce the inflammation, so that the grip on the tissues of the blood-vessels is relaxed, and the uric acid is sent on its way out of the body.

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LATEST CABLE NEWS

Cecil Rhodes Delivers a Speech at Port Elizabeth

TOUCHING SOUTH AFRICAN TOPICS

The Ex-Premier of Cape Colony is on His Way to England to be Examined re the Jameson Raid—The United States Warned to Keep Out of Cuba.

Capetown, Dec. 25.—A reception was given yesterday at Port Elizabeth to Cecil Rhodes, formerly Prime Minister of Cape Colony, and manager of the British South Africa Company, who is en route to England to testify before the commission that will examine into the raid by Dr. Jameson into the Transvaal. Mr. Rhodes made a speech, certain parts of which have excited considerable comment here. He treated lengthily upon South African affairs, touching somewhat fully upon affairs in Rhodesia, whence he arrived a few days ago, after taking part in the suppression of the Matabele revolt and then said that he was going home to be examined regarding the Jameson expedition by his fellow-countrymen, whose unctuous rectitude he well knew. This sarcastic reference to the investigating commission is taken to indicate that Mr. Rhodes' testimony will be far more interesting than was anticipated.

In another speech at Port Elizabeth, Mr. Rhodes, who, it will be recalled, some years ago contributed $50,000 to the Irish cause, said that in the course of his negotiations with Charles Stewart Parnell, the latter promised to insert in the Home Rule bill a clause allowing representation of the colonies in the British Parliament.

UNCLE SAM WARNED.

Confidentially Told That European Powers Will Allow No Interference in Cuba.

London, Dec. 25.—The Times will tomorrow publish a despatch from Paris saying that the United States has been confidentially informed in most friendly terms that the European powers could not remain impassive in the event of the United States abandoning the attitude of President Cleveland and his Cabinet. Should the United States presume to exercise pressure on Spain by recognizing the Cuban insurgents, or encouraging them in their resistance, it has been informed that Europe generally might become uneasy at the idea of such an extension of international action by the United States, inasmuch as it might at a given moment threaten almost all the powers whose possessions are in proximity to the United States, and might tempt the spirit of enterprise and encroachment that is inspiring the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations.

"If," continues the writer, "I am correctly informed, the United States has been concurrently informed that Germany is already quite prepared to side with Spain in the event of the United States showing that she is disposed officially to side with the rebels. Moreover, academic conversations are proceeding in certain foreign offices anent the measures the powers should take to form a syndicate against the invasion of socialism which is now menacing all political organizations. It was during these pour parlers that the friendly warning to the United States originated, Senator Cameron's resolutions for the recognition of the Cubans being regarded in some quarters as revolutionary."

REFORMS FOR CUBA.

Premier Canovas Again States His Intention of Introducing Them.

Madrid, Dec. 25.—Senor Canovas del Castillo, the Prime Minister, has again affirmed, in the presence of his Cabinet, that he is determined to introduce reforms in Cuba, dating their application from the conclusion of the negotiations carried on with other powers, which are already tending in a direction favorable to Spain. It is understood that Senor Canovas referred to the attitude of France, Germany, Austria and Great Britain, the Governments of which countries, it is stated here, are of the opinion that the United States cannot overstep President Cleveland's message to Congress.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Count Schouvaloff Gets the Czar's Permission to Retire From Poland.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 25.—The Czar has granted the request of Gen. Count Von Schouvaloff, Governor-General of Russian Poland, that he be permitted to retire on account of ill-health. Prior to his appointment to the position he now holds Count Von Schouvaloff was Russian Ambassador to Germany, where he was very popular. Some time ago he was stricken with paralysis, complicated with other diseases, and several times it has been announced that his condition was critical.

Starvation in India.

Calcutta, Dec. 25.—Ex-Judge Goodridge has written a letter to The Englishman, a newspaper of this city, stating that every day thousands of persons are dying from starvation in the central provinces of India. He declares that the Government arrangements to cope with the situation are entirely inadequate and that the famine is now beyond control.

Armenians Dissatisfied Still.

London, Dec. 25.—The Constantinople correspondent of The Morning Post telegraphs that the Armenians are dissatisfied with the terms of the amnesty granted a few days ago by the Sultan, as it really does not improve the conditon of the Armenian prisoners in Constantinople and comparatively few will benefit from it in the provinces. Armenians who have been convicted of disorder will be confined in fortresses, while Mussulmans will be released.

MEEK SHOT M'LEOD.

A Christmas Eve Altercation at Grenfell, N.W.T., Which Landed One of the Altercators in Jail.

Winnipeg, Dec. 23. — (Special.) — Capt. Meek and James McLeod, both well-known residents of Grenfell, N.W.T., had an altercation last night and Meek shot McLeod in the breast. McLeod's wound is not serious. Meek is in jail.

Gov. Patterson has gone to spend the holidays at his old home, Windsor, Ont.

The first train over the new Dauphin Railroad will be run to-morrow.

Greer Was a Hero

Paducah, Ky., Dec. 25.—Allen Greer, aged 35; Mrs. Bud Owens, aged 30, and her daughter Mary, aged 12, were drowned in Clark River. They attempted to cross the river in a skiff, which overturned. Greer made an heroic attempt to save the women, but lost his life in the effort.

Singers, public speakers, actors, auctioneers, teachers, preachers, and all who are liable to over-tax and irritate the vocal organs, find, in Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, a safe, certain, and speedy relief. A timely dose of this preparation has prevented many a throat trouble.

Miller's Compound Iron Pills cure constipation. 50 doses 25 cents. Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Sick headache and Constipation are promptly cured by Burdock Pills. Easy to take, sure in effect.

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Many Women Suffer from Them Because of Kidney Trouble.

Hundreds Have Been Cured.

By Dodd's Kidney Pills which Restored the Kidneys to Perfect Health, Whereupon the Aching Symptoms Vanished—Pertinent Cases in Point.

Pity the woman with a weak back! You know her. She feels too ill to do a day's work comfortably, yet not ill enough to hire a doctor. It's her kidneys that are ailing.

Backaches are not confined to working women. My lady of fashion suffers quite as much and often. Young girls often are troubled with weakness of the back and loins.

The way to strengthen the back is to restore the kidneys to health. The medicine that will cure the Kidneys is DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have a marvellous record. Hundreds of women bless them. Read these:

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 4th.—From the little village of Carleton Place comes news of a most startling recovery of strength in a growing girl. Her father makes the following signed statement: "My daughter had been troubled since six years of age with weakness of back and could not get any relief. I procured a half-dozen boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and she has used three boxes since, and is completely cured. I believe if she had not taken Dodd's Kidney Pills she would soon be in her bed. She is now sixteen years old and healthy. You may publish this as you see fit so as to help other sufferers.

JOHN GEORGE MUNRO."

MADOC, Ont., Dec. 4.—A woman and and her daughter both have been cured of Kidney disease here by Dodd's Kidney Pills. The mother attests: "I have been troubled with Backache and I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills curing all backache. I bought half a dozen boxes, and can highly recommend them to all suffering with Kidney Disease. My Daughter Annie was run down, and she has taken them and is now free of all pain. We have no objection to allowing this to be published.

MRS. S. BARNUM;
ANNIE BARNUM."

COLBORNE, Ont., Dec. 4.—No higher testimonial can be paid to any remedy than the voluntary statement of Miss Coburn, which is as follows: "I had been for six months troubled with a severe backache and kidney trouble. I was advised to take Dodd's Kidney Pills. I had before tried other medicines. I have taken your pills and find a great relief. I can safely say they are just the pills for young and elderly women.

MISS ABBIE COBURN."

A Christmas Carol.

The frost gleams white on the house tops high,
And the clouds, they look like snow,
And the plumber man goes briskly by—
Blow, little tin horns, blow!

And I view my cash with a secret sigh,
And I say to my soul, "Go slow!"
But the children come, and I can't look glum—
Blow, little tin horns, blow!

So I'm quite resigned to the rocket's noise
And the roman candle show;
It's hands all around with the girls and boys—
Blow, little tin horns, blow!
—Atlanta Constitution.

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in a surprisingly short time. It's a scientific certainty, tried and true, soothing and healing in its effects.

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Each Contractor will prepare his own Specification, and forward the same in detail with tender. Any further information required may be obtained from Lt.-Col. Bell, Peterborough.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

A. BENOIT, Captain,
Secretary.

The Department of Militia and Defence.
Ottawa, 21st December, 1896. 6d147

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Call on us for anything you want in Real Estate in town or country.

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Keep in mind the Removal Sale now going on at C. G. GEMMELL'S Corset and Furnishing Store. You can secure many excellent bargains in Sensible Christmas Gifts such as these:—

Ladies' $1.00 Corsets ..... Reduced to 75c
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Finest and Cheapest Vests in Town. Cheaper grades similarly reduced in price.

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Men's 75c Shirts and Drawers ..... reduced to 55c
Handkerchiefs—2 for 5c and up to 25c each.

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Wool Tam O'Shanters, in various colours, only 23c.

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—Silk Umbrellas, Silver Mantled tight rolling, with silk or leather covers.
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Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.00, now $ 75
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Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.75, now 1 25
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.00, now 1 40
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Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 60
Lacing Gloves..... were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour d..... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1.25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves..... were $1.25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
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Black Cashmere Hose..... were 30c, now 20c
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Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1896.

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T. Fitzgerald's Wood and Coal Yard.

All customers kindly leave orders at once and avoid the rush Thursday, as I cannot deliver Christmas Day.

Indecent Assault.

—Michael Costello, of Indiannapolis, was sentenced to six months in the Central Prison this morning for committing an assault on a little 9 year old girl at Bridgenorth on Tuesday.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Open Rink.

The Riverside Park is being flooded for skating and curling. Season tickets will be issued for adults and children. Adults, $2.00, and children $1.00.—Riverside Park Co., Box 55.) 12d139

Municipal Nominations.

The nominations for the Mayoralty begin at ten o'clock Monday in the Council Chamber. They close at eleven when the addresses will be delivered by the candidates. Nominations of Councillors will be made between twelve and one o'clock in the different wards.

Fire in Smith.

On Christmas morning Mr. Francis Armstrong, who is living on Mrs. J. W. Moore's farm, on the 12th concession line of Smith, was burnt out. The fire, he thinks, was the work of incendaries and occurred at about three o'clock in the morning. The house and contents were entirely consumed.

The Ellsworth Property.

Putting the Ellsworth property in the market (lot 15, corner of Elizabeth street and Lake street, (Ashburnham) will no doubt make a complete change in business aspects in Ashburnham. The sale is to be on the 28th, at 2 p.m., at the Morgan House. 3d148.

Oddfellows' Entertainment.

Ramsay & Rich have come and gone, and Peterborough was delighted with the two versatile artists. Otonabee Lodge, I.O.O.F. is certainly deserving of the greatest credit for having brought the pair to town, and those who heard them yesterday afternoon and evening unite in saying that no better entertainment of the kind has ever been witnessed in the opera house.

Sizing up the Situation.

For the few remaining days of the year there will be bargains at Routley's fancy goods store, enough to loosen the purse-strings of a skinflint. Stock-taking will be going on while a continued slaughter of the goods is in progress. The less stock we have to take the better, and almost any offer will influence sales. Mr. Routley is is open to receive offers for his valuable houses and other town properties, particulars of which will be cheerfully given to all enquirers. C. B. ROUTLEY.

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Just opened out at the Peterborough Hardware Company, a very fine display of the most elegant designs in Silverware. Many of the patterns are entirely new, and have never been shown here before. The stock embraces tea sets, coffee sets, fruit dishes, nut bowls, fern dishes, waiters, carving sets, knives, forks, spoons, etc. Every piece is absolutely guaranteed. These elegant and strictly high-class goods should enlist the attention of heads of households and all lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome as well as serviceable and permanent presents. Special prices quoted during the holiday season.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Peterborough Central Poultry and Pet Stock Association.

A meeting of the members of the above association, which was formally organized last week by Mr. Thos. A. Daff, one of the delegates attending the Farmers' Institute meetings, was held Wednesday evening to elect officers for 1897, when it was decided to adopt the above name for the Association. The following officers were elected:

Hon. President—J. R. Stratton, M.P.P.
President—J. Fred Davidson.
Vice-President—Geo. Pratley.
Secretary-Treasurer—Wm. Collins.
Directors—R. Cockburn, Lakefield; Jas. Baptie, Springville; Harry Lush, W. C. Rightmyer, Smith Milburn, Peterborough; John H. Garbutt, Smith.
Auditors—Geo. E. Elliott and S. D. Rightmyer.

The membership fee was fixed at $1 per year. A cordial invitation is extended to all to join the association and help along this important, profitable and interesting line of stock raising. The secretary will be glad to receive the names and subscriptions of any wishing to become members. An offer was made by Mr. Duff to give a setting of eggs from any of his prize varieties for the member procuring the names of the most members up to date of this meeting. It was won by Mr. Wm. Collins with a list of 17.

Mr. Duff has also offered to deliver an address on poultry interests. It will likely be deferred for a time, as there will be a poultry man, Mr. J. E. Myer, of Kossuth, on the deputation for Farmers' Institute supplementary meetings in a few weeks.

The Board will meet in the Morgan House parlours on Jan. 15th at 7.30 p.m., for the purpose of drafting bylaws and constitution, and arrange for a public meeting to be held early in February, at which papers will be read by some of the members and others.

A PRESENTATION.

Mr. John Roseel Remembered by His Pupils.

At the close of the Sunday school entertainment at Burnt River on Thursday evening several of the scholars of the day school stepped forward and presented Mr. John Roseel, their teacher, with a handsome gentleman's companion, and the following address was read:

To our respected teacher, Mr. John Roseel:

It is with deep feelings of regret that the happy and joyous times we have enjoyed under your guidance and oversight during the past school year is about to be severed.

We, your pupils, most deeply feel that your efforts to enstil knowledge and propriety into our expanding minds have, we hope, not been in vain.

Your earnest, kindly and pleasant method of imparting instruction has been highly appreciated by us, and the impressions thus made on our minds will greatly influence our actions and conduct in the future years of our lives.

In token of our esteem and good will we unitedly ask your acceptance of this gentleman's companion as a memorial of the kindly feelings that during the past school year existed between yourself as teacher and us as your youthful pupils.

We unitedly and sincerely desire to express our confident hope that your future career in life will be successful and prosperous, and that, should we ever meet again it will be with as much generous and kind feelings as exist at our parting.

Signed on behalf of the school,
ADA ADKINS,
ADA WINDRIM,
WINNIE ROBBER.

Burnt River, Dec. 24th, 1896.

Mr. Roseel is a son of Chief Roseel, of town, and is spending his holidays in Peterborough.

PERSONAL

Mr. Jimmy McCabe was up from Perth for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lewis spent Christmas in Stouffville.

Miss Clothilde Mann spent Christmas in Lakefield with friends.

Mr. F. D. Kerr, B.A., spent the day with his parents in Cobourg.

Miss Rackham has returned to town after a pleasant visit in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Knapman are spending a few days in Uxbridge.

Mr. Percy Roper is home from Toronto School of Science on his holidays.

Mr. F. D McKay spent his Christmas under the parental roof in Belleville.

Mr. Chas. Brodigan came up from Port Hope to spend Christmas with his mother.

Miss Lilly Fitzgerald, of Ashburnham, is spending the Christmas holidays in Toronto.

Mr. W. H. Crosby, of Berlin, is down spending a few of the holidays under the parental roof.

Miss Vair will sing Adam's "Star of Bethlehem" to-morrow evening in St. Paul's church.

Messrs. Montgomery and Hollingshead, of the Ontario Bank, spent Christmas day in Newmarket.

Mr. Arthur Smith is up from Roseneath spending the holidays at the old homestead in Ashburnham.

Mr. Boswell who is attending the School of Science, Toronto, is home spending the holidays with his parents.

Miss Silvia Morgan, of Ashburnham, is spending the Christmas holidays in Toronto with her sister, Mrs. R. F. Harr.

Mr. John Roseel, who has been teaching at Burnt River, is spending the holidays in town with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. I Roseel,

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hamilton are down for a few days from Toronto visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gobell, of the Grand Central.

Rev. J. C. Davidson will deliver the sermon in the Mission to-morrow morning, and in St. John's in the evening. He leaves for Montreal on Monday morning at 11.25 o'clock.

Mr. S. Dickson Hall, of Messrs. Hall, Gilchrist & Co., leaves this afternoon for New York. After spending two days there in purchasing American novelties he will sail per steamer Teutonic, White Star Line, on Wednesday next week. He will visit England, Scotland and Germany.

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THE SICK AND THE POOR REMEMBERED BY FRIENDS.

Observances of the day in St. Joseph's Hospital, the House of Providence, the Nicholls Hospital, Peterborough Protestant Home and Barnardo Home.

It was ideal weather for Christmas—clear and bracing, though of course a little snow would have been greatly appreciated.

In the morning the various services held in the different churches were all well attended. In the afternoon the Oddfellows entertainment and the skating rink were the two principal attractions. All day long the curlers kept things busy in the rinks.

The inmates in the various institutions were all made to feel that Christmas had arrived.

IN ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL

and the House of Providence there are now sixty three inmates. Ten of these are in the hospital wards. To all of these Father Christmas paid a visit yesterday and no one was forgotten when the gifts were distributed. Several of the patients who were convalescing were permitted to go home for the day and to the others was permitted all the liberties pertaining to Christmas time, as much as possible being done to make them forget they were not in their own homes.

The halls were all prettily decorated with evergreens, and presents were distributed from a large tree loaded with gifts, in the morning. The chapel was beautifully arranged for the occasion. Transparencies were placed in the windows, and from the altar hung the costly gold lace brought as a gift from Rome by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor. The scarlet altar cloth was a beautiful piece of work executed by the sisters.

There were three masses during the day, beginning at six o'clock, the benediction and sermon being given by the Bishop in the evening.

The benefactors, as usual, remembered the Sisters, and large numbers of gifts were received for the Christmas dinner.

A visitor to the hospital should not leave the premises until the operating room has been viewed. With its new fixtures and modern appliances it has been placed on a level with the largest institutions of the kind in Canada, and the operating table has been pronounced to even excel that in the Toronto General Hospital.

THE NICHOLLS HOSPITAL

was magnificently decorated for the festival season, the arrangements being far more elaborate than any since the erection of the building. The stair cases are draped in red, white and blue bunting, and through the indefatigable energy of Mr. Jas. Head, the corridors and wards have been transferred into bowers of beauty, the walls being almost hidden from sight with evergreens, holly and potted plants. In the lower halls the M. Gill University colours predominate in honour of the visit of the students to town next week, when it is expected they will go through the wards.

The patients were awakened at half past six o'clock yesterday morning by the nurses, who went went from ward to ward singing Christmas carols. During the day Rev. W. L. Armitage, of St. John's church, accompanied by the choir boys, held a service in the reception room, which was attended by all the patients who were sufficiently convalescent. Afterwards the choir visited the different wards, and for the benefit of the bed-ridden patients sang Christmas carols in each. In the afternoon the flower committee of the George street Methodist church Epworth League, visited the hospital and distributed a number of bouquets amongst the patients.

At present there are twenty patients in the hospital—five women and fifteen men.

THE PROTESTANT HOME

as usual was elaborately decorated for Christmas, and every effort was made to lead the old people to forget that there had mayhap been other and brighter Christmases in their past.

The halls were all prettily draped with flags, and wreathings of evergreens adorned the doorways and windows. The interior therefore of the home looked most bright and cheerful. The lady managers saw that all of the inmates were remembered with a gift of a nature which would be most appreciated by each individual. Then quite a number had outside friends who sent in little remembrances. There are two of the Children's Aid Society's wards in the building, and these little ones were remembered on Christmas morning by the society.

The management is to be congratulated on having a Lady Superintendent who, like Miss Launderville, spares no pains in making the path of these old people as smooth as possible in the declining years of their lives. Yesterday they all looked bright and sat chatting happily around the big stoves all afternoon, while they talked over the excellent dinner that had been provided for them, and ate nuts, candies and oranges which were given by the Visiting Committee of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the George street Methodist church. During the day a service was held by Rev. W. L. Armitage, which was greatly appreciated.

THE BARNARDO HOME

children had a merry day of it indeed. On their return from attending service in the George street church in the morning, the entire staff dined with them in the large dining hall, where huge portions of turkey and English plum pudding served to make the little ones think they were back in Old England again or rather made them glad they were not, as what the majority of them knew of such good things in the mother country was gathered by the tales told by more fortunate children who, at least, had a home to boast of. However under the guarding wings of the good angel who guided these little waifs into Dr. Barnardo's care, it is hoped that for them all will be plain sailing hereafter and the day for them is past when a Christmas dinner is only a myth and not such a substantial reality as it was yesterday at the Home.

At the conclusion of their hearty meal the children were taken to the schoolroom which was elaborately decorated with evergreens, and in the corner of which stood a gigantic Christmas tree. Mr. Metcalfe, in fur coat and great hoary white whiskers, enacted the part of old Father Christmas, and distributed the gifts to the thoroughly delighted little ones. At the conclusion of this part of the programme the room was cleared of furniture and the children were allowed to indulge in those round games which are so dear to the heart of every child. In the evening bonbons and sweets were distributed and the games were continued until bedtime, closing a day which was probably fraught with more pleasure for the children than any of them had ever experienced in the past, Mr. and Mrs. Metcalfe and the staff uniting their efforts to make the day one of entire pleasure to their fifty charges.

ST. JOHN'S.

The Christmas services at St. John's yesterday were very largely attended, and were in every way worthy of the glorious festival they commemorated. The material settings, so to speak, of the service, and the magnificent platform decorations were in tune with the joyous key note, Christmas rejoicing. The services were spontaneous, bright and jubilant, and the musical portion full of exultant fervour. The singing throughout was really excellent in every way and reflected great credit on the choir and organist. The special offertory was liberal and very liberally disposed of. The decorations will remain over Sunday and the festival music will be repeated.

AT ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.

The nativity of our Lord was fittingly celebrated in St. Peter's Cathedral yesterday, and large congregations attended the different services of the day. The first mass at 5 30 was celebrated by Ven. Archdeacon Casey and low masses were held until 10 30, when Pontifical high mass was celebrated by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, assisted by Rev. Fathers Canlan and Scanlan. Ven. Archdeacon Casey delivered a short but practical sermon on the gospel of the day, in the course of which he tendered the congregation the Christmas salutations. During the mass His Lordship Bishop O'Connor conferred the Papal benediction and expressed the hope that the festival would be to them a happy and blessed occasion. The choir, which has been rehearsing under the direction of Mr. G. W. Mulligan, rendered the musical portion of the services of the day in an excellent manner.

Grand musical vespers were sung by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor at 7 p. m., and an eloquent sermon was preached by Rev. Father Fitzpatrick on the festival of the day. The sanctary decorations were exquisite, the adornments displaying the greatest taste and beauty, the altar at the vesper service being one grand blaze of light. The offertory during the day was a liberal one. The following was the musical service rendered:

10.30 MASS.

Adeste Fidelis.....*Woerth*
Kyrie, Gloria and Credo.....*Lambillotte*
Cantique de Noel.....*Dressler*
Sanctus, Benedictus and Agnus Dei.*Lambillotte*

VESPER SERVICE.

Magnificat.....*Schubert*
O Salutaris.....*Faure*
Tantum Ergo.....*Rossi*

Miss K Hurley, organist.

The soloists of the day were Mrs. Geo. Ball, Misses L. Hurley, L. Mahoney, M. E. Mahoney, M. Dunn, and K. Dunn, and Messrs. Geo. Ball, T. Mahoney and T. Begley. At 10 30 mass Mr. G. W. Mulligan rendered the beautiful solo, "Noel," in excellent voice.

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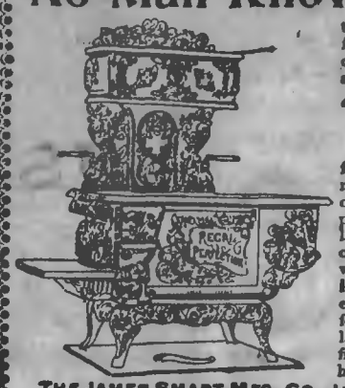

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Macbeth.

[The columns on Macbeth, of which this is the second part, forms part of a paper read by Sheriff Hall before the National Home Reading Union.]

Macbeth has always been considered one of the best of Shakspere's plays. Hallam calls it:—"The greatest effort of the author's genius, the most sublime and impressive drama which the world has ever seen."

In this play Shakspere shows us that looking, longing irresolute moods of mind, are the devil's special delight, because, with such, he is quite sure of a nibble for his bait. Here we have the perfect type of the wavering, undecided soul, that will peer very cautiously, of course, over the precipice in such a way that the weird sisters are evoked from the shadowy gulf below, and in such a tempting, balancing attitude that it is quite easy for the devil to steal behind and topple the peering spirit over.

The keynote is struck with the appearance of the witches, who represent the spirit of evil working for the destruction of the human souls, but as the German critic Hegel says, "It is not the witches who lead Macbeth on to his crimes, it is his sinful desires to which the witches only give an utterance, that at first dismays him, as when they salute him, "All hail Macbeth who shalt be king hereafter," he "starts and seems to fear." The salutation of the weird sisters awakens ambition, that had no doubt been latent in Macbeth's breast, and this was not, apparently, the first time that visions of future kingship had been entertained by him. Compare the different effect of the salutation upon Macbeth, and the honest, open-hearted Banquo. The latter says: "The earth hath bubbles as the water has, and these are of them."

Macbeth, on the other hand, soliloquizes: "Two truth's are told, as happy prologues to the swelling act." At first Macbeth appears to have allowed his better genius to have control, and he says:

"If chance will have me king,
Why chance may crown me."

The announcement of Duncan, however, that he had nominated Malcolm as his successor, and so placed an impediment on the way of his advancement, makes him give place again to his evil genius.

We are now introduced to Lady Macbeth, by means of the letter, only part of which evidently is being read; the unread part conveying, perhaps indirectly, the evil suggestions which had already been formed in her husband's mind.

She is of a very different character from Macbeth. Evidently a genuine woman, with all a woman's passions and emotions, and weaknesses, loving her husband and proud of his success, yet possessed by an ambition, which makes little of seeming difficulties and of an indomitable will. In Macbeth there is, at first an attempt, feeble, perhaps, to resist temptation, but with Lady Macbeth there is no such attempt. Her prayer rather is for power to carry out the deed. She knows her husband's character thoroughly; knows he is ambitious, but fears his lack of force of will:

Yet do I fear thy nature:
It is too full of the milk of human kindness
To catch the nearest way.

The difference between the two characters, and the supremacy which the strong will exercises over the weaker, are clearly brought out in the dialogue which follows the return of Macbeth.

That it is not from any qualms of conscience, any feeling of heinousness of the intended crime, that there is hesitation on Macbeth's part, is evident from his soliloquy in Scene 7, but rather that his clearer intellect and his larger experience see the risk to be run—the danger that this vaulting ambition may overleap itself, and were it not for the persistent, all-compelling will of his wife, he would now have abandoned the attempt.

After the murder, Lady Macbeth restrains her own feelings that she may support her husband's feebler will. Her words show, however, that her outward calmness is not due to insensibility; in fact her bearing and words all through show her to be a woman of extremely sensitive nature.

But having resolved on the murder her terrible power of will carries her through, and when Macbeth refuses to return to the room of the murdered king saying—

"I'll go no more,
I am afraid to think out what I have done—
Look on it again I dare not."

With what intense scorn she answers—

"Infirm of purpose;
Give me the daggers"

On the morrow we see her woman's nature re-assert itself, when at the recital by Macbeth,

"Here lay Duncan,
His silver skin laced with his golden blood."

she falls fainting to the floor.

After this we see her but seldom. In the third act we hear her sad soliloquy

"Naught's had, all's spent."

Time will not permit me to deal with the banquet scenes, where Macbeth's superstitious fears overcome him and he sees the ghost of the murdered Banquo, and is quite unmanned, and where the extraordinary self control of Lady Macbeth is again brought out. Nor can we speak of the interview of Macbeth with the wierd sisters, the flight of Macduff and the murder of his wife and babes.

In the last act we see the retribution which falls upon the guilty pair. In the case of the high strung sensitive woman, the punishment is terrible. We see the thick coming fancies that keep her from her rest," the "mind diseased," the "rooted sorrow," the "troubles of the brain." We hear her in her agony of mind:

"Out, dammed spot! out, I say! who would have thought the old man to have had so much blood in him?"

The fate of Macbeth is less awful. When he realises that all is lost, and that the web of fate is at last enclosing him, his natural courage returns and he dies a soldier's death.

I think Shakspere intended to represent Macbeth as a man capable, if left to himself, of higher and better things. Naturally brave, of high intellectual power, but like most Highlanders, superstitious and wanting in that moral force of character, which would enable him to assist and overcome temptation, even when presented by a loved and strong willed woman.

There may be a question whether the character of Lady Macbeth is true to the facts of Scottish history, but there can be no doubt it is true to nature. History is full of similar instances. There is the parallel case of the feeble-minded Ahab and the strong willed, ambitious Jesebel. The Herod who would fain have saved John the Baptist, was afraid of his strong-minded, cruel-hearted wife. Messalina and Agrippina, in whose hands emperors and nobles were as puppets. Lucretia Borgia, the fair, fascinating, charming woman, the type of all that is vile and wicked.

Lady Macbeth is a true woman. It is surely a master artist who makes her visit the room where the murdered king lay. It was not the murder alone which so offended her on the morrow after the deed. She had steeled herself against that, but it was the awful sight, which the words of Macbeth recalled, of the "silver skin, laced with the golden blood" of the man who so resembled her father, that overcame her. And, in the sleep walking, it is the same physical sight brought back to her after so many years which holds possession of her mind and makes her cry out in agony: "Out damned spot! Who would have thought the old man had so much blood in him?"

Of the other persons represented in the play, there is not much to be said. More than in almost any of Shakspere's plays, the interest of the drama centres on the two principal characters, Banquo, Malcolm Macduff and others being accessories only. Some of the scenes in which they appear are remarkably fine—that in the fourth act, in which Ross conveys to Macduff the tidings of the murder of his wife and babes being full of pathos.

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Mercer's

VILLIERS.

A Delightful Sunday School Incident.

The Y.P.S.C.E. of Villiers held a most successful social on the evening of Monday, Dec. 21st. For about two hours the two rooms of the school house seemed scarcely sufficient for the crowd of young and older people who, in a pleasant and orderly manner, were entertaining themselves with games and social intercourse. One very interesting incident at this part of the evening took place in one corner of the school room. Here the Sunday school class which has been in the charge of Miss Williams for the past two years, gathered themselves into a group, invited their teacher to join them, and then Miss Jennie Gillespie read the following address:—

DEAR TEACHER,—We the members of your Sabbath school class desire to express our regret at your severance from us as our teacher. We also wish to present to you our best wishes for a happy Christmas and New Year, and would ask you to accept this jewel case as a small token of our esteem and appreciation of your efforts for our esteem and appreciation of your efforts for our spiritual welfare. Hoping you may be long spared to continue the good work.

Signed on behalf of the class,
ANNIE WEIR,
MARY NELSON.

The presentation was made by Miss Isabella Robertson. Miss Williams expressed her heartfelt thanks to the class, saying that such a beautiful present should have had a prominent place on the programme, and yet thanking her girls for the partial informality which gave her better opportunity to express a more personal thanks to each member, who would in future years always be remembered by her as dear friends as well as individuals of a class in which she had taken great interest.

At eight o'clock commenced a programme, opening with a chorus and a prayer offered by Mr. Lancaster. Then Miss Nelson and Miss Harris favoured the audience with a duet, which received a hearty applause. A recitation was well rendered by Miss Jennie Gillespie, after which Mr. and Miss Lancaster gave a duet which was much appreciated. This part of the programme then closed with a recitation by Miss Mary Brough, given in a very pleasant manner, and a beautiful solo by Miss Bathgate, which was heartily received. And now for about an hour the assembly were busily engaged in discussing those essential good things from numerous ovens, and yet not so busy but that smiles and more social intercourse, which is also essential to humanity, were indulged in with much evident appreciation. During this time the audience were favoured with some excellently rendered, though impromptu instrumental music, which was much enjoyed.

After the tea Mrs. C. H. Edwards and Mr. Morley Nelson were called on for a duet, and so acceptably was it executed that an encore was called for. Then Miss Williams gave a reading in her usual manner and before she could step from the platform another surprise awaited her. Miss Weir, in the name of the Y.P.S.C.E., read the following address:

Dear Miss Williams:

As you are about to leave us, we, the members of Villiers Y.P.S.C.E. wish you to accept this token of our appreciation of the praiseworthy manner in which you have aided the efforts of the society. It is with feelings of regret that we lose so active and faithful a member, but perhaps to your new field of labour there are those that need your assistance as much as we. You have been a leading spirit in the society ever since its organization, and we hope you will reap the reward in the time to come.

With this souvenir let us on the part of those whom we represent, wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Signed on behalf of the society.
MORLEY NELSON,
Vice-Pres.

Miss Nelson at the appropriate moment, presented an exquisite hand-painted celluloid glove case. Miss Williams expressed her sincere thanks, saying that the deep interest she had taken in the society from the time of its organization would still be retained through her future life, and the delicate remembrance would be valued by her, not only for its intrinsic worth but for the assurance it gave her that she had the sympathy of the members in her efforts to advance the interests of the society, for though her work had fallen far short of her own ideal, she had given her most sincere and best endeavour towards its progress.

After a hymn, in which all joined, Mr. Lancaster was called to the chair, and as he was wondering what was expected of him, Miss Bathgate read the following address:

DEAR SUPERINTENDENT—Your fellow-workers and scholars of Villiers Sunday School take this opportunity of expressing their high sense of your zealous work in the school. You have taken that interest in its progress that ensures successful results, and by your application and example you have shown us all how we may labour for the Master's cause. By your patient love and devotion to the truth, you have encouraged others to go on and assist in the work—a work that we know must bring its reward. The teachers, officers and scholars ask your acceptance of this chair, and trust as you have it in your keeping, it will serve to remind you of the hours you have spent with us in Villiers Sunday school. It is true that your work and our work are one that if cheerfully given, will bring its reward. In your case we are sure you have faithfully done your part and on the records of the school will be found, for the information of those who look back, no name around which gathers more memories of love and devotion, or one more esteemed, than yours.

Signed on behalf of the School.
MRS. BROUGH.
MISS M. M. NELSON.

Mr. Lancaster, in well chosen words, thanked those who had so kindly remembered him and said that though he had tried to fill his position as superintendent faithfully, he felt that the teachers in the Sunday school had been equally as worthy of recognition.

Another hymn was sung and then Mr. Blegard, M. P. P., rose to move a vote of thanks to the Y. P. S. C. E. for the enjoyable entertainment they had furnished and another vote of thanks to the chairman Mr. M. Nelson, who had so efficiently conducted the meeting and who, he thought, deserved high commendation. The motion was seconded by Mr. Lancaster and carried by a hearty hand-clapping. An invitation was extended to all present to attend the regular meetings of the society held on Tuesday evening of each week. The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction.

A genuine ghost-story has yet to be attested; but not a genuine blood-purifier. Over and over again it has been proved that Ayer's Sarsaparilla stands alone among medicines as the most reliable tonic-alterative in pharmacy. It stood alone at the World's Fair.

Buy your Holiday Presents at Grafton's.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Dec. 26,—8.30 a. m.....28° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	29°	0°

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Is contained in a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other similar preparation. It costs the proprietor and manufacturer more. It costs the jobber more and is worth more to the consumer. It has a record of cures unknown to any other preparation. It is the best to buy because it is the One True Blood Purifier.

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See the big display of Ties at Grafton & Co's, worth 25c and 35c now 10c.

Holiday Photographs.

G. E. Whiten, the new photographer of Peterborough, is doing a grand trade since coming here. He is kept very busy. He finishes most of his work on the new Platino finish. There is no better work made in Ontario to-day than is made at Whiten's New Art Studio, on Hunter street west, opposite Oak Hall. His prices are very reasonable. Go and see the quality of his work and be convinced there is none better, and few to equal his work. Give him a trial. dtf

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Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $8.00—This is a snap.

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Native Port	40c
St. Augustine	50c
Dry Catawba	50c
Sweet Catawba	50c
Black Cherry	50c
Blackberry	50c
Orange Wine	50c
Grape Wine	50c
Peach Wine	50c
Old Port Wine	75c
Very Old Port	$1.00
Old Sherry Wine	75c
Very Old Sherry	1.00

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	PER GAL.
Wines, Ports & Sherries	$2.00 to $6.00
Gins	2.00 to 5.00
Rums	3.00 to 6.00
Brandies	3.00 to 6.00
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Ales, Porters and Stout, pints and quarts, by the dozen or keg.

Fancy Table Raisins, English Walnuts, Florida Oranges, Table Figs, Dates, Prunes, Biscuit, Cheese, and a superior line of Fresh Staple Groceries, specially selected for Holiday trade.

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SEASON 1896-7.

The rink is now open for skating forenoons, afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies	$3 00
For Gentlemen	3 00
For Girls	1 50
For Youths	2 00
For Boys	1 50

FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each additional member half rates.
Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

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CHOICE PORK SAUSAGES, 8 lb. for 25c,

Made from selected young Pork, nicely seasoned and very palatable.

Fresh Ribs, Fresh Hocks and Tenderloins, Fresh Oysters, Selects and Standards,

Always on hand. We invite you.

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W. W. JOHNSTON

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Commencing Thursday, Dec. 24th, 1896.

The Stock is new and as it must be sold within a limited time Big Bargains will be given.

Goods the people want. Prices the people like. This is the whole story. The sale of this Stock will be short and profitable to buyers.

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MINCE MEAT	BEEF	CANNED MEATS	CHICKENS
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NOW FOR NEW YEARS!

OUR TOY CARNIVAL

Will be continued right through until after New Years. No postponement—no diminution of attractions for Holiday buyers—no disappointments. We have been anticipating your desires for New Years as well as for Christmas. Our store is replete with thousands of new Mechanical Toys, Sleighs, Fancy Goods, &c., not one month out of their brand new cases, and not to be obtained elsewhere. You can buy here for any age of child as well as for the whole family, without the perplexing loss of time that you would have in hunting through old second-hand stocks.

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Favourite styles—popular prices—including a lot of Spring Skates at less money. See our Hockey Skate with Improved Reinforced Front and Heel, guaranteed against breakage.

HOCKEY CLUB STICKS.

We are right in line with the newest puck-blocking and goal capturing Hockey Sticks of the season. Come and see them, boys.

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The Leading Tobacconis of Peterborough.

We are offering the following Special Bargains this week:—

4 FOUR GENUINE 10c CIGARS - - for 25c

In the Following Popular Brands:
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Other popular Cigars reduced in same proportion.

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All 50c Pipes Reduced to 25c
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Cigar Cases, Pouches and other Smokers Sundries similaly reduced. Now's the time to treat your fellah's.

"ON A STRING."—Violin Strings and Strings for all stringed instruments, kept on hand. Also Mouth Organs at prices to blow yourself on. Swagger Sticks and Walking Canes, Silver and Gold Mounted, to suit all tastes.

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IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE EXAMINER

The First of these Monthly Competitions will commence January 1st, 1897, and will be continued each month during 1897.

$1,625 IN BICYCLES AND WATCHES GIVEN FREE EACH MONTH FOR Sunlight SOAP WRAPPERS

As Follows:

10 First Prize, $100 Stearns' Bicycle, . .	$ 1,000
25 Second " $25 Gold Watch	625
Bicycles and Watches given each month . .	1,625
	12
Total given during year 1897,	$19,500

HOW TO OBTAIN THEM.

Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper, containing the words "SUNLIGHT SOAP," these called "coupons," and to each coupon enclosed with a sheet of paper on which the competitor has written his or her full name and address, and the number of Coupons sent in, postage paid, to Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto, marked on the Parcel Wrapper (top left-hand corner), with the NUMBER of the DISTRICT competitor lives in.

NO. OF DISTRICT	NAME OF DISTRICT
1	Western Ontario, consisting of Counties York, Simcoe & all Counties W. and S. of these
2	Kast's Ontario, consisting of Counties Ontario, Victoria & all Counties E & N. of these
3	Province of Quebec
4	Province of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the 5 districts, prizes will be awarded as follows:

The 5 competitors who send in the largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Stearns' Bicycle, value $100.

The 5 competitors who send in the next largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gents Gold Watch, value $25.

2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

5. Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., will endeavor to award the prizes fairly to the best of their ability and judgment, but it is understood that all who compete agree to accept the award of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., as final.

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HAVE YOU TRIED IT?

EAST SIMCOE VACANT.

Bribery by Agent Proved and the Election Declared Void.

Barrie, Dec. 25.—(Special.)—When the court re-opened this morning to proceed with the trial of the election petition against Mr. Bennett, it was at once apparent that the rumor of last night was about correct and that the fight was over.

Counsel on both sides proceeded to spar for an opening, endeavoring to find a reason sufficiently strong to satisfy the court that the election should be voided, and some very clever skirmishing was indulged in all round. The court, however, reminded the counsel that the respondent could not under the statute law, as at present constructed, relinquish his seat merely on request of counsel, or by agreement, as this proceeding might effectively conceal corrupt practices of such a nature as should be investigated, and such as might disqualify the respondent.

Nothing would convince Their Lordships to the contrary, and charge No. 60 was proceeded with. This was the one added to the particulars yesterday on motion of Mr. McCarthy, and proved the fatal one.

William Arthur of Victoria Harbor was examined, and deposed that he had voted at that place on election day, that on the night before, after he had gone to bed, Mr. Horrell came to the door and knocked. Witness arose and let him in and Mr. Horrell asked him to use his influence for Mr. Bennett, to which he replied by wanting to know if the candidate had sent any money down, as others in the neighborhood had got some. Horrell then extracted a couple of bills from his pocket, and, rolling them up, tossed them to him, saying, "Now you can support Mr. Bennett." Witness picked the money up after Horrell had gone and had heard nothing more from him about it.

This evidence was sufficient to prove corrupt practices, and it remained to be shown that Horrell was an agent of Mr. Bennett's, when the charge of bribery by agent would be complete.

Mr. Aylesworth thereupon arose and stated to the court that he had been instructed by his client to admit agency in this case, and it was at once apparent that the trial was over.

Bribery was again proven in the case of one Burgie of Victoria Harbor, but it was uncertain whether or not Horrell had been the agent, as witness had found the money in his pocket on election day after having talked with Horrell and several others in the village.

The court, in giving judgment, drew attention to the fact that, though bribery by an agent had only been proven in one instance, yet corrupt practices had apparently prevailed, as was shown in many other instances throughout the riding, and apparently with some system, and the seat was declared vacant and the election void.

Costs were not asked and not given and the cross-petition filed against Mr. H. H. Cook was dismissed.

Prior to the judgment voiding the election, Their Lordships dismissed both cases in which they had reserved judgment yesterday.

The unseated member will stand for re-election, probably early in March next, and Mr. H. H. Cook will likely be his opponent again.

One loaf of bread may be light, sweet and digestible. You may use the same materials for another and have it heavy, sour and soggy. The knack is in putting the ingredients together just right. A substitute for Scott's Emulsion may have the same ingredients and yet not be a perfect substitute, for no one knows how to put the parts together as we do. The secret of "how" is our business—twenty-five years of experience has taught us the best way.

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CHRISTMAS BUDGET FROM OTTAWA

New Two-Cent Postcards to be Issued—A Quiet Celebration of the Day—Personal Notes.

Ottawa, Dec. 25.—(Special.)—Some time ago the attention of the Government was called to the fact that the two cent Canadian postcard which is used in communicating with foreign countries contravenes the regulations of the Postal Union. One of the infractions complained of was the ugly border on the address side of the card, and in addition it also contained the words, "British America Bank Note Company." An Order-in-Council was therefore passed authorizing the preparation of a new plate to replace the present one. It is of very neat design, and with the objectionable frills removed. The color of the stamp and print has been changed from green to what is known as madder red, or somewhat similar to the color of the three cent stamp. As soon as the present supply of 2-cent postcards is exhausted a new one will be issued to the public.

Captain Sinclair, secretary to the Governor-General, left for Scotland today via New York.

Christmas day passed off quietly at the Capital. The weather was seasonable and sleighing good, so that there was considerable driving during the day. The skating rinks were also well patronized. Services were held in the Anglican, Methodist and Presbyterian Churches during the morning.

Thomas Patterson, for many years customs appraiser at this port, died tonight. Before entering the public service Mr. Patterson was a grocer in Ottawa. Mr. G. M. Bowell, Collector of Customs at Vancouver, and son of Sir Mackenzie, is a son-in-law of deceased.

Members of the Parliamentary Press Gallery presented their faithful doorkeeper, William O'Keefe, with a suitable Christmas present on the occasion of his retirement from that office. Mr. O'Keefe has been doorkeeper of the press gallery over 20 years.

FOUND A JEWEL.

An Important Find by a Brockville Jeweller.

Mr. Joseph Lane, the well-known jeweller of Brockville, says: "For some years I have suffered with severe pains in my back and sides and flashes of heat between my shoulders. I had a tired, wornout feeling.

"The numerous medicines that I took gave me very little relief. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills I thought I would try a box, and got one at Curry's drugstore.

"After the first two or three doses I felt much relieved, and the longer I took them the greater the change for the better in my condition. I am much better in every respect and recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to all sufferers from kidney trouble as the best remedy I know of."

Sold by James Lynch, druggist, 168 Hunter street, Peterborough.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—There is no business reported, and prices are nominal. Straight rollers are quoted at $4, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—There is a limited trade, with prices unchanged. Red sold outside at 70c and white at 69c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is unchanged at 93c, Toronto freight, and No. 2 hard at 91c.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c to 29c outside.

Barley—The market is very dull. No. 2 is quoted at 27c north and west, and feed at 20c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 18c west, and at 19c on the Midland. Mixed is 17c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady, with sales at 40½c outside.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales outside at 34½c to 35c.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 23c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 27c outside.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The receipts of live stock to-day were small, and all offerings were sold early. Export cattle nominal at 3½ to 4 per cent. The best on the market sold at 3½c per lb. Medium butchers' sold at 3c and inferior stock at 2c per lb. Milch cows sell at $25 to $40 each and calves at $4 to $10 each.

Sheep and lambs in fair supply with offerings small. Choice sheep sold at 3c per lb. and bucks at 2½c and 2½c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3½c to 4c per lb.

Hogs in liberal supply and prices unchanged. The best sold at 4c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c to 3¾c, lightweights at 3¾c, sows at 2¾c to 3c, and stags at 2c per lb.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

Montreal, Dec. 22.—C.P.R., 53½ and 54½; Duluth, 5 and 3; do., pref., 10 and 7½; Cable, 164½ and 164; Postal Telegraph, 94¼ and 94½; Telegraph, 175 and 165; Richelieu, 88 and 86; Street Railway, 220½ and 220; Gas, 183 and 182¼; Telephone, 159 and 157½; Toronto Street Railway, xd, 69 and 68¾; Montreal, 230 and 227½; Molsons, 182 bid; Merchants', 175 and 169; Commerce, 130 and 124; Toronto, 226 bid; Ontario, 85 and 80.

Morning sales: Cable, 125 at 164¼, 25 at 164. Postal, 25 at 93½, 75 at 93¾, 15 at 93½, 200 at 94. Halifax Ry., 50 at 80. Street Ry., 25 at 220¾, 200 at 220¼. Toronto Railway, 425 at 69. Ontario Bank, 4 at 80. Molsons, 17 at 182½.

Afternoon sales: Cable, 25 at 163¾, 25 at 164¼. Postal, 25 at 94½, 25 at 94¼, 25 at 94¾, 25 at 94¾. Gas, 100 at 182½.

THE ISLAND KINGDOM.

Religious and Social Christmas Customs In Japan.

It may seem to us Americans with our preconceived notions that it is hardly worth while to celebrate a Christmas without the blazing Yule log, or the Christmas tree, or mistletoe and holly, or one and all of the accompaniments of that season that have become a part and parcel of our bringing up. Yet the majority of the 37,000 Christianized natives of the Island Kingdom, in their "artless, Japanese way, find pleasure enough in observing the day in a manner that would make us think that the seasons had been turned topsy turvy, and our civilization along with them.

The Japs work all day Christmas because that is their busiest time of year. It is the season when trade is the most active and the export traffic at its height. Churchgoing and holiday making are therefore deferred until evening. In the meantime the churches are trimmed by the women and made veritable bowers of flowers, for December in the greater portion of Japan is a genial month, and flowers are so cheap that enough wagon loads of blossoms and greenery to trim Barnum's circus tent can be bought for $10.

All Japanese seem to possess the artistic instinct in a high degree, and the women are no exception. Of course they chat and gossip in a lively fashion, just as our own women do, while their nimble fingers are at work tying and bunching together the camellias, chrysanthemums and roses that are lying around them in huge piles. Their ideas of color effects in church decoration are different from ours, and perhaps more correct. Instinctively they seem to realize that white is the emblem of purity and green the color of nature; so white and pale yellow flowers are imposed against backgrounds of solid green leafage, into which are interwoven branches of dwarf orange trees with the ripe, yellow fruit upon them.

After church comes the Christmas dinner, though it is as unlike our own feasts as one can well imagine. Turkeys have been introduced into Japan from this country, and the goose they have had with them always. But chicken and duck are the poultry delicacies held in highest esteem, though fish in various forms is the principal feature of the meal. The fowls are boiled and served cut up in small pieces mixed with rice, lily bulbs, mushrooms, cabbage root, onions or other vegetables in the form of salmis or stews. The fish are also boiled and served whole.

Roasting and frying are unknown to Japanese cookery, for all food among the rank and file of the nation is eaten with chopsticks. They are an improvement on the Chinese articles and do not require so much deft juggling to produce satisfactory results. Each guest has his individual small and low table and seats himself on the thick matting with which the floor of the dining room is carpeted. The soup served as the first course is drunk from handsomely lacquered bowls, and the rice wine that is drunk with all of the courses loses nothing of its flavor from being served in dainty porcelain cups.

The Japanese family concludes its observance of Christmas day by giving the children a frolic, while their elders look on sedately. If the Japanese Christians crowd their merrymaking and religious ceremonies into a shorter space of time than we do, they nevertheless appear to enjoy themselves quite as much, and it may be that we can take a leaf out of their book with both pleasure and profit.

E. W. POTTER.

WILL CARRY THE SCARS TO HER GRAVE.

Spent Thousands for Health, but did Not Obtain This Greatest of all Blessings Until She Used the Great South American Cure—Suffered Internally for 12 Years.

Mrs. F. Brawley, of Tottenham, Ont., states: "I suffered almost continually for 12 years with rheumatism, the effects of which I will carry to my grave, and while the joints at my elbow and wrists are yet stiff I am entirely freed from pain by the use of South American Rheumatic Cure. It has indeed proved a wonderful cure in my case. I have spent thousands of dollars in doctors' bills and medicines without avail. Five bottles of this wonderworker has cured all pain. I am better in health generally than I have been for ten years." Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

Shiloh's Cure, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 289 George Street

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The skeleton in many a household is the peculiar weakness of the wife and mother, or of the wife who ought to be a mother and is not. Happiness is destroyed by the presence of the secret sickness that may lurk like a grinning death among the most luxurious homes. The most terrible thing about this condition of affairs is that it is entirely needless. There is no reason in the world why every woman in the world should not be strong and healthful and capable of fulfilling her whole duty as a wife and mother. Many women go on month after month, and year after year, becoming weaker and weaker, because of a very natural hesitancy they feel in consulting a physician. They know that if they go to a doctor for treatment, the first thing he will insist on will be "examination" and "local treatment." This must of course be distasteful to every modest woman. They are generally as unnecessary as they are abhorrent. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures positively, perfectly, permanently, all varieties of "female weakness" and disease. It is designed to do this one thing, and it does it. It is the only medicine now before the public for woman's peculiar ailments, adapted to her delicate organization by a regularly graduated physician—an experienced and skilled specialist in these maladies. It cannot do harm in any condition of the system. Its sales exceed the combined sales of all other medicines for women.

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Saturday, the 2nd day of Jan. Next.

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By order of the Board.

E. R. WOOD, Secretary.

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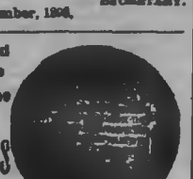

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HAMMOND THE SCAPEGOAT.

A Man Who Knows Tells Something of the Inwardness of the First National Bank Failure

Chicago, Dec. 23.—A staff of accountants in charge of an expert was put to work during the day at the Dreyer & Co. and Wasmansdorff & Heinemann banks and next week a report is expected, which will give an intelligent idea of the condition of both houses.

Vice-President Hammond, who is charged with pulling the wool over the eyes of the directors of the defunct National Bank, would not talk for publication when seen to-day at his Evanston home, but a friend, speaking for him, said: "W. A. Hammond is to be made the scapegoat of the failure of the bank. He is a broken man to-day, but he is not any more to blame for the amount of money loaned on Calumet Electric security than are the members of the Finance Committee of the bank and its directors. It was necessary for the purposes of the man connected with the South Chicago City Railway and an officer of one of the biggest banks in Chicago to depreciate the Calumet road stock, and to this end these two men accomplished the wreck of the National Bank of Illinois. Members of the Finance Committee and directors of the failed bank knew the full amount of the Calumet loan, and hoped to make individual fortunes on the success of the venture. They were given stock of the road, and the purpose of the deal was to sell the property and, besides paying the bank loan, make a neat sum for the directors. There has been a sharp contest between the General Electric and South Chicago City Railway Companies to get control of the Calumet bonds. The latter road will be worth $5,000,000 in five years, and the outsiders who ruined the bank know it, but they wanted to buy the bonds cheap."

In the confidence that the scare of savings depositors had practically run its limit, the officers of the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, after an hour or so of payment under the present day notice rule for accounts of over $100, decided to remove all restrictions and began payment in full to all depositors in line. The line soon dwindled to a score of people.

At the Hibernian Bank the notice was still adhered to, but the line there had decreased to a few persons and teh run is believed to be over.

E. S. Dreyer and his partner, Robert Berger, of the banking firm of E. S. Dreyer & Co., which failed on Monday, were arrested this afternoon, charged with receiving a deposit knowing their bank to be insolvent, and taken to the Central Police Station. Subsequently they were released by Justice Hall in $500 each, pending the hearing of their case, which will take place Jan. 2.

Brewing Firm Gone Down.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—The American Brewing, Malting and Elevator Company, the George A. Weiss Malting and Elevator Company and George A. Weiss individually assigned last evening. The assignment of the two companies, who are intimately connected, and that of Weiss were brought into court yesterday. The assignee of the American Brewing, Malting and Elevator Company is the Chicago Title and Trust Company. The George A. Weiss Malting and Elevator Company and George A. Weiss assigned to the Security Title and Trust Company. No statement was filed as to the assets and liabilities.

The failure of the two corporations was the result of the failure of the National Bank of Illinois. The two companies were borrowers from the bank and were indebted to it when it failed to the amount of over half a million dollars. The corporations were both organized through the efforts of George A. Weiss, who is President of the George A. Weiss Malting and Elevator Company. The American Brewing, Malting and Elevator Company is the owner of extensive malt houses on North Ashland-avenue, which are leased to the other company and are used by it in the manufacture of malt. The American Brewing, Malting and Elevator Company has a large brewery adjoining the malt houses, and the two are closely related in business, one buying and selling to the other.

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A Wisconsin Bank.

West Superior, Wis., Dec. 23.—The Bank of West Superior did not open its doors for business this morning, being forced into liquidation by the failure of the Bank of Minnesota. The officials of the bank say they will resume soon and pay all depositors in full.

Big Failure at Sioux City.

Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 23.—The Parsons & Pelleter Company, the largest retail drygoods concern in Iowa, was closed to-day, under chattel mortgages aggregating $91,533. Assets are estimated at from $130,000 to $140,000.

A Maine Bank Also.

Lewiston, Maine, Dec. 23.—The American Banking and Trust Company of Auburn, chartered in 1886, has closed its doors and has asked the court for the appointment of a receiver.

WRECKED IN A NORTHER.

Barque Jamaica Went Down and All on Board With Her Except Four.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 23.—The barque Jamaica was wrecked in a norther off Dos Rosas Tabasco on the 12th inst., and all on board, save three men and a boy, were drowned. The Jamaica was on her way from Campeche to Vera Cruz, and carried 16 persons. The number of the crew is unknown. The passengers took to the boats, which were repeatedly swamped. Most of the crew put on life preservers and jumped into the sea. The captain was one of these. He strapped one hundred Mexican silver dollars upon himself, and, clinging to a barrel, tried to reach shore. The survivors saw him sink owing to the weight of the metal. One passenger after another sank, the boats proving unmanageable. Every member of the crew was drowned, and only three men and a boy escaped of all the passengers.

BARRY AND HARDING

Announce Themselves Willing to Race Gaudaur for the Championship.

London, Dec. 23.—Both Wag Harding and Barry, the oarsmen, are anxious to row Jake Gaudaur for the sculling championship of the world. They prefer, however, to row in England.

Barry has already signed preliminary articles and posted money for a race with Gaudaur for £50 a side, allowing Gaudaur £25 for expenses. Barry is now arranging to row Harding also.

George Bubear, the sculler, said to a reporter of the United Associated Presses today that Barry was certain to defeat Harding, and expressed the opinion that neither Harding nor Barry was the equal of Gaudaur in their present form.

Prevent sickness and save doctors' bills at this season by keeping your blood rich and pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

MONTREAL MONEY KINGS

Met at the Festive Board and Count the Year's Profits—Other Notes From the Metropolis

Montreal, Dec. 23.—(Special.)—To-night the brokers of this city had a champagne spread in honor of the ups and downs of the street during the year 1896. There was a good attendance, and when notes had been compared it was found that the operators were considerably better off than they were at the close of 1895. No great sums have been piled up on St. Francois Xavier-street, but considerable money has been made. Forget & Co. made a good deal of money in Chicago, and probably got back all they lost in the Windy City a year or two ago.

Mr. Robert G. Reid, who is building the Newfoundland Railway, and who has been in London for some time past, has given a contract to Messrs. Englas & Co. of Glasgow, Scotland, for the construction of a first-class screw steamer to run between the western terminus of the Newfoundland Railway and Sydney, C. B. The boat, which is to be ready for service next summer, will be 231 feet long, 32 feet beam, and will be able to run from Port aux Basques, Nfld., to Cape Breton in a very few hours.

Mr. W. W. Ogilvie returned from the Northwest to-day and states that he never before found business so good in Winnipeg. He confirms the report that Dakota farmers are bringing wheat over the line and selling it to the Canadian millers, this taking place especially at Clearwater. "In fact," continued Mr. Ogilvie, "this is nothing new, for during many years I have seen the American farmers drive their loads up to the custom house, pay the duty, and sell their wheat to my representative in that locality." If no change is made in the tariff to change the avenues of trade, Mr. Ogilvie will build a new elevator at Winnipeg having a capacity of from half to three-quarters of a million bushels, and another at Montreal of the same dimensions.

Miss Annie Sims, who was shot 17 days ago by John Homer Howell, her rejected lover, died early this morning at the General Hospital. On Sunday last the fatal bullet, which had entered the young woman's left eye and lodged under the right ear was extracted. Since then Miss Sims seemed to lose ground so rapidly that all hope of saving her life was given up, and at 4 o'clock this morning the worst fears were realized. No inquest will be held.

Carelessness in girlhood causes the greatest suffering and unhappiness in after life. Little irregularities and weaknesses in girls should be looked after promptly and treatment given at once. Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription promotes regularity of all feminine functions, makes strength and builds up a sturdy health with which to meet the trials to come. The Favourite Prescription is not a universal panacea. It is good for but one thing. It is directed solely at one set of organs.

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MUST COME TO CANADA.

The Appeal in the Case of Mrs. Sternaman Dismissed by Judge Coxe of Utica.

Utica, Dec. 23.—Judge Coxe to-day handed down his decision in the Sternaman extradition case. Proceedings were taken under a writ of habeas corpus to review the action of Commissioner Joseph L. Fairchild of Buffalo in holding Olive A. Sternaman for extradition to Canada on the charge of poisoning her husband, George H. Sternaman, at Rainham, Haldimand County, Ontario, Aug. 13, 1896. It is alleged the murder was committed to secure $1900 insurance which Sternaman had taken out after his marriage last February. Judge Coxe dismissed the writ. All points of the case, except that of jurisdiction, were decided at the time of the argument on the writ. Judge Coxe holds that the officer authorized to conduct the proceedings placed before the Commissioners facts sufficient to warrant action on his part.

INJURY AND NEGLECT.

He Failed in Health and Strength—His Kidneys Ached and he Took Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Deseronto, Dec., 14 (Special)—Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. James Stokes, who for the past fifteen years has been shipper for the Rathbun Company.

Lately he had run down in health and strength to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now as the result of using Dodd's Kidney Pills is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes he said:—

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A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

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INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough with the house, side name and address of the sender, will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO COCHRANE
License Inspector West Peterborough

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NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Rev. J. G. Potter will address the men's meeting in Y.M.C.A. hall to-morrow at 4.15 p.m.

—Frank Wilson, a vag, was warned to leave town immediately by the magistrate this morning.

—Mr. W. B. Bamford, C.P.R. station agent, wishes to acknowledge receipt of a Christmas cake from the W.C.T.U. per Mrs. Paton. It was distributed to the staff and greatly appreciated.

—James Lee on a charge of vagrancy was sent up to the Central Prison for six months by the magistrate this morning. He made himself very troublesome in town yesterday.

—Mr. Wm. Oliver Harvey found a noble specimen of eagle, which had come to its death by eating strychinine bait intended as a Christmas box for wolves. Mr. A. E Bottum of Bobcaygeon has secured the bird and will send him to be taxidermated by Mr. Edwin Elcome.

—People on the Pacific coast—in golden California and fertile British Columbia—boast of bare fields, mild weather and blooming flowers at Christmas time, and we in Ontario can do the same thing this year. During the present month there werd days resembling springtime, buds began to burst open on the soft trees, and in some sheltered gardens it was only a short time ago that the pansies ceased to bloom.

CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be two masses celebrated, the first at 8 a.m., the second at 10.30 a. m., and Vespers at 7 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate. Sunday after Christmas, Dec. 27th. Holy Communion at 8.30 a.m.; Morning Prayer, Litany and sermon, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 2.45 p.m.; Evening Service and Sermon, 7 p.m. Ushers on duty—W. Hinchcliffe, R. H. Kells, J. Mulholland and A. Roberts.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. J. Rae, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 27th—Service at 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor; Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p. m. Strangers welcome.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. R. Young, B. A., pastor. Sunday, Dec. 27th. Service at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Subject for morning sermon—"Some Memories of the past;" and subject for evening sermon—"Some Truths Taught by Modern Architecture." Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats. Grace church Sunday School at 2.30 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance D.D., pastor, Sunday, Dec. 27th. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Y.P.S. C.E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed. Subject for evening sermon—"Is Christianity Failing?"

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Dec. 27th. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. conducted by pastor. Sabbath School and Bible class 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Monday at 8 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Seats free. Junior C. E. meets every Sunday at 4 o'clock.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 28th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 3.00 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all are welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. F. Tapscot, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be cordially welcomed. Regular meeting of Young People's Society on Wednesday evening.

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MANY LIVES IN JEOPARDY.

Hotel Burned at Rockford, Ill., Due to Santa Claus' Whiskers Taking Fire From a Gas Jet.

Rockford, Ill., Dec. 25.—The lives of many guests of the Huffman House were placed in jeopardy last night, when that hostelry and the block bearing its name was completely destroyed by fire, with a total loss of $100,000. The blaze originated in one of the show windows of Foller Bros.' drygoods store on the ground floor, due to the whiskers of a Santa Claus figure becoming ignited from a gas jet. The flames ran through the store and its combustible stock with great rapidity, and, finding an outlet to the hotel portion of the building, soon ate their way upward through the elevator and shafts. The guests became panic-stricken, but none had retired and all were rescued. The firemen carried several ladies from the structure in a semi-conscious condition. The guests lost all of their personal baggage.

HANNA BROKEN DOWN.

The Man Who Engineered the Campaign for McKinley Will Have to Rest for a While.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 25.—A warning to cease his aggressive and indefatigable labors has come to Chairman M. A. Hanna. It was announced last night that he was suffering from that miserable disease, insomnia, and would probably be forced to remain quiet for several days. The family physician says that Mr. Hanna is broken down and advises a rest.

The announcement that Hanna was indisposed was a disappointment to the numerous office-seekers who called daily to "pay their respects" to the man who engineered McKinley's campaign. There were rumors that Hanna has suffered a slight apoplectic stroke, but they are untrue. That affliction has not yet visited him.

Hanna has always employed his brain power. He has practically performed no physical labor in his life. Inherited wealth placed him in a position to conceive schemes for increasing the amount, and success has crowned his efforts. Since McKinley's campaign commenced last spring Mr. Hanna has been constantly at work. He concocted schemes to secure the nomination for McKinley, and then after the struggle at St. Louis with Platt and Quay, the hard work of the campaign commenced.

MURDERED AT A DANCE.

A Melee in a Detroit Saloon Results in the Killing of a Man, Who Leaves a Widow and Orphan.

Detroit, Dec. 25.—A party given in Garborine's saloon, corner of Rivard and Division-street, last night, was attended by many Italians and Poles. Among those in attendance were Filouere Faudeckis and Frank Jandancil. During the progress of the festivities these men had a quarrel and went out into the yard back of the saloon to fight it out. Friends interfered, and at 1 o'clock the men returned to the room in which the dance was being held. Here the quarrel was renewed and during the fracas, revolvers and knives were drawn by several men. The trouble again quieted down, and according to the onlookers, a set was formed for a dance. Faudeckis was standing with his partner ready for the dance to begin, when, as the story goes, Jandancil rushed toward Faudeckis, and, pointing a revolver at his hear, fired, the bullet striking him full and fair in the forehead. The man fell to the floor dead, and the murderer was grabbed by bystanders. The police were called and Sergeant Jants took Jandancil to the Gratiot Police station. The crowd made threatening demonstrations toward the prisoner, and the decision of the officers in removing probably saved him from an attack. The murdered man was about 35 years of age and leaves a widow and one child in the Old Country.

A THIEF RELENTS.

Articles Stolen From Ex-President Harrison's Home Returned to the Great Joy of Mrs. Harrison.

Indianapolis, Dec. 25.—A package reached General Harrison by express yesterday and it was found to contain the gold watch and chain and the diamond pin belonging to Mrs. Harrison that were stolen by a porch climber from his residence some six weeks ago.

The local police knew nothing of the finding of the articles, and the Harrison family refuse to say anything further than that they have been received. Who sent them or whether the General himself knows is an open question. Some members of the police believe that the thief, knowing that the articles were widely advertised and fearing to dispose of them, returned them through a friend of the ex-President.

Mrs. Harrison was delighted to receive the stolen property, as the watch was a present to her first husband and the pin an heirloom in her family. She said that a more highly-appreciated Christmas gift could not have been made her.

HEART PAINS LEAVE IN A DAY.

Unable to Attend to Her Daily Duties—And a Great Sufferer From Heart Trouble—Induced to Try Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, and it Proved a Wonder Worker.

These are the words of Mrs. W. T. Rundle, of Dundalk, Ont.: "I was a great sufferer with severe pain in the region of my heart. For a time I was quite unable to attend to my household duties. I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, and I must say the result was wonderful. The pain immediately left me, and after the first day I have had no pain or trouble since." Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Wheel Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

The Globe says,—The score in Peterborough against the Imperials was 7 to 2, not 10 to 2, as was reported. From all accounts the easterners have a crack collection gathered together, and they expect to give the teams in the senior series a warm wrestle for the chief honours. Their forward line is very fast. Lionel King, the old U. C. C. player, is back on the the team, and with Phelan as his side partner, has worked up a great combination.

PILL-OSOPHY.

There are pills and pills—but Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills at 10 cents a vial lead in demand. The sale borders on the phenomenal.

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They are entirely vegetable. They act on the liver and bowels without disturbance to the system, diet or occupation. They never gripe. They act pleasantly. 40 in a vial for 10 cents. Sold by H. S. Mcdonald.

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GRAVEYARD ROBBERY.

The Cemetery at Toledo Denuded of Corpses to Such an Extent That Very Few are Left.

Toledo, O., Dec. 25.—Dr. Frank G. Hunt has been arrested under the Ohio statute prohibiting grave robbery and another well-known physician and druggist are under surveillance by the police department.

It is now said by the police that this is not the first case of the kind that the doctor has been mixed up in, as a package directed to the same address in Cleveland, to which he tried to ship Cartwright's body, was accepted by the express company Nov. 20. There is other evidence in the possession of the police, which would indicate that, in addition to the college at Cleveland, Detroit and Chicago medical schools have received a number of cadavers from this point.

A Toledo councilman hazarded the statement that of the bodies that have been buried in the Infirmary Cemetery in recent years, not half a dozen were allowed to rest quietly.

WORTH ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD.

Is the Testimony of Frank S. Emerick, of Alvinston, Ont.—Says South American Kidney Cure Saved His Life—It Relieves in Six Hours.

"For two years I was greatly troubled with kidney disease, I suffered intense pain, and frequently was unable to work. I doctored at intervals, but got little or no relief. I began to grow worse, and the pains were frequent and intense. About this time I saw South American Kidney Cure advertised as a speedy relief for all kidney troubles. I purchased a bottle, and it gave me wonderful relief in a few hours. I improved steadily and after taking four bottles I am completely cured. I consider it worth its weight in gold, for it assuredly saved my life." Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

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The magnificent exhibition of holiday goods at the Peterborough Bookstore has been reinforced with new and attractive lines to meet the continued demand of holiday shoppers. Regular stocks have not been neglected, nor will they be. We have a lovely selection of new fans for evening parties, festivals and other fashionable functions. For the first three days of next week we will take a discount of 20 per cent. off every fan. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will therefore be bargain days in fans—including the choicest we have in silk, feather, hand-painted, etc. At the same time our stock of New Year's cards, calendars and booklets must be sold at "last moment prices."—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Ladies Don't Smoke,

but they have a tender regard for some fellahs that do. The great festival of Christmas will soon be here, and between now and then people will naturally think of buying presents for their friends. Mr. Chas. LeGros, the live George street tobacco and cigar dealer, realizing that money is very scarce, has put everything in the line of cigar and pipes down to cost, and when he says cost, he means business. LeGros is a hustler, and likes to give his customers a benefit at Christmas times. He imports all his goods direct, and saves the wholesalers' profit. A few of the snaps which he offers are to be seen in his window. He has the finest lot of pipes in Canada, all of B.B.B. manufacture. In cigars, his imported cigars are of the finest, and this is proved by the testimony of the best people of the town who smoke them. Ladies who know the weakness that their gentlemen friends have for a good cigar or a meerscham pipe, a swell mouthpiece or a handy tobacco pouch can take a hint and have a quiet talk with Charley on the subject. Call and see him and you will be astonished at the prices and quality of his pipes, cigars and smokers' sundries. ALIVE C. LEGROS, 339 George street. tf

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Men's Imported Ulsters, were $15	now	$9 00
Men's Ovecoats, were $10	now	5 50
Men's Tweed Ulsters, were $10	now	5 00
Men's Beaver Overcoats, were $10.50	now	5 00
Men's Frieze Ulsters, were $3.50	now	3 90
Men's Worsted Overcoats, were $9.50	now	4 50
Men's Nap Overcoats, were $7.50	now	3 00
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, were $7	now	4 00
Boys' Cape Overcoats, were $5	now	2 75
Boys' Tweed Overcoats were $4.50	now	2 75
Boys' Tweed Capes, were $2.90	now	1 70

SUITS.

Men's Auburn Mills Worsted Suits, were $9.50	now	$5 90
Men's Auburn Mills All Wool Suits, were $8	now	5 00
Men's Yorkshire Tweed Suits, were $7.50	now	4 75
Men's Canadian Tweed Suits, were $6 50	now	3 90
Boy's Auburn Mills Suits, were $7	now	4 25
Boys' Blue Serge Suits, were $6	now	3 75
Boys' Scotch Tweed Suits, were $9	now	5 50
Boys' Canadian Tweed Suits, were $3.50	now	1 95

CAPS AND FURS.

25 Coon Fur Coats, were $30	now	$16 50
30 Black Goat Coats, were $17.50	now	12 90
25 doz. Sealette Caps, Jockeys	now	0 65
40 doz. Dominion Sealette Caps	now	1 00
200 Imitation Caps	from 19c to	0 50
2 doz. Persian Lamb Caps, were $5	now	2 90
50 Victoria Wedges, were $4.50	now	2 90

FURNISHINGS.

Men's Heavy Twill Cotton Night Robes	69c
Men's Silk and Satin Ties, four-in-hand and knots, were 25c. each	now 2 for 25c
Men's Fancy Ringwood Gloves, worth 40c	now for 25c
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched	for 15c
Men's Heavy Underwear, were 25c	now 19c
Men's Heavy All-Wool Underwear, were 50c	now 35c
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50 doz. Pongee Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched	35c
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10 doz. Men's Al-Wool Cardigan Jackets, Worth $1.25	50c

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Railway Through the Crow's Nest Pass is Necessary.

SO THINKS THE HON. A. G. BLAIR

The C.P.R. May Build the Line, But the Government Will See That Rates are Kept Within Reasonable Bounds—Grand Trunk Requests—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Hon. A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, on his recent trip to the Pacific coast, made it his business to look over the Kootenay country in order to advise his colleagues in a practical way on his return to Ottawa as to the needs of Southern British Columbia in the way of improved and cheaper transportation facilities, and a definite announcement of the Government's policy regarding the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass Railway may therefore be expected very soon. Your correspondent ventures to predict that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company will build the road, but in any loan or subsidy to that company conditions will be attached so as to keep down transportation rates. Mr. Blair foreshadowed this in his speech at Victoria a few days ago. He said he had found since coming to British Columbia a very strong feeling in favor of the continuation of the Crow's Nest Pass line to the coast. He believed that it would be built, and he believed that it was a necessity. The low-grade ores required to be handled cheaply and given low transportation rates in order to be profitable. He had no prejudice against any of the great railway companies, but he did not think that the true interests and welfare of the country could allow any corporation, no matter how great, to have control of all transportation interests. He would, therefore, impose on the railways some supreme control that should regulate their tariff rates. Cheap fuel must be guaranteed, too, and they could not have that if the coal lands were locked up in the hands of a railway corporation. Therefore the question arose in his mind, that whether the Government took upon them the railway to the coast, in whole or in part, the great coal lands should not be locked up in monopolistic hands. He would say the same, too, as regarded timber lands.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company will apply to Parliament next session for an act authorizing the company to aid financially certain railway companies with which the Grand Trunk Railway Company have traffic arrangements; also authorizing the company, with the sanction of the proprietors, to capitalize the revenue over-draft at such time as the directors of the company may determine, and to an amount to be approved by the proprietors; also to increase the borrowing powers of the company by the issue of a further amount of four per cent. consolidated debenture stock, or by the issue of terminable bonds for the general purposes of the company, to an amount the interest on which shall not exceed £50,000 sterling per annum, thus extending the borrowing powers to an amount of principal the interest on which shall not exceed £1,434,000 7s 8d sterling per annum; also granting power to apply the unexercised powers granted for specific purposes by the acts of 1887, 1890 and 1892, to the general purposes of the company, and for other purposes.

The success of Mr. Huddart's Australian line is bringing new rivals into the field. The Department of Trade and Commerce is notified of a line being established to run between Sydney and Puget Sound ports, to compete with the Canadian-Australian vessels. The first boat is making her trip from Australia. She is called the Aswanley, and has ample accommodation for freight and passengers.

The new Minister of the Interior has inaugurated his vigorous immigration policy by sending two agents to the Old Country. Mr. Farmer will work in Wales and Mr. Webster in Ireland.

Capt. Sinclair, secretary to the Governor-General, has not resigned his position, and no matter what the result of the Forfarshire election may be he will return to Canada in February. Meanwhile Lieut. Neve of the Royal Berkshire Regiment, at present stationed at Halifax, has arrived here and will act as one of His Excellency's A. D. C.'s for the present.

The Canada Gazette contains the following announcements: John Lovitt of Yarmouth, N. S., to be Senator, vice Hon. Henry A. N. Kaulbach, deceased.

George Gerald King of Chipman, N. B., to be Senator, vice Hon. Abner Reid McClelan, who has resigned.

John H. Fraser of Wallaceburg, to be a collector of customs, vice T. B. Gillard, deceased; James Herbert Johnstone of Grafton, to be a subcollector of customs, vice A. H. Godard, deceased.

John McNeill, for many years Clerk of the House of Assembly of Prince Edward Island, died in Syracuse on Christmas eve, at the ripe old age of 85. He was the father of A. N. McNeill of the Department of Indian Affairs. The funeral took place here today to Beechwood Cemetery.

Bishop Bickersteth of Tokyo, accompanied by Mrs. Bickersteth, was this week the guest of the Bishop of Ottawa and Mrs. Hamilton. Bishop and Mrs. Bickersteth are on their way from Japan to England.

A new map of the Province of Manitoba is now in course of preparation, and will be far the best yet issued. All the latest surveys are included, with stations along all railways, new postoffices, schools, trails and municipal boundaries.

Sir James Grant has received a letter from the Earl of Derby asking him to forward three dozen hockey sticks to Liverpool. The Earl will introduce hockey in England.

Mr. Thomas Munro, C. E., one of the deep waterways commission, was here yesterday. He states that the interim report of the commissioners will be presented to both Governments shortly. A vast amount of information has been collected.

BRAM REMAINED FIRM.

The Mate of the Herbert Fuller Could Not be Shaken in His Testimony by Cross-Examination.

Boston, Dec. 26.—Mate Thomas Bram of the barquentine Herbert Fuller, when he was conducted into the United States Court room this morning, found his way obstructed by the largest crowd that has yet been in attendance on this remarkable trial, and many were excluded from the court room for lack of room. On resuming the witness stand, defendant denied that any angry words had passed between him and the second mate, as has been alleged by the witness for the Government. The manner in which the lumber was stored on the deck and its relation to the windows of the cabin and its rooms were described by the witness substantially as on his direct examination. He repeated, by direction of the District Attorney, what he had told on Thursday regarding the events of the night of the murder, but though the cross-examination was searching and direct he did not vary in the slightest from his previous testimony. Neither was anything new developed. During the examination the defendant maintained the confident and self-contained attitude that has characterized his appearance since he took the witness stand on Wednesday morning.

Mr. Hoare resumed the examination of Bram this afternoon by putting a series of questions in regard to the log-book and the loose leaves in the book. Bram related the positions of the bodies and the marks and scratches in the rooms. He also described where the blood was found, and he said he looked the place over to learn all he could. He was in the cabin when the bodies were brought up, and he followed up each body. He never asked Monks to tear up the statement first drawn, which contained the theory of the triple murder. Witness said he thought the statement correct at the time, but later in the afternoon began to think differently. He said he did not suggest to Monks to write that he was sick, and he signed on general principles.

Bram was asked what course he was on on the day after the tragedy. He asked for the log-book, and here both sides got into a discussion over the right to refer to it. Finally he was allowed to tell the course, which was about southeast. The matter of lashing the wheel was again reverted to, but Bram only repeated his former testimony. The witness was again asked if he told Lohse, "If we don't get Brown guilty we will all get two years each." Bram emphatically said "No."

Thus the accused went through another day's trying ordeal without flinching in his testimony. The court adjourned until 10 o'clock Monday.

LEFT 23 DEAD.

More Skirmishing in Cuba—Spanish Claim Victory and Cubans Say it Was a Massacre.

Havana, Dec. 26.—News from Mantua, in the Province of Pinar del Rio, gives the details of an encounter on Dec. 20 between Lieut. Liamlo, commanding a body of local guerillas and volunteers. The Spanish force, arriving at a place called Dancho, found an insurgent camp, from which they were fired upon. The soldiers returned the fire, whereupon the rebels fled in disorder, leaving 23 dead on the field. The arms and effects of the insurgents were captured and their camp destroyed. Eight of the dead rebels were identified, but who the others killed were is unknown to the people residing in the locality. The Government forces sustained no loss.

This information comes from a Spanish source, and it is added that by the defeat of this band of rebels the zone in which they were found is entirely clear of insurgents. It is learned from other sources that the affair was similar to others, and that the dead rebels were simply pacificos, who had no means of defending themselves against the Government troops.

Last night bands of rebels fired on the towns of Santiago de Los Vegas, Rancho Boyerer and Calebazar, all in the Province of Havana. The attacks caused great excitement among the inhabitants, who feared that the insurgents were able to raid the towns and give them to the flames. After firing a few shots, which were productive of no results beyond scaring the people, the rebels withdrew.

The latest report concerning the movements of General Weyler, who was encamped near San Cristobal, is that he marched to-day. No information is given regarding his objective point. He has had no encounter with the enemy since his return to the Province of Pinar del Rio from Havana, notwithstanding his elaborate plan of campaign, which necessitates the use of 30,000 troops.

Given Up as Lost.

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 26.—The schooner Aurora, which left St. John's, Nfld., Nov. 12, for Charlottetown, has been given up as lost.

PRINCESS DE CHIMAY

Has Caused a Great Sensation in European Society.

STOPPING WITH HER GIPSY LOVER

The Man is Described as Coarse and Vulgar But the Princess Appears to be Infatuated, and is Only Awaiting a Divorce From Her Husband to Marry Him.

New York, Dec. 27.—A special from London to The World says: The Princess De Caraman-Chimay, the former Detroit girl, is actually, with her coarse and vulgar gypsy lover, at his home in a remote village in Hungary. Vienna despatches of yesterday and to-day assert, defiantly satisfied with him and her position.

The statement seems absurdly extravagant, but it is in entire conformity with her course in Paris before she eloped.

The World representative in Paris has obtained the exact history of the events which preceded her flight. The necessity for excluding the public from her husband's suit for divorce, now in progress at Charleroi, Belgium, seems useless to the many in Paris and Belgium who are fully acquainted with the details of the young woman's extraordinary actions in Paris.

The Prince de Caraman-Chimay is of French origin. Several of his ancestors performed splendid service in the French armies.

Miss Clara Ward, as is now well known, is the daughter of a very wealthy Toronto woman. They met first at Nice and were married in Paris, the American and British Ambassadors being present, among many other distinguished people. There was a magnificent marriage settlement upon the Prince. Two children were born.

Janos Rigo, the gypsy, was born at Paks, in the district of Samogy, Hungary. He is anything but an Adonis, being a tall, skinny, awkward animal of about 35, with straight black hair, which seems pasted on his head, and is scrupulously parted in the middle. He is pitted with small-pox.

Rigo has a wife. Their two children died. He went to Paris five years ago and joined a gypsy band of musicians. His fiddling attracted the attention of the benevolent Russian Prince Jablonowsky, who advanced to him money to start a band of his own.

Princess Chimay, who had already fearfully risked her reputation in other affairs, happened in the restaurant where [illegible] last winter, and conversed with him. In a day or two there was no secret about their intimacy and not the slightest attempt at concealment on the part of the Princess.

Rigo's wife was the first to object. Her husband not coming home at the usual hour aroused her suspicion, and she began to watch him at the restaurant. Violent scenes resulted, and to end them Rigo made this proposal to her: Go back to Hungary with your father, your mother and your brother and live at Paks with my parents. I will pay the fares and send you a thousand francs a month. Then, when I have made a fortune through the gifts of the Princess, I will rejoin you and we will live quietly on our income.

Mrs. Rigo was easily persuaded, and returned to her native country, but no thousand francs a month were forthcoming, so she returned to Paris, accompanied by her husband's mother, and even introduced her to the Princess, who invited her to luncheon, but with his wife he would have nothing to do. A fortnight later the poor woman left Paris, broken-hearted.

Up to this time the gypsy had worn a blue Swiss Admiral's uniform every night, and the Princess was his most faithful listener. She used to pass the evening and half the night at the restaurant, and when the concert was over used to take him away in her carriage.

The scandal became so crying that the proprietor of the restaurant gave Rigo the choice of leaving the woman or losing his place. The gypsy, without hesitation, threw up his engagement. At the same time the Princess left her husband. All this happened at the beginning of the summer. The pair went to the seaside and afterwards traveled. They were in Paris in August at a hotel on the Boulevard des Capucines, where one day Rigo gave a banquet to his former colleagues.

"Are you happy, madam?" asked one of the guests of the host's.

"Not wholly," was the answer, "because my husband is not yet trying to get a divorce, although I have done everything I could to make him do so."

"And your children?"

"I love them very much, but I love Rigo better, and my only wish is to be able to marry him as soon as possible."

A package addressed to her arrived at the hotel. She refused to receive it, saying: "I am no longer a princess. My name is Mme. Rigo."

The gypsy's wife reappeared on the scene at about this time, and as she applied to the police, Rigo became afraid and disappeared with the Princess. They are now in Hungary, tranquilly awaiting the decision of the Charlerol tribunal.

Rigo is said to be negotiating with his wife to get her also to sue for a divorce.

Young Ward, the Princess' brother, abandoned his wife and children about two years ago to elope from Dinard with the maid of Lady Eden, a famous English beauty.

The press despatches have already informed the world that two persons known to be the Princess and her lover arrived in Huhlweissenberg, Hungary, Rigo's home, on Tuesday. They went together that night to the opera, where the Princess wore splendid diamonds.

In answer to enquiries by the chief of police, Rigo confessed his identity and that of his companion.

The Princess visited Rigo's mother in her little hut and embraced her.

CHRISTMAS IN A HUT.

London, Dec. 27.—The Standard's Vienna correspondent telegraphs that the Princess of Caraman-Chimay, formerly Miss Clara Ward of Detroit, Mich., who eloped with Janos Rigo, a Hungarian gypsy musician, spent Christmas evening at the hut of Rigo's parents at Stuhlweissenberg, Hungary. The Princess has purchased a house and several acres of land, which she has given to her paramour's parents. On Christmas Day a number of gypsy bands serenaded Rigo and the Princess. The couple will go to America in the spring.

Herring Fishery a Failure.

St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 26.—The winter herring fishery is a total failure all around Fortune Bay. All the American fishing schooners which were waiting there hoping to secure cargoes have abandoned the place and sailed for Placentia Bay. This is the second season that the herring fishery has failed at Fortune Bay. The result means starvation to thousands of people, because the herring industry is the only possible occupation of the residents during the winter months. The Government will have to help relieve the suffering.

Whole Family Dead.

Verndale, Minn., Dec. 26.—A party of hunters two days ago discovered the badly decomposed remains of Charles Bettler and his wife and three children in their house near Hewitt. It is not known whether it is a case of foul play or freezing.

Deaf Mutes Had a Party

Belleville, Ont., Dec. 26.—The pupils of the institution for the deaf and dumb received their presents yesterday morning and had a party in the evening.

Mr. Gilbert Parker was interviewed here this afternoon as to his play, "The Seats of the Mighty," as to which he said Mr. Tree is satisfied with it and will open his new theatre in London, England, with it.

Nervous

People find just the help they so much need, in Hood's Sarsaparilla. It furnishes the desired strength by purifying, vitalizing and enriching the blood, and thus builds up the nerves, tones the stomach and regulates the whole system. Read this:

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Cured

Hood's Pills with Hood's Sarsaparilla, and they have done me much good. I will not be without them. I have taken 13 bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and through the blessing of God, it has cured me. I worked as hard as ever the past summer, and I am thankful to say I am well. Hood's Pills when taken with Hood's Sarsaparilla help very much." MRS. M. M. MEMMINGER, Freehold, Penn.

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Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1896

EDITORIAL NOTES.

MR. J. ROSS ROBERTSON, M.P., East Toronto, it is understood, very reluctantly went into politics. At the same time he is a poor politician. He has the knack of doing nice things in a nice way. His record of munificent aids to charity is a long one and the fraternal way he came to the relief of the distressed Masons of Ottawa indicates his thoughtfulness and consideration. In the great fire their lodge rooms, furniture and craft tools were burned, Mr. Robertson came to their relief and presented the Ottawa Masons with working implements, etc.

THE EXAMINER has much pleasure in being able to contradict the rumour that the Liberals of Ottawa contemplate establishing a new journal in the interest of that party. It is true, we believe, that a few interested parties, with a view, perhaps, of providing profit and employment for themselves, have been exploiting such an enterprise, but apart from these it is a pleasure to know that there is no intention on the part of the bulk of Ottawa Liberals to withdraw the confidence that, with good reason, they have reposed for so many years, and still have, in the Free Press. This journal has for the past eighteen years ably and valiantly fought the battles of Reform. During these eighteen years the Free Press has fought its fight against the discouragements incident to a prolonged opposition, and it was as loyal and energetic in the cause in the darker days as it is and has been since the dawning of a new era. The basest of human passions—ingratitude—would be brought to the front if a journal, which has struggled for the principles of the Liberal party and has stood staunch as steel to the honoured leader of the party, should be rewarded by being supplanted by a new rival for party favour—doubtless incited to the venture by a hope of spoil—of reaping what another has sown. It should not be so; the reward of legitimate patronage and what is better, the reward of grateful appreciation of faithful service at no little sacrifice, should be to the journal that has borne the burden and heat of the day. There will always be found in every community persons who think themselves better qualified to conduct a journal than those who have had a lengthened experience, and by very virtue of that experience have compelled success against all opposition; but these very persons, when they have the chance, improve it by exhibiting themselves as the most dismal and disastrous failures. We believe that the honoured leader of the government, and his cabinet have too fine a sense of gratitude and too high an appreciation of faithful service to countenance for one moment a scheme to supplant the Free Press, with, perhaps, no higher object than to furnish employment to two or three individuals.

Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue business in his own name in future.

W. G. FOWLER

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OLD HAVELOCK SHOOL.

Programme of the Christmas School Closing.

The following is the programme given at the closing of Old Havelock school, H. C. Kindred, teacher, held on the evening of Dec. 22nd.

May God preserve thee, Canada".....School
Dialogue, opening address....T Scott, R Wigmore and W McBurney
Comic song.....Mr Joe Smith
Recitation, "My Rival".....James Seeney
Song.....Pearl Johnston
Reading, "A victim of charity....M McBurney
Recitation, "A school day".....Caroline Scott
Duet, "Larboard Watch"....Messrs McGuire and Laing
Recitation, "A medley".....Treasa Wilson
Reading, "Minister's Grievance"..Miss A McMillan
Male quartette (comic)..Messrs Courtier, McGuire, Laing and Kindred
Chorus.....School
Recitation, "Farmer John".....Chester Cole
Choice of trades.....six small boys
Solo.....Miss E Mark
Dialogue, "Troubles of a schoolmistress"....Misses Watson and M Johnston
Recitation, "A girl of the period".....Alice Johnston
Comic song.....Mr Joe Smith
Recitation, "A duel".....Thad. Scott
Reading, "A boy's story".....Claude Watson
Recitation, "Honest deacon".....Edith Hubble
Recitation, "Choir and bonnet".....Maud Cole
Male Quartette, "Simple Simon..Messrs Courtice, McGuire, Laing and Kindred
Closing chorus, "Good Night".....School

At the close of the programme the teacher was presented with the following address:

To Mr. H. C. Kindred:

DEAR TEACHER,—At this festive season of the year, marking, as it does, the close of your second year's labour for our advancement in knowledge, we, the pupils of "Old Havelock School," desire to express to you our kindest regards personally and to wish you a large share of joys which Christmas brings.

We have noted the deep interest which you have taken in our welfare and advancement, and here by express to you our heartfelt thanks for your self-sacrificing labours for us.

Realising how much we owe to you, we desire to show our regard for you by asking you to accept this album as a small token of the esteem in which you are held by us.

We learn with great pleasure that we are to spend another year together, and trust that it will be as joyous and profitable as the past two have been.

Signed on behalf of the school,
MABEL MCBURNEY,
MILDRED SMITH,
PEARL JOHNSTON.

BIG RAILWAY DEAL.

Central Vermont, St. Lawrence & Adirondack and Delaware & Hudson Go Into a Pool.

Montreal, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—One of the most important arrangements ever entered into by railway corporations in this country will be consummated on the first of the New Year. The Central Vermont, the St. Lawrence and Adirondack (which is the New York Central), and the Delaware and Hudson have agreed to pool receipts and equally divide between the three companies. The object is to save expenses on New York traffic.

The proposal of the Grand Trunk to rebuild the Victoria bridge has caused a good deal of speculation here as to the sum required for the completion of the work. It is understood that the Grand Trunk will ask the Dominion Parliament for $150,000 and a like amount from the Quebec Legislature, while the cost of the work is estimated at $1,500,000.

Over five hundred tickets have been disposed of for the Laurier banquet at the Windsor Hotel. It is said that the Premier's address will dwell chiefly on the tariff and the Manitoba school settlement, and it is likewise held that Hon. Mr. Greenway will say something of importance. It is stated that the Manitoba Premier will tell his hearers that he will faithfully carry out the arrangement entered into between the Dominion and local Governments, but that he is ready to take a Roman Catholic into his Cabinet to show his good will towards the minority in that Province.

The opening of the shipping season of 1898 will be marked by the arrival in Montreal of a 10,000-ton freight boat. This magnificent vessel will form one of the Allan fleet of steamers, and it is not improbable that it is but one of several others. The new vessel will be 470 feet long, 52 feet beam, with a depth of 37 feet. Her engines will be of 3000 horse-power, giving her a speed of 12 1-2 knots, and the steamer will be completed in December, 1897.

The Tariff Commission will sit again in Montreal on Tuesday and Wednesday next.

William U. Lippe, ex-M.P. for Joliette, is dead, having been ill a long time.

SCHOONER RUN DOWN.

The Allan Liner Scandinavian Sent Her to the Bottom—The Crew Saved.

Boston, Dec. 25.—The overdue Allan Line steamer Scandinavian, which arrived from Glasgow to day, reports that she collided last night off Cape Cod with a lumber-laden schooner, the Carrie Walker, from St. John, N.B., for New London, Conn. Her crew of six men were brought here by the steamer. The accident was due to the steamer's captain mistaking the schooner for a pilot boat. The schooner's crew had hardly time to get their personal effects, as the vessel filled rapidly. They abandoned her and she was picked up by the steamer. The schooner must have capsized, as she was nowhere to be seen shortly after the accident. The Carrie Walker was owned by C. W. King of Eastport, Maine.

Buffalo's Drink Shops.

Buffalo, Dec. 25.—According to a statement just issued from the Deputy Excise Commissioner's office, there are 1631 liquor licenses in force in Buffalo.

As Old as Antiquity.

Either by taint or heredity those old foes Scrofula and Consumption, must be faced generation after generation; but you may meet them with the odds in your favor by the help of Scott's Emulsion.

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The Best Cough Cure is Haggart's Pectoral Balsam. It heals the lungs and cures cough and colds.

One Every Night.

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The People Want Good Things.
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Manager

KNOCKED SENSELESS.

Mr. Fred Brook of Simcoe Attacked by a Man With a Club at Midnight Christmas Eve.

Simcoe, Dec. 25.—About midnight last night Mr. Fred Brook was going from his place of business when near his home he was attacked by a man, who struck him over the head with a large club, which rendered him insensible. When he saw the man pursuing him he shouted and alarmed his family. His father came rushing to his help, and the man fled without securing the booty which he was after. Mr. Brook did not regain consciousness until this morning. The blow was very severe and may prove fatal. As yet there is no clue to the perpetrator of the deed.

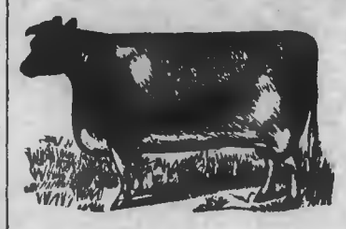
Grabbed for Steve's Diamond.

Cincinnati, Dec. 25.—Steve Brodie, the bridge-jumper and actor, was entering the Gibson House with his manager, Charles Bolton, early this morning, when two men staggered up. One of them made a grab for Brodie's big diamond, when Brodie hit him. A fight followed, in which one of the men drew a knife and cut Bolton on the right cheek. Policemen arrested the men. They are James Connelly of Buffalo and James Haley, a St. Louis burglar.

Don't dally with rheumatism. Purify your blood and cure it at once by taking a course of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

MR. E. W. HAZLETT, Reeve of Chatham Township, Kent County, Ont., says: "My daughter has been very weakly for some years; she was very pale and always felt tired; she was prevailed upon by a friend to try a box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills. I must say it was a good investment; she at once began to improve. The colour came to her cheeks, she got stronger rapidly, and now is quite well." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego Cal. says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 249 George Street.



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Handsome Christmas Gifts both sensible and attractive are found in our stock of tableware.

—Pearl Handle Dessert Sets,
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SLIM MAN—"Yes, sir, I've thrown physic to the dogs, and started off on Calcutt's prescription. Going to fatten up for 1897, you bet."

Good Christmas Groceries.

Do you want good things for your Christmas Table?

We have the best. We have selected fine lines for this season, with an experience of many years behind us as to what is desired.

Superb Fruits, Jellies, Sauces, Candies, etc. Staple lines of the best grades.

We fill orders promptly.

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TELEPHONE 326.

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CLEARING SALE OF MILLINERY.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

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Decorations of any and every kind done in the most artistic manner by practical men and at the most reliable prices. Flags and Mottoes to rent. Carpet Covers or Dancing Linen to Rent. Folding Tables to Rent. A few Carnival Suits to Rent, at

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If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Christmas trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea:—

Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Chiffon Collars and Neckwear
Veilings and Nettings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c.
Cloth for a Mantle
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No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

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403 George Street.

THE DUTY ON LUMBER

Michigan Mill Men are Getting Rather Anxious.

MUST DEPEND ON CANADA FOR LOGS

They Will Resist Any Attempt to Impose Protection on United States Lumber Because Canada Might Retaliate and Then They Would Have to Move Over Here.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 26.—An evening paper says: It is understood that E. Murett Hopkins, formerly secretary of the Saginaw Board of Trade, is the man chosen by the lumbermen in the eastern part of Michigan to represent them in Washington this winter. There is a proposal to restore the former tariff on lumber and Eastern Michigan manufacturers are opposed to the bill. They say that it will destroy the lumber trade in Michigan and compel the removal of the mills to the Canadian shores. It is understood, though, that the fact has not been confirmed, possibly will not be confirmed, because it is regarded as private that Arthur Hill, the big Saginaw lumberman, is back of the organization of lumbermen that Mr. Hopkins is now forming. It will make an effort to unite the influence of the Michigan lumbermen to prevent protective legislation at Washington, which, in the present status of lumbering in Michigan, they believe would be hostile to the lumbering interests in this State. They will raise money to send Mr. Hopkins to Washington as a private confidential representative of their interests. It is said that the forests of Michigan, of Eastern Michigan at any rate, have been well-nigh exhausted

All the mills along the Huron shore are dependent upon Canada for logs. If the United States attempts to protect American lumber by imposing a tax upon Canadian lumber, which is now shipped into this State in such large quantities, the Canadians will put an export tax upon Canadian logs. This will compel Michigan mills to remove to Canada. This is the argument Mr. Hopkins will employ. On the other hand, the opponents of the present free lumber say that the Michigan mills are going there as it is, that it is impossible for them to compete with Canadian lumber. It is intimated that the only purpose of the lumbermen in retaining the present Wilson bill schedule, which admits lumber free, is in order that the Michigan lumbermen may remove their mills to Canada and still have a free market in this country.

Two so prominent men as Gen. Alger and David Whitney take directly opposite views of this important question, two men whose interests in lumber and vision as to the final effect of legislation upon these interests are as wide as those of any two men in the United States. Gen. Alger disclaims any direct interest in the present or proposed legislation. He has no mills in Michigan. He owns pine lands in Canada, it is known, but he declares it makes no difference whether that pine is manufactured in Canada or this country. "There are two sides to this question," said Gen. Alger this morning. "It is a question that requires careful consideration and discussion. I am a protectionist, you understand, so that it seems rather inconsistent in me to favor now free trade in lumber, but what shall and what shall not be taxed upon the principle of a protective tariff is a practical not a theoretical question." If we had abundence of pine in this State there would not be the slightest difficulty. I should say a protective tariff is all right. I don't say it is not all right now, but we are largely dependent on Canada for our logs. More than half of the lumber that is manufactured in the eastern half of the State comes from Canada in the form of logs. The Cheboygan mills have not a foot of pine that does not come from Canada. It is very largely so at Alpena and Tawas and Saginaw. If we should put a duty on Canadian lumber I have no doubt that Canada would retaliate by putting an export duty upon logs. It's the law of self-protection. The result would be that the Michigan lumber industry would be transferred to Canada."

Gen. Alger, who has been widely mentioned as a probable member of President-elect McKinley's Cabinet, says, considering the relations of the United States with Cuba, he would not favor a recognition of the independence of Cuba until the Cubans had at least established a seat of government. He would not favor purchasing Cuba, as he believes she would be a great burden to the United States.

POOR MRS. HALPIN.

A Woman Who Was Born in Canada Went Out to Buy Christmas Toys and the Effort Killed Her.

New York, Dec. 26.—Mrs. A. Antoinette Halpin, wife of ex-Assemblyman William Halpin, died last night at her home, 339 West Twenty-second-street, from nervous exhaustion, collapse and gastritis, caused by the excessive use of Jamaica ginger. Mrs. Halpin was 28 years old, born in Canada, and had been in this city 21 years. She was the daughter of John O'Donough.

The circumstances attending Mrs. Halpin's death, which resulted from gastritis, were singularly sad. Mrs. Halpin, who had been extremely ill for several weeks, insisted upon accompanying her husband Thursday on a shopping expedition, insisting that she be allowed to select the Christmas toys. With the dawn of Christmas, however, she suffered a serious relapse. Dr. Muson was sent for, but medical aid was of no avail, and her death occurred early Christmas evening. The Halpins had been married only a few years.

NOT SO BAD AFTER ALL.

The Fire in the Springhill Mines is Under Control and Mining Operations Will be Resumed Soon.

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 27.—The fire in the east slope of the Springhill colliery is practically under control. It is expected that mining operations will be resumed in a few days. The closing of the east slope will not affect the output of the miner, as every ton of coal needed can be raised by the other slopes. It was intended to close the east slope at the end of the year.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Mrs George Postlethwaite of Lakefield Fell in a Fit While Carrying a Lighted Lamp.

Lakefield, Ont., Dec. 26.—Mrs. George Postlethwaite was burned to death here this evening. She was subject to fits and is supposed to have fallen in one of these while a lamp was in her hand and set fire to her clothing. She was burned to a crisp and the room was on fire when her husband came in at 6 o'clock

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THIS IS AWFUL.

Train Fell 110 Feet From a Bridge, Took Fire and 29 Dead Bodies Have Been Taken Out.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 27.—Birmingham mineral train No. 40, which is a local train making a circuit of the mining towns in the Birmingham district, went through the Cahaba River bridge near Guernee, 27 miles from Birmingham, at 7.50 a.m. The wreckage took fire and was rapidly burned. Twenty-nine bodies have been taken out and nine persons were injured. The relief train has not yet returned with the dead and injured. It is thought train wreckers removed a rail, which caused the wreck. The bridge was 110 feet high.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

News of the Day Culled From the Great Batch of Despatches Sent Over the Wires.

The Hamburg dockmen's strike is still on.

Prof. Emil Du Bois-Reymonds, a distinguished physiologist, died in Berlin yesterday, aged 79 years.

The High School building at Tonawanda, N.Y., was burned on Saturday evening. Loss $30,000; insurance $19,000.

Prince Bismarck had all his children and grandchildren about him on Christmas Day. The ex-Chancellor is in good health.

Norton & Co., a large commercial firm of Chicago, with interests at Lockport, N. Y., and Niagara Falls, N.Y., failed on Saturday.

Gen. John Meredith Reed, the well-known American diplomat, died in Paris, France, yesterday of pneumonia. He was born at Philadelphia in 1837.

A fire which involved a loss of $50,000 occurred at Potsdam, N.Y., Saturday night. Half a block in the business section, including the Windsor Hotel, was destroyed.

It is reported as a humorous phase of British politics that Mr. Tim Healy and Col. Saunderson have joined hands in the new agitation for securing financial reparation for Ireland.

The accouchement of the Czarina (formerly Princess Alix of Hesse) is expected to take place about the end of January. It has been arranged to have the event occur at Tsarskoe-Selo.

A fire which caused damage of nearly $100,000, took place yesterday in the repair shops of Lushwick division of the Brooklyn Heights Railway Company of Brooklyn, N.Y.

A mad dog ran amuck in Baltimore on Dec. 1 and bit eight boys. Two of them have died in awful agony. All the boys were sent to the Pasteur Institute in New York and it is thought five of them will recover.

The soft coal pool has had a bad shaking up owing to competition of outsiders, including the Dominion Coal Company of Nova Scotia, and efforts are being made to bolster it up and save further cutting in prices.

Sir John Brown, one of the first in Great Britain to advocate the plating of war ships with armor, died at Brighton yesterday. He was Mayor of Sheffield from 1862 to 1863 and Master Cutler there from 1863 to 1866.

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Each Contractor will prepare his own Specification, and forward the same in detail with tender. Any further information required may be obtained from Lt.-Col. Bell Peterborough.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

A. BENOIT, Captain,
The Department of Militia and Defence. *Secretary.*
Ottawa, 21st December, 1896. 6d117

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Keep in mind the Removal Sale now going on at C. G. GEMMELL'S Corset and Furnishing Store. You can secure many excellent bargains in Sensible Christmas Gifts such as these:—

Ladies' $1.00 Corsets ..... Reduced to 75c
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Finest and Cheapest Vests in Town. Cheaper grades similarly reduced in price.

Men's $1 00 Shirts and Drawers ..... reduced to 75c
Men's 75c Shirts and Drawers ..... reduced to 55c
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JUST RECEIVED—A Holiday line of Ladies and Children's Lined Kid Mitts and Gloves, from 50c to 85c.

Wool Tam O'Shanters, in various colours, only 23c.

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Will Not be a Barrier

to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.60, now $ 75
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.25, now 1 00
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.75, now 1 25
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.50, now 2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 60
Lacing Gloves..... were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour d..... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1.25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves .... were $1.25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.50, now 19c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.25, now 0 20
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Vestings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose..... were 30c, now 20c
Higher Grades at Cost.
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 20c, now 15c
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 25c, now 20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

ROBERT HALL

285 George Street, Peterborough,
Telephone 171.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers in the DAILY EXAMINER to ensure a prompt change of their advertisement, will please hand in their copy the evening previous to the date the "ad." should appear.

Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

"One Year's Sketch Book." "In a Fair Country," both full of beautiful wood cuts. Regular price, $6.00, for $3.00—this week at SAILSBURY'S.

Compliments of the season to our many customers and friends. GRAFTON & CO.

Fortnightly Club.

The Fortnightly Club will hold its regular meeting to-morrow evening in the County Council Chamber, when Mr. A. C. McCallum will read a paper on "Ancient Engineering," which promises to be very interesting.

The Ellsworth Property.

Putting the Ellsworth property in the market (lot 15, corner of Elizabeth street and Lake street, (Ashburnham) will no doubt make a complete change in business aspects in Ashburnham. The sale is to be on the 26th, at 2 p.m., at the Morgan House. 3d148.

Sizing up the Situation.

For the few remaining days of the year there will be bargains at Routley's fancy goods store, enough to loosen the purse-strings of a skinflint. Stock-taking will be going on while a continued slaughter of the goods is in progress. The less stock we have to take the better, and almost any offer will influence sales. Mr. Routley is open to receive offers for his valuable houses and other town properties, particulars of which will be cheerfully given to all enquirers. C. B. ROUTLEY.

Holiday Photographs.

G. E. Whiten, the new photographer of Peterborough, is doing a grand trade since coming here. He is kept very busy. He finishes most of his work on the new Platino finish. There is no better work made in Ontario to-day than is made at Whiten's New Art Studio, on Hunter street west, opposite Oak Hall. His prices are very reasonable. Go and see the quality of his work and be convinced there is none better, and few to equal his work. Give him a trial. dtf

E. Brown & Co., 394 George Street.

Our Christmas fruits are the finest obtainable in Montreal and Toronto markets. We have just laid in a choice stock with the intention of supplying the town. Connoisseur Cluster Raisins, Currants, Layer and Cooking Figs, Prunes, Dates, Piper's pure Chocolate, Spices and everything needful for Christmas cakes and puddings. Don't forget to call.—E. BROWN & Co., Grocers, also Wines and Liquors.

I. O. F. Elect Officers.

The annual business meeting of Court Chemong, No. 580, Independent Order of Foresters, was held Wednesday evening, and the following officers were elected for 1897 :

Geo Robertson	C R
John Hetherington	P C R
John Logan	V C R
John Byers	R S
H A Fife	F S
W H Meldrum	Treas
A Allison	Chap
Robt Shearer	S W
R Matchett	J W
Jason Smith	S B
A W Fleming	J B
Dr Greer	Court Physician
Dr M A Morrison	Court Deputy

Installation of officers takes place on the last Friday in January.

Fans for Evening Parties, etc.

The magnificent exhibition of holiday goods at the Peterborough Bookstore has been reinforced with new and attractive lines to meet the continued demand of holiday shoppers. Regular stocks have not been neglected, nor will they be. We have a lovely selection of new fans for evening parties, festivals and other fashionable functions. For the first three days of next week we will take a discount of 20 per cent. off every fan. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will therefore be bargain days in fans—including the choicest we have in silk, feather, hand-painted, etc. At the same time our stock of New Year's cards, calendars and booklets must be sold at "last moment prices."—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

WM. YELLAND AND W. H. MOORE

CANDIDATES FOR THE MAYORALTY.

A Big Batch of Candidates in the Field For the Council.

School Trustees Dr. Burnham, W. H. Wrighton and J. J. McBain Re elected by Acclamation—A Contest in No. 4 Ward Between Jas. Edgecumbe and Jos. Burnett—Addresses in the Council Chamber by Mayor Yelland and W. H. Moore—Ashburnham Nominations.

The nominations for the municipal representatives of Peterborough took place today.

The nominations for Mayor took place at 10 o'clock at the council chamber, when the following nominations were made:

Mr. Wm. Yelland, proposed by Mr. John P. Metheral, seconded by Mr. Benjamin Armstrong.

Mr. W. H. Moore, proposed by Mr. Adam Hall, seconded by Mr. Thos. Irwin.

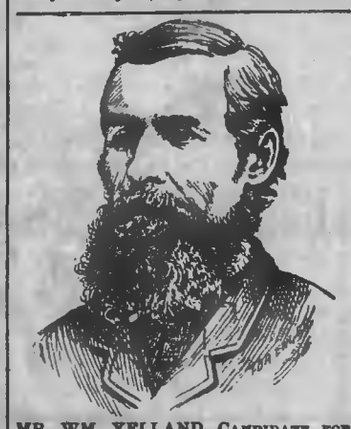
On motion of Mr. Yelland, seconded by Mr. Moore, Mr. S. R. Armstrong, was appointed chairman for the speaking.

MR. YELLAND'S ADDRESS.

Mr. Yelland, as the retiring mayor, was the first to address the electors. He said :

Gentlemen,—A year ago on being nominated for the office of Mayor I asked for your support, and you gave it to me generously. I told you then that if I were elected I would devote time to the duties of the office, and would perform the duties to the best of my ability. I have kept that promise. I do not say that I have not made mistakes during the past twelve months, but I do say that I have attended to the duties of the office punctually, carefully and to the best of my ability, and I believe, too, with a measure of success, and that the business of the town has been managed in the best interests of the ratepayers, so far as my efforts have been concerned.

This has been a busy year in the history of the municipality, and public works of importance have been pushed forward. It had been recognized for a number of years that sewerage was needed, especially in the more crowded district in the centre of the town. A good beginning had been made, and when the members of the council of this year took office last January they found the outfall sewer completed to Townsend street, and the George street sewer completed to King street. This left for the council of this year the work of extending the sewers through the business portion of the town in order that the work which had been done might be utilized. Early in the year, steps were taken to carry



MR. WM. YELLAND, CANDIDATE FOR THE MAYORALTY.

on the work, and it was pushed forward with such success that at the close of the year we have the whole business portion of the town furnished with good sewers and a long felt want properly supplied. In doing this there were circumstances that made the work somewhat difficult. The old brick drain on George street had to be taken out, and the connections with the old drain had to be looked after while the new sewer was being constructed, which was a class of work entirely new in Peterborough. It is a source of satisfaction to the council, and I think also the ratepayers, that the work was carried out and completed, and the contract settled up, smoothly and without any friction. We hope that as a result of this work our town, which has been recognised as a healthy one, will be even more healthy and that the citizens will reap the benefits in increased comfort and absence of sickness.

The financial position of this municipality has for many years been a satisfactory one. The debt, considering the public works and public institutions we have, is small, and this is owing to the generosity with which hospitals, parks and other public institutions have been endowed, and also to the foresight and carefulness of those who have had charge of the town. The rate of taxation tion this year was one mill higher than it was last year, which made it the same as in 1894, but this increase cannot be charged to the council this year. Seven-tenths of the increase went to the public schools and two-tenths to the Town Trust Commissioners, so that of the one mill additional the council only get the benefits of one-tenth of a mill. There were extraordinary expenditures which had to be met, including the judgment in the Mason case, yet with the increase of one-tenth of a mill in the rate we were able to present a financial statement showing a balance on the right side, a result that I am certain must be considered satisfactory. The debentures which have been issued in connection with the sewers, as well as those which have still to be issued, have been sold at par to Messrs. Hall and McGill, trustees of funds held for the benefit of parks and other public institutions of the town, so that the town has, in borrowing this money, provided a good investment for funds held for the benefit of the citizens and practically sold the debentures to themselves. Not many towns or cities are in this position, and we have reason to congratulate ourselves on the financial position of our town.

Notwithstanding the general dullness of trade, the town is making progress. The population has increased steadily every year for a number of years past, and this year among the marked evidences of progress, is the construction of the commodious and substantial building of the Young Men's Christian Association. The council, of course, had no hand in this, but it is a pleasure, in reviewing the public work and events of the year, to mention the erection of this handsome edifice, the result of private generosity.

We were honoured last fall with a visit from the Queen's representative, the Governor-General of Canada, and it was a pleasure to me to join in the loyal welcome extended to him by the citizens of Peterborough. It was also a pleasure to assist in the honour paid to a former mayor of this town, the Hon. George A. Cox, on the occasion of his elevation to the Senate of the Dominion. Another pleasant event was the visit of the Hon. A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, although the visit partook more of a business nature. The inspection by the Minister of the route of the Trent Valley Canal, including the sections under construction, will, I hope and believe, bear fruit in the work being pushed on and in this great waterway being completed.

There are several matters of importance which the council will be called upon to deal with next year. The sewers having been completed in the centre of the town, it will be the duty of the council to consider, promptly and carefully, the question of more permanent roadways and sidewalks. The private drain connections should be hurried forward as soon as the frost will permit, and the construction of permanent roadways taken up.

The question of extension of the system of sewers will also come up, and provision should be promptly made meeting the wishes of ratepayers who may wish extensions. With this in view, and also to finally settle what has been done, the council should, as soon as possible after it has been organized for next year, have the assessments made according to law for the sewers that have been completed and have the debentures issued.

It has been suggested that it would be in the interests of the ratepayers and of the town to have the taxes collected in two instalments, a suggestion with which I agree, as I believe it would be more convenient for most of the people and would result in the rates being more promptly collected. A change which has been made in the system of assessing, by which the owner of property is assessed as well as the tenant, and the more general custom of payment of taxes by owners which has grown up, would facilitate this desirable change. The council could not bring this improvement into effect in 1897, but it could make provision for the new system going into operation in the succeeding year.

It has long been the policy of this town to encourage manufacturing and other industries, and this is a policy which I shall, if you re elect me to the position which I now have the honour of holding, continue to advocate. Peterborough is now a manufacturing centre, and anything which will improve its position in this respect I will support, so long as it can be done without injury to the general interests of the ratepayers.

MR. W. H. MOORE, CANDIDATE FOR THE MAYORALTY.

There will, no doubt, be many other questions for the council to deal with next year, and I again promise you that, if elected, I will use my best endeavours to protect and forward the interests of all classes of the citizens and of the town generally.

I have endeavoured to do my duty in the past year, and I believe, as I said before, not without success. It has been a custom in Peterborough to allow a Mayor at least a second year in office without a contest, and I do not know of any reason why the custom should be departed from on this occasion. I therefore appeal to you with confidence for a renewal of your confidence and support.

Mr. Yelland added that what he had set forth he would try to carry out if elected. He did not take all the credit for the favourable financial showing the town had made, for his opponent in this contest, as "finance minister" was entitled to a degree of credit. But if Mr. Moore was entitled to some credit, he must also bear his share of the responsibility of any mistakes in administration of public affairs that may have been made. As he had just said he had expected that he would be allowed to be returned unopposed, as had been the custom for the past twenty years to be returned without opposition, but Mr. Moore had seen fit to enter the field in opposition to him. He (Mr. Yelland) would stand on his record. He had done what he thought was right, and he would, if elected, do so again. His record during his residence in town had been before all men, and he was not afraid of any charge of wilful wrong doing brought against him. The people knew him well, and they could approach him at all times and be sure of a civil answer. He had only the friendliest of feelings towards Mr. Moore, but he still felt that he had a good claim to the confidence of the people, and appealed to the electors for their support to again return him to the responsible position of Mayor. (Cheers.)

MR. MOORE'S ADDRESS.

Mr. Moore, in opening his address, thanked his nominators for the honour they had done him in presenting his name to the electors as a candidate for Mayor for 1897. He made no apology for appearing as a candidate opposed to Mr. Yelland for it had not been his desire nor ambition to occupy the seat of the Chief Magistrate of the town, but rather to retire from his municipal life, which had been devoted to the town at various times since 1873, and he declined to accede to the desire of representative men to be a candidate but a request having been afterwards presented to him, the names upon which covered several pages of foolscap, with sentiments containing flattering reference to his ability to fill the office, he still hesitated to accept the responsibility implied and and the sacrifice that he must make, until representations were made to him that he should not ignore the request of the electors. He had accepted in deference to their repeated wishes. It could not be said that he had acted impertinently. He was now before the ratepayers asking their support. He had no personal quarrel with Mr. Yelland, but only with the policy or want of policy which has marked his twelve months' incumbency of the office of Mayor. Mr. Yelland, a year ago, had dealt in promises for the necessary reason that he had not served the town for many years previously. Therefore promises were excusable, but it was feared that what he had performed was in inverse ratio to what he had promised. Mr. Yelland, a few days ago, had published an address to the ratepayers, and had cast it abroad by thousands, and by that, prepared in a deliberate manner, the electors should rather judge him than by anything he might speak or that he might promise. This address was remarkable for its omissions, and Mr. Moore pointed out that when a man appeals for a renewal of confidence he never fails to put forward all he can show of what he has done during his official life. This address was as bare and empty of a claim for the accomplishment of any design for the amelioration of the present condition of the town as a bird's nest of eggs in this month of December, and this, notwithstanding the various specific promises he had made of what he proposed to do if elected for Mayor, a year ago and notwithstanding he had taken $250 of the town's moneys given as pocket money but had applied it to his own purposes. The address which had been published was one simply of calling upon the ratepayers to "Trust me again."

Now as Mr. Moore has said this address was more to be remarked upon because of what had been omitted than what filled its four corners and this was well for Mr. Yelland, for otherwise it would not have been a very acceptable presentment to the rate-payers. The first omission to which Mr. Moore called attention was what occurred at the first meeting of the council when he (Mr. Yelland) relieved a worthy servant of an office, held by him for a number of years, and in which he had given much satisfaction, viz: that of auditor by Mr. F. E. Bell, (whose only crime so far as Mr. Moore could discover was that he was possessed of little of this world's goods) and by the appointment in his place of the Mayor's nephew, Mr. Brownscombe. The second omission was that the Mayor by his vote had placed this same nephew in the office of treasurer of the town in preference to Mr. Henry Deane and had thereby provided his relation with the same salary that had been paid to Mr. McGill for a number of years. Mr. Yelland had also omitted to

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GRAND RALLY!

MR. MOORE'S

Friends in the Mayoralty contest will meet at his Committee Rooms each evening this week at 7.30 o'clock p m.

Rooms in Opera House Building, first turn to left from George street entrance, up stairs. (T. Hurley's late office.)

No Excuse

For wearing shabby and misfitting Garments when you can secure A 1 goods and perfect fit at the following prices at 422 GEORGE STREET:

Trousers..... $3, $4, $5
Suits..... $12, $14, $16
Double Breasted Ulsters $12, $13, $15.
Handsome Ties and Braces for the Xmas trade.

ROBERT WEIR

Issuer of Marriage Licenses.
Arrangement made to meet the wishes of those desiring same. 422 George St., North of Foot & McWhinnie.

'CANES'

"They are a Creation, They Do Not Grow."

To-day we show a fine line of these goods in "Silver Mounted" Congo woods — the "Prince of Wales" being the favourite pattern.

Prices will be from $1.00 to $2.00.

What a nice idea for a Gentleman's Present.

To help the over-taxed pocket of Christmas shoppers we place on sale in our window a fine assortment of Christmas Novelties in

—Rings
—Bangle Pins
—Bracelets
—Enamel Spoons
—Gold Chains
—Gold Spectacles, &c.

These Goods will be offered at prices that can not help but sell them.

McClelland

393 GEORGE STREET.

The Peterborough Bookstore.

417 GEORGE STREET, December 26th, 1896.

Christmas Continued.

THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE will continue in Holiday Attire until after New Year's. In appreciation of the generous patronage bestowed on us during the past, we will offer Bargain Chances of unusual attraction during this Holiday Week.

SANTA CLAUS

Has been very busy at the Peterborough Bookstore, and will continue to be for some days yet, and we are determined to offer such special advantages to shoppers for the balance of 1896, as will make Holiday buying BRISK AND MERRY—winding up the old year with a generous Holiday Sale in every department.

If you have forgotten your duty to any of your friends come direct to the Peterborough Bookstore.

A. H. STRATTON & CO

417 George Street.

OUR PRICES, LIKE THIS LINE, ARE AT THE BOTTOM.

A GRAND CLOSING SALE!

...AT...

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S.

The grand success of our Christmas trade has left us with many lines of goods broken in assortment and in sizes, and we have decided out of appreciation of a most liberal patronage by our many friends to clear out many lines at prices that must be a benefit to the buyer. This being the last week of the year we have many reasons for giving you this liberal offering.

Handkerchiefs.

All our 10c Silk Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched and Embroidered, will go at 5 cents.
All our 15c Silk plain Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs will go at 10c.
Only 10 doz left of our Special White Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, will go at 5c.
Only 10 doz left of our new Embroidered Handkerchiefs, will go at 15c.
Only 5 doz. Men's Coloured Silk Handkerchiefs, were 50c, will go at 35c.
All the balance of our Mufflers at at clearing prices.
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, special price 25c.
CHILDRENS' BOAS, LADIES' COLLARETTES.

Hosiery and Gloves.

Ladies' black ribbed Cashmere Hose, 32c quality, sale price 25c.
Ladies' Heavy wool Hose 20c quality, sale price 15c.
Boys' Heavy Ribbed Hose, sale price 25c
Special values in Kid Gloves.

Dress Goods.

200 yds of 50c Plaid Dress Goods, will clear at 40c.
300 yds 35c Fancy Tweed Dress Goods will clear at 25c.
200 yds of Black figured Dress Goods, 40c quality, will clear at 30c.
300 yds China Silk, will clear at 25c.

Mantles and Jackets.

Our stock in this department must now be cleared regardless of price.
Bargains in Capes, Jackets, Ulsters, etc.

Millinery.

Everything being cleared out at special prices.

Carpets, Rugs, Mats and Curtains.

A special purchase of Rugs and Mats for Holiday trade.
Special prices on CARPETS, OIL-CLOTHS and CURTAINS.

Flannels, Flannelette and Cottons.

New spring Wrapperettes to go at special prices.
FLANNELS at special prices.
TABLE LINENS in cloths and by the yard at special prices.
BLANKETS. The best value in the trade.
FLANNELETTES. The best value in the trade.

Men's Ordered Clothing

At very special prices.

We wish to close the year with special bargains to our customers.

It will pay you to call and see our values this week.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

Best in the World.

PURE GOLD BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure Cream of Tartar and Soda.

Pure as Pure Gold.

PURE GOLD FLAVOURING EXTRACTS are as Good as Pure Gold Baking Powder.

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COMPETENT HELP ONLY

Secures the confidence of Business Men.

How many of the young men and women who are anxious for a good position are able to fill one satisfactorily?

Good positions are more plentiful than competent help.

Our objects are (1) to thoroughly fit our students for office work. (2) to assist them to positions when they are competent. Fully 75 per cent. of our students last year are now engaged in office work.

YOUR CHANCES ARE JUST AS GOOD.

New term begins Jan. 4, 1897. Call at our office or write us for full particulars.

PRINGLE & McCORMA,

BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1896.

MR. YELLAND'S COMMITTEE ROOMS.

In another column will be found a notice that Mr. Yelland's committee rooms will be opened this evening in the rooms above Messrs. Loch & Sons' fur store, George street.

Mr. Yelland is now in the field for mayor, and he feels that he has a reason to count upon the Liberal support of the electors to place him in the mayor's chair for a second term. Mr. Yelland has occupied the position of Mayor for the past year with credit to himself and has shown unremitting devotion to his duties. During that time the affairs of the town have been economically managed, and so far as a mayor could be expected to control affairs, it does not seem that any important interest has not received attention. Mr. Moore, who is also an aspirant for the position of mayor, has not submitted any platform that would lead the rate payers to expect anything in the way of great reforms that would justify a withdrawal of the confidence that has been reposed in Mr. Yelland, and certainly no reasons have yet been advanced why the custom of the past 20 years should be departed from in refusing a second term, where no important reason exists for the adoption of another practice. Mr. Moore has had frequent opportunities during the past year to propose many of the reforms which in his address to-day he accused Mr. Yelland of neglecting. That he did not do so does not, it seems, strengthen the position he now occupies of appealing to the electors to give him their support in in preference to Mr. Yelland.

Mr. Yelland in this contest counts upon the earnest co-operation of his friends, who will be welcomed to his committee rooms.

MR. BROOKS CANED,

And Also Presented With a Pair of Fur Gauntlets.

On Thursday evening last Mr. Thos. Brooks, Manager of the Peterborough Lock Co., was presented with a cane and a handsome pair of fur gauntlets by the employees at the works. Mr. Frank Adams, secretary of the company, read the address as follows:

Dear Mr. Brooks:

On behalf of the employees of the Peterborough Lock M'f'g Company, we hereby present you with the accompanying gauntlets and cane as a slight appreciation of the many kindnesses we have received at your hands, during the many years we have been in the employ of the Company, and we hope that the pleasant relations existing between us as employer and employees may long continue.

We sincerely hope that you may long be spared to make use of the accompanying gifts. Wishing you and yours a merry Christmas and a happy New Year, we are,

Yours very truly,

JOHN EMMERSON,
C. J. TABER,
F. BURDETTE,
} Committee.

The presentation was made by Mr. John S. Judge, who has been with Mr. Brooks for the last 25 or 30 years.

In thanking the men for their kind remembrance of him, Mr. Brooks expressed the hope that the pleasant relations mentioned in the address, as existing between himself and them might ever continue.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Dec. 28,—8.30 a.m..... 3° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday.....	7½°	7° below

Suitable.

What more suitable for an Xmas present than one of China Hall's lovely $10.00 dinner sets?

Society Events.

THE HOLIDAY SEASON CALLS FOR GENTLEMEN'S FULL DRESS SUITS FOR EVENING WEAR. A CAREFUL SCRUTINY OF YOUR WARDROBE MAY PREVENT MUCH ANNOYANCE AT THE LAST MOMENT. FOR

$31.50 SPOT CASH

YOU CAN BE PERFECTLY FITTED WITH A FASHIONABLY TAILORED BLACK DRESS SUIT—ALL SILK LINED—MATERIAL SPECIALLY IMPORTED FROM ENGLAND.

Mercer's

CHURCH CHIMES.

Miss Vair's rendition of Adam's "Star of Bethlehem," as a solo last evening in St. Paul's church was greatly appreciated.

The Christmas anthem "The King of Love my Shepherd is" was well sung in the Charlotte street church last night.

"Let me now go to Bethlehem," was the title of a most harmoniously rendered anthem in St. Paul's church yesterday morning.

Mr. G. W. Mulligan sang "O Holy Night," as a solo, in St. Andrew's yesterday, the choir taking the solo parts in an able manner.

St. Andrew's church choir gave a very fine rendering yesterday morning of the Christmas anthem "Let us now go even unto Bethlehem."

Miss Hendren took the solo work remarkably well last evening in the anthem "Calm on the Listening Night," in the Charlotte street church.

A new arrangement of the anthem "Behold how Beatiful upon the Mountain" was given with good effect by the choir of St. Andrew's church yesterday morning.

During the offertory yesterday morning in the Charlotte street church Miss Hendren and Mr. A. L. Davis sang the duet "Hark! my Soul," their voices blending perfectly in the rendition.

"Glory to God in the Highest," was rendered with fine effect as an anthem in St. Paul's church last evening. As a concluding voluntary the choir sang "Hark! What Mean these Holy Voices?"

Rev. Father O'Sullivan, recently ordained at Campbellford, celebrated the 10.30 o'clock morning mass and vespers at St. Peter's Cathedral yesterday, and at the conclusion of the mass conferred his blessing on the congregation.

As a morning anthem yesterday the choir of the Charlotte street Methodist church sang "That Glorious Song of Old." Mr. A. L. Davis took the solo parts in excellent voice and the entire anthem was sung in noticeable harmony.

ST. LUKE'S.

The services at St. Luke's yesterday were in effect a continuation of the Christmas day services. The beautiful Christmas decorations remained and added to these of the usual character was be noticed two permanent additions to the beauty of the interior of St. Luke's church. One, a memorial to the late Rev. W. C. Bradshaw, is a marble tablet placed upon the north wall of the chancel, and was executed by Messrs. Coughlin Bros. of Peterborough. The following is the inscription: "To the glory of God and in memory of Rev. W. C. Bradshaw, who, during fourteen years (1876-1890) laboured earnestly in the erection of this church, and the organization of the parish, this tablet is erected by his former parishioners, died June 25th, 1896." Below is the text, "One soweth and another reapeth." The new brass font ewer is of a handsome design, by Keith and Fitzsimmons, with the following engravings: "One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism." "In Memoriam Mary Nita and Fredk. H. Le M. Grassett, 1892-1895."

At the evening service there was a large congregation and the musical portion of the service was especially attractive and excellent—Magnificat, Garrett in C; Nunc Dimittis, Plummer in F; Anthems—"Sing, O Heavens" and "While Shepherds Watched their Flocks by Night;" Carol—"In Excelsis Gloria." In this selection the solo was very capably and pleasantly taken by Miss Tivey. The hymns were in the joyous and excellent character appropriate to the Christmas-tide. The rector preached the sermon on "The Work and Writings of St. John the Evangelist," yesterday having been St. John's Day.

PERSONAL

Mr. Robert Hicks is spending a couple of weeks in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster, of Port Hope, are visiting friends in town.

Miss Lulu Green is spending a few days in Port Hope as the guest of Miss Oliver.

Mrs. J. R. Bickell and children have been spending the last few days in Port Hope.

Mr. Ashton Fife is home from Winnipeg on a visit after an absence of about six years.

Miss N. Simonds has returned from Belleville, where she was spending her holidays.

Miss L. Staples is back from Millbrook, where she has been visiting friends for the last few days.

Miss Barker, of Campbellford, formerly secretary of the Y. W. C. A., is visiting friends in town.

Rev. A. J. Terrill, of Selwyn, passed through to-day on his way east to spend the week with his parents.

Mr. Geo. Edmison, who has been in Little Chester, N. Y., for the past several months, is home on a holiday.

Mr. S. Craig and his daughter, Miss Annie Craig, of Hespler, are the guests of the Misses Swanson, Ashburnham.

Mr. George Kincaid, son of Mr. John Kincaid, Harvey street, left this morning for Rossland, B. C., on a prospecting tour.

Mr. J. J. Grafton, buyer for the well-known firm of Grafton & Co., clothing manufacturers, sails on December 30th, per steamer "Teutonic" from New York. He will visit all the most important of the European markets.

Stinging Corns.

Next to a stinging conscience, makes life a misery. The stinging pain of a corn may be speedily and painlessly removed by the use of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Twenty-four hours after Putnam's is applied the corns may be removed.

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Our stock is still large and of first quality. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. by buying from us now. Save it. The whole stock in trade for sale "en bloc." CLEGG'S RETIRING SALE. (Next to Stratton's Bookstore).

BURNED TO DEATH.

Mrs. George Postlethwaite, of Lakefield, is the Victim of an Awful Accident.

One of the sadest accidents in the annals of Lakefield occurred on Saturday evening about 6.30, by which Jennie, wife of Mr. George Postlethwaite, and second daughter of Mr. David Smith, met with a fearful death.

When her husband returned from work at the Strickland Canoe factory a little after 6 p.m., to his home on Regent street, he found the hall full of smoke, and on making his way into the kitchen was horrified to see his wife's body on the floor surrounded by flames which were fast spreading over the room. He managed to get hold of the body and dragged it into the hall, his hands being severely burned whilst so doing. He then ran into the kitchen and obtained a pail of water which he dashed over the still blazing body.

By this time the Rev. Geo. Edmison arrived on the scene, followed by Dr. Bell, when the fire in the room was soon extinguished, and attention turned to the body which was found charred beyond recognition, almost every particle of the clothing being burned off. The unfortunate lady, who was aged 30, has been subject for some years to epileptic fits and has seldom been left alone, one of her sisters remaining with her. Of late she has been better and was alone at the time of the accident, having been up to the post office and some stores an hour before.

From the appearance of the body and room, it is surmised she was sitting in an arm chair by the table, and was seized with a fit, pulling or knocking the lamp off the table when she fell. Her body was first discovered where she must have fallen or slid off the chair, which was almost entirely consumed, while the broken lamp lay on the floor beside it.

No inquest was held, as the cause of death was purely accidental. The body when coffined was removed to her father's residence on Smith street, from where the funeral took place to-day at 3 o'clock to the Lakefield cemetery.

The announcement of the death of Mrs. Postlethwaite will come as a most distinct shock to the entire community, as she was a great favourite in her large circle of friends.

Deceased was a daughter of Mr. David Smith, the village blacksmith, and had only been married about two years when she met her death in so sad and tragic a manner.

TWO EXTREME CASES

With Which the Children's Aid Society Purposes to Deal.

Two cases are now being dealt with by the Children's Aid Society, in which desertion and destitution are painfully in evidence.

In the one case a family of three children, the eldest being ten and the youngest five years of age, live in the back country. The parents go out sometimes and leave them for two or three days without food or fire. Urgent complaints have reached the society and an officer will be despatched at once to bring the children in.

The other case concerns a family of imbeciles, living on beds of boughs in an Eastern township, with scarcely any food and in a remote part of the country. This family has been known for some time, but the township concerned has refused to take any steps to improve their condition. The Aid Society will also take up this case.

Compliments of the season to our many customers and friends.
GRAFTON & CO.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mr. Wm. Hook, after Hardly a Week's Illness.

The death of Mr. Wm. Hook, aged 64, took place yesterday at the Nicholls' Hospital, of bronchial pneumonia.

The deceased contracted a heavy cold on Monday, Dec. 21st, which settled on his lungs. On Wednesday he was taken to the hospital, but sank steadily until his demise at noon on Sunday.

He was born in Shire Parish, Guilford, Surrey, England, and had been a resident of Peterborough for 33 years. For the last four years he has been driving for Mr. Fred Mitchell and was well and favourably known throughout the town. He leaves a widow, his second wife, and two children, viz., Mr. Frederick W. Hock, of Detroit, and Mrs. Levi Saunders of Toronto, who are both in town to attend the funeral, which takes place privately at two o'clock to-morrow afternoon from his late residence, No. 575 George street.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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—THE—

Mayoralty Contest.

MR. YELLAND'S COMMITTEE ROOMS.

The Committee Rooms of Mr. Yelland are over the Fur Store of Messrs. Loch & Sons, George Street, and will be open this evening and every evening thereafter till the close of the contest.

WM. YELLAND.

TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

Having been nominated for Councillor for Ward No. 1 for 1897 I beg leave to announce my acceptance of the nomination.

I take this opportunity of soliciting the support of the electors—the ladies as well as the gentlemen—and if elected the best interests of this ward and of the town at large will receive my careful attention.

Yours Respectfully,

WM. RUDKINS.

December 28th, 1896.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—At the request of numerous ratepayers of Ward No. 1, to become a candidate for councillor, for 1897, I have decided to do so, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. Should you elect me for the position I will use my best judgment in all matters that may come before the council, but more especially in the interests of economy and retrenchment in public affairs. I will endeavour to explain my views personally to as many of the electors as possible before election day.

Yours respectfully,

THOMAS J. MOORE.

WINES

For the Holidays.

IN BOTTLES.

Native Port	40c
St. Augustine	50c
Dry Catawba	50c
Sweet Catawba	50c
Black Cherry	50c
Blackberry	50c
Orange Wine	50c
Grape Wine	50c
Peach Wine	50c
Old Port Wine	75c
Very Old Port	$1.00
Old Sherry Wine	75c
Very Old Sherry	1.00

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	PER GAL.
Wines, Ports & Sherries	$2.00 to $6.00
Gins	2.00 to 5.00
Rums	3.00 to 6.00
Brandies	3.00 to 6.00
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Has bought D. O. LeGendre's stock of First-Class Dry Goods at 55c on the Dollar, and he will sell it off without reserve at the late firm's place of business, No. 323 George Street, next door to G. Carton's Grocery,

Commencing Thursday, Dec. 24th, 1896.

The Stock is new and as it must be sold within a limited time Big Bargains will be given.

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MINCE MEAT	BEEF	CANNED MEATS	CHICKENS
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A well selected text is half of the sermon. Given a good text and a preacher who is in earnest, and the result is sure to be good. The text of this article is a plain simple statement that proves itself in the reader's own mind without argument. The text is "Good health is better than great riches."

Without health nothing really matters very much. A hacking cough takes all the beauty out of a landscape or a sunset. Erysipelas or eczema will spoil the enjoyment of sprightly conversation, of a beautiful concert, of a wonderful painting. The biggest bank account in the world won't pay a man for his health, but a very small amount of money will make him healthy and keep him healthy.

Most all bodily troubles start in the digestive or respiratory organs. It is here that improper living first makes an opening for disease. The development differs as constitutions and temperaments differ. The causes are almost identical. To get at the root of the matter is simple enough if you start right.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a medicine for the whole body. It works through the digestive organs on all the others.

It cures the first thing it comes to and after that, the next. It puts health in place of disease in the stomach, and from the vantage ground thus gained, it reaches every fiber of the body and drives disease before it — indigestion, liver troubles, kidney complaint, biliousness, skin and scalp diseases, salt-rheum, tetter, eczema, and all the troubles caused by impure blood.

IN THE DAYS OF QUEEN BESS

Puritans Could See No Fun In the Christmas Jollifications.

Many people are aware of the general passion for feasts and amusements which distinguished the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, but few persons are aware of the character of the sports which were then so popular. Among the many customs which prevailed in the days of Queen Elizabeth, the investure of a person with the power and privileges of assembling a number of persons and teaching them tricks, tumbling and fantastic performances for the purpose of amusing the peasantry, and, indeed, the higher classes of the community, is one of the most remarkable.

That uncompromising Puritan Stubbs, who, indeed, could see good in nothing that partook of the nature of harmless and innocent enjoyment, in his "Anatomie of Abuses" descants with the greatest fervor on the proceedings of "this heathen companie." In speaking of a parish festival he says:

"First of all, the wilde heades of the parish, flocking together, chose them a graunde captaine of mischefe, whom they enoble with the title of Lord of Misrule, and him they crown with great solemnity and adopt for their King. This King annoynted chooseth for the twentie, fourty, threescore, or an hundred lustie guttes, liketo himself, to waite upon his lordly majestic and to guard his noble person.

"Then every one of these men he inveasteth with his liveries of greene, yellow, or some other bright wanton color, and, as though they were not gawdie ynouf, they bedeck themselves with scarfs, ribbons and laces, hanged all over with gold rings, pretious stones, and other jewels. This done, they tie about either legge twenty or fourtie belles, with riche handkerchiefs in their handes, and sometimes braide across over their shoulders and neckes, borrowed for the most part of their prettier Mopsies and loving Bessies.

"Thus, all things set in order, then have they their hobby horses, their dragons and other antiques, together with their pipers and thundering drummers, to strike up the devil's dance withal. Then march this heathen companie towards the church, their pipers piping, their drummers thundering, their stumpies dancing, their belles jyngling, their handkerchiefs fluttering about their heads like madmen, their hobby horses and other monsters skirmishing amongst the throng, and in this sorte they go to the church, though the minister be at prayer or preaching, dancing and singing like devils incarnate, with such a confused noise that no man can heare his own voice. Then the foolish people they looke, they stare, they laugh, they fleere, and mount upon the formes and powes to see these goodly pageantry solemnised."—Boston Herald.

To the aged, with their poor appetite, feeble circulation, and impoverished blood, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a boon beyond price. Its effect is to check the ravages of time, by invigorating every organ, nerve, and tissue of the body. See Ayer's Almanac for the new year.

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Dear Sirs—After suffering for two years from acute indigestion I tried B B B. I took only three bottles, which made me as well as ever I was. I highly recommend B B B. to all dyspeptics.

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Shiloh's Cure

Is sold on a guarantee, it cures Incipient Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure Only one cent a dose. 25 cts., 50 cts., and $1 00. Sold by John Nugent, 389 George street.

MAHER'S EASY VICTORY.

He Whipped Steve O'Donnell in Just One Minute and a Half.

New York, Dec. 25.—It took Peter Maher just one minute and a half in the first round to send Steve O'Donnell of Australia down and out this afternoon at the Greater New York Athletic Club at Coney Island. The men were matched to go 20 rounds or more, which practically meant a finish fight, but Maher saved the management from infringing on the Horton law by giving the Australian his quietus with three left hand punches. Maher also sent a right hander to the head, but it was too high to do any damage. O'Donnell's solitary contribution was a very short left, which opened the battle and barely grazed Peter's breast.

The last time the pair met in the Empire A.C. at Maspeth, L.I., Peter sent his man to sleep with the three punches in one minute and 8 seconds. O'Donnell demonstrated clearly this afternoon that he is what is known in sporting parlance as a stiff. After the Maspeth battle he claimed that he was not in condition, and vaguely hinted at drugs and foul play. This afternoon he was just as nervous and ill at ease as he was at Maspeth and showed plainly that he was afraid of the Irishman. The Australian displayed unmistakable nervousness when sitting in his chair during the preliminary arrangements of trying on the gloves, etc.

There were fully 3500 persons present. After Alec Brown of Brooklyn and John Suter of the same place had been announced as the official referee and time-keeper respectively, the opening pair were put on. They were Fred Wright of Peabody, Mass., and Jerry Sullivan of Brooklyn, who boxed ten rounds at 120 pounds. Wright was substituted for Elwood McCloskey of Philadelphia, as the latter was over weight. The Peabody boy displayed unusual cleverness, and after the fifth round had all the best of the battle. The referee declared Wright the winner.

Although the principals in the main event lost no time in getting into the ring there was some delay before they shook hands, as O'Donnell's seconds insisted on having one of the windows through which the sun was streaming on their corner darkened and then the first set of gloves was found to be too small for the Australian, and the mittens had to be changed. O'Donnell was looked after by Billy Madden, Sam Fitzpatrick, Gus Rutling and Mike Butler. Maher's aids were John J. Quinn, Peter Lowery and Pete Burns. After all the preliminaries were satisfactorily adjusted Time-keeper Suter gave the signal at 3.37.

The men sparred for about five seconds. Maher's face wore a determined expression, while O'Donnell appeared nervous and shifted uneasily on his feet. The Australian thought he saw an opening; he shot out his left in a half-hearted manner and just reached Maher's breast. Maher swung his left to the head and they clinched.

While they were locked together they exchanged lefts at close quarters, and Maher shoved his right up under O'Donnell's arm, but the blows were harmless. The referee broke them, and then Maher shot his right to the top of O'Donnell's head. The Australian looked astonished and dropped his guard.

The Irishman came in like a tiger, and sent his left hand on the jaw. The Australian fell and stayed down about four seconds. When he got on his feet Maher came at him again and with the left-hander, that was a combination of hook and swing, caught the unfortunate Australian on the left cheek just under the eye. O'Donnell went to the floor with a — — turned over on his back and was counted out. His seconds helped him to his corner, and he walked out of the ring all right after a few seconds.

When Maher landed the final blow he did not wait to see what O'Donnell would do but went quickly to his corner. Then he went over and shook hands heartily with Billy Madden.

It was announced that a challenge had been sent on behalf of Maher to Tom Sharkey to fight in the Greater New York A.C., and also that if Maher was successful in that contest he would challenge the winner of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight.

QUEEN LIL'S PLANS.

The Ex-Monarch of Hawaii Will Visit Friends in Boston—Would Not Talk On Political Topics.

New York, Dec. 25.—Liliuokalani, ex-Queen of the Hawaiian Islands, arrived in Jersey City from the South at 1.25 o'clock this afternoon. A crowd of curious people was at the station to meet her, and when her private car came to a stop in the Pennsylvania Rail. Station, they gathered close around it in order to catch a glimpse of the deposed Queen. After a brief interval the ex-Queen appeared on the platform of the car and addressed those present. She said: "I certainly have received a royal reception. Americans are most cordial as a race."

Later, in conversation with a reporter of the United Associated Presses, she said that she was not here on any political errand and that her visit was purely a friendly one. She further said that she did not know whether she would go to Washington or not, as her plans are not arranged for more than a month. "I will go to Boston," she said, "to visit a relative of my late husband, William Lee of the firm of Lee & Shepard. I will stay with the Lees for four weeks at least and then I shall go wherever my fancy dictates."

"What about the annexation of Hawaii?" she was asked.

At this point the former queen seemed to forget her fluent English and feigned not to understand. When the question was put again, she was equally dense, and it was evident that the annexation question was not to be discussed by the deposed Queen. The interview over the ex-Queen, her traveling companion, Mrs. E. H. Mahoolena, and her private secretary, Joseph Hulehule, escorted by the passenger agent of the Southern Railroad, boarded the Pennsylvania Ferry boat Maryland, which brought them to this city. Later they took a train for Boston.

A CASE OF DIABETES.

No Help from Medical Men—Suffered for Many Years—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

North Bruce, Dec. 21 (Special).—An old and well known settler in this township, named Thomas Brooks, who lives on lots 7 and 8 in the 14th concession, is rejoicing with his neighbours over his recent recovery, and he said:—

"I was cured by using twenty-four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and, as nothing else ever helped me, I say they saved my life.

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Gents,—I was in very poor health for over four years; the doctor said it was constipation. Not wanting to spend too much cash I got three bottles of B.B.B. and took it regularly, I can certify that I am now in the very best of health and feel very grateful to B.B.B.

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DIED OF HEART FAILURE.

Mr. W. S. Campbell, One of Brantford's Old and Popular Citizens, Passes Over to the Silent Majority.

Brantford, Ont., Dec. 25.—W. S. Campbell, County Treasurer, died at 4 o'clock this morning; cause, heart failure. On Wednesday evening Mr. Campbell was occupying the vice-chair at the Warden's annual dinner, and during the evening he fell from his chair to the floor in an unconscious condition. He was removed to private apartments in the hotel and two doctors present attended him. He rallied somewhat yesterday, but last night took a change for the worse. Mr. Campbell was one of Brant County's best-known and highly-respected residents. He held many positions of honor and trust from the electors of the county. At different times he was asked to accept the Reform nomination for Parliamentary honors in North Brant, but declined to accept a position he might have easily obtained. In Mr. Campbell's death, Brant County loses one of our most progressive and enterprising citizens. His family have the heartfelt sympathies of the citizens of Brant County in their sad loss.

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Saturday, the 2nd day of Jan. Next.

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By order of the Board.

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GEO COCHRANE,

License Inspector West Peterborough

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J. J. CROWE

Hall's Glen P. O.

License Inspector, East Peterborough

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"Oh, but you must! The whole company are to be there, and every one is to have a present, if it's only a box of toothpicks. If we can't be home, we're going to play we're all one big family."

"I hope your play will be a 'hit,'" laughed the new leading man; "but, really, I've lots of letters to write"—

"On Christmas night!" cried the soubrette, with horror.

"Yes. Christmas is no more to me than any other day. You really must excuse me, Susie." And the leading man's face became a bit hard as he turned away.

"So his high and mightiness won't come. I thought so," said the heavy woman.

"No," said the soubrette, slightly crestfallen; "he isn't in the humor."

It was the day before Christmas, and "The Great Gold Mine" company were all on the stage for rehearsal. How they hated

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it on the day of all others when they wanted to be free! But the leading man had quarreled with the stage manager and left suddenly, and rehearsals had to be called for the newcomer.

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At "The Great Gold Mine" rehearsal the heavy woman rushed in from the express office after sending a box of dolls and toys to her youngest, and the low comedian, who was a very vulgar person every night, looked tenderly at a sample of black silk from the gown for mother. Others talked in a jolly spirit of comradeship about the Christmas tree. Susie Sunly pondered a little over the new leading man's refusal to join them.

"He's too big," went on Mrs. Cowles. "He always wanted the earth. I wonder we got him. Well, I've no patience with a man who will treat his wife as he did. It's a shame! Jennie Bruce was as nice a girl as ever lived, and to think of his leaving her for that Blanche Kendrick! Poor Jennie! She just about worshiped him. I thought they were too happy to have it last. Oh, these men!"

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"Well, there are always two sides to a story," said the soubrette, "and I happen to know something of the other side. His wife was that jealous of him she just made a small sized hades and carried it around with her. I know she thought her eyes of him, but she didn't go the right way to show it."

"I guess he gave her cause enough to be jealous."

"Not at first he didn't. But you know he's a handsome, fascinating fellow, whom women have always been good to, and he can't help doing the agreeable to save his life. I've heard her nag him even in the wings if he stopped to chat with one of the ladies."

"Now, Sue, you know it went beyond innocent chats."

"I'm not saying it didn't in the end. I was in the same company, and I saw the whole thing."

"You did!"

"Yes. Blanche Kendrick was doing the leads, and one night I heard Jennie going for him in the dressing room about her."

"He stood it very quietly for a time. Then he blazed out: 'See here, Jennie, I've borne your senseless jealousy about long enough. I've told you you had no real cause. But, by Jove, I'll give you one now, so that you may know what the real article is like.'"

"The brute!" broke in Mrs. Cowles.

"Yes, it was rather brutal, but it was pretty natural, too, and I don't know that I blamed him much.

"Well, that night Forrest Burrows took Kendrick out to supper and didn't ask his wife.

"Two or three of us were on to the frame and were watching out for the climax. It came bright and early the next morning. Jennie went to the manager—oh, she was a determined little thing!—and she told him if he didn't give Kendrick notice she would leave and take her husband with her.

"Poor Barry, the manager, was in a bad fix. But Jennie was just playing small parts, and they could spare her a great deal better than they could Blanche Kendrick."

"The hussy!"

"Yes, she wasn't any too good, but she was a great 'looker,' and she could act.

"I was on the stage when Barry called Burrows aside to speak with him. I heard Burrows say: 'Why, I haven't the least idea of leaving. As for my wife, that's only a little fit of jealousy. It'll blow over.'

"It didn't blow over, though. In one week from that time Jennie left and went home alone. I think Burrows never imagined she'd do it, for he came near going to pieces in the first act after he found she had gone. I believe at first he thought of going after her. But you know what throwing up an engagement in the middle of the season means, and after that Blanche Kendrick just wound herself around him. She knew how to do it."

"Did Jennie get a divorce?"

"I don't know. Wasn't there a child?"

"Seems to me I heard so, but I'm not sure. Anyway poor Jennie has been having hard lines."

"Burrows was ill for nearly a year and couldn't work. I suppose he couldn't do much for her."

"I dare say he gives it all to the Kendrick."

"Oh, no; that was off long ago. Do you know the way he spoke a few minutes ago about Christmas? It seemed to me he was thinking of his wife."

"More likely of the new part," sniffed the heavy woman.

"First act!" shouted the stage manager, and the soubrette made a dash for her entrance.

Things seemed bound to go crisscross in "The Great Gold Mine" company. That very day Paquita, "the child wonder," who played the infant role, was taken with the measles, and a new child had to be speedily secured.

She was rather a pretty little thing, with large, blue eyes and curly, golden hair, but as she was not yet 4 years old the manager feared she was too young, but the woman who brought her assured him she was very clever and would soon learn the two or three lines she was to speak.

"Great Cæsar! A new kid, too!" sighed the leading man. "She'll be afraid of me, and the audience will think I've kidnaped her instead of being her lawful parent. I must try to cultivate her."

"Come here, midget," he said kindly.

"I'm not midget. I'm Little Pearl," answered the mite, with great dignity.

"That's a very nice name." And he put out his arms to her.

She hesitated. "I don't think I like you," she said doubtfully.

"Dear me! Why don't you like me?"

"You're too handsome."

There was a chorus of laughter at Burrows' expense.

"That's the first time my fatal beauty ever proved to be a drawback in the profession," laughed Burrows.

"My mamma said I was not to like handsome men," said the child gravely.

"Mamma has evidently had a history," added Burrows in an aside voice. "But," he went on, determined to conciliate the child, "I am your papa, you know. You must be good to me anyway."

"Oh, are you really my papa? Then mamma won't mind if I kiss you." And the tot suddenly flung her chubby arms around the leading man's neck and put her little cherry lips up to his.

The situation was, to say the least, embarrassing. Titters were heard in various directions, and a smothered guffaw exploded in the wings.

"Oh, I mean I am your papa in the play! We are just making believe," hastily corrected the actor.

The little one drew away from him, and the childish lips quivered.

"Oh, I thought you were my really, truly papa!" she said, with a strangely pathetic look in the big blue eyes.

"Didn't you ever see your papa?"

"No, never."

"Is he dead?"

"I don't know. Mamma cried when I asked her."

"I hope he was good."

"Oh, he was! My mamma said so."

"Then he must be dead," said the leading man in a decided tone. "The good men are all dead. It always proves fatal. I'm quite bad, you know."

"I don't think you're bad," gravely shaking her head.

"Bless you! That's comforting—to have some one have faith in you. I mean I'm bad in the play, not always. You will like me, won't you?"

"Oh, yes, if mamma lets me."

A truce being thus arranged, the rehearsal proceeded. That night the leading man made a hit, and Little Pearl acquitted herself with credit. When she came to the line, "Papa, won't you kiss mamma?" she got a round of applause. But there was something wrong with Burrows. He stopped suddenly, as though he had seen a ghost in the wings, faltered in his speech and was only saved by the leading woman throwing him his line. In two minutes the curtain was down and the people had scattered to their rooms. But Burrows still held the child's hand. He led her to some one who was waiting for her. She was a pale, thin little woman in shabby clothes.

"Jennie," he cried, "are you ill?"

The woman became a shade paler and caught at the heavy set beside her.

"Come," she said to the child, "come, Edith."

"Edith! My God, my own child, and I didn't know it!"

He caught the little one to his heart, almost crushing her in his strong caress.

"Give her to me," said the woman, with a sort of fierceness. "It is time for her to go home."

"Won't you let me see her just a moment? Am I not her father?"

"Oh," cried the little one gleefully, "are you really and truly my papa? Then why

don't you kiss mamma too?"

"I would," said Burrows very softly, "if she would let me. Tell her, Edith, I would like to very much, and I would like to go home with her and stay with you and her and"—

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state for the information of the public, that within six months after his nephew's appointment, at a salary of $300 and his nephew had applied to the council for an increase which they appeared to be tardy in recognising, he, Mr. Yelland, had moved an increase of $500 with a deduction of $200 or $300 from the clerk's salary.

At this point Mr. Yelland challenged the correctness of Mr. Moore's statement, and the latter asked if he (Mr. Yelland) wished to say that Mr. Moore had deliberately stated what was untrue. Mr. Yelland said he did if Mr. Moore insisted on what he had stated. Mr. Graham was appealed to for confirmation of Mr. Moore's statement, and his explanation did not seem to altogether bear out the construction Mr. Moore had placed upon the incident, which Mr. Moore concluded by saying that the circumstance bore out the charge that at any rate Mr. Yelland was looking out for the interests of his own family. Mr. Moore then continued his address.

Another omission from this address was a confession which he should have made that he had shirked the most important vote of the year, viz., that which agitated the council and occupied their time a great deal, the public lighting of the town. Mr. Yelland had full notice of the meeting of the council while he was holidaying at Stony Lake, where other councillors were, who were able without great effort to be present. He Mr. Yelland, had made it convenient to stay away, and this was at a time when it was hoped and expected that a saving would have been made to the town of $1,000 a year, or on a seven years' contract—which was the one now made—of $7,000. Mr. Moore said that Mr. Yelland had always professed super abundance of independence, but it was a pretty clear case that he had been pressed by the contending contractors to give his support to both, and had probably promised it, and in order to escape the ill-will of either and trim his sails for the coming election, he had purposely remained away from that, the really most important meeting of the year.

Mr. Moore also called attention to the absence of a true statement respecting what was known as the Tax Bylaw. $53,000 had been paid into the treasury; some $20,000 remained. The majority of the taxpayers of $10 00 or $12.00 each had paid their taxes. Large cheques were waiting to be paid in if the by-law was not passed yet this by-law was forced through the council by a bull-head majority and against all principles of business. Mr. Moore urged that if the ratepayers who had already paid in the above large sum could be put upon the same footing as those who had not, there might be some reason in it, but it was a measure that should have been framed a month or more before, and not after two-thirds of the taxes had been paid; that those who had paid in should receive interest on the moneys they had paid so as to make all equal, but Mr. Yelland had ignored this and every business principle for the carrying out of a scheme which he imagined would bring grist to his mill in the present elections. When the matter was first brought up some evenings previous by Mr. Moore, he had expressed the opinion that any resolution on the subject would not be worth the paper it was written on and that the collector would pay no attention to it. He had always been opposed to the measure as opposed to principles of equal justice to all. The by-law had come to its third reading when Mr. Moore first moved that it be re-committed for the purpose of striking out the objectionable clauses, which was lost. He then moved that the by-law should not take effect until the sureties for $30,000 had given their consent in writing and delivered it to the clerk, which had not been done, and which to this day has never been done, and we are now and have been ever since without any security whatever for the $30,000 still unpaid, and this also was lost, the Mayor opposing Mr. Moore's motion. It was then moved by Messrs. Langford and Sawers that the clause imposing 5 per cent should be repealed for this year. This also was lost. The Mayor had, during the discussion of these motions, opposed Mr. Moore's contentions, had been abusive, calling him a puff of wind, etc., and now we are without a surety for the payment of our taxes. Mr. Moore asked: "Does conduct of this kind ensure confidence for the ratepayers, or does it entitle Mr. Yelland to their support and votes?"

In dealing with Mr. Yelland's respect for the rights and interests of the poor man, Mr. Moore instanced his action in appointing Mr. Denne, collector of taxes, instead of another person who had on the score of sympathy a better claim to the position. Mr. Moore also instanced Mr. Yelland's indifference to a proposal he (Mr. Moore) had made to procure 200 cords of stone to be used in giving employment and wages to poor ratepayers, instead of supporting them as claimants upon the charity fund. Another evidence of Mr. Yelland's sympathy with the poor man was his want of action in reference to a proposal Mr. Moore had made to impose a tax of $1 each on bicycles, the proceeds to be separately funded and used to construct cinder paths along the streets for the use of wheelmen. Many clerks were too poor to pay for their board down town and had to live in outside localities, and their bicycles were depended upon as a means of making the journey. Upon his suggestion no action had been taken by Mr. Yelland, who had thus failed to show his sympathy with the poor man. Mr. Moore also set himself right on the charge that he had opposed the use of Central Park for an Orange demonstration. He had not opposed it, but had insisted upon the trees being protected, and the booths being under the supervision of the town. Mr. Moore said he had moved a resolution asking that at certain hours bicyclists should have the use of the walks, but the council of which Mr. Yelland was the head, had voted it down.

Mr. Moore said that he did not deal in empty promises, but certain things suggested themselves for the betterment of the town. First.—Industrial and manufacturing interests should have a large share of the attention of the council. We had the best railway facilities in Canada and one of the best water powers in North America, but we wanted more industries and must have them or our town was bound to languish as it had done during the past year, for the mayor had never during his official life directed the attention of the council into channels which were likely to work for the best good. He had simply been chairman of their meetings, and he either had not, or did not use the skill which was necessary for a man holding so high an office.

Mr. Moore concluded an address of about three-quarters of an hour by appealing to the electors for their support, and wishing them all a Happy New Year.

MR. YELLAND REPLIES.

Mr. Yelland then proceeded to deal with some of the statements and charges contained in Mr. Moore's address. In regard to shirking the vote upon the electric light contract matter, Mr. Yelland said that the meeting was the only one he had missed during the year. He had been absent up the lakes and knew there was a meeting but did not know that the electric light matter was to be brought up and consequently was not guilty of shirking the vote in question. He repeated that he had attended all the meetings of the council except the one named as well as every committee meeting, and he said the clerk could confirm his statement. He never shirked any vote, he had the courage of his convictions. In regard to the tax extension matter Mr. Yelland said Mr. Moore and Mr. Sawers had been electioneering in the council and when he the mayor, proposed extension of time for the payment of taxes Mr. Moore had said that it was "a good thing and that he (Mr. Yelland) had the start of us."

Mr. Moore—A good thing to catch votes.

Mr. Yelland—Well, we'll let it go at that.

Continuing Mr. Yelland said that he still thought it was a good thing and that Mr. Moore would find that he (Mr. Yelland had gained and not lost votes by it. As to Mr. Denne's appointment, Mr. Denne was deserving of the position by virtue of his long services to the town. His appointment was in the interest of the ratepayers and the town. As to Mr. Might's claims, Mr. Yelland said that a member of the council had said to him in reference to Mr. Might that he supposed it would be "another d—d Methodist clique." In reply to that the Mayor pointed out amid much laughter that that there was enough Methodists in official positions—the Mayor, the clerk, the treasuer, the sewer inspector, etc., and that he was not there for any other purpose than to serve the best interests of the town, Methodist or no Methodist, and he had no reason to apologize for his action in reference to the appointment of Mr. Denne. Mr. Yelland said he had not opposed the proposal to procure 200 cords of stone to be broken by poorer ratepayers—he had simply objected to the greater expense of drawing them in the summer than in the winter. He did not oppose the proposition, though Mr. Moore tried to make the electors think he did. As to the charge re the treasurer, he said it was a parliamentary practice to consider friends first. Mr. Moore was one of Mr. Browncombe's friends, and supported an increase of salary. He says he is a good officer, and therefore he (Mr. Yelland) did a good act in appointing him.

Mr. Yelland after saying that Mr. Moore had written out a resolution for the extension of time for the payment of taxes and handed it over to Mr. Best, charged that Mr. Moore had acted as an obstructionist to him (Mr. Yelland) in the council. He concluded by appealing to the support of the electors and wishing them a Happy New Year.

Mr. James Bogue asked the candidates if they were in favour of publishing the assessment roll, and both stated that they thought the expense would be very great.

Mr. Moore explained that Mr. Browncombe, the treasurer, had a considerable income outside of his salary as treasurer. He also stated that he had asked Mr. Yelland to agree to omit a personal canvass, but to this Mr. Yelland had refused to agree.

Mr. Yelland rejoined that Mr. Moore evidently thought it too much of a humiliation to ask a poor man for his vote.

Mr. Moore proposed three cheers for the Queen, which were heartily given and followed by three cheers for Mr. Yelland, and the meeting dispersed.

Ward No 1.

FOR COUNCILLOR.

Thomas J. Moore, nominated by Patrick McNamara, seconded by Lewis Spry.

Thomas Cahill, nominated by Joseph Sproule, seconded by Angus Williams.

Charles B. Robertson, nominated by Lewis Spry, seconded by Patrick McNamara.

William H. White, nominated by Wm. Breckenridge, seconded by William Drake.

Henry Best, nominated by William Drake, seconded by William Breckenridge.

James L. Hughes, nominated by Joseph Lillico, seconded by Henry H. Hillier.

William Rudkins, nominated by George Elliott, seconded by Angus Williams.

Noah T. Laplante, nominated by John Kelly, seconded by Wm. Menzies.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

John J. McBain, nominated by William Breckenridge, seconded by Thomas J. Moore.

There being no other nominations for school trustee the returning officer declared Mr. McBain elected.

No. 2 Ward.

FOR COUNCILLORS.

T. H. G. Denne, nominated by H. C. Winch, seconded by H. LeBrun.

Harry Phelan, nominated by R. Fair, seconded by H. M. Allen.

Robt. Neill, nominated by A. L. Davis, seconded by H. LeBrun.

A. J. Gough, nominated by B. Shortly, seconded by A. L. Davis.

A. L. Davis, nominated by R. Innes, seconded by A. J. Gough.

A. McNeil, nominated by J. H. Greer, seconded by Wm. Hinchcliffe.

Henry Carveth, nominated by G. W. Rumney, seconded by R. G. Kingan.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

W. H. Wrighton, nominated by Robt. Fair, seconded by B. Shortly.

At the closing of the poll Mr. W. H. Wrighton was declared elected by acclamation as a Trustee of the School Board for the years of 1897—8, there being no other candidates.

Ward No. 3.

FOR COUNCILLOR.

J. H. Cobb, nominated by John Alexander, seconded by Dr. Geo. Burnham.

Robert Weir, nominated by Jno. Sawers, seconded by Wm. McNairn.

John Sawers, nominated by Wm. Galley, seconded by Wm. McNairn.

J. B. McWilliams, nominated by Robt. Fair, seconded by B. Shortly.

B Shortly, nominated by W. H. Meldrum, seconded by John Metheral.

Adam Dawson, nominated by James McCullough, seconded by John Metheral.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Geo. Burnham, M.D., nominated by J. H. Cobb, seconded by John Alexander.

There being no other candidates, Dr. Burnham was formally elected as a member of the School Board.

No. 4 Ward.

FOR COUNCILLORS.

Jas. Graham, nominated by David Wallace, seconded by Geo. Wallace.

Wm. Langford, nominated by Geo. Wallace, seconded by Thos. Lee.

W. H. Meldrum, nominated by Charles Dredge, seconded by Thos. Lee.

A. E. Dixon, nominated by Chas. Miller, seconded by Jas. Kendry.

Thos. Brady, nominated by Thos. Lee, seconded by Jos. Burnett.

John White, nominated by Alex. Grieve, seconded by Thos. Detcher.

Mr. Dixon withdrew his name.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Jas. Edgcombe, nominated by J. C. Brown, seconded by Geo. Wallace.

Jos. Burnett, nominated by Alex. Grieve, seconded by Jas. Graham.

Ashburnham.

FOR REEVE.

H. Calcutt, nominated by J. T. Craig, seconded by Fred Dover.

F. Adams, nominated by W. F. Johnston, seconded by T. Goldie.

FOR COUNCILLORS.

W. F. Johnston, nominated by B. M. Eden, seconded by Mr. — Maniece.

J. T. Craig, nominated by Wm. Cook, seconded by H. Calcutt.

A. Rutherford, nominated by Wm. Wand, seconded by F. Adams.

John Smith, nominated by Wm. Maxwell, seconded by J. T. Craig.

Allen McCarthy, nominated by Wm. Frith, seconded by John H. Smith.

Henry Morgan, nominated by John Smith, seconded by Alex. Fitzgerald.

Wm. Wand, nominated by J. T. Craig, seconded by F. Adams.

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Robt. Pollock, nominated by J. T. Craig, seconded by H. Calcutt.

F. Adams, nominated by Jos. Craig, seconded by B. M. Eden.

Jos. Craig, nominated by H. Calcutt, seconded by Wm. Cook.

John Agnew, nominated by Allan McCarthy, seconded by W. H. Morgan.

Wm. Cook, nominated by J. T. Craig, seconded by Jas. Fowler.

Jas. Fowler, nominated by Wm. Cook, seconded by John Smith.

Upon the conclusion of the nominations Mr. A. McCarthy and Mr. H. Calcutt moved a vote of thanks to Mr. John Burnham, Q.C., who after twenty years able occupancy of the reeve's chair, retires to take a seat in the new county council, by acclamation. The resolution was carried unanimously, the mover bestowing the highest encomiums as to the manner in which Mr. Burnham had discharged his duties since first being elected to the office.

Those nominated afterwards made short addresses relative to their respective candidatures.

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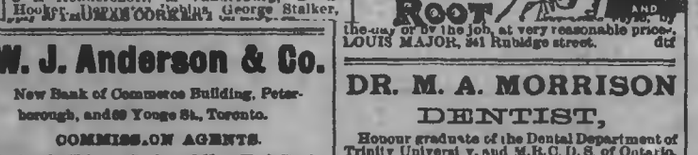

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Acclamations Were Not by Any Means Numerous—Brantford Belleville and St. Catharines Elect Mayors Without a Struggle—A Week of Turmoil All Over the Province.

Nomination of candidates for municipal offices were held throughout the Province of Ontario yesterday, and, from appearances, there will be hot campaigns in almost every city, town, village and township.

...ayors by Acclamation:

Newmarket—H. S. Cane.
Thornbury—Andrew Grier.
Goderich—J. R. Shannon.
Dundas—T. A. Wardell.
North Toronto—J. S. Davis.
Berlin—J. C. Breithaupt.
Meaford—Dr. Hammill.
Ingersoll—W. H. Jones.
Penetanguishene—Z. A. Hall.
Listowel—J. W. Scott.
Belleville—J. W. Johnson.
St. Catharines—W. B. Gilleland.
Perth—J. A. Allan.
Niagara Falls—Charles C. Cole.
Brantford—T. E. Elliott.
Simcoe—W. E. Tisdale.
Aurora—H. W. Fleury.

CITIES.

The candidates for the Mayoralty of Toronto are R. J. Fleming, Ald. George McMurrich and Mr. E. A. Macdonald.

Hamilton.—Mayor—Mayor Tuckett, A D Stewart, Ald Colquhoun; A D Stewart declines. Aldermen: First Ward—Thomas Clappison, Ald Reid F W Watkins, Ald McDonald, Jas McKay, Ald Brown, C. J. Bird, Wm Strong. Second Ward—Robt Griffith, Ald Ten Eyck, Wm F Montague, Geo H Lees, Ald O'Reilly and Hugh Wallace retired. Third Ward—Ex-Ald Hannaford, Wm Findlay, Dr C V Emory; Wm Palm retired. Fourth Ward—Ald Macleod, Ald Donald, Ald Hall; John Lewis retired. Fifth Ward—Ald Carscallen, Ald. Dwyer, ex-Mayor Doran. Sixth Ward—Ald McAndrew, Ald Miller, Jas Phillips, Wm Hill, G H Milne, Martin Malone. Seventh Ward—A M Waters, Dr Baugh, James Dixon, J T Ross, S A Fearnside; Thos Allan and George Richmond retired. School Trustees—First Ward, W J Grant. Second Ward, S F Lazier, Q.C. Third Ward, J J Mason. Fourth Ward, Jas H Cooper, T I Dixon, S J Whitehead. Fifth Ward, F F Dalley. Sixth Ward, Alex McPherson. Seventh Ward, R Pettigrew, James Scott.

LONDON.

London.—Mayor, J W Little, John M Parsons; water commissioners, Robert K Cowan, Joseph Judd, by acclamation; hospital trustee, Charles F Complin, acclamation; aldermen: Ward No. 1—W J Craig, Joseph Johnston, P McPhillips, Charles Taylor, John H Pritchard, John Heaman, F G Rumball. Ward No. 2—George Olmstead, H M Douglas, J B Cox, S O'Meara, W H Smith, J W Jones. Ward No. 3—R A Carrothers, William Heaman, Samuel Stevely, William Skinner, Thomas Jones, William H Winnett. Ward No. 4—E N Hunt, John Turner, James Fitzgerald, Neil Cooper, Andrew Callahan, James Malloch, J M Logan, John Boyd. Ward No. 5—Charles Depper, John Wilkey, Henry Dreany, R W Bennett, Austin Andrews, Frank Plant, John Nutkins, Thomas Sargent, Edward Martyn, James Legg, Dr. Gardner. Ward No. 6—J W McCallum, E Parnell, jr., William Gerry, Thomas Hilliard, P H. Bartlett.

WINDSOR.

Windsor.—Mayor—John Davis, D W Mason and R L Dunn. Councillors—First Ward—M A Brien, Dr Bell, W Hewson, D B Bedford, George Purser, Capt Carney, Fred Housen. Second Ward—J E Davignon, J H Shepherd, James Dixon, J R Hunter, Fitz Bridges, Henry Walker, R Thorn, John Harmon, A L Kerby, J O Peck, George Sewell. Third Ward—John Duck, E D Lawson, John Nagle, John J Foster, John Connelly, Thomas Kilroy, John Martin, James Anderson, R L Dunn, James Cotter, John Sepner. Fourth Ward—Peter McEwan, James McMurray, B G Davis, Charles Baxter, R Vigneux, Charles Drouillard, D Delaney. Water commissioners — John Wear, Charles Cole, Fred Holton.

OTTAWA.

Ottawa.—The nominations for municipal office took place to-day. There are three candidates for the Mayoralty—Ald. Cluff, ex-Ald. Bingham and ex-Ald. Crannell. The candidature of Mr. Bingham was a surprise, because it was generally supposed the fight would be between Mr. Cluff and Mr. Crannell. Mr. Bingham's entrance into the field complicates the situation somewhat. Aldermanic: Dalhousie Ward—Wm H Hewlett, Thomas Clarey, Robert J Davidson, Torrance McGuire, Joseph Foster. St. George's Ward—John C Grant, Robert Hastey, Richard Tobin, S Maynard Rogers, A B Macdonald. Rideau Ward—Major James Donaldson, J D Fraser, George Forde, John C Roger, George J Wilson, Henry F Simms. Central Ward—W D Morris, Ed Wallace, C Berkeley Powell, W H Hogg, Q.C., Fred Cook. Wellington Ward—Robert Stewart, S Davis, William Campbell, J E Fudge. Victoria Ward—Alexander McLean, Albert Hudson, Andrew Masson, J Pratt, Thomas Butler.

GUELPH.

Guelph—Mayor—T P Coffee, James Howse. Aldermen: St. David's Ward—John Mitchell, G A Fowke, Ald John Newstead, Ald J G Sully, John A Mowat, Ald Schultz, John Albert Wicks, James A McCrae, Robert Barber, G B Ryan, George Heward, E R Howard, J A Scott, David Young, James C Kelcher. St. George's Ward—H A B Calvert, E Parkinson, T Golds, G Howard, R E Nelson, Col. White, P Sprague. St. John's Ward—John Hamilton, Robert Dowrie, A Crosby, J J Taylor, J A McLean, Dr Kennedy, Solomon Dawson, David Little. St. James' Ward—P Harpnet, T Griffin, William Slater, William Hearn, C Peterson. St. Patrick's Ward—G Penfold, G W Stuff, John Kennedy, Wm Slater, Robert McDonald, John Colson, St. Andrew's Ward—R F Maddock, Hugh Walker, Joseph Carter, J J Maroney, W F Clark.

CHATHAM.

Chatham.—Mayor—Fred Stone, Henry Smyth. Water Commissioners—Dr. Holmes and F F Quinn, by acclamation. Aldermen: Ward 1—D J O'Keefe, G W Kelly. Henry Weaver, W Blight, W Lambert. Ward 2, Aldermen—R Cuckesy, E A Mounteer, A Phelps, John C Wanless, Luke Kelly. Ward 3, Aldermen—Dr. J L Bray, C C McPhee, O L Lewis, R Copper. Ward 4—J Carpenter, J Liddy, G W Sulman, J R Reid, R Pritchard, G G Taylor. Ward 5—T A Smith, S B Arnold, John Watt, Jno Edmondson.

STRATFORD.

Stratford.—Mayor—E T Dufton and John O'Donoghue. Aldermen: Hamlet Ward—Wm Davidson, Henry Baker, Geo T Jones, A A Maver, J P Rankin, G G McPherson, Thos Ballantyne, jr., Thos Trow, Daniel Dempsey. Romeo Ward—J Search, Edwin Clemo, John Hogarth, G F Ingram, Wm Gordon, Wm Gillespie. Falstaff Ward—Wm Hepburn, Jno McMillan, James Crow, Donald McLennan, J L Bradshaw, Dr. E S Eidt. Avon Ward—Jno Brown, Wm Guy, Jas Stamp, Jno Vanstone, Jno L Myers. Shakespeare Ward—G J Puck, Henry Paull, E K Barnsdale, Jno Reid, W J Morrow, Francis Hall, J R McIlonald, Fred McLeod, Wm Preston.

BRANTFORD.

Brantford.—Mayor—T E Elliott, by acclamation. Ward 1—A G Montgomery, Wm Hartwell, M K Halloran, Wm Whittaker, R Ryerson, S Sudcaby. Ward 2—C M Nelles, Henry Hunter, Thomas Langs, M Hall, C Weightman. Ward 3—G Duncan, C Whitney, H A Foulds, R Wade, Weston, N M Stanley, R Hall. Ward 4—D K Corey, F Coulton, E B Eddy, Wm Glover, Jas Loney, W G Elliott, A Huvill, J W Bowlby. Ward 5—R Robson, D B Wood, F Wilson, Samuel Adams, Jas Heath, J J File. Water Commissioners—C B Heyd, Alfred Watts.

KINGSTON.

Kingston.—The candidates for the Mayoralty are John Behan and S. Skinner. In St. Lawrence Ward Ald. Redden and Livingston and Mr. T. H. Johns were elected by acclamation. There are contests in all other wards. Robert Meek, Edward Bennett, James Galloway were elected school trustees by acclamation. There are contests in the other wards.

BELLEVILLE.

Belleville.—Mayor—J W Johnson, acclamation. Aldermen: Bleeker Ward—Messrs Hay, Lott and Milne; acclamation. Baldwin Ward—John Doyle, A Wallace, J E Walmsley, A F Petrie, John Harvey, and S D Lasier. Ketcheson Ward—J E Walmsley, J H Starling, Cameron Brown, J A Chisholm and J A Campion. Sampson Ward—J A Marshall, Jas Gordon, C Bogart, W A Hungerford and S E Lennox. Foster Ward—Chas Petty, Ed Maylor, E Laroche, James Mackie, jr. and Jas Richards. Coleman Ward—F Landenberger, T Luscombe, W H Lingham, J Frost, S T Harris, J Finkle. Murray Ward—W Lattimer, W Panter, N B Falkiner, A Robinson, J Breese and L Grills.

ST. THOMAS.

St. Thomas.—Mayor—Ald J W Wright and Mr S Chant. Aldermen: Ward One—Robt McCully, W A Gilian, E S Miller. Ward Two—Thomas Meek, Chas T Maxwell; elected by acclamation. Ward Three—A J Clark, K W McKay, J S Robertson, H B Travers, G R Pennington, T H Scott, R H McConnell, J M Green, R McLachin. Ward Four—Richard Sanders, W E Idsardi, E P Peters, W Cornforth, Hugh Williams, Jessie Wallis, W W Coulter, H Christmas. Ward Five—G Meehan, W Trott, D McCallum, W B Popham, R Cole, A Hess. Ward Six—W J Lettle, Thomas Stewart, A T Edwards, Alex Lochead, W P McBride.

ST. CATHARINES.

St. Catharines.—Mr. W. B. Gilleland was elected Mayor by acclamation. Aldermen: St. George's Ward—John W King, Dr Armour, W H McCordick, William Varey, M J McCarron. St. Patrick's Ward—W B Burgoyne, C G McDermott, Thomas Beattie, Landis C Bradt, Donald Robertson. St. Andrew's Ward—M Y Keating, J L McClelland, Joseph Voisard, A McEdwards, H M Hellwell, J S Campbell, George F Peterson, J C Norris.

TOWNS.

Berlin.—Mayor—J C Breithaupt, by acclamation. Reeve—F G Gardiner, Geo Rumpel. First Deputy—H L Jansen, G H Bowlby, Fred Knell, L B Clemens. Second Deputy—J S Anthes, G V Oberholser. Third Deputy—C K Hagedorn, J C Buchhaupt. Councillors: West Ward—E Bricker, H Wildfang, F Timm, G H Bowlby, J E Stauffer. East Ward—A Pequegnat, D Hibner, P Lautenschlager, J B Weaver, G V Oberholser. North Ward—F Kohleder, F Von Neubronn, S Groff, C Hagedorn, H Krug, I E Shantz, Casper Braun, Geo O Philip. South Ward—Dr Clemens, Carl Miller, C Bitzer, W H Becker, J Baetz, J G Buchhaupt.

Blenheim.—Mayor—Charles Senior, John Mulholland, J H Ferguson. Reeve—Peter Haggart, L H Edmuns, Jos Greenwood. Deputy Reeve—Henry Faust, T B Shillington, R T Williamson. Councillors: Ward 1—Alfred Young, Arch Campbell, Geo Netser, P Labadie, R J Tyhurst, A Johnson, J K Morris. Ward 2—S Wodehouse, H Faust, Geo Thompson, T B Shillington, E T Coburn, T S Ford. Ward 3—Wm Gilroy, Stephen Russell, Robert Nichol, Wm Newson, W H Pickering, Wm Henry.

Collingwood.—Mayor—Jno. Chamberlain, Jno H Duncan, R W O'Brien, J W Archer, Jas Guilfoyle, E Stewart. Reeve—Andrew Lockerbie, Hy Foreman, G A Hammill, D Williams, sr. First Deputy—Hector Lamont, Anson Lee. Second Deputy—Thos McComb, Wm Carmichael. Councillors: No. 1—F W Churchill, M Brophy, B Burdett, Chas Noble. Geo. Henderson, D Wil-

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THE U. S. AND CUBA

An Audience With Canovas, the Spanish Premier.

TALK OF A COMMERCIAL TREATY

Between Spain and the United States as a Solution of the Trouble Spain Should Stand Before the World a United Country, Says the Prime Minister.

New York, Dec. 28.—The Herald's Madrid correspondent cables the following: I have been granted an audience with Canovas del Castillo, the Spanish Premier, who, renews his assurances of satisfaction at the policy of the United States Government and effectually sets at rest disquieting rumors.

I have also been favored by Senor Motely Prendergast with an interview, in which, for the first time, he makes public a new and practical solution of the Cuban question, based upon the hope of a new commercial treaty between Spain and the United States.

While Senor Sagasta is recognized as the leader of the Liberal party, he has ceased to criticize the Government, because he believes that Spain should stand before the world as a united country so long as the jingo spirit continues in Congress.

The ebullitions of Senators Morgan, Cameron and Sherman are looked upon in Madrid as threats of war and Spain is no longer a divided country. The effect of the resolutions in favor of Cuba introduced in the Senate has been to make Spain much stronger.

Premier Canovas, as the mouthpiece of the Ministry, says that no proposition concerning Cuba can be considered until important victories are obtained. The military spirit must prevail first.

The Liberals, on the other hand, believe that the Cuban question can be settled upon a commercial basis, and that the first step in that direction will be a treaty of reciprocity. This, he believes, would renew friendly relations between the countries, and, by bringing prosperity to Cuba and millions of new business to the merchants of the United States, would make peace with Cuba possible.

When asked whether the Competitor prisoners were to receive the legal assistance of advocates, as provided in the protocol, the previous trial not having been under those provisions, the Government is granted a new hearing.

"Have you received an official report of Maceo's death?"

"We have the report and are satisfied he was killed in battle. The report that Maceo was poisoned has no truth in it."

"Do you feel assured that Mr. Cleveland will maintain his attitude of friendliness until the close of his term of office?"

"Yes, sir, we feel that Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Olney are doing all in their power to help Spain and not to hinder us. But you see you are on the eve of a change of government."

"Mr. McKinley has practically said that Mr. Cleveland has taken the right course," I ventured to suggest.

"That may be true," replied Senor Canovas. "It is not the President-elect we doubt, but matters would be complicated with Mr. Sherman as Secretary of State. He has said some very hard things about Spain. You see, it is not a question of Mr. McKinley, but of Mr. Sherman."

"Are you satisfied that the present administration is doing all that can be done to prevent the departure of filibustering expeditions from the United States?"

"We are assured that the efforts to prevent these expeditions are all that we could expect, and I am satisfied that Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Olney are exerting themselves in this direction."

In speaking further of the administration, Senor Canovas said: "I have just received the official translation of Mr. Cleveland's message and am greatly pleased with his attitude."

Child Burned to Death.

Buffalo, Dec. 28.—Charlie Amogonia, 2 years old, got hold of a box of matches about noon to-day, ignited them and set his clothing afire, and before help reached him he was so badly burned that he died within two hours.

Fifteen Men Drowned.

Malaga, Spain, Dec. 28.—The fishing smack Colon, belonging at Euengirola, 20 miles southwest of this city, has been wrecked in the Mediterranean and her crew of 15 men drowned.

ROBBERS IN JAIL.

State Rangers Have Captured the Rascals Who Held Up the Southern Pacific.

Houston, Tex., Dec. 28.—Information has been received by the Wells-Fargo Express officials that the robbers who held up the Southern Pacific passenger train at Comstock, Texas, a week ago. The robbers are in jail at Del Rio, Texas. The leader of the gang is A. H. Perrerance of Del Rio, and the others are Bud Newman, Frank Gable, and H. M. Shackelford, who live in that section of the country. Two of the men arrested have been identified as the men who boarded the train at the station to purchase fruit and stopped it at the point where the robbery occurred. None of the stolen goods were recovered.

A GOLDEN JUBILEE.

St. John's Catholic Church at Worcester, Mass., the Scene of Most Elaborate Ceremonies.

Worcester, Mass., Dec. 28.—St. John's Catholic Church closed the year of its golden jubilee yesterday of the anniversary of the feast of its patron saint with the most elaborate services ever given in a Worcester church.

Archbishop Martinelli, apostolic delegate to the United States, was the special guest of the parish, and pontificated at the solemn mass, which was celebrated at 10.30 o'clock.

As a compliment to the papal delegate every man wore on his breast a badge of yellow and white, the papal colors. At the altar were Archbishop Martinelli, Very Rev. Dr. Thomas J. Conaty, rector of the Catholic University at Washington; Very Rev. Philip J. Gunnigan, D.D., vice-rector of the same University; Right Rev. Thomas B. Havey, Bishop of the Diocese of Springfield; Rev. Levy, S. J., President of the Holy Cross College; Rev. John Conway, S.J., of Georgetown University, and others.

Nervous

People find just the help they so much need, in Hood's Sarsaparilla. It furnishes the desired strength by purifying, vitalizing and enriching the blood, and thus builds up the nerves, tones the stomach and regulates the whole system. Read this:

"I want to praise Hood's Sarsaparilla. My health run down, and I had the grip. After that, my heart and nervous system were badly affected, so that I could not do my own work. Our physician gave me some help, but did not cure. I decided to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon I could do all my own housework. I have taken

Cured

Hood's Pills with Hood's Sarsaparilla, and they have done me much good. I will not be without them. I have taken 12 bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and through the blessing of God, it has cured me. I worked as hard as ever the past summer, and I am thankful to say I am well. Hood's Pills when taken with Hood's Sarsaparilla help very much." MRS. M. M. MESSENGER, Freehold, Penn.

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1896

TREWERN CHEESE FACTORY.

Supper and Entertainment.

Trewern cheese factory, under the management of Mr. John V. Chittick, was the scene of a very pleasant gatherings of the patrons and their friends on Friday evening, Dec. 18th. Owing to the unfavourable weather there was not as large a crowd as was expected, there being about one hundred and sixty present. After all had partaken of supper the chairman, Mr. G. W. Fitzgerald, called the meeting to order when the following programme was rendered which was much enjoyed by those who were fortunate enough to be present:

Report of season's work.....Chairman
Solo.....Miss Scringer
Dialogue.....Four Girls
Solo.....Miss Chastey
Duet.....Bertha Chittick and Stella Roseborough
Instrumental music....Miss Fitzgerald and Mr Roseborough
Club swinging.....Five girls
Instrumental music.....Roberts Trio and Mr Mann
Solo.....Miss Scringer
Song.....Mr Ed Roberts
Solo.....Mrs G Roseborough
Instrumental music. Roberts Trio and Mr Mann
Song.....Mr S McKibbon
Recitation.....Miss T Chastey
Solo.....Miss Scringer
Song.....Mr Ed Roberts

After a vote of thanks had been passed to all who had so kindly helped in any way and singing "God Save the Queen," the company all departed for home after having spent a very pleasant evening.

The following is an account of the season's work which the auditors are pleased to report they found in a satisfactory condition, there being an increase of 23 standards of milk, and $960.50 over last year.

Total lbs. of milk, 967,377.
Total lbs. of cheese, 81,105.
Total value, $6,707.94.
Season's average No. lbs. milk per lb. cheese, 10.09.
Average price per lb. cheese, 8 27-100c.
All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. T. MILBURN, THOS. ROBINSON, } Auditors.

WARSAW.

From our own Correspondent.

Quite a number attended the shooting match on Christmas Day.

Harry Henning, of Goderich, is visiting at Mr. W. Kidd's.

Mrs. Irwin and daughter, of Perrytown, are visiting at Mr. John Doughty's.

Mr. Woodbeck, of Bancroft, is spending a few days at Mr. A. Calder's.

Mrs. Uriah Payne is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. R. Payne.

A large crowd attended the concert given in the Methodist church on the 25th. The receipts amounted to $28.00.

Mrs. Chas. Doughty, of Norwood, spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. John Doughty.

Thomas Rose, of Manitoba, is home for a few days.

Rev. Mr. Tighe, of Smithtown, conducted the services in the Baptist church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, of Indian River, spent Christmas in town.

Miss May Jackson, who is attending High School in Norwood, is home for her holidays.

Misses Effie, Mary and Laura Hughes, of Peterborough, were in town on Sunday.

Allan Kidd is spending a few days with friends in Colborne.

Misses Cookbrite and Randon are visiting at Mrs. Edward's.

Miss Sarah Payne is spending a few days with friends in Toronto

Mrs. J. Kidd, who has been very sick for the last few days, is recovering.

The shareholders of the rink will report for work on Tuesday morning at 9 a.m.

HOG-RAISING FOR EXPORT.

In a letter to the Lindsay Post Mr. Geo. Matthews says:

There appeared in your excellent report of the Farmers' Institute held in Lindsay on the 11th inst., a paper on "Selection and Breeding of Swine," by Mr. Dennis Hawkins of Woodville. Six years ago I would have seconded all Mr. Hawkins says in his article about the Berkshire hog, for at that time they were great favourites with the trade. Plump in body and light in bone, the Berkshire hog was very desirable for my business, which was at that time confined to Canada. But the last six years have witnessed a great increase in the production of hogs, especially in Ontario, and the packers have found it necessary to look to outside markets for the disposition of their meats, and have found the English market desirable if the requirements of the trade there can be met. According to the government returns the exports of Canadian hams and bacon to England have grown marvellously in the past four years, the returns for the last year being about $5,000,000. This is the market we are trying to supply, and in order to be successful, not only must the cut and cure of bacon be perfect to satisfy the demands of that most critical market, but the style of hog from which the meats are cut must also be in every particular suitable, and if their ideas of cut, cure and thickness of sides are not complied with, the dealers refuse to buy our product, excepting at ruinously low prices.

The requirements of the English trade are, briefly, a long, lean side, with a light shoulder and light back. The fat on the back must not exceed in thickness 1¼ to 1½ inches, and should be of a uniform thickness from head to tail, with a thick flank. The Berkshire hog does not comply with these important conditions, and is not therefore, as acceptable for export purposes as other breeds. Their shoulders are thick, and when cut, if the fat on the loin is, say, 1½ inches thick, the shoulder will often show 2½ inches of fat. The sides also are short and thick, and on this account the English buyers have decided objections to them.

When in London last August I saw a number of boxes of Canadian bacon opened, and the buyers admitted that in regard to cut and cure the sides were equal to those received from Denmark. I asked how it was that, although they admitted the cure of Canadian bacon was equal to that of Denmark, they were willing to pay from one to two dollars per cwt. more for the Danish. They explained that it was on account of the irregularity of Canadian sides, some of which were very choice long lean sides, but many were short and heavy in the shoulder, and they considered the latter very unprofitable sides to buy; when buying Danish they could depend upon receiving a regular run of select long lean sides of a uniform length and thickness, much more desirable in this particular than any received from Canada.

If we, as Canadians, are ever to place our pork products on a par with Danish goods in the English market, it can be accomplished only by the united efforts of farmers and packers. Their interests in obtaining the highest prices on that market are identical, and the packers cannot succeed in this particular without the co-operation of the breeders of swine in producing the proper hog. A cross of a thoroughbred Berkshire sow with a Yorkshire boar makes a very good class of hog for the English trade, the long flat side, lean back and thick flank of the Yorkshire correcting the thick heavy shoulder and back of the Berkshire.

I consider the best thoroughbred hog for that trade is the Tamworth at six or seven months old and weighing 180 to 200 lbs. each. A drover brought me a few of these very desirable hogs for export bacon, raised by Hon. John Dryden, and weighing about 200 lbs. each alive; when dressed these hogs filled the requirements of the English bacon dealer in every particular.

I was pleased to notice that at the Swine Breeders' Association meeting, held at Guelph last week, it was decided to ask the agricultural societies to award a special prize for hogs suitable for the English bacon market.

EIGHT TAKEN OUT DEAD.

Seventeen Buried in the Explosion of a Mine at Princeton, Indiana.

Princeton, Ind., Dec. 26.—A terrific mine explosion occurred in the coal mines of Maule & Son, a mile from this city, at 2.30 o'clock to-day. Seventeen men were in the mine at the time of the accident, and up to this hour (10 p.m.) eight have been taken out dead and five badly injured. Two of the latter died shortly after being taken out. Their names are unknown. Four more are still under ground, and there is no hope for them, as the rescue cannot be attempted until the mine is cleared of fire-damp to enable the men to go down.

The dead are: Robert Maule, treasurer and general superintendent of the Maule Co.; James Turner, Robert Poneylight, David Nolan, A. Colegate, Will Cruz, John Holmes (miner), James Ryan, Carl Poneylight, single, of Belleville, Ill., two unknown.

The injured are: W. Grills, will recover; Will Booker, jaw broken, eye blown out and badly burned; Frank Turbee, seriously burned; Thomas Price, single, severely burned.

The men, after a lay-off one day for Christmas, went down in the mine to assist in clearing up the debris of a small explosion of fire damp. It is but a short time since coal was discovered here. It is believed that the mine was not sufficiently guarded. The injured are in such condition that they are receiving all possible attention, and nearly all will recover rapidly. Immediately after the explosion all the men were summoned to the shaft, but all efforts at rescue were balked by the fire-damp. The men were put to work as quickly as possible drawing the gas from under the ground. The force of the explosion was terrible, and some of the bodies are in an awful condition. In two other cases limbs were blown off and found mangled in other ways. The dead brought to the surface were taken to the undertakers or morgue. It will probably be 24 hours before any attempt at rescue can be made, and there is held out for them but little hope.

Later—Shortly after 11 o'clock the fan had done such good work that the mine was nearly cleared. A rescuing party reported that they could hear men groaning, and it is believed that Mr. Maule may be rescued alive. The work is being pushed to the utmost, and they hope to bring others to the top before to-morrow.

A CASE OF DIABETES.

No Help from Medical Men—Suffered for Many Years—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

North Bruce, Dec. 21 (Special).—An old and well known settler in this township, named Thomas Brooks, who lives on lots 7 and 8 in the 14th concession, is rejoicing with his neighbours over his recent recovery, and he said:—

"I was cured by using twenty-four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and, as nothing else ever helped me, I say they saved my life.

"I had tried all the doctors of this locality and was treated for Diabetes, hoping and suffering for years.

"From reading of cures I determined to use Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I must say that after using the first box I would have considered them reasonable at ten dollars a box."

Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue business in his own name in future.

W. G. FOWLER

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Dundas—Mayor—T A Wardell, by acclamation. Reeve—A R Wardell, W E S Knowles, H Bertram, Deputy Reeve—Chas Wilson, M S Wilson, W H C Fisher. Councillors: Mountain Ward—Dr Smith, R T Wilson, T Comport, T D Wardlaw, W G Mallett, J J Steele, Charles Wilson, H W Ralph, James Chegwin, Canal Ward—C Wilson, W Lawson, J Chegwin, J Morton, T D Wardlaw, T Comport, W Dilks, Valley Ward—O Hodges, W H C Fisher, H Bertram, all by acclamation. Foundry Ward—Thomas Hickey, W Lumsden, F E Leonard, H Leonard, W Forrest, C Collins, C M Pirie.

Essex.—Mayor, G. J. Thomas, Dr. R. B. Potts; reeve, Jno. McDougall, by acclamation; deputy reeve, H. M. Johnson, by acclamation; councillors, Warren Lee, C. M. Caughell, L. E. Forsythe, David Whitney, Fred Gilboe, Wm. Reddick, Fred Robinson, Arthur Raines, J. A. Rose, J. A. Hicks, Dr. Potts, J. M. Hicks, W. C. Shaw, Wm. Maylor, Ben Slote, Jos. Robinson.

Galt.—Mayor—Dr Radford, A McAusian. Reeve—T McGiverin, by acclamation. First Deputy—James Warnock, Robert Fairgrieve, Theron Buchanan. Second Deputy—Thomas Vair, by acclamation. Third Deputy—T E McLellan, by acclamation. Councillors: Ward 1—John W. Potteous, Duncan Murray, William Mullett, Oliver Cooper. Ward 2—J R White, Thomas Little, James Anderson, William Cole, James Cromarty, J M Cameron, William Murray, W D Card. Ward 3—J M Irwin, James E Bond. Ward 4—William Baird, Joseph McCartney, J W Taylor. Ward 5—William Webster, James Robinson, Walter Caver, Charles B Mercer, W A Foley. School Trustees: Ward 1—George S Fairgrieve, by acclamation. Ward 2—Dr Adam Thompson, by acclamation. Ward 3—Full term, R Gilholm, by acclamation. Two years' term—Israel Weekly, Thomas Cowan. Ward 4—T Buchanan, Frank G Hughes. Ward 5—Andrew Oliver, Dr Moyer, Dr Acheson.

Goderich—Mayor—J R Shannon, by acclamation. Reeve—William Proudfoot, by acclamation. Deputy Reeve—R Thompson, Dudley Holmes. Council: St. David's Ward—W C Good, J Colwell. St. Patrick's Ward—F J Pridham, J T Acheson, A F McLean, C A Nairn, James Wilson, J C Martin. St. George's Ward—James A Reid, Hugh Dunlop, M Nicholson. St. Andrew's Ward—John Craigie, David Cantelou, Thomas Naftel, Henry Watson.

Lindsay.—Mayor—Robert Smyth, D Ray, J A Williamson, R Kylie. Reeve—George Crandell, Richard Touchburn, D Ray, W M Robinson, Thomas Brady. First Deputy Reeve—G Crandell, Robert Sylvester, Jas Boxall, J H Southeran, E P Gillogly. Second Deputy Reeve—George Crandell, W M Robinson, Richard Kylie, W T Pedlar, A D Mallon. For Councillors: North Ward—Alexander Horn, John Wilson, J E Graham, C B Taylor, Alexander Fisher, William Pedlar, F McDiarmid, R J McLaughlin, Henry Walters, Joseph Thornhill.

Leamington.—Mayor—J T Johnson, Chas Chamberlin. Reeve—S J Coulson, C I Coultis. Deputy Reeve—W D Cox, A Leggett. Councillors: Ward 1—W Simpson, Dr Stanton, F C Qualtine, E McLatchey, E T Ede. Ward 2—G C Foster, William Selkirk William Prosser, C Curtiss. Ward 3—George Craig, Charles E Mann, Joseph Peart.

Niagara.—Mayor—T F Best, James Aikins. Reeve—R Bishop, W R McClelland. Councillors: Centre Ward—B Avery, J D W Randall, H J Wilson, W J Campbell, D Lynch, James A Kiely, Henry Edson. Western Ward—R Crumpson, Albert McClelland, James Robertson, W R McClelland, James Longhurst, E Patterson, jr., J Eglesch. Eastern Ward—John Abbott, J B McMillan, C C Milloy, B Nash, E Patterson, A Stevens, James Longhurst, H J Wilson.

Niagara Falls.—Mayor—Charles C Cole, acclamation, the four other candidates—J. Slater, George Vaux, A R Cameron, F W Hill—retiring in his favor. Water Commissioners—D Demuth, George Cook, Thomas Sills. Councillors: South Ward—O D Glasgow, G H Young, John Ward, Jas Wason, J V Ellis, John Bobbie. West ward—J B Stephens, John Halliday, W L Wilkinson, Thomas McCarney, John R Price, E Wilson, George Fuller, W J Hamilton, Joshua Jepson, T Goodes, jr. North Ward—Wm Cole, Frank Jefferies, P McCall, W J Gibson, W F Broughton, Alex Gray, M H Buckley, S Neale, Harry Wright, Frank Meuzie. East Ward—O A Nelles, J O Dorna, W Phemister, jr., A B Brown, E Davis, Fred W Ellis.

Trenton.—Mayor—M B Morrison, A W Hawley. Dr W S Jaques, Dr J B Moran, W E Phillips. Councillors: Centre Ward—Thomas Derman. S J. Cooley, R Bryant, W R Phillips, T J O'Rourke, A Tarent, J Funnell. East Ward—D H Golden, E Birks, R A Wales, J Nicholson, Thomas German, F Powers, William Orill, S J Young, J Empey, J P Sharle, D J Hawley, D G Sager. West Ward—H Hennessay, T D Kincaid, C B Turney, P J O'Rourke, Dr J B Moran, W Taylor, W H Berkinshaw, A B Bywater, A Jones.

Napanee.—Mayor—T G Davis. Thomas Symington, Dr G C T Ward, Thomas Jamieson, M S Madole. Reeve—W D Maden, Dr R A Leonard, T G Carscallen. Deputy Reeve—W D Madden, E S Lapum, M S Madole. Councillors: West Ward—John Lowery, T W Vandusen, Charles Stevens, William Dey, J J Perry, W D Madden, J R Fraser, S R Miller, R J Wright. Centre Ward—J Aylesworth, E S Lapum, John Paisley, D Henwood, J L Boyes, Dr Meng, John Carson, William Mowat, John English. East Ward—Dr G C F Ward, Dr G P Cowan, W H Perry, Alfred Alexander, F E Van Luven, W P Boyle, F F Miller.

Newmarket.—Mayor—H S Cane, by acclamation. Reeve—T J Robertson, by acclamation. Deputy Reeve—J P Hunter and T H Lloyd. Councillors: St. George's Ward—Charles Stickwood, H Richardson, W Wyeth. St. Andrew's—R A Smith, N N McDougall and Benjamin Cody. St. Patrick's—John Roodhouse, R Manning and T Somerville.

Newbridge.—Mayor—Wm Chapman, Wm. Nicolaus. Reeve—H Armstrong, Jas Rinn. Councillors—Geo Holland, John Nicolaus, Jas Spence, Adam Rinn.

North Bay.—Mayor—M Brennan, Thomas Colgan, A R Morris. Reeve—William McRae, J E Young, Robert Rankin. Councillors: Mursay Ward—Thomas Reynolds, A R Morris, J McNamara, W Hewitt, H A Washburn, M Brennan. Ferguson Ward—Joseph E Gilmour, W J Smart, J J Mackey, J E Young, Thomas Reynolds, W J Parsons. Metcalfe Ward—James Lindsay, Wilfred Aube, James McIlvenna, W B Way, William McRae.

Picton.—Mayor: James Clapp, J N Carter, James Hooper, Wellington Boulter, W Woodrow, John Laird, George Hadden and J W Conger. Reeve: James Hooper, J W Conger, W Woodrow, David Bigg, W R Wright, George Hadden and George Martin. Deputy Reeve: R H McKenna, Ed. Case, Fred Martin, E A Morden, John A Wright, L A Wright, David Bigg, R H Hubbs, John Burns, G M Farrington, H B Bristol and John Laird. Councillors: Hallowell Ward—Patrick Lynch, Nicholas Gilbert, John Terrill, J C Williams, James Kent, John Burns, M B Worden, H W Branscombe, Oliver Dingman, A Terrill and R Ringer. Brock Ward—W A Clark, James A Porte, David Bigg, Benjamin Hubbs, Thomas Dunn, Francis T Wright, Henry J Allison, George Martin, W F Johnson and J G Williams. Quinte Ward—W Moffatt, W R Wright, Alexander McGillivray, Calvin Grimmon, E W Case, G M Farrington, E A Morden, Charles Spencer, Andy Brown, Thomas Slattery, R B Mastin, W Wilson and W Haycock. Tecumseh Ward—P W Post, George Hadden, Thomas Shaw, Geo Kyle, A C Farrington, Byron Hughes, Maxwell Lepper and C A McDonnell.

Peterboro.—Mayor—Wm Yelland, W H Moore. Councillors: Ward 1—T J Moore, Thos Cahill, C B Robertson, Wm H White, Henry Best, Jas L Hughes, Wm Dudkins, N T Laplante. School Trustees—Jno J McBain, by acclamation. Ward 2—T H G Denne, Harry Phelan, R Neill, A J Gough, A L Davis, A McNeill, Henry Carveth; School Trustee W H Wrighton, by acclamation. Ward 3—J H Cobb, Robt Weir, Jno Sawers, J B McWilliams, B Shortly, Adam Dawson; School Trustee Geo Burnham, M.D., by acclamation. Ward 4—Jas Graham, Thos Brady, Wm Langford, Jno White, W H Meldrum, A E Dixon (withdrawn). School Trustees—Jas Edgcombe, Jos Burnett.

Thorold.—Mayor—Joseph Battle, John H Wilson. Reeve—William Monro, John Stuart. Deputy Reeve—C P Creegan, acclamation. Councillors: John Schwaller, Samuel Campbell, James Weeks, Thomas McBride, T S Tracy, William Boyle, James McDonald, Capt Hugh James, acclamation, Thomas Foley, acclamation, William Carr, John Weldon, George Henderson. School Trustees—All elected by acclamation: Geo Turner, James Millar, William R Cave, F F Walton.

Thornbury.—Mayor—Andrew Grier, by acclamation. Reeve—J H Dickinson, S L Howe, M Snetsinger. Councillors: East Ward—W J Crumpton, Dean Carscadden, Charles E Keast, by acclamation. North Ward—James Lewis, George W Hately, T J Carscadden, by acclamation. South Ward—Thomas Boon, R Jane, S J Alexander, Walter Grierson, J A Burke, R A Campbell. For School Trustees: North Ward—W J Boyd, by acclamation. East Ward—Joseph Allen, H Redwell. South Ward—James Ferguson, Charles McGuire.

Uxbridge.—Mayor—R P Harman, John Hunter. Reeve—J H O'Brien, J Richards. Deputy Reeve—William Foster, Thomas Galloway. Councillors: East Ward—J A Lord, A Morris, W Thirsk and W J Crozall. Following were elected by acclamation: North Ward—A W Crosby, C H Nix and James Forrest. West Ward—T C Nicholls, A J Gould and H A Crosby. School Trustees, by acclamation: North Ward—T W Chapple. West Ward—T Boyd. East Ward—James Walker.

Welland.—Mayor—D McConachie, C H Reilly, A Griffith. Reeve—W J Best, Geo Slatker. Deputy reeve—D Ross, G B Swayze, D D Hooker. Councillors: Ward 1—J E Whalley, P McMurray, David Ross, George H Burgar. Ward 2—Geo Cronmiller, J D Gun, by acclamation. Ward 3—A Henderabott, M Vanderburg, D D Hooker, Dempster Robins, George Stalker, J H Howell, W H Lowe, D D Hoover. Ward 4—Alex Robertson, Thos Blanchard, G B Swayze.

Walkerville.—Mayor—Thomas Reid, John Bott. Councillors: St. Andrew's Ward—J Dobie, William McDicking, Thomas Smith, R Weir, Walter Chater, N Bott. St. George's Ward—E G Swift, R Derr, E C Russell, A Reid, William Robins. St. Dennis Ward—W C White, H A Walker, W Chater, P J Walsh, R Weir.

Whitby.—Mayor—F H Annes, Lt. Barclay, James Rutledge, A M Ross. Reeve—Thomas Deverell, W R Pringle, Charles King, H M Ross. Deputy Reeve—T G Jackson. William Burns, Jerome Scott. Councillors: North Ward—W H Warner, W H Crosby, James Henry, William Robson, T A McGillivray, M Harper, Jerome Scott. Centre Ward—W J Lake, Joseph Mitchell, E R B Hayward, W H Bewell, G A Ross, J S Barnard, William Burns, W W Tamblyn, Thomas Deverell, George Cormack. South Ward—T G Jackson, John Smith, E R Blow, D Galbraith, William Wicks. Trustees: North Ward—John Ferguson, Centre Ward—F Hatch, H W Willcox. South Ward—John Blow.

Walkerton.—Mayor—Alexander Menzies, A U Robb, C W Stovel. Reeve—Dr Stalker, acclamation. Deputy Reeve—R H McKay, Hugh Brias. Councillors: Silver Creek Ward—John Chittick, Patrick Heffernan, John Reaburn, A Campbell, F Lippert. East Ward—Patrick Godfrey, S H McKay, B Ritchie, George Rife, J W Plewes. Centre Ward—John Standish, J J Wieser, R H McKay, Thomas Elliot, A Moyer.

Barrie.—Mayor—J M Bothwell, Dr. Wells, S Caldwell, C A Perkins. Reeve—G A Radenhurst, W C McLean. First Deputy—A W Wilkinson. Second Deputy—C Catcher, W P Soules. Councillors: Ward 1—W Freek, G W Caldwell, E T Tyrer. Ward 2—Thos Pearcy, Wm Hubbert, R A Stephens, W A Boys, G H Esten, P H Stewart. Ward 3—M J Frawley, Jas Valr, R A Douglas. Ward 4—G Reedy, Jno Hood, R Powell. Ward 5—W C Andrews, L Brennen, Geo Plaxton. Ward 6—J Glassford, J Peacock, A W Wilkinson.

Deseronto.—Mayor—E W Rathbun, Robert Geddes. Reeve—James Dryden, by acclamation. Deputy Reeve—A A Richardson, A H McGoughey. Councillors: West Ward—J M Sexsmith, J J Kerr, G E Clement, L Hoppins, Wm Irvine. Centre Ward—Jas Whitton, Wm Stoddart, Geo Parham, M Oliver. East Ward—G E Pearson, Geo Walker, Thos Gault, Wm Mellow.

Brampton—Mayor—W Peaker, E H Grandell, Dr G Y Moore, R H Hodgson, H Barnett, M Trendgold, E J Walsh, E T Stork, W A McCulla, J Golding, J G Roberts. Reeve—W S Murphy, T Thaubura, J Coyne, M Treadgold, E H Crandell, W Peaker. Deputy Reeve—W B McCullough, R H Hodgson, M Treadgold, T Thaubura, John Clark, A J Bell, E T Stork. Council: North Ward—Buckham, Reynos, McAuley, Smithers, Jones, Pexton, Wilson, Laird. West Ward—McCullogh, Bell, Pearen, Irvin, Kirkwood, Sewell, Blain. South Ward—Nelson, Thaubern, Coyne, Dawson, Anthony, Fleming, McGill, Heatley. East Ward—Cole, Packham, Quinn, Wilson, Wilkinson, Crawford, Carter, Tait, Franks, McCollom.

Orillia—Mayor—Crawford J Miller, Robert J Sanderson. Reeve—Edward A Doolittle, Thomas Vinner. First Deputy Reeve—Wm J Hickey, by acclamation. Second Deputy Reeve—Col. Robertson, by acclamation. Councillors: South Ward—Bolton Keane, Henry Boyes, John P Secord, Henry H Wilson. North Ward—Thomas Mulcahy, Albert Kerr, Henry Crawford, Dr W C Gilchrist. West Ward—Wm F Clarke, James Madden, Stephen Black, John Wilson, N E Irish.

Owen Sound—Mayor—John Fox, T F Thompson. Reeve—M K Duncan, by acclamation. First Deputy Reeve—W S Middleboro, by acclamation. Second Deputy Reeve—W H Sinclair, John Weldrick. Third deputy Reeve—J M Davis. E B Miller. Councillors: Ruly Ward—H Botkins and H Lemon, by acclamation. Centre Ward—Geo Holmes, J S Robertson, John H McLauchlan, J F Gray, W A Grier. Haron Road. River Ward—George M Quay, Keith Webster, Jesse Ward, C R Baines. West Ward—W Little, O C Brown, David McLean.

VILLAGES.

Fergus—Reeve, Chas. G. Groves, by acclamation; school trustees, John Craig, Geo. Beatty and Alex. Mills, by acclamation.

Acton—Reeve: W. H. Storey, Dr. J. F. Uren, H. P. Moore, I. Francis and A. E. Nicklin; councillors: J. A. Murray, W. H. Denny, Wm. Brown, T. H. Arnold, J. A. Speight, Jas. McLam, W. E. Smith, J. F. Uren, Jno. Harvey and J. J. Lawson.

Georgetown—Reeve: W. J. Kahrs, Joseph Barber and W. P. Moore; councillors: F. J. Barber, John Gane, Andrew Adams, James Leslie, J. B. McLeod, D. Cook, J. R. Guthrie, R. D. Warren, N. Hunter, J. H. McKenzie.

Merritton—Reeve: J. M. Ness, S. R. Bradley, A. B. Thompson. For councillors: O. J. Phelps, R. E. Boyle, J. M. Ness, H. Horey, Geo. Gordon, J. C. Phelps, W. L. Niles, A. R. Thompson, F. C. Fyles, M. G. Phelps, R. Thompson, W. J. O'Reilly, Fred Bowman, John Pullan, Jas. Cogan, Wm. Cornelius, John Dundas, W. H. Wilson, T. J. Holden, C. Bessie, J. McLean. For water commissioners: S. Pettigrew, Wm. Niles, John McLean, John Pullan, C. Urlocker, R. Sharp. For school trustees: Thos. Wheeler, A. J. Leach, Geo. Gordon, Geo. Keating, Wm. Weaver.

Monthampton.—Reeve, C. M. Bowman, by acclamation; councillors, D. McLeod, Wm. McGregor, A. McIntosh, R. Hanbidge, Geo. Tupling, H. Harmer, M. S. McAulay, C. R. Vanstone, Jas. Johns.

Morrisburg.—For Reeve, H. Montgomery, S. B. Fell, G. F. Bradfield; for councillors, H. Montgomery, S. B. Fell, Geo. Dillon, sr., John Barry, G. F. Bradfield, M. S. Logan, W. A. Denesha, R. E. Gibson, A. G. F. Drew, N. W. Day.

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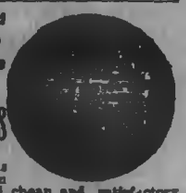

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Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $3.50, now 2 50

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Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 50
Lacing Gloves..... were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Frères, 4 Button, bourcon quality, in black and colour d..... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Frères, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1.25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves .... were $1.25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
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ack Cashmere Hose..... were 30c, now 20c
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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

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What is Claimed for the Drexel Light.

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Holiday Photographs.

G. E. Whiten, the new photographer of Peterborough, is doing a grand trade since coming here. He is kept very busy. He finishes most of his work on the new Platino finish. There is no better work made in Ontario to-day than is made at Whiten's New Art Studio, on Hunter street west, opposite Oak Hall. His prices are very reasonable. Go and see the quality of his work and be convinced there is none better, and few to equal his work. Give him a trial. dtf

CANTATA TO-NIGHT.

The Cantata, "The Story of the Star" will be rendered in the Murray Street Baptist Church, by the members of the Junior Endeavour Society to-night. The public are cordially invited. Silver collection at the door.

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Our Christmas fruits are the finest obtainable in Montreal and Toronto markets. We have just laid in a choice stock with the intention of supplying the town. Connoisseur Cluster Raisins, Currants, Layer and Cooking Figs, Prunes, Dates, Piper's pure Chocolate, Spices and everything needful for Christmas cakes and puddings. Don't forget to call.—E. BROWN & CO., Grocers, also Wines and Liquors.

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List, ye Horsemen!

All lovers of that most useful of domesticated animals, the horse, will be glad to learn that the Christmas number of "The Horse Review" (Chicago), is issued this week. It will not be necessary to go into a full description of this mammoth cyclopaedia of horse literature, as publishers claim it to far excell those published in past years, and their veracity being unquestioned and the Horse Review so well known to our readers as the leading horse-paper of America, we will simply state that it is printed on the finest paper, profusely illustrated by half-tone engravings and contains four separate supplements on heavy paper, suitable for framing, representing champion trotters and pacers of 1896. Splendid stories, statistical tables, original poetry and horse love will make this a souvenier number to be preserved for future reference. The cover is beautifully lithographed in colours and the price is only twenty-five cents. Leave your order for one at the Peterborough Bookstore, where "promptness" is the watchword, and receive one of the first printed. Or, better still, leave your subscription for the paper, two dollars per annum, and the Xmas number thrown in.

MARRIED IN MONTREAL.

Nuptials of Rev. J. C. Davidson and Miss Fanny Maude Lewis.

A matrimonial event which has created more than usual interest in the congregation of St. John's, as well as in the social circles of the town generally, owing to the prominent position of the contracting parties, was solemnized this morning.

At the Church of the Advent, Montreal, this morning at 8.40 o'clock, Rev. John Cheyne Davidson, M.A., Rector of Peterborough, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Fanny Maude Lewis, eldest daughter of Mr. F. J. Lewis, 23 Prospect street, Montreal, formerly manager of the Bank of Montreal in Peterborough.

The solemn ceremony was celebrated by Rev. Canon Ellegood, M.A., Rector of the Church of St. James the Apostle, assisted by Rev. Henry Kittson, M. A., rector of the Church of the Advent, in which the marriage was solemnized. The bride was given to be married by her father, and both groomsman and bridesmaid were dispensed with, in deference to the extreme simplicity of the wedding. There was also no marriage license, the wholesome old custom of "publishing the banns" having been followed on this occasion. There were no invited guests—only the intimate friends of the contracting parties being present.

The bride was attired in her travelling costume, which consisted of a heather-mixture tweed coat and skirt, with shot silk vest, and brown velvet collar and cuffs. She wore a green and brown hat and brown gloves to match.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the happy pair at once took carriage and drove to the railway station, where they embarked on the 2.50 express for Ottawa. From the capital they proceed to Toronto, where they will pass a few days.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson will sail from New York on January 9th, on the Wilhelm II. of the North German Lloyd line, direct to Naples, Italy. They will make a tour of indefinite length, in southern Europe, and proceed across the continent to England, where the trans-Atlantic portion of their tour will end.

The circumstances of this wedding are of more than usual interest, especially to Peterborough, where both Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson are held, and deservedly so, in the very highest esteem. During the seven or eight years Rev. Mr. Davidson has been rector of St. John's he has won, to an unusual degree, the love of his parishioners of every rank in life. Especially in the homes, where sickness, need, sorrow or any other adversity have claimed his attention, is he remembered in love for his tender and thoughtful ministrations. In his relations as a citizen he has shown such public-spirited qualities, has personally identified himself so actively and so judiciously with every enterprise aiming to advance the good name of the town and to promote the material, moral, social and educational interests of the people of all classes, irrespective of denominational distinctions, that he has received a prominent place in their respect. His wife has also a particularly warm place in the affections of the social circles of her native town, in which she has passed the most of her life. Especially is she regarded with esteem and appreciation in Church circles, where her faithful work has been of the most devoted character and has especially fitted her for the larger and more direct responsibilities of her new relation. In a word both have very warm places in the hearts of Peterborough people, and their happy union is a reason for the most cordial congratulations, in which the EXAMINER begs leave to heartily join.

As an indication of the respect felt by St. John's congregation for Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, the grand old Union Jack, which Mr. Davidson loves so well, was this morning run up on the tower of St. John's, and at the hour corresponding to the conclusion of the ceremony the glad chime of the wedding bells rang out from the ivy-covered tower.

A Farewell Greeting.

On Rev. Mr. Davidson's departure for Montreal on Monday morning a large number of the members of the congregation of St. John's assembled at the station to bid him good bye, and the following

ADDRESS

was presented :

Rev. J. C. Davidson, M. A., Rector of Peterborough:

DEAR RECTOR,—Your parishioners, in whose love and esteem you have won a very dear place by your faithful ministrations for the past seven years, wish to take this opportunity of congratulating you with the most earnest cordiality upon your approaching marriage, and we venture to say that, as faithful and as fruitful of good results as have been your former labours, your future will be even more so by virtue of having associated with yourself in the most sacred of human companionships, a lady, whose gracious and graceful personal qualities and devotion to the advancement of every interest of the Church, constitute her in every sense a help meet for a minister of Christ. We know this from a happy past experience, and we shall gladly welcome her amongst us again; as warmly for her own worth's sake as we should, in any event, for your own.

We assure you that we shall very greatly miss you during the next few months, but we are glad to know that you have before you a holiday which, as we heartily wish it to be, will need to be a very happy one to be in any sense anything like a reward for the seven years' faithful service you have given our beloved Church and your flock in this Parish. We shall the less deplore your absence when we all remember that; though wide seas separate us, and though new scenes claim your attention, you will still be with us in spirit.

We pray that you and your wife may have a safe voyage, and hope that, when the hour of Sunday service comes, wherever you may be, you will be comforted and cheered by the thought that dear old St. John's will be vocal with the prayer:

O, Trinity of love and power,
Our brethren shield in danger's hour;
From rock and tempest, fire and foe
Protect them wheresoe'er they go.

We also pray that you will be safely restored to the congregation of St. John's, in whose hearts you have so warm a place, and in whose name we wish you God-speed and bon voyage.

Signed on behalf of the congregation.

R. M. DENISTOUN, HARRY LONG, } Church Wardens

Mr. Davidson's reply was, owing to the departure of the train, necessarily very brief but nevertheless hearty and appreciative. He was very much touched by this parting evidence of the love and thoughtfulness of his parishioners.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Sizing up the Situation.

For the few remaining days of the year there will be bargains at Routley's fancy goods store, enough to loosen the purse-strings of a skinflint. Stock-taking will be going on while a continued slaughter of the goods is in progress. The less stock we have to take the better, and almost any offer will influence sales. Mr. Routley is is open to receive offers for his valuable houses and other town properties, particulars of which will be cheerfully given to all enquirers. C. B. ROUTLEY.

Fans for Evening Parties, etc.

The magnificent exhibition of holiday goods at the Peterborough Bookstore has been reinforced with new and attractive lines to meet the continued demand of holiday shoppers. Regular stocks have not been neglected, nor will they be. We have a lovely selection of new fans for evening parties, festivals and other fashionable functions. For the first three days of next week we will take a discount of 20 per cent. off every fan. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will therefore be bargain days in fans—including the choicest we have in silk, feather, hand-painted, etc. At the same time our stock of New Year's cards, calendars and booklets must be sold at "last moment prices."—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

THE MASONIC BROTHERHOOD.

THE FESTIVAL OF ST. JOHN, THE EVANGELIST.

Installation of Officers at the Masonic Hall—Social Gathering and Union Banquet.

United by that Mystic Tie,
Which all good Craftsmen understand,
Watched o'er by God's All-Seeing Eye,
Freemasons meet in every land;
While thus we meet, both near and far,
In every land, on every sea,
No discord should those meetings mar
From first to thirty-third degree.

Speak not of faults which you have heard
Have marred an honoured brother's life,
Remember that an unkind word
Cuts deeper than the sharpest knife;
Forgive the brother if you would
Have others do the same for you,
Love links our ancient Brotherhood
With all things noble, pure and true.

Remember when, aspiring youth,
You first essayed the Mystic Art,
Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth
Were mottoes taught you at the start.
You saw the Warden's pointer trace
Your duty to your fellow-men,
While memory lives can time efface
The lessons that were taught you then.

And later, when a Craftsman, you
Were taught the use of Plumb and Line,
You swore by all that's good and true
The secret life should ever shine.
While bright stars gild the dome of night
And Luna sheds her silvery ray,
While O'd Sol, with glorious light,
Illumines each succeeding day.

As Master Masons we know why
That royal arch is seen above,
God set his rainbow in the sky
To show His all-forgiving love;
Guided by Compasses and Square,
We prize no gift of royal court
So highly as that Jewel rare,
The loving tongue of good report.

—BRO. W. D. ANDREWS,

That spirit of universal unity and true brotherly love which is propegated by the fraternity of Freemasons prevaded the local brethren yesterday, being the occasion of the Festival of St. John the Evangelist, when, in accordance with the time-honoured custom, the annual installation of officers took place. The Masonic hall, on Water street, was filled to its utmost capacity by local and visiting brethren. The impressive ceremonies connected with the investment of the elected and appointed officers constituted the principal business of the evening. R. W. Bro. R. E. Wood, D.D.G.M., assumed the gavel and officiated during the installation. He was assisted by the following well-skilled board of Installing Masters :—

Wor. Bros. T. C. Hay, H. Rush, A. Dawson, W. H. Walkey, H. C. Winch, D. Spence, R. Max Dennistoun and R. A. Morrow.

The following is a list of the officers duly installed for the current Masonic year :—

CORINTHIAN LODGE NO. 101.

W. Bro.	Arthur Stevenson	W M
" "	W F Johnston	I P M
" "	D H Burritt	S W
" "	F D Mackay	J W
R. " "	Rev V Clementi	Chap
" "	T A Hay	Treas
" "	John Beatty	Sec
V. " "	R Max Dennistoun	D of C
" "	Wesley Brown	S D
" "	A M Morrison	J D
" "	R H Kells	S S
" "	E Brown	J S
" "	H S Meharry	Organist
" "	Alex C Milne	I G
" "	W D Parker	Tyler

Auditors—(To be appointed.)
Trustee—R W Bro R E Wood.
Board of Relief—W Bros A Dawson, R P Boucher, E A Peck, H C Winch and R W Bro H C Rogers.

PETERBOROUGH LODGE, NO. 155.

W. Bro	W B Bamford	W M
" "	A Gibson	I P M
" "	A C Herridge	S W
" "	W E Conway	J W
" "	Geo McWilliams	Chap
" "	R S Davidson	Treas
" "	R W McFadden	Sec
" "	T O Irwin	D of C
" "	J H Greer	S D
" "	A Ross	J D
" "	Wm Buller	S S
" "	J W Carey	J S
" "	Robt Logan	Organist
" "	Walter Stocker	I G
" "	G I Hossel	Tyler

Auditors—W Bro H Rush and Bro W Menzies
Trustee—W Bro W J Martin.
Board of Relief—R W Bro Benj Shortly, and W Bros H Rush, R McFadden, A St A Smith and R Logan.

The official duties of the evening being disposed of, the lodges were formally closed down for the evening.

IN THE REFRESHMENT ROOM.

After a brief intermission for an exchange of fraternal greetings, the brethren repaired to the adjoining Chapter hall, where tables were spread out under the directions of the J. W's of both lodges, and a splendid collation was served under the skillful catering of Bro John Watt. The spread was a very inviting one, the Wardens and their assistants discharging their duty "without scruple or diffidence," and the craftsmen all heartily enjoyed themselves in toast and speech and song. At the head of the table the presiding chairman was R. W. Bro. R. E. Wood, D. D.G.M., the vice-chairman, R. W. Bro. H. C. Rogers and second vice-chairman V.W. Bro. D. Spence.

After the refreshments had been cleared off, the chairman called the brethren to their feet by proposing the toast of "The Queen and the Craft," which was received with Masonic enthusiasm and appropriate Masonic honours, the brethren all joining in "God Save the Queen."

The 2nd Vice-Chairman, V. W. Bro. D. Spence, proposed "The Grand Master and the Grand Lodges of Canada."

R. W. Bro. R. H. D. Hall thanked the brethren for coupling his name with this important toast. As, however, his acquaintance with Grand Lodge affairs of more recent date was not of so intimate a nature as some of the other brethren who would reply, he preferred to allow them to do proper justice to the toast.

R. W. Bro. Benj. Shortly replied to the toast in a few well chosen remarks, making some interesting references to grand lodge affairs and its importance as a body composed of able representatives from the craft.

Rt. W. Bro. William Miller replied very fully to the toast and delighted his hearers with a eulogistic address on the ancient and historical work of the order. He elaborated on the life of their patron saint St. John, the evangelist, and associated his name with much that was of interest to the craft.

The 1st vice-chairman, R. W. Bro. H. C. Rogers proposed the toast of "The Newly Elected Officers," which was received in the most lively manner.

W. Bro. A. Stevenson, the W. M. elect of Corinthian Lodge, responded in a very genial speech. He thanked the brethren for the honour they had conferred upon him, and asked for their hearty co-operation in the work.

W. Bro. Bamford, W. M. elect of Peterborough Lodge, also replied. His response was characterized with a full sense of the responsibility of the duties of the office he had been called upon to fill. He assured his brethren that he would work for the best interests of the craft, and trusted he would be accorded that support, which alone would enable him to "look well to the East." He thanked the brethren for the very hearty manner in which they received the toast, and was pleased to have his name associated with the office he was called to fill.

The toast was also responded to by others of the newly-elected officers of both lodges.

V. W. Bro. R. M. Denistoun favoured the gathering with a song.

The chairman next proposed the toast of "Our Visiting Brethren."

Bro. W. R. Young (Rev.) replied with an impressive speech, in which he alluded to the grand principles recognized in Freemasonry, and the fundamental truths of Christianity which it revealed, corroborated by the Bible, were the foundation stones of the Order where to be found.

Bro. Melrose, of Perth Lodge, sang a rousing Scottish song.

W. Bro. P. N. Clarke, one of the visiting brethren, returned thanks for the kind and fraternal spirit with which he had been welcomed around the hospitable board.

Bro. Green, of Farmo, N. S., W. Bro. Eastwood (Dr.) and V. Wor. Bro. R. J. Winch also responded to the toast.

"The Retiring Officers'" healths were then toasted and brought out happy responses from W. Bro. Johnston, of Corinthian Lodge, and W. Bro. Alex. Gibson, of Peterborough Lodge.

"The Installing Master," was proposed by the second Vice-Chairman in a very felicitous manner, and the toast was enthusiastically honoured.

R. W. Bro. R. E. Wood's reply was made in a few well chosen words, characterized by a sense of the pleasure it afforded him in being able to discharge the important duties allotted to him. He thanked the brethren for the heartiness with which the toast was drank.

A number of songs was pleasingly interspersed, with volunteer toasts which followed, in which Bros. Rossel, R. B. Roger, H. C. Winch, W. Stocker and others were called upon to respond.

Then came the Junior Warden's toast, followed by "Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save the Queen," and the usual fraternal parting, which closed one of the most enjoyable meetings "on the Square" ever held.

Lots of 5 and 10 cent games at SAILSBURY'S.

GRAND RALLY!

MR. MOORE'S

Friends in the Mayoralty contest will meet at his Committee Rooms each evening this week at 7.30 o'clock p m.

Rooms in Opera House Building, first turn to left from George street entrance, up stairs. (T. Hurley's late office.)

LAPSED INDUSTRIAL POLICIES

The Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. Will Revive any Lapsed Policy on which fifty-two successive weeks' premiums were received, and on which the premiums are in arrears thirteen weeks or more, provided the life before insured is in good health.

Apply to your local Superintendent, who has two kinds of policies to offer in such cases—one restoring your policy subject to a loan for premiums in arrears without interest, and the other a new policy in full immediate benefit without any loan, but for the amount called for by the old premium at the present age on the present table.

TENDERS

Addressed to Dr. Geo. Burnham, President of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society, will be received up to

SATURDAY, January 9th, 1897,

—FOR THE—

Caretaking, Planting and Management of the Court House Park.

(For the Season of 1897.)

A. H. COBB,
Secretary.

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'CANES'

"They are a Creation,
They Do Not Grow."

To-day we show a fine line of these goods in "Silver Mounted" Congo woods — the "Prince of Wales" being the favourite pattern.

Prices will be from $1.00 to $2.00.

What a nice idea for a Gentleman's Present.

To help the overtaxed pocket of Christmas shoppers we place on sale in our window a fine assortment of Christmas Novelties in

—Rings
—Bangle Pins
—Bracelets
—Enamel Spoons
—Gold Chains
—Gold Spectacles, &c.

These Goods will be offered at prices that can not help but sell them.

McClelland
338 GEORGE STREET.

Windsor Salt

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

The Peterborough Bookstore.

417 GEORGE STREET, December 29th, 1896.

From Now Till New Year

Clearing Prices will prevail at this store. We ask Shoppers who have not yet made their purchasers for New Year Presents to go carefully through the following Price List.

These are days when forgotten things come to light. Selling at a loss the things we don't want to carry into the New Year. Our store will be still found packed with Holiday Plums. All left over from our great Xmas trade, will be sacrificed regardless of loss.

50 Leather Ladies' Writing Folios at 20 per cent. reduction.
50 Leather Gentlemen's Travelling Companions at 20 per cent. reduction.
200 Copies Assorted Prayers and Hymns, A. and M., at 20 per cent. discount.
10 Pocket Bibles, Yapped Leather Binding, 75c, for 50c.
25 Pocket Bibles, Ruby type References, Yapped leather binding, indexed $1.25, for 85c.
50 Copies Teachers' Bibles, (a traveller's samples) at 10 per cent. less than wholesale prices.
Catholic Prayer Books 20 per cent. reduction.
Windsor Newton's Oil Colours 8c. per tube.
Reeve's Best Canvas, $1 per yard for 75c.
Feather Party Fans in Pink, Blue and White $1, for 75c.
Feather Party Fans in Pink, Blue and White $2, for $1.50.
2 copies Girl's Own Annual $2, for $1.25.
All the Popular Poets in good leather binding $1.25, for 90c.
All the Popular Poets in padded leather binding, $1.50, for $1.10.
Pansy and Elsie Series Books 35c, for 20c.
Annie Swan Series Books 50c, for 35c.
100 Assorted Books for old and young 75c, for 35c.
100 Assorted Books for old and young 50c, for 25c.
Standard Sets of Dickens, Scott, Lytton and Thackeray, at Clearing Sale Prices.
Silk Fans, hand painted $1, for 75c.
Silk Fans, hand painted $1.50, for $1.15.
Silk Fans, hand painted $2, for $1.50.
6 Music Racks Racks, worth $1, for 75c.
3 Music Racks, worth 75c, for 50c.
3 Brush and Comb Sets in Celluloid $1.50, for $1.20.
3 Shaving Cases in Celluloid, $1.35 for $1.
2 Manicure Sets in Celluloid $3, for $2.25.
Assorted Purses, 3 different kinds, worth 35c, choice for 22c.
Assorted Purses, 3 different kinds, worth 60c and 75c, choice for 50c.
Lizard Skin Purses worth $1, for 75c.
Lizard Skin Purses, silver mounted, worth $1.25 for $1.
The Prettiest Doll for the least money.
The Best Game for the least money.
Get your Diary for 1897.
Do you want the "Globe" Almanac? Speak now.
What about your Account Books for 1897. Remember we keep the best for the least money.

A. H. STRATTON & CO

417 George Street.

OUR PRICES, LIKE THIS LINE, ARE AT THE BOTTOM

A GRAND CLOSING SALE!

...AT...

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S.

The grand success of our Christmas trade has left us with many lines of goods broken in assortment and in sizes, and we have decided out of appreciation of a most liberal patronage by our many friends to clear out many lines at prices that must be a benefit to the buyer. This being the last week of the year we have many reasons for giving you this liberal offering.

Handkerchiefs.

All our 10c Silk Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched and Embroidered, will go at 5 cents.
All our 15c Silk plain Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs will go at 10c.
Only 10 doz left of our Special White Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, will go at 5c.
Only 10 doz left of our new Embroidered Handkerchiefs, will go at 15c.
Only 5 doz. Men's Coloured Silk Handkerchiefs, were 50c, will go at 35c.
All the balance of our Mufflers at at clearing prices.
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, special price 25c.
CHILDRENS' BOAS, LADIES' COLLARETTES.

Hosiery and Gloves.

Ladies' black ribbed Cashmere Hose 32c quality, sale price 25c.
Ladies' Heavy wool Hose 20c quality, sale price 15c.
Boys' Heavy Ribbed Hose, sale price 25c
Special values in Kid Gloves.

Dress Goods.

200 yds of 50c Plaid Dress Goods, will clear at 40c.
300 yds 35c Fancy Tweed Dress Goods will clear at 25c.
200 yds of Black figured Dress Goods, 40c quality, will clear at 30c.
300 yds China Silk, will clear at 25c.

Mantles and Jackets.

Our stock in this department must now be cleared regardless of price.
Bargains in Capes, Jackets, Ulsters, etc.

Millinery.

Everything being cleared out at special prices.

Carpets, Rugs, Mats and Curtains.

A special purchase of Rugs and Mats for Holiday trade.
Special prices on CARPETS, OIL-CLOTHS and CURTAINS.

Flannels, Flannelette and Cottons.

New spring Wrapperettes to go at special prices.
FLANNELS at special prices.
TABLE LINENS in cloths and by the yard at special prices.
BLANKETS. The best value in the trade.
FLANNELETTES. The best value in the trade.

Men's Ordered Clothing

At very special prices.

We wish to close the year with special bargains to our customers.

It will pay you to call and see our values this week.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

No Excuse

For wearing shabby and ill-fitting Garments when you can secure A 1 goods and perfect fit at the following prices at 422 GEORGE STREET:

Trousers..... $3, $4, $5

Suits $12, $14, $16

Double Breasted Ulsters $12, $13, $15.

Handsome Ties and Braces for the Xmas trade.

ROBERT WEIR

Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

Arrangements made to meet the wishes of those desiring same. 422 George st., North of Post & Mowbinnie.

COMPETENT HELP ONLY

Secures the confidence of Business Men

How many of the young men and women who are anxious for a good position are able to fill one *satisfactorily*?

Good positions are more plentiful than competent help.

Our objects are (1) to thoroughly fit our students for office work. (2) to assist them to positions when they are competent. Fully 75 per cent. of our students last year are now engaged in office work.

YOUR CHANCES ARE JUST AS GOOD.

New term begins Jan. 4, 1897. Call at our office or write us for full particulars.

PRINGLE & McCREA,

BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1896.

MR. JOS. FORSTER REMEMBERED.

Presented With a Complimentary Address on Nomination Day.

A pleasing incident of the nomination proceedings in North Monaghan was the formal recognition of the services of Mr. Joseph Forster as reeve of the township, he being a candidate for a seat in the council under the new County Councils' Act. The following address was presented amidst much enthusiasm:

Joseph Forster, Esq., Reeve of North Monaghan:

We, your fellow members and officers of the municipal council of the township of North Monaghan, having heard of your intentions to sever your connections with the local council, feel that we cannot allow this opportunity to pass without expressing to a slight degree our deep appreciation of the many years of faithful and efficient services you have rendered both as a councillor and as reeve of this municipality.

We are sorry to lose that generous, impartial and business like judgment with which you conducted the affairs of the township.

We feel sure that we express the sentiments of the whole municipality when we say we sincerely regret this loss.

However, we trust that your long experience and ability as a county councillor will secure your election as our representative to the county council of 1897-98, so that you may continue to exercise that same satisfactory conduct of the affairs of the county, and so represent the township in the future as in the past.

We extend to you and your family the season's greeting and wish that you may long be spared to exhibit that sympathy and charity for which you have been so highly esteemed in your intercourse with your neighbours and the entire community.

We have the honour to be your sincere well wishers.

JOHN McINTOSH, W. J. JOHNSTON, T. M. HUNTER, G. H. MAY. } Councillors.
WM. WHITFIELD, Assessor.
THOS. BROWN, Collector.
WM. G. YELLAND, JOS. MADILL, } Auditors
J. DAVIDSON, Sanitary Inspector.
W. BELL, Caretaker.
G. W. BENNETT, Clerk.

COURT LITTLEJOHN C.O.F.

Election of Officers for the Current Term—A Large Attendance of Foresters and Increasing Interest of the Members.

Court Littlejohn, No. 92, of the Canadian Order of Foresters, held its last regular meeting of the year on Monday evening. The attendance was the largest that has occurred for several years, and the increased interest recently manifested by the members is one of the encouraging and pleasing features in connection with this live and progressive Court. The election of officers for 1897 was the principal business transacted. One of the features of the evening was the re-election of the principal officers for another term, indicating a confidence and harmony that speaks well for Court Littlejohn. The following is a complete list of the new officers for 1897:

Robt Morrison (re-elected).....Chief Ranger
W F Reid (re-elected).....Vice Chief Ranger
E A Kemp (re-elected).....Recording Secretary
W Hartley (re elected).....Financial Secretary
Robt Thornton (re-elected).....Treasurer
Wm Kemp.....Chaplain
Jos Tegus.....Senior Woodward
J Kincannon.....Junior Woodward
T Laing.....Senior Beadle
E F Green.....Junior Beadle
J Clarke, M D.....Court Physician
Trustees—W Mennie, S R Mulligan and R Scott
Representatives to High Court—Jos. Sanders, E A Kemp, W Kemp and Robt Morrison.

E A Kemp was nominated as Court Deputy.

Silver Gifts.

Just opened out at the Peterborough Hardware Company, a very fine display of the most elegant designs in Silverware. Many of the patterns are entirely new, and have never been shown here before. The stock embraces tea sets, coffee sets, fruit dishes, nut bowls, fern dishes, waiters, carving sets, knives, forks, spoons, etc. Every piece is absolutely guaranteed. These elegant and strictly high-class goods should enlist the attention of heads of households and all lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome as well as serviceable and permanent presents. Special prices quoted during the holiday season.

Society Events.

THE HOLIDAY SEASON CALLS FOR GENTLEMEN'S FULL DRESS SUITS FOR EVENING WEAR. A CAREFUL SCRUTINY OF YOUR WARDROBE MAY PREVENT *MUCH* ANNOYANCE AT THE LAST MOMENT. FOR

$31.50 SPOT CASH

YOU CAN BE PERFECTLY FITTED WITH A FASHIONABLY TAILORED BLACK DRESS SUIT—ALL SILK LINED—MATERIAL SPECIALLY IMPORTED FROM ENGLAND.

Mercer's

ARRESTED HIS MAN.

The County Constable has a Long Chase. But Not Without Results.

County Constable Cochrane left town last night, drove to the head of Stony Lake and from there to Norwood, where at one o'clock this morning he arrested James Johnston for an infraction of the game laws. The specific charge will be that Johnston, who works in the mica mines in Methuen township, allowed his hounds to run at large during the close season for deer.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by the Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Dec. 29.—6.30 a. m.....37° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday.....	3°	2° below

ROYAL ARCANUM.

The Local Branch Elected Officers on Thursday Evening Last.

At the regular meeting of the Royal Arcanum Thursday evening last, the following were elected officers for the ensuing year:

D W Dumble.....Regent
W G Ferguson.....Vice Regent
R A Morrow.....Orator
E A Peck.....Past Regent
H Shortly.....Secretary
S A Peck.....Collector
J H Roper.....Treasurer
F J Jameson.....Chaplain
John McKee.....Guide
D Bellegham.....Warden
E A Stanley.....Sentry
J Z Rogers, R W Wood, A P Malone } Trustees
D W Dumble.....Delegate
R E Wood.....Alternate

PERSONAL.

Miss Sophie Cameron is home from Port Hope for the holidays.

Mr. Fred Shannon is back after spending a few days in Lindsay.

Rev. E. V. Stevenson is spending the holiday week in London.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. O'Brien have been over in Lindsay for the last couple of days.

Conductor and Mrs. Pym, of Haliburton, have been spending the last few days in town.

Mr. L. V. O'Connor has returned home after spending a few days with his parents in Lindsay.

Mrs. Andrew Mercer is in Toronto visiting her parents for a week or so. She will be joined by Mr. Mercer at New Years.

The Port Hope Times says: Mr. William Helm of Peterborough is in town celebrating the 80th anniversary of the birth of his brother, Mr. John Helm, which occurs today.

Mr. D. S. Harvie, of the Wm. Hamilton Manufacturing Co., left last evening for Prescott, where he will be engaged for the next six weeks in the erection of machinery in connection with the Prescott elevator.

Mr. J. W. Jenkins, ledger clerk at the Canadian General Electric Works, who has been confined for the past two weeks to his home through pleurisy, was placed in the Nicholls Hospital for treatment yesterday.

Miss Mary Agnes Fitzgibbon, who collaborated with Miss Sarah Mickle in the compilation of that beautiful and comprehensive triumph of Canadian research and Canadian art, "The Cabot Calendar," was in town yesterday in the interests of that uniquely excellent production.

Mr. Geo H. Layng, of the C. P. R. staff, Havelock, and his brother, Wyman, from down south, were in town over Sunday visiting friends. Wyman came to spend the Christmas holidays with his brother George at Havelock, whom he had not seen for eighteen years.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Judge Edmison is in Norwood to-day holding court in connection with the Clancy-McMaster assault case.

—The Riverside Park skating rink was well patronized Christmas Day. It was reflooded Saturday evening and there is now an entire acre of fine ice.

—Arrangements have been made by the Opera House management to bring "A Pair of Jacks" to town on Tuesday next. The company is now playing in Toronto.

—The Snowshoe club hasn't had much exercise this year yet, but there seems to be plenty of snow up in the north country, the sleighing being good at Minden.

—Jake Gaudaur, the Orillia oarsman, narrowly escaped being the victim of a shooting accident the other day while hunting foxes. As it was, he killed one of his valuable hounds.

Stinging Corns,

Next to a stinging conscience, makes life a misery. The stinging pain of a corn may be speedily and painlessly removed by the use of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Twenty-four hours after Putnam's is applied the corns may be removed.

Drop in Coal.

We have decided to reduce the price of hard coal to $5.50 per ton, for the month of December. A rebate will be given those who paid $5 75 upon application at our office. We handle the best grades of hard, soft and smithing coal. No gas. No clinkers. All coal weighed on town scales. People's Coal Co. Office 230 Charlotte street. Telephone, 366.

A Very Fine
OLD CANADIAN
WHISKY,
$3 50 per gallon at
ALEX. ELLIOTT'S.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Canadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

Ladies Don't Smoke,

but they have a tender regard for some fellahs that do. The great festival of Christmas will soon be here, and between now and then people will naturally think of buying presents for their friends. Mr. Chas. LeGros, the live George street tobacco and cigar dealer, realizing that money is very scarce, has put everything in the line of cigars and pipes down to cost, and when he says cost, he means business. LeGros is a hustler, and likes to give his customers a benefit at Christmas times. He imports all his goods direct, and saves the wholesalers' profit. A few of the snaps which he offers are to be seen in his window. He has the finest lot of pipes in Canada, all of B.B.B. manufacture. In cigars, his imported cigars are of the finest, and this is proved by the testimony of the best people of the town who smoke them. Ladies who know the weakness that their gentlemen friends have for a good cigar or a meerschaum pipe, a swell mouthpiece or a handy tobacco pouch can take a hint and have a quiet talk with Charley on the subject. Call and see him and you will be astonished at the prices and quality of his pipes, cigars and smokers' sundries. ALIVE C. LeGROS, 330 George street. tf

CANDIDATES WITHDRAWING.

The Names of Those who do not Wish to Stand for Election.

A candidate for councillor or school trustee, wishing to withdraw his name, has an opportunity of so doing until the close of the day succeeding his nomination.

There have already been filed with the town clerk resignations as follows:—

No. 1 Ward—Thos. Cahill.
No. 2 Ward—Andrew McNeil and A. J. Gough.
No. 3 Ward—Benj. Shortly.
No. 4 Ward—A. E. Dixon.

Mr. Jas. Burnett has also withdrawn his name in No. 4 Ward as a candidate for election to the school board, Mr. James Edgcumbe thus being returned by acclamation.

Other withdrawals may be made this evening.

MR. CAHILL DECLINES.

To the Editor of the Examiner

DEAR SIR.—Please allow me space in your valuable columns to say that I shall not be a candidate at the approaching elections. I wish to thank very sincerely the gentlemen who were good enough to propose and second my nomination and others who have offered me their support. It is now some 23 years since Mr. Sproule did me the honour of nominating me for a seat at the council board. Since then he and Mr. Williams have given me their continuous support, so that I look upon them as my municipal godfathers, and if anything would again induce me to be again a candidate it would be the knowledge of their continuous confidence which has existed for nearly a quarter of a century. I am, gentlemen,

Your grateful and very obedient servant,
THOS. CAHILL.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

The Thistles were in possession of the ice last night and two out of the three rinks were kept going all evening, the results being as follows:

W E Loch,	J S Knapman,
C Rutherford,	A Slade,
J Stanger,	D Bellegham,
S Ray, skip.....16	G Brown, skip.....18
O Shortly,	R Kerr,
Alf Terrill,	J Ames,
A McNeil,	T Rutherford,
Judge Weller, skip.17	Jno McClelland, sk...21

The curlers, says the Bobcaygeon Independent, are getting down to active work, the skips have been appointed and the rinks chosen. Messrs. A. E. Bottom and W. J. Read will lead the valiant forces to victory in foreign contests, while the home skips are Messrs. W. T. C. Boyd, R. Ventress, J. T. Robinson, and the two foreign skips. It is the fixed determination of the club to capture everything in sight this year, from the Ontario Tankard down.

HOCKEY.

Every night a score or more hockeyists are at the rink getting into shape for the winter matches. That the senior team will be fast goes without saying, and apparently the intermediate and junior sevens will be hard nuts to crack. If assiduous practice will fit the boys to win the three championships they will most assuredly do it, as they are to be commended for their regular attendance at the rink every night.

Arrangements are being made for a trip to New York by Manager Hopkins and about a dozen of the boys will be taken along. A number of games will be played en route and four will take place in New York and Brooklyn. As several of the senior men will find it impossible to get away there will be a number of openings on the team for the juniors.

The hockey season was opened in Millbrook on Xmas Eve, when the home team defeated the II Ontarios of Port Hope by a score of 3 to 0. The teams lined up as follows:

Port Hope.		*Millbrook.*
C Macleroy	goal	B Whyte
J Laurenceson	point	C Leach
T W Ross	cover point	S Pickup
W Laurenceson, J Campion, G Brown, O Hawley	forwards	J Nattrass, T Nattrass, F Leach, H Duncan
R Smith	umpires	G A Duncan

Referee, E S Clarry.

Wood Bought on Commission.

Mr. George J. Chalmers 542 Water street, who has had long experience in the handling of wood for fuel, is prepared to give his services, in consideration of a small commission, to those citizens who desire to purchase good wood. He will guarantee to select the quality needed, and see that it is what is wanted, and that the measurement is correct. Ladies who visit the market to buy wood are often deceived in quantity and quality. By employing Mr. Chalmers they are sure to get what they want, both in quality and quantity. Measurements of timber, logs, cedar, etc., given when desired. 6sod132

MARRIED.

LACKEY—BLANCO—On Christmas Day, Dec. 25 h, 1896, by Rev. W. R. Young, M.A., Frederick Lackey and Margaret Blanco, both of Peterborough.

TO THE RATEPAYERS OF WARD NO. 2

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 29th, 1896.

Having been requested by a large number of influential ratepayers to allow myself to be nominated as a candidate for the councillorship, and believing that personal considerations should, if at all possible, be subordinated to public good, I respectfully solicit the votes of the ratepayers of No. 2 Ward. The very heavy demands of my business, (always abnormally large at this season of the year), will in a measure prevent my making a personal canvas, but if elected, I shall use every legitimate effort to further the interests of the town of Peterborough, and while endeavouring, as far as in my power lies, to oppose all useless expenditure, I shall as earnestly support every measure that may tend to build up the prosperity of the town, with which my interests are so closely connected.

I am, yours respectfully,
6d151 R. NEILL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 3.

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 29th, 1896.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—As you are doubtless aware by the newspapers, I have accepted nomination as candidate for Councillor for No. 3 Ward. In respectfully soliciting your vote and influence, I consider the position I seek of so great importance, that I should state my position, in definite form, upon some of the leading questions that should engage the attention of a representative in the council of Peterborough, and I shall do so briefly.

I believe that in the interests of the town, as well as those of the great bulk of the ratepayers, our taxes should be collected in two instalments. I would be in favour of so changing the system of assessment as to permit of the first instalment being collected early in the autumn and not later than the first of October, and the second instalment on or about the first of February following.

I will advocate, if elected, the system of performing, as far as practicable, all works required by the town by contract, based upon public tender, and that it be made a provision of every such contract that labouring men should be paid not less than $1.25 per day of nine hours. This seems to me to be only a measure of fair play, when we consider that no man can keep a family in comfort on less wages, especially in view of the fact, as a rule, not being in any way constant during the year.

I believe that the agreement with the Street Railway Company should be carried out, especially in respect of providing better street car facilities for the western portion of the town by extending the line so as to give readier access to the beautiful resort in the western part of the town—Jackson Park—and a corresponding benefit to the residents of the west, to enable them to reach George street more conveniently.

I shall feel it my duty, if honoured with a seat in the council, to employ every reasonable means to add to our already extensive list of large and important manufacturing industries. But while I am in favour of offering reasonable inducements, I shall oppose every proposition of granting large and burdensome bonuses. We have in our own Ward a sample industry that has grown to a position ranking with the best in Canada, unaided by monetary favours and relying solely on perserverance and well directed enterprise.

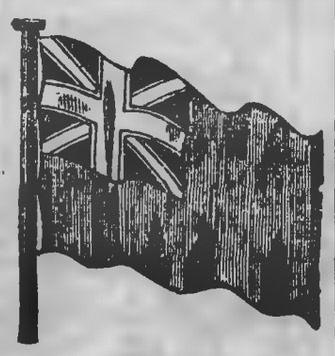
I believe that it will be the best economy in the end to adopt the practice of looking to permanency in the construction of our streets and bridges, as it must be apparent to all that in the past a large proportion of the large annual expenditure on our streets has been wasted by makeshift construction, necessitating constant repairs, and, of course, unsatisfactory results. At the same time the streets would be kept in a condition that would reduce to a minimum the danger of accident, for which the town would be responsible, and saving a large expenditure in lawsuits and for damages, besides causing inconvenience and suffering to ratepayers who have paid their taxes in good faith.

While it may be in the interests of the country at large that party government should be the rule, I believe that only evil can result from introducing party politics into the management of municipal affairs.

As it will be impossible between this and the day of polling for me to call personally upon every ratepayer in the ward, I trust that if I find it impossible to call upon you that you will see your way clear to giving me your vote and support, upon my assurance that in addition to what I have stated above, I shall, if elected, make the interest of the town my first study, and that I shall oppose everything that will not tend to the promotion of the interests of this ward, and the town at large.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, I have the honour to remain

Your Obedient Servant,
J. B. McWILLIAMS.



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Mayorally Contest.

MR. YELLAND'S COMMITTEE ROOMS.

The Committee Rooms of Mr. Yelland are over the Fur Store of Messrs. Loch & Sons, George Street, and will be open this evening and every evening thereafter till the close of the contest.

WM. YELLAND.

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TABLE SUPPLY HOUSE.

CHOICE PORK SAUSAGES, 8 lb. for 25c,

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Has bought D. O. LeGendre's stock of First-Class Dry Goods at 55c on the Dollar, and he will sell it off without reserve at the late firm's place of business, No. 323 George Street, next door to G. Carton's Grocery,

Commencing Thursday, Dec. 24th, 1896.

The Stock is new and as it must be sold within a limited time Big Bargains will be given.

Goods the people want. Prices the people like. This is the whole story. The sale of this Stock will be short and profitable to buyers.

COME ONE. COME ALL.

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If You Wish

To have the best, call or send to

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We Have on Hand—

MINCE MEAT	BEEF	CANNED MEATS	CHICKENS
CHOPPED SUET	PORK	" VEGETABLES	TURKEYS
CRANBERRIES	LAMB	BUTTER	GEESE
SAGE	MUTTON	EGGS	DUCKS

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NOW FOR NEW YEARS!

OUR TOY CARNIVAL

Will be continued right through until after New Years. No postponement—no diminution of attractions for Holiday buyers—no disappointments. We have been anticipating your desires for New Years as well as for Christmas. Our store is replete with thousands of new Mechanical Toys, Sleighs, Fancy Goods, &c., not one month out of their brand new cases, and not to be obtained elsewhere. You can buy here for any age of child as well as for the whole family, without the perplexing loss of time that you would have in hunting through old second-hand stocks.

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Favourite styles—popular prices—including a lot of Spring Skates at less money. See our Hockey Skate with Improved Reinforced Front and Heel, guaranteed against breakage.

HOCKEY CLUB STICKS.

We are right in line with the newest puck-blocking and goal capturing Hockey Sticks of the season. Come and see them, boys.

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Hunter St., Nearly Opposite the Post Office.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—At the request of numerous ratepayers of Ward No. 1, to become a candidate for councillor, for 1897, I have decided to do so, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. Should you elect me for the position I will use my best judgment in all matters that may come before the council, but more especially in the interests of economy and retrenchment in public affairs. I will endeavour to explain my views personally to as many of the electors as possible before election day.

Yours respectfully,
THOMAS J. MOORE.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

Having been nominated for Councillor for Ward No. 1 for 1897 I beg leave to announce my acceptance of the nomination.

I take this opportunity of soliciting the support of the electors—the ladies as well as the gentlemen—and if elected the best interests of this ward and of the town at large will receive my careful attention.

Yours Respectfully,
WM. RUDKINS.

December 28th, 1896.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 2.

At the request of many citizens and ratepayers, those largely interested in the welfare and progress of the Town, I have accepted the nomination as a Councillor for No. 2 Ward. I shall be glad to receive your vote and influence. Possibly I may not be able to see you before the election day to personally solicit your vote, and state my intentions, but you can rest assured, that if elected by your kind support, I shall do all in my power, and in as economical manner as possible, to press forward the interests of Peterborough so as to make it one of the most important centres of business and manufacturing life in the Province of Ontario.

Hoping to be favoured with your hearty support, and wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,

Yours Truly,
A. L. DAVIS.

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For the Holidays.

IN BOTTLES.

Native Port	40c
St. Augustine	50c
Dry Catawba	50c
Sweet Catawba	50c
Black Cherry	50c
Blackberry	50c
Orange Wine	50c
Grape Wine	50c
Peach Wine	50c
Old Port Wine	75c
Very Old Port	$1.00
Old Sherry Wine	75c
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	PER GAL.
Wines, Ports & Sherries	$2 00 to $6.00
Gins	2.00 to 5.00
Rums	3.00 to 6 00
Brandies	3 00 to 6.00
Whiskies	2.50 to 3.50

Ales, Porters and Stout, pints and quarts, by the dozen or keg.

Fancy Table Raisins, English Walnuts, Florida Oranges, Table Figs, Dates, Prunes, Biscuit, Cheese, and a superior line of Fresh Staple Groceries, specially selected for Holiday trade.

Telephone 116. Prompt, careful delivery. Telephone orders receive prompt attention. Shop early in the day and thus avoid the crowds and secure early delivery.

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Ask your grocer for

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For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best

BABY'S COMING.

Nature intended that every woman should look forward to the coming of her baby with joy and hope, unclouded by anxiety. Almost painless parturition is quite the usual thing among uncivilized people. Even in our own country it occasionally happens with women in robust health and good condition. It ought to be the rule instead of the exception; and it is a fact that a very large proportion of the usual pain and suffering may be avoided by looking after the mother's general health, and specially strengthening the particular organs concerned in parturition.

Many mothers have been brought through the trying time almost painlessly by the aid of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It prepares the system for delivery by imparting the organic strength and elasticity which the mother specially needs; shortens the time of labor and of confinement; promotes the secretion of abundant nourishment for the child and fortifies the entire constitution against the after period of depression and weakness. It's use should begin in the early months of gestation—the earlier the better.

Mrs. FRED HUNT, of *Glenville, Schenectady Co., N. Y.*, says: "I read about Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription being so good for a woman with child, so I got two bottles last September, and December 13th, I had a twelve-pound baby girl. When I was confined I was not sick in any way. I did not suffer any pain, and when the child was born I walked into another room and went to bed. I never had an after-pain or any other pain. This is the eighth child and the largest of them all. I suffered everything that flesh could suffer with the other babies. I always had a doctor and then he could not help me very much, but this time my mother and my husband were alone with me. My baby was only seven days old when I got up and dressed and left my room and stayed up all day."

Mrs Fred Hunt

MESSNER WAS A POO-BAH,

Postmaster, Storekeeper, Banker and Magistrate and He Failed for $100,000.

Walkerton, Ont., Dec. 26.—(Special.)—One of the most sensational business failures that ever occurred in this country took place in the village of Formosa during the past week. For over thirty-five years Mr. Francis Xavier Messner has been king of the village. Rich, pious, benevolent, kind-hearted, clever and industrious, Mr. Messner was held in universal esteem and trusted with unbounded confidence. His house was never without one or more orphan children, whom he reared and started comfortably in life. His hand was always open to the calls of charity. He contributed generously to the church and gave lavishly to charitable institutions all over Canada.

The announcement, therefore, that he had been compelled to assign fairly stunned the community. And well it might, for he was the trusted custodian of everybody's money. Formosa is a German village, situated in the midst of a rich and prosperous farming community. It possesses one of the finest Roman Catholic churches in Canada, and all the people in the village and country around are of the same faith. For the most part they are German Alsatians by birth or parentage. They are models of industry, sobriety and piety. Every morning of their lives the whole village and country around before beginning the labors of the day attend religious service in the church. The place is in fact like a slice of mediaeval Europe transplanted to Canada, and looking strangely out of harmony with the modern surroundings of the nineteenth century.

Mr. Messner was the storekeeper, postmaster, magistrate and banker of these people. Everybody placed their money in his hands for safe keeping. Instead of taking their savings to the bank they took them to Mr. Messner. In this way he handled vast sums during his career, and at the time of his failure was liable for nearly a hundred thousand in solid cash.

He owes little or nothing to the wholesale men, his liabilities being entirely to the villagers and farmers around him for moneys entrusted to his hands for safety and investment. There are about three hundred creditors, many of whom are old people, several are poor widows and a number are orphan children. To a large number of these the failure will bring great distress.

Mr. Messner has life insurance policies for sixty thousand dollars, but his other assets are comparatively trifling. He lost largely in Manitoba some years ago and of late years by disastrous fire and bad investments. With the hard times came collapse, and now the king's reign is over.

To the aged, with their poor appetite, feeble circulation, and impoverished blood, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a boon beyond price. Its effect is to check the ravages of time, by invigorating every organ, nerve, and tissue of the body. See Ayer's Almanac for the new year.

BLOODSHED IN GEORGIA.

The Arrest of a Negro at Macon Aroused the Whole Population of Blacks —Merchant Shot Dead.

Macon, Ga., Dec. 26.—A special from Hahira, Ga., says: The marshal at this place arrested a negro last night, which enraged the entire black population. Negroes gathered about the scene to rescue their comrade from the officers. Armed with guns, pistols and rifles, they threatened to wipe out the whites. A scuffle ensued, in which the marshal and several whites were injured. Assistance was asked from neighboring towns, and soon the disturbance was quieted by arresting a carload of black leaders and carrying them to Valdos County Jail.

A special from Valdosta says: A terrible tragedy occurred to-day at Sparks, 20 miles below here, in the killing of J. Z. Millott, a prominent merchant and cotton broker, by James Chambers, also well known. The town marshal was attempting to arrest a drunken man, when Chambers took the part of the disorderly person. Millott stepped out to prevent bodily harm being done the marshal, when Chambers drew his pistol and shot Millott down, from the effects of which he died.

You Can be Well

When your blood is pure, rich and nourishing for nerves and muscles. The blood is the vital fluid, and when it is poor, thin and impure you must either suffer from some distressing disease or you will easily fall a victim to sudden changes, exposures, or overwork. Keep your blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla and be well.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best after-dinner pills; assist digestion, cure headache. 25c.

Shiloh's Cure

Is sold on a guarantee, it cures Incipient Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure Only one cent a dose. 25 cts., 50 cts., and $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 280 George street.

A FRACAS IN COURT.

Dreyfus Was Bound to Have Mrs Marcus' Heart's Blood—He Was Overpowered.

New York, Dec. 24.—J. Sam Dreyfus, 24 years old, attempted to shoot Mrs. Caroline Marcus in Yorkville Police Court this afternoon. Dreyfus was prevented from shooting the woman by Roundsman Griffin. There was great excitement in the court and a rush for the doors, but nobody was hurt.

Mrs. Marcus was complainant against Dreyfus, whom she charged with assaulting her in a butcher shop on First-Avenue, on Dec. 14. The woman was testifying before Magistrate Wentworth this afternoon in Dreyfus' preliminary examination. She said that Dreyfus, who is a meat cutter in the butcher shop, hurled a bone at her, striking her in the face. Dreyfus' face hardened at this, and putting his hand to his pocket he drew a revolver and aimed it at Mrs. Marcus' head.

"You common woman, this will settle you," he exclaimed in a fury.

Roundsman Griffin was standing close beside Dreyfus, and he quickly clutched the revolver, his fingers tightly clasping over the hammer so that Dreyfus could not pull the trigger. The officer threw Dreyfus' hand upward, and all the other court officials rushed upon the prisoner and overpowered him. Even the magistrate took a hand in the melee. Dreyfus was standing against his desk on "the platform" when arrested, and Magistrate Wentworth reached across the desk and clutched Dreyfus by the throat and hung on until Griffin had wrested the revolver from his hand.

When the officers searched Dreyfus they found under his white shirt a knife, two-edged, and a razor. Dreyfus was held under $2000 bail for trial.

During his examination Dreyfus said to the Magistrate: "By —— I'll swear, Your Honor, that just as soon as I get out of prison, if it's ten years from now, I'll have that woman's heart's blood. When I am placed on trial I will tell the jury about the two men that this woman lives with at the Irving Hotel."

On hearing this Mrs. Marcus screamed again, and began tearing her hair. She was removed from the court room by officers again, and Dreyfus was taken down to the Yorkville prison.

Dreyfus said later: "My father, Isaac Dreyfus, secured a job for Mrs. Marcus' husband some time ago in the United Dressed Beef Co. at 44th-street and First-avenue. A short time afterwards her husband was caught stealing meat, and my father appeared against him. He was sentenced to three months in the penitentiary. My father has been on intimate terms with her for the past ten years. She said she knew she could not do anything with my father for sending her husband away, and she would get square on me. On Dec. 14 she came into the shop where I worked, picked up a cleaver and was about to hit me with it. I warded it off and struck her in the face with my fist. Nothing more was done till I got a summons Thursday evening to appear in court to-day. In the meantime I bought this 38-calibre British Bull-dog to be prepared for her. I bought the knife thinking I might get close enough to her to use it if the pistol was taken away from me."

Mrs. Marcus is a stocky woman of 35 years. She has dark hair and is fairly attractive. She was dressed in a brown skirt and waist with a heavy cloak. Her face and eyes were swollen and discolored, and she said that it was the result of the attack upon her by Dreyfus. She says she has two children and that she had been ill since the assault, which was why the complaint had been postponed so long. She refused to say anything more.

Dreyfus is a short, well-built man, with dark and smooth shaven face. He was dressed in a neat business suit.

A STAGGERING WOMAN.

Mrs. Theophile Le Blanc Arrested on the Street in New York on Intoxication.

New York, Dec. 26.—Mrs. Theophile Leblanc, 45 years old, of No. 318 East Thirty-Third-street, was arraigned before Magistrate Kudlich in Jefferson Market Court this morning charged with intoxication. She is the widow of the late Theophile Leblanc of Montreal, who died of starvation in Bellevue Hospital some time ago. Policeman Bowes of the West Thirtieth Station found her staggering along Fifth-avenue near Thirty-Third-street yesterday afternoon, accompanied by a man whose gait was not that of a sober man. The policeman found that the man had been taken out to dinner by her and that she had paid the bill. He had pocketed the change, 90c, and her keys. He said that he was taking her home. The woman seemed much out of place in the line of prisoners, her mourning weeds giving her an appearance of refinement that aroused sympathy. She was discharged.

Mrs. Leblanc was seen at her rooms this afternoon. The man who was with her last night was also there. He said that he and Mrs. Leblanc had dined last night at Moupulin's and both had drunk considerable. They went up Sixth-avenue to take a car at Thirty-Fourth-street. Near the corner of Thirty-Third-street and Sixth-avenue Mrs. Leblanc became excited and asked the policeman to protect her. She said that the man who had been to dinner with her had taken her change and also had the keys of her home. At the station house the man was forced to give them up. The woman was so intoxicated she was locked up. Mrs. Leblanc's case when her husband was starving excited much pity at the time, and many kindly disposed persons sent her money. It will be remembered that the aged architect went without food for days that she might have her wants gratified.

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To remove worms of all kinds from children or adults Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe and sure remedy.

KENTUCKY'S CRIME LIST.

Seven Lynchings in a Week, Supplemented by About a Dozen Other Shooting and Stabbing Affrays.

Louisville, Dec. 23.—Kentucky's crime list this week is long and bloody. In addition to the seven lynchings for the week, the past 48 hours have been enlivened with the following deeds of violence.

On the Big Elkhorn, near the Virginia line, Tom Edelson stabbed Bud Stein to death.

Charles B. Walt, a prominent white man, killed Harry Foster, colored, at a dance in Boone County.

Last night a man was murdered in a Christmas row in a logging camp near Pineville.

At a frolic in Breathitt County four men were cut and one named Riley was mortally wounded.

Tollgate raiders celebrated Christmas by chopping down the gate near Mortensville, in Woodford County, the second time this gate has been destroyed.

Bill Morrow amused himself by shooting candles off the Christmas tree at Kavanaugh Chapel in Lawrence County, and when George Pack remonstrated, Morrow shot him in the abdomen and escaped on horseback.

Joe Robertson ejected John and George Rexrot from a Christmas tree celebration at Columbia, and they returned and shot him in the abdomen, inflicting probably fatal wounds.

THEY WORKED WONDERS.

Two Years of Bladder Torment—Had Attacks of Inflammation—Cured by a Few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Owen Sound, Dec. 28.—(Special)—The people of this town are talking again of another cure credited to Dodd's Kidney Pills. This is the case of Mr. W. Cruse, caretaker of the town buildings, who, when seen, had this to say of the matter:

'For over two years I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease, with occasional acute attacks of inflammation of the bladder.

"Was under doctors' treatment and have been compelled to resort to instrumental relief many times.

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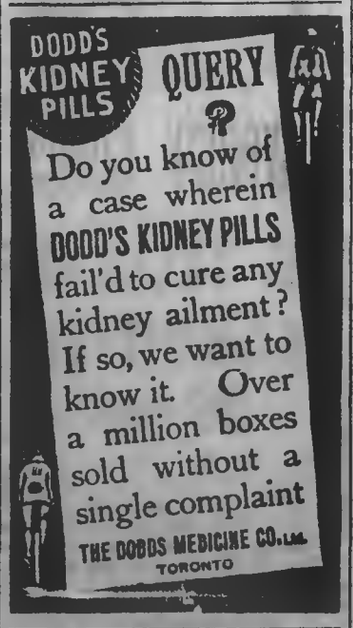
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Saturday, the 2nd day of Jan. Next.

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By order of the Board.

E. R. WOOD, Secretary.

Toronto, 16th December, 1896.

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INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough with the name and address of the writer, will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO COCHRANE

License Inspector West Peterborough

Crooks Act Notice.

INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the East Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Warsaw with the name and address of the sender, will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

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JUNIUS HENRI BROWNE'S PHILOSOPHIC REFLECTIONS.

A Day That Is Not Only Revered by All Creedsmen, but by Rationalists and Even by Infidels—Originally a Pagan Festival, Now a Universal Holiday.

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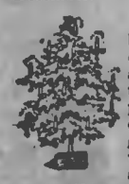
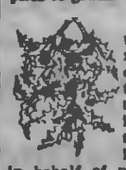
Although Christmas is now universally regarded as the anniversary of the birth of Jesus Christ, although during the fourth century a rigorous examination was made by the theologians of the east and west as to the exact time of his nativity and Dec. 25 finally agreed upon, it seems almost certain that that is not the day. As that is the acme of the rainy season in Judea, it is not in the least likely that shepherds would then be watching their flocks on the plains at night, when, as is recorded, they saw the star of Bethlehem rise in the east to guide them to the sacred manger. Some of the earlier churches celebrated the divine event in January, some in May, others in June, and any one of those periods would have been more probable than is December.



The time of fixing the religious festival was not chosen, however, without ample cause. Like most of the Christian holidays, it is primarily due to pagan precedent. Nearly all the pagan peoples considered the winter solstice, Dec. 21, as a momentous point of the year. Then nature began the renewal of her active powers, and the gods, who were originally but the celestial personifications of those, were supposed to revive their care of and interest in man. Consequently those peoples marked the period with festivities and celebrations of many sorts. And when Christianity arose the old heathen spirit was transferred to evangelical agencies and reproduced in evangelical rites.

The ancient Germans held their great Yule feast at the winter solstice (Yule is still a synonym of Christmas) to solemnize the return of the fiery sun wheel—the sun is styled in the Edda the shining wheel—as a part of their nature worship. This worship survived in Europe until 50 or 60 years ago. The inhabitants of some of the villages on the Moselle were long in the habit on St. John's eve of carrying a big wheel wrapped in straw to the top of a hill, firing the straw and rolling it down. If it reached the river still ablaze, they regarded it as a good omen, evidence of a fine vintage. The greenery with which we still ornament our homes and churches at this season and the gifts we hang on Christmas trees are probably relics of the symbols with which our rude ancestors expressed their faith in the power of the returning sun to clothe the earth with greenness and so produce new crops of fruit. And the frumenty (made of hulled wheat, boiled in milk and seasoned), still eaten in parts of Great Britain, and in some of our southern states, at Christmas time, would seem to be a tradition of the offerings paid to Hulda or Bertha, the embodiment of fertility in the Teutonic mythology, to whom the Germans looked for fresh supplies of grain.



Many of the beliefs and usages of the ancient Germans as well as of the ancient Romans concerning the Christmas period, between Dec. 25 and Jan. 6, in which those peoples thought they could trace the interference of their deities in behalf of mortals, survive to a great degree, with new interpretations, to the present time, and exercise no little influence. We think paganism was extinct ages since, and so it was in form; but its animus continually crops out in our creeds, our opinions, our modes of thought, in all our conduct. We are as men much the same now that we were in Egypt, Judea, Greece and Rome. The kernel of human nature is ever the same.

Inasmuch as Christmas, whether the date be correct or incorrect, stands for the birth of Jesus, everybody must revere the day, because everybody reveres him. A great many men who do not at all believe in his divinity believe in his transcendent goodness, his love of humanity, his spirit of self sacrifice. They do not think that his being the Son of God would add to his merit, but would rather detract from it, because his Godship would remove him from the plane of humanity and from human sympathies. They prefer to regard him as only a man, but the very best, the noblest, the grandest of his race. All creeds, all schools, all philosophies honor him to the fullest. Even the Jews, who are charged with putting him to death and hating his memory, sincerely respect him, though they do not allow the supernatural claims made for him. It was only one of their sects, the Pharisees, who clamored for his execution. The body of the chosen people hold themselves guiltless of his blood. The educated Brahmanists, Buddhists, Mohammedans, Shintoists, Parsees, place Jesus in the front rank of mortals. The savagest iconoclast, the rankest infidel, always speaks of him with admiration. Of God there is no end of opinions; of Jesus, morally, humanly, there is but one.

Christmas is scarcely thought of now by the multitude as other than a day of recreation and pleasure. From the earliest times it was devoted to merrymaking, with which its religious observation was never allowed to interfere. It is the first and most joyous of all holidays, especially to children, whose festival it is often called. Hardly an American any more than a German child but has delightful associations with Dec. 25, the very poorest in this country receiving presents from their parents and every opportunity and encouragement for joyousness. Unfortunate indeed is the child who has not remembrances of a happy Christmas. Christmas is really blessed in what it means and brings, whatever their circumstances, to the world of children.

Dec. 25 naturally suggests, being accepted as the anniversary of the birth of Jesus, the idea of resurrection, about which the theologic no less than the nontheologic differ so widely. There is probably no other subject about which thoughtful, cultured people more radically disagree. The vulgar notion that they who reject the orthodox doctrine are materialists, atheists, persons destitute of all faith, is an egregious error. Atheist is literally far more a word than a thing. What it is supposed to represent can scarcely be found in the flesh, freely as the term is used by the orthodox toward those holding adverse views. Rationalists refuse to accept authority or dogma and wholly renounce supernaturalism. They have, however, discrepant views of the same topics often, but always eschew what they call superstition. Death they consider natural as life, as not substantially varying therefrom, as bringing neither reward nor punishment specifically, but merely a fulfillment of the cosmic relations.

Some rationalists hold that all life ends with death; others that it continues indefinitely, though without consciousness, so that it is equivalent to extinction. The larger part of the world believes that man dies numberless times, each time being newly incarnated, so that life is but a series of births and deaths through ages. Plato definitively believed and taught this, and many philosophers before and since, maintaining that with each rebirth the soul, which is indestructible, advances and ameliorates.

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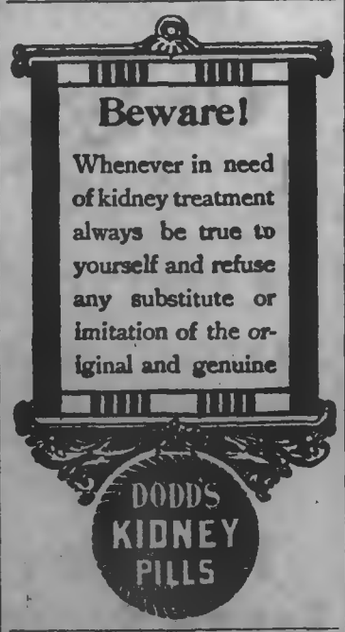
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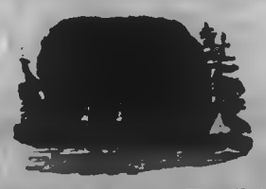

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Ennismore.

For Reeve—Paul Costello and John K. Galvin.

For Councillors—Peter Flood, John Moloney, Peter Nicholls, Richard Killen, James Scollard, Owen O'Connor and Martin Doran.

Galway.

For Reeve—Michael Mansfield, Charles Coben.

For Councillors—Jas. Allen, Michael Collins, John Gilmore, Geo. Martin, Geo. McKee.

Harvey.

The municipal nomination took place on Monday. Mr. A. G. Shearer, who has been for some years one of our most successful councillors, was elected by acclamation as Reeve of the township. The contest for councillors was between the following, who were duly nominated: Thos. Flynn, Jas. McLean, H. G. Nesbitt, Wm. T. Elliott, Wm. J. Oliver, Archibald Wilson, jr., John Smith.

Lakefield.

For Reeve—John Hall, nominated by J. Isbister, seconded by E. J. Quinn; F. J. Lillicrap, nominated by R. C. Strickland, seconded by C. J. Burgis; J. A. Burgess, M. D., nominated by Gerald Fitzgerald, seconded by John Ferguson.

For Councillors—C. J. Burgis, nominated by R. C. Strickland, seconded by Joseph Paul; R. H. Braden, nominated by H. F. Mellor, seconded by R. C. Strickland; G. A. Strickland, nominated by R. C. Strickland, seconded by H. F. Mellor; F. J. Moore, nominated by R. C. Strickland, seconded by J. P. Strickland; W. M. Graham, nominated by E. J. Quinn, seconded by Orlando Rogers; Wm. Leonard, nominated by T. E. Bell, seconded by Joseph Paul; J. R. Fraser, M. D., nominated by R. C. Strickland, seconded by John English; John Richardson, jr., nominated by J. P. Strickland, seconded by H. F. Mellor.

For School Board—Dr. J. R. Fraser, nominated by R. C. Strickland, seconded by John Isbister; Levi Payne, nominated by J. Paul, seconded by R. C. Strickland; James G. Brown, nominated by Dr. J. R. Fraser, seconded by T. E. Bell; John Richardson, jr., nominated by W. M. Graham, seconded by J. H. McWilliams; Wm. Harper, nominated by R. C. Strickland, seconded by T. E. Bell.

At the close Dr. Bell was voted into the chair, when speeches were made by the different candidates present.

North Monaghan.

For Reeve.—Jos. Forster, proposed by N. J. Hall and J. J. Bennett; John McIntosh, proposed by A. Young and John Fowler: M. J. Johnston, proposed by E. Anderson James Davidson.

As Mr. Forster had elected to be a candidate for the county council for district No. 2, he withdrew his name from the list of nominations.

For Councillors.—W. J. Hall, proposed by J. J. Bennett and Robert Stewart; Jos. Madill, proposed by George Lockie and George Moncrief; W. G. Yelland, proposed by R. Lillico and R. Colin; Thos. M. Hunter, proposed by Isaac Clarke and W. Bell; Geo. H. May, proposed by S. Rightmeyer and W. W. Maybee; T. E. Bradburn, proposed by R. Sanderson and W. Simpson; W. C. Rightmeyer, proposed by W. W. Maybee and Wm. Anderson.

After the hour of nominations speeches were given by the several candidates and much general discussion given to the important matters before the ratepayers. General good feeling was exhibitated between the candidates and the municipality may look for an exciting time until after polling day.

Otonabee.

T. J. Johnston, reeve.
John Lancaster, 1st deputy reeve.
John Deyell, 2nd deputy reeve.
A. Weir and John Deyell, councillors.
All by acclamation.

Smith.

For Reeve—J. G. Armstrong, nominated by M. E. Sanderson, seconded by Jos. Milburn.

Declared elected by acclamation.

For Deputy-Reeve—Wm. McIlmoyle, nominated by Thos. Young, seconded by Richard Waram.

Declared elected by acclamation.

For Councillors—Milson Blewett, nominated by Alex. Scott, seconded by Wm. Telford; H. C. Garbutt, nominated by R. Waram, seconded by Wm. A. Stabler; G. E. Elliott, nominated by Wm. Fowler, seconded by R. Waram; Chas. Boyce, nominated by J. H. Mann, seconded by W. Middleton; Wm. Carter, nominated by Jas. Fowler, seconded by J. J. Chittick; Samuel Stinson, nominated by Isaac Milburn, seconded by Geo. Milburn.

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THE QUEEN'S HEALTH

Sir James Grant Tells About Her Majesty.

MENTAL ACTIVITY IS MARVELOUS

Plans Opened for the Canadian Building at Bisley—Death in San Francisco of Mr. James Johnson—The Coming Postal Union Convention—Other Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Dec. 28.—(Special.)—Sir James Grant, Ottawa's famous physician and orator, was honored by being presented to the Queen on his recent visit to Great Britain. His views, therefore, as to Her Majesty's health will be received with some satisfaction at this time. Speaking to-day he said: "The statements made in the correspondence of the New York papers have little or no foundation. Her Majesty doubtless is experiencing in a moderate degree the usual disability for active movement seen in age and in very many individuals of a younger age than the Queen. She drives out regularly every day with her usual attendants, and enjoys the mountain air of her residence at Balmoral. Her mental activity appears to be marvelously acute, and she seems to take in thoroughly almost everything connected with her vast empire and its people. There is no appearance whatever of infirmity, and the present prospects are that her subjects will enjoy for some years to come the great pleasure and gratification of having Her Majesty at their head."

The plans for the Canadian building at Bisley have been opened. They come from architects in Montreal, Hamilton, Halifax and Quebec. Many are of great merit, showing buildings of a very pretentious character, but it is questionable whether any single one can be constructed for the sum fixed by the council of the D.R.A., viz.: $7500. The idea of the association was to get a building typical of Canada and constructed almost entirely of Canadian material, but it is probable there will be some disappointment on this score. The plans will be judged at a meeting to be held in a few days.

Word has been received in the city of the death in San Francisco of Mr. James Johnson, late Commissioner of Customs, at the ripe old age of 79 years. The late Mr. Johnson was a native of New Brunswick, where he filled many important offices prior to coming to Ottawa. Among them were those of Accountant of Construction of the European and North American Railway, Chief Clerk of the Provincial Office of Audit and Auditor-General of New Brunswick, and Assistant Provincial Secretary and Registrar of Record. He was also at one time Mayor of Moncton. In November, 1867, he was appointed Assistant Commissioner of Customs at Ottawa, and in 1874 appointed Commissioner, which position he held till about five years ago, when he was superannuated. About three years ago he removed to California with his two daughters for the benefit of his health. Mr. E. V. Johnson of the Department of Railways and Canals is his son. The late Mr. Johnson spent a blameless life, and was much respected and loved for his many Christian qualities.

The Postal Union Convention is to be held at Washington during the coming year, and great preparations are already being made for the reception of delegates. The convention is to last a month, and the program of business to be taken up has arrived at the post-office here in the form of several large volumes. They naturally cover a variety of suggestions, none of them likely to materially alter the system that has been found to work so well. The Postal Union now extends practically over the entire globe, embracing almost every civilized country. From the continental countries of Europe come many new ideas as to registration. It is expected Hon. William Mulock and Colonel White, Deputy Postmaster-General, will be the Canadian delegates.

Mr. W. A. Austin, chief draughtsman of the Indian Department, died yesterday, in the 65th year of his age.

The Commissioner of Fisheries has gained a vast amount of information as a result of his recent conferences with fishermen of the Maritime Provinces.

The Journal discredits the Victoria despatch stating that Senator McInnes is to be Lieut.-Governor of British Columbia. No matter what Mr. McInnes' intentions may be, he has certainly the refusal of the position.

Hon. A. J. McMillan, Commissioner of Agriculture for Manitoba, is in town.

Not many applications have yet been received from parties in Ottawa anxious to appear before the Tariff Commission next Monday.

LANDSLIDE IN IRELAND.

Farmer Donnelly, His Wife and Seven Children Carried to Death in Kerry County.

Dublin, Dec. 28.—A landslide has occurred near Rathmore, County Kerry, doing great damage to property and causing the death of a farmer named Donnelly, his wife and seven children, all of whom were carried to death in their home, which was swept away. Continued rains caused the disaster.

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Men's Imported Ulsters, were $15	now $9 00
Men's Overcoats, were $10	now 5 50
Men's Tweed Ulsters, were $10	now 5 00
Men's Beaver Overcoats, were $10.50	now 5 00
Men's Frieze Ulsters, were $8.50	now 3 90
Men's Worsted Overcoats, were $9.50	now 4 50
Men's Nap Overcoats, were $7.50	now 3 00
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, were $7	now 4 00
Boys' Cape Overcoats, were $5	now 2 75
Boys' Tweed Overcoats were $4.50	now 2 75
Boys' Tweed Capes, were $2.90	now 1 70

SUITS.

Men's Auburn Mills Worsted Suits, were $9.50	now $5 90
Men's Auburn Mills All Wool Suits, were $8	now 5 00
Men's Yorkshire Tweed Suits, were $7.50	now 4 75
Men's Canadian Tweed Suits, were $6 50	now 3 90
Boy's Auburn Mills Suits, were $7	now 4 25
Boys' Blue Serge Suits, were $6	now 3 75
Boys' Scotch Tweed Suits, were $9	now 5 50
Boys' Canadian Tweed Suits, were $3.50	now 1 95

CAPS AND FURS.

25 Coon Fur Coats, were $30	now $16 50
30 Black Goat Coats, were $17.50	now 12 90
25 doz. Sealette Caps, Jockeys	now 0 65
40 doz. Dominion Sealette Caps	now 1 00
200 Imitation Caps	from 19c to 0 50
2 doz. Persian Lamb Caps, were $5	now 2 90
50 Victoria Wedges, were $4.50	now 2 90

FURNISHINGS.

Men's Heavy Twill Cotton Night Robes	69c
Men's Silk and Satin Ties, four-in-hand and knots, were 25c. each	now 2 for 25c
Men's Fancy Ringwood Gloves, worth 40c	now for 25c
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched	for 15c
Men's Heavy Underwear, were 25c	now 19c
Men's Heavy All-Wool Underwear, were 50c	now 35c
Men's Heavy O. K. Wool Underwear	40 and 60c
50 doz. Pongee Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched	35c
25 doz. White Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs	50c
Gough's World-Beater All-Wool Socks, Ribbed Top	10c
10 doz. Men's Al-Wool Cardigan Jackets, Worth $1.25	50c

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New Year's Kid Gloves
New Year's Lined Mitts
New Year's Dress Shirts
New Year's Collars and Cuffs
New Year's Fine Underwear

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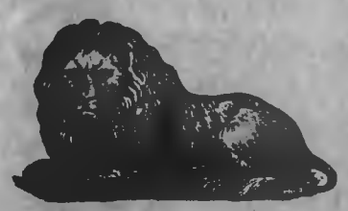

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London, Dec. 29.—The death is announced to-day of Admiral of the Fleet, Sir Alexander Milne, S. Bart., G.C.B., and K.C.B., (civil), F.R.S.E.

Admiral Sir Alexander Milne was born in 1806 and first entered the naval service in 1817; was actively employed as lieutenant-commander and captain on the Brazil, Home and North American and West Indian stations; promoted to commander in 1830, and captain in 1839; was flag captain to his father at Devonport, 1842-45, where he commanded the Caledonia, and was employed at Tangier, the coast of Portugal, and as flag captain to Admiral Bowles in Ireland; was also flag captain to Sir Charles Ogle at Portsmouth and to Sir Charles Napier in the Channel Squadron. In 1847 he was appointed a Junior Lord of the Admiralty and served with successive governments until 1858, during which period he was Superintending Lord of the great store victualling and transport departments and (1855), after the Crimean War was created K.C.B. (civil) and was instrumental in introducing many important measures for the benefit of the service. Sir Alexander was again appointed to the Admiralty as the Senior Naval Lord in 1866-68, and at a subsequent period in 1872-76, when he retired, having served with nine First Lords of the Admiralty, and was then created a Baronet.

In 1860 he was appointed to the North American and West Indian command, with the temporary rank of vice-admiral and received H.R.H. the Prince of Wales at Halifax. Before the termination of his command he received the approval of the Lord Commissioners of the Admiralty, and his command was extended for a period of one year. Sir Alexander was the only admiral on the station who had ever officially visited any ports of the United States since the war of 1812.

He arrived in New York in October, 1863, at the time of the Civil War, and his visit, as expressed by Lord Lyons, Her Majesty's Minister at Washington, to the Foreign Office, appeared to have proved satisfactory. On his return to England he received the commendations of the Admiralty.

In 1869 Sir Alexander was appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean station, with his flag in the Lord Warden. He was present at the opening of the Suez Canal by the Empress Eugenie in November. He visited various ports of the station, and in August, 1870, assumed command of the combined Mediterranean and Channel Squadrons at Gibraltar for exercise on the coast of Portugal. In September he returned to England and struck his flag, receiving the approval of the Lord Commissioners of the Admiralty for the able manner in which he had performed his duties in the Mediterranean, with silver medals of men-of-war. Sir Alexander was a magistrate for Berwickshire. He married in 1850 Euphemia, daughter of the late Archibald Cochran of Ashkirk.

THE IRISH LANDSLIDE.

Danger Not Yet Over—People Fleeing to Places of Safety.

Dublin, Dec. 29.—The danger from the landslide, which took place near Rathmore, County Kerry, yesterday, is by no means over, but is rather on the increase. That part of the disturbed earth comprising the bog is still sliding toward the lakes of Killarney, its movement being accompanied by a sullen noise that is heard for miles in all directions. Peasants living some distance from the scene of the landslide are fleeing from their houses and taking refuge in localities that give most promise of safety, leaving all of their belongings behind them. Debris of houses and trunks of trees destroyed by the avalanche of earth, together with the carcasses of cows, sheep, pigs and other animals, which were caught in the slide and plunged into the River Flesk, are now being swept into the lakes. The river is choked with earth, rocks, trees, etc., and the extravasated water has spread over a large area. No further loss of life than was reported yesterday—that of the Donnelly family of nine persons, who were engulfed in the mass of earth—is known to have occurred, but there are still fears that other persons may have been caught in the slide and perished.

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

A Prominent Resident of Manila to be Shot for Fomenting Rebellion.

Madrid, Dec. 29.—Advices from Manila show that Dr. Rizal, a prominent resident, has been sentenced to death for fomenting rebellion. He will probably be shot. On his trial, which was before a court martial, Dr. Rizal admitted that he was the author of the constitution of the Philippine League, the object of which was revolutionary, but denied that he had taken any active part in the rebellion.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

The Duke of Orleans Will Sink Personal Claims for His Country.

Paris, Dec. 29.—The Duke of Orleans has written a letter stating that, knowing the French Republic is engaged in diplomatic negotiations of a delicate nature, he does not wish to excite international difficulties, but places the seal of his family connections at the service of the French interests abroad.

Philippine Rebellion Spreading.

Madrid, Dec. 29.—A despatch from Manila, the capital of the Philippines, says the rising of the natives has extended to the Province of Bulacan, in a northwesterly direction from Manila, and a large number of rebels have been arrested. Sharp fighting between the troops and the insurgents is reported in the Province of Bulacan.

Granted Turk's Demand.

Constantinople, Dec. 29.—The Port has granted the demand of the envoys of France and Italy that their dragomans be present at the trial of Mosher Bey.

Bubonic Plague Still On.

Bombay, Dec. 29.—The health authorities report that during the past 48 hours there have been 177 new cases of bubonic plague and 120 deaths from that disease.

T., H. AND B. REORGANIZED

Directors Met Yesterday at Chauncey Depew's Office and Elected Officers and Directors.

New York, Dec. 29.—The Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Railway, which now furnishes the Vanderbilt system of railways with access to Hamilton, Toronto and all points in Canada, and to the Canadian Pacific Railway, will connect with the Vanderbilt system at Suspension Bridge and Buffalo, under the terms of a contract made some time since.

To-day at Mr. Depew's office in the Grand Central Depot, the Board of Directors was reorganized, the following being elected directors:

W. K. Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew, representing the New York Central; H. B. Ledyard, president of the Michigan Central; C. F. Cox, vice-president of the Canada Southern Railway, and T. G. Shaughnessy, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific, representing those companies; J. N. Beckley of Rochester and F. E. Peabody of Boston.

The board elected the following officers: President, J. N. Beckley; vice-president, T. G. Shaughnessy and secretary and treasurer, C. F. Cox.

BISHOP KEANE EXPLAINS.

And the Pope is Satisfied—Archbishop Corrigan to be a Cardinal.

New York, Dec. 29.—A special to The Journal from Rome says: The Italian newspapers announced the impending elevation of the Catholic Archbishop of New York to the Cardinalate, and with respect to this matter The Arena, one of the best-informed journals in Vatican affairs, makes the following remarks: "Every one knows of the conflict which has long existed in the American episcopate relative to certain doctrines, the principal apostles of which were the ex-rector of the Catholic University at Washington, Bishop Keane and Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul.

"It is also known that the Pope recently had an interview with Mgr. Keane, who has given His Holiness such explanations that Leo XIII. has completely absolved him of the alleged charges of which he was accused.

"This event has certainly produced a great impression among American Bishops, who, up to the present, have been opposed to Keane and Ireland. In pardoning these prelates the Pope has, so to speak, disapproved of the conduct of their accusers.

"To lessen, however, the effect which this pardon may have produced on the American episcopate, His Holiness has decided to raise to the Cardinalate Monsignor Corrigan, who represents the party hostile to Keane and Ireland."

REFUSED TO ANSWER.

Bishop Lafleche Would Not Testify in the Champlain Election Case No Corruption Proved.

Quebec, Dec. 29.—A despatch received from Ste. Anne de La Perade is to the effect that at the court proceedings for the invalidation of the Champlain election, for undue influence, Mr. Beland, chancellor, and Monsignor Lafleche, bishop, who were summoned as witnesses, peremptorily refused to answer any questions, saying that they were irrelevant of civil tribunals. Eight or ten witnesses have been heard so far and no proof of corruption was given. Three or four witnesses swore that they voted for the Conservative candidate on account of influence brought to bear on them by Mons. Lafleche. Nearly all the priests of the county will be called to give evidence in the case.

Navigation in Winter.

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 29.—The city of Genoa left Buffalo for Cleveland last evening and is expected to lay up there. The Aurora will probably reach Buffalo to-morrow with corn. This, according to the latest advices, will close navigation at this port.

NEWS FROM OTTAWA

Ministers Getting Settled in Their Residences.

MR. SIFTON BUYS A FINE HOUSE

Finance Minister Fielding Takes the Residence of Mr John Carling, Furniture and All—Customs Appointments Made—Petition to Save Brennan's Life.

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—(Special.)—Cabinet Ministers are gradually settling down in permanent quarters at the Capital. To-day Hon. Mr. Sifton, Minister of the Interior, purchased for about $10,000, the house on the corner of Metcalfe and Cooper-streets, owned by A. W. Fleck of the Canada Atlantic Railway.

The Finance Minister has leased the furnished residence of Sir John Carling on Metcalfe-street.

Senator Dobson and Major Hughes, M.P., were here to-day in connection with the Haliburton and Mattawa Railway, and the proposed connection of the O. A. and P.S. with the Grand Trunk, via Kinmount and Lindsay, to Toronto. They had a conference with prominent railway men.

Col. Titcomb, Fishery Commissioner of the State of Vermont, had an interview with Mr. Davies and the Commissioner of Fisheries to urge uniform regulations for preservation of the fisheries in Lake Champlain.

The petition for the commutation of the death sentence passed upon Michael Brennan at Barrie for the murder of J. H. Strathy has been filed in the Department of Justice. The case will come up for consideration at the next Cabinet meeting.

A hitch has occurred in connection with the Government's plan to operate the Baie des Chaleurs Railway for the winter. The line is in the hands of receivers, as is known, and when the Intercolonial set about opening their service yesterday there was an order served on them, which will block operations. Unless some arrangement is made with the court the service cannot be given.

The Hornerites, as they are familiarly known, opened a convention in the city to-day for the purpose of organising themselves into a denomination, which is to be known as the "Holiness Movement," and for which incorporation is now being sought. Incorporation was sought last session under the designation of the Methodist New Connection Body, but Parliament would not allow this name, which was held by one of the bodies now incorporated into the Methodist Church, to be revived by an entirely new denomination.

A number of appointments have been put through in the Customs Department and are ratified by Order-in-Council as follows:

Peter Grant, to be Collector of Customs at New Westminster, British Columbia.

Thomas J. Furness, to be sub-collector at Verner River Bridge, Prince Edward Island.

Charles E. Aucoin, to be sub-collector at Cheticamp, Cape Breton.

Thomas B. McQuarry, to be collector at Mabou, Inverness County, Cape Breton.

Leander P. Shaffner, to be collector at Middleton, Nova Scotia.

Frederick Colquhoun, to be collector at Berlin. It will be recalled than an appointment was made to this port a few weeks ago, but the appointee did not care to give his business up, to take office, so another was chosen in his place.

Peter McMillan, to be sub-collector at Grand River, Prince Edward Island, vice Forbes, resigned. This appointment is an interesting sequel to the appointment of Mr. Forbes, who was elected M.P. for Queen's-Shelburne, at the last general election, and accepted office to vacate the seat.

Frank A. Osborne, to be sub-collector at Edmonton, N.W.T., which was lately made a port of entry by order of the department.

Thomas F. Patterson, to be sub-collector at Thorold.

A. V. Deeming, to be sub-collector at Essex Centre, being transferred from Wallaceburg.

There will be a monster petition laid before Parliament next session from British Columbia, looking towards the exclusion of the Chinese.

Mr. Maxwell, M.P. for Vancouver, will represent British Columbia at the Laurier banquet to-morrow in Montreal.

Dr. Andrew Smith, Government Veterinary Inspector at Toronto, was here to-day discussing quarantine matters with the Deputy Minister of Agriculture.

This afternoon in St. George's Church, Miss Zillah Rae, daughter of Mr. W. A. Rae, secretary of the Public School Board, was married to Mr. Fred G. Herne of Hamilton.

MR. M'KAY WAS KILLED.

A Former Woodstock Man Made a Misstep at Thamesford and Lost His Life by a Fall.

Thamesford, Ont., Dec. 29.—A very sad and fatal accident happened here to-night. Mr. John McKay, late of the North American Hotel, Woodstock, and Mrs. McKay, were at Woodstock to-day, and came back on the C.P.R. train. About 8 o'clock they started home along the C.P.R. track. A bridge gang is at work repairing the bridge across the river, which is about 40 feet above the water. The men were driving piles at the east end, and had left, of necessity, an opening, into which Mr. McKay, in the dark, stepped, falling about 25 feet. Mrs. McKay's cries were heard at once, and help arrived, but life was extinct before the unfortunate man was recovered.

Paris Opera Director Dead.

Paris, Dec. 29.—M. Halanzier Dufresney, formerly director of the Paris Opera, is dead. He was born in 1810. It was in 1871 that he became director of the opera for eight years. It was during his administration in 1873 that the old opera house was burned, and the new opera house was solemnly inaugurated in 1875. He was succeeded in 1879 by M. De Vaucordeil. In the year following Halanzier was elected president of the Society of Dramatic Artists. He was an officer of the Legion of Honor.

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down stairs without clasping my hand over my heart and resting. In fact, it would almost take my breath away. I suffered so I did not care to live, yet I had much to live for. There is no pleasure in life if deprived of health, for life becomes a burden. Hood's Sarsaparilla does far more than advertised. After taking one bottle, it is sufficient to recommend itself." MRS. J. E. SMITH, Beloit, Iowa.

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RURAL NOMINATIONS.

The List of Candidates in the Townships and Villages.

Appended will be found a further list of the candidates in the rural municipalities of the county :—

Asphodel.

For Reeve—J. Fitzpatrick, moved by W. T. Elliott, seconded by W. Webster ; J. Andrews, moved by T. Humphries, seconded by Wm. Back.

For Deputy - Reeve—Wm. Oakman, elected by acclamation.

For Councillors.—W. J. McMillan, J. Harrison, Pat. McNulty, Robert A. Scott.

Belmont and Methuen.

For Reeve—W. Burgess, by acclamation.

For Deputy Reeve—J. A. Sexsmith and J. W. Seney.

For Councillors—A. McArthur, Samuel McConnell, John Vanslckle, Charles Wilde and Samuel Wilson.

Chandos.

The following persons will form the council for the township of Chandos for 1897, they having been elected by acclamation :

Reeve—John Manogue.

Councillors—M. Couche, Jno. Bullied, D. S. Campbell and W. J. Rosebush.

Dummer.

For Reeve—Geo. Payne, jr., nominated by A. R. Kidd, seconded by Jacob White ; Henry A. Moore, nominated by Richard Crowe, seconded by Daniel Sedgwick.

For Deputy Reeve—Samuel Edwards, nominated by John Rose, seconded by W. J. Kidd ; Thos. Webster, nominated by Robt. McCracken, seconded by Wm. F. Darling.

For Councillors—Michael Barr, nominated by John Rose, seconded by John Kingsley ; John Williamson, nominated by Sam Sedgwick, seconded by Michael Barr ; Wm. Crowe, nominated by W. J. Doughty, seconded by Wm. F. Darling ; Robt. McCracken, nominated by Wm. F. Darling, seconded by W. J. Doughty ; Nathan Payne, nominated by W. J. Doughty, seconded by Thos. Webster ; Christopher John Darling, nominated by J. J. Crowe, seconded by Daniel Kelly.

Norwood.

For Reeve—H. G. Buck, moved by Jno. Finlay, seconded by J. Calder ; J. Stuart was nominated but withdrew. Mr. Buck is therefore elected by acclamation.

For Councillors—R. Nicoll, moved by R. Wilson, seconded by Jno. Williams ; Thos. Walker, moved by Jas. Cumming, seconded by Chas. O'Reilly ; Jas. McNicol, moved by P. W. Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Fallon ; Mr. Searight, moved by J. K. Stuart, seconded by W. S. Hall ; Wm. Ebbs, moved by Robt. Wilson, seconded by Fred. Fry ; Jas. Raddon, moved by Chas. Searight, seconded by Jas. Padget ; Jas. Padget, moved by R. J. Stuart, seconded by Chas. Searight ; Jno. Harper, jr., moved by J. K. McKellar, seconded by Jno. Finlay.

For Trustees—Dr. Pettigrew, moved by Wm. Rutherford, seconded by Wm. Eaton ; J. L. Squires, moved by Jno. McMullen ; P. W. Reynolds, moved by Wm. O'Shea, seconded by Jno. Walker ; Thos. Robson, moved by W. H. Brethen, seconded by H. Fife ; J. McMillan, moved by D. Campbell, seconded by W. H. Brethen ; W. H. Brethen, moved by J. McKellar, seconded by A. Anderson ; Jas. Raddon, moved by Jas. Cumming, seconded by Wm. Rutherford ; Geo. Taylor, moved by Wm. Buck, seconded by D. Campbell.

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OTONABEE.

A Salem Sunday School Teacher Remembered.

On Christmas Eve the home of Mr. H. S. Armstrong, Otonabee, was the scene of a very pleasing surprise party when a few of the friends and members of his Sabbath school class met for the purpose of spending the evening and remembering their teacher. After some little time had been spent pleasantly, Miss Ada Thomas and Miss Ella Girven stepped forward and presented Mr. Armstrong with a beautifully engraved album and an address, Miss Girven making the presentation, and Miss Thomas reading the address, which was as follows :

Mr. Armstrong :

DEAR SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER,—We, the members of your class meet to-night, at this, the most joyous season of the year—Christmas Eve—to express to you our warm and grateful feelings for your faithful and untiring work amongst us. You have taken a very deep interest in our spiritual welfare, and for this we most heartily thank you, and ask you at the same time to accept this small token of our regard for you. We hope you may long remain with us and work for us. Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Signed on behalf of the class.

ADA THOMAS,
ELLA GIRVEN,
EDNA ARMSTRONG.

Mr. Armstrong, although altogether taken by surprise—not having the least information in the matter—very feelingly replied, reviewing the pleasant relations existing between his class and himself during the past two years, they being greatly attached to each other, and praying the Divine blessing to rest upon their good work.

School Section No. 12.

A very pleasing and profitable entertainment was held on Tuesday afternoon of of last week, in the school house of this section, it being the closing day of school for the past year. The school room was very neatly decorated with evergreens and mottoes in keeping with the Christmas season. The entertainment consisted of readings and recitations by the school, interspersed with songs and choruses. Mr. Thos. Petrie and Miss Edna Armstrong also contributing well rendered solos, adding largely to the successful carrying out of the programme. At the close of the entertainment old Santa Claus appeared in full uniform to the amusement of all, viewing with jocular amazement the beautifully decorated Christmas tree, placed on the corner of the platform by the children of the school, which was laden down with very nice presents for the occasion, which he very artistically delivered to the awaiting recipients, until all had been supplied. A large number of the parents and friends of the school children was also present to witness the carrying out of the programme, several gentlemen present contributing short pithy addresses in commendation of the success of the school, under the tuition of our esteemed and efficient teacher, Miss E. E. Howson, who, we are very pleased to be able to announce is remaining with us for another year, being her third term. Mr. William Girven ably filled the position of chairman to the admiration of all. This school is advancing very materially, some of the pupils passing their examinations with very high honours.

As Old as Antiquity.

Either by taint or heredity those old foes Scrofula and Consumption, must be faced generation after generation ; but you may meet them with the odds in your favor by the help of Scott's Emulsion.

WESTWOOD.

(From an Occasional Correspondent.)

The skating on the pond has been excellent until the last snow storm, which, of course, cooled the ardor of our boys. We had a good rink last year. What's the matter with another this year? Rush it through, boys.

Since the arrest of the road knight the bolts and bars of our neighbours are shut with an earnestness.

Those wishing to get the benefit of the night school should hand their names to the teacher or leave them at the post office as early as possible, for the school begins directly after New Year's.

Rumours say we are about to have another citizen in our village. We give a hearty welcome to all our White friends.

We are pleased to learn that our Westwood boys, H. Breckenridge, A. Graham and B Lancaster, have been successful at the Model exams. We extend congratulations to the newly-fledged pedagogues.

Our teacher, Mr. D. M. Hunter, has gone to Norwood to spend his holidays.

A very interesting entertainment was given in the town hall, Tuesday evening, 22nd inst. by the public school. The following is the programme :

Chorus, "Coming night".....Scholars
Chairman's address.....Mr Wm Sharp
Recitation.....Master Will Wright
Song.....Six girls
Dialogue, "An evening at home".....M Card-Cardwell, E Wright, A McGrath, W Wright
Instrumental, flute and harmonics.....Messrs Hunter and Breckenridge
Recitation.....Miss Hazel Cardwell
Quartette....Misses Tudhope and Blezard, and Messrs. Hunter and Warr
Recitation.....Miss Mabel Lobb
Song, acted.....Eight little girls
Dialogue.....Miss A McGrath and M Lobb
Duet.....Misses L Cardwell and M Slade
Wand exercise.....Misses B Sharp, E Wright, L Cardwell and M Slade
Recitation.....Miss Aggie McGrath
Song and sword exercise.....seven little boys
Recitation.....Master Ross Lobb
Instrumental, flute and harmonics.....Messrs Hunter and Breckenridge
Duet.....Messrs D M Hunter and F Warr
Chorus, "Our own Canadian Home"....Scholars
God Save the Queen.

A MESSAGE TO MEN.

Proving that True Honesty and True Philantrophy Still Exist.

If any man, who is weak, nervous and debilitated, or who is suffering from any of the various troubles resulting from youthful folly, excesses or overwork, will take heart and write to me, I will send him confidentially and free of charge, the plan pursued by which I was completely restored to perfect health and manhood, after years of suffering from Nervous Debility, Loss of Vigor and Organic Weakness.

I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my true trouble. Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. Geo. G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich.

Mr. E. W. HAZLETT, Reeve of Chatham Township, Kent County, Ont., says : "My daughter has been very weakly for some years ; she was very pale and always felt tired ; she was prevailed upon by a friend to try a box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills. I must say it was a good investment ; she at once began to improve. The colour came to her cheeks, she got stronger rapidly, and now is quite well." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Sick headache and Constipation are promptly cured by Burdock Pills. Easy to take, sure in effect.

THE POPE GAVE AUDIENCE.

Representatives of the Old Pontifical Army Received by His Holiness.

Rome, Dec. 29.—The Pope to-day gave an audience to a body representing the old pontifical army. He made an address to the representatives, in which, after speaking of the services rendered by the army, he declared that the papacy would finally triumph. He added that he had received offers from Canada, Ireland and elsewhere from people who were ready to hasten to the defence of the papacy. He hoped the moment would soon come when he would see himself surrounded anew by sons as faithful and as well-beloved as those which had composed the pontifical order. The speech has produced a deep impression in all circles here.

Marks is Mayor.

Port Arthur, Dec. 29.—(Special.)—Mr. A. L. Russell, who was nominated for the Mayoralty yesterday against Mr. George T. Marks, has resigned. Mr. Marks is therefore elected by acclamation.

The camel is a beast of great strength and endurance. Nothing hurts it until the proverbial "last straw" is added to its burden. The human digestive system is very much like a camel. It is really astonishing how much abuse it will stand. Sometimes, however, something worse than usual will be eaten, and will go through the stomach into the bowels, and then it will stick—that's constipation. Nine-tenths of all human sickness is due to constipation. Some of the simplest symptoms are coated tongue, foul breath, dizziness, heartburn, flatulence, sallowness, distress after eating, headaches and lassitude. A little thing will cause constipation, and a little thing will relieve it. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a certain cure for constipation. They are tiny, sugar-coated granules, mild and natural in their action. There is nothing injurious about them. Sold by druggists.

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Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue business in his own name in future.

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GEO COCHRANE,
License Inspector West Peterborough

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Hall's Glen P. O.
License Inspector, East Peterborough

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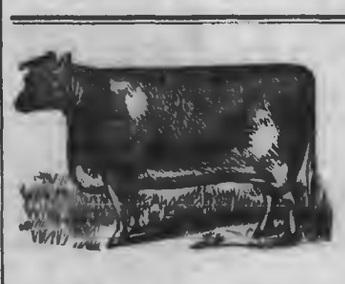

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Finest and Cheapest Vests in Town. Cheaper grades similarly reduced in price.

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Men's 75c Shirts and Drawers.....reduced to 55c
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JUST RECEIVED—A Holiday line of Ladies and Children's Lined Kid Mitts and Gloves, from 50c to 85c.

Wool Tam O'Shanters, in various colours, only 23c.

Remember C. G. Gemmell's Removal Sale Now Going on at 325 George Street, Opposite Market Building.

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Personal letters to Professor Munyon, 11 and 13 Albert street, Toronto, answered with free medical advice for any disease.

PRINCESS DE CHIMAY

Visits the Hungarian Capital With Her Gipsy Lover

AND CAUSES A GREAT SENSATION

The Beautiful Woman, Ablaze With Diamonds, Was the Big Attraction at the Theatre—The Pair Had Just Come in From Visiting the Parents of Rigo.

Buda Pest, Dec. 29.—Janos Rigo, the Hungarian gypsy musician, with whom the Princess De Caraman-Chimay, formerly Miss Clara Ward of Detroit, recently eloped from Paris, and the Princess have arrived here from Stuhlweissenberg, where they have been visiting Rigo, parents. Their presence in the city, where the story of the elopement has filled much space in the newspapers, has awakened the liveliest curiosity and people of all classes make all sorts of efforts to see the couple. When it became noised about that Rigo and his American mistress were stopping at a hotel here, hundreds of persons went to the hotel and stood outside for hours in the hope of seeing the pair. So large did the crowd become that traffic on the streets in the vicinity of the hotel was blocked, and it became necessary to detail special police to handle the people.

The Princess and her paramour have visited the theatres since their arrival and appear to enjoy the notoriety they have obtained through their liaison. Whenever they have appeared at places of amusement the Princess has been blazing in diamonds, and as she is a remarkably beautiful woman, has excited much attention. The audiences, as soon as they discover who the couple are, neglect the stage and devote all the time to watching Rigo and the Princess, who evidently delight in the sensation they are creating. The contrast between the two is great. Rigo, who is about 35 years old, looks like the ordinary gypsy he is. His complexion is swarthy and his common ancestry is plainly attested in his face.

STEAMSHIP MAN DEAD.

A Complication of Diseases Carried off Herr Nissen of the Hamburg-American Line.

Hamburg, Dec. 29.—Herr Waldemar Nissen, President of the Hamburg-American Steamship Company, also a prominent merchant of this city and well known throughout the country, died here to-day from a complication of diseases. For 13 years Herr Nissen had been the active president of the steamship company, and during his administration the concern was immensely prosperous, increasing its tonnage from 40,000 to 300,000. He was 68 years old and was a member of one of Germany's patrician families. He was senior member of the firm of Siemssen & Co., large importers of Chinese goods, and was also a director in the Anglo-German Bank of Hamburg, which was merged with the Dresdener Bank into one of the most important banking institutions of Germany. He was connected with numerous other institutions and had vast financial interests. He visited America five years ago on a tour of inspection of the Hamburg-American Steamship Company's property. On the occasion of the opening of the Kiel Canal, Herr Nissen received a high decoration from the German Emperor in recognition of the services rendered by the Hamburg Company on that occasion. Herr Nissen will likely be succeeded as president of the Hamburg-American Company by Herr Gustav Tietgens, the vice-president.

Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Holiday trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea:—

Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Chiffon Collars and Neckwear
Vestings and Netsings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c.
Cloth for a Mantle
Winter Jackets
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New Corsets
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No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

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403 George Street.

HEADLONG TO DEATH.

Mrs. Thomas Wasson of Toronto Fell Down an Elevator Shaft.

Toronto, Dec. 30.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Wasson, wife of Detective Thomas Wasson of the Ontario College of Physicians and Surgeons, who resided in the Medical Buildings, Bay and Richmond-streets, met with an accident which resulted in her death.

At 5.30 Mrs. Wasson, who had been talking to Dr. Pyne in his office, walked over to the elevator for the purpose of going up to her flat. As she reached the elevator the car was going up. William Smith, the elevator man, asked her to wait a moment and he would come down for her. Although no one saw the accident, it is supposed that while waiting for the car she leaned against the door, which had not been securely fastened. It slid back and she lost her balance and fell inwards. She grasped one of the small wire lever ropes, but as she weighed nearly 200 pounds, it could not sustain her weight, and broke. She fell about 35 feet down the shaft. The result was a fracture of the base of the skull. Drs. Pyne, Sweetnam and Garrett were promptly in attendance, but the injuries were of such a terrible nature that Mrs. Wasson died shortly before 9 o'clock.

Dr. Pyne said Mrs. Wasson had only left his office a moment or two when the alarm was given.

The deceased lady was 60 years of age and a native of Halifax, N.S., and was much esteemed by all who knew her. She leaves a son and two daughters. One of the daughters is Mrs. Quigley, who resides at 108 Grange-avenue, the other daughter and the son residing with their parents. Much sympathy is expressed on all sides for Mr. Wasson and the family in their bereavement.

Mr. Wasson was around the city on business and did not learn of the accident until his return home at 6 o'clock.

The body was removed last night to the residence of the married daughter, Mrs. Quigley, from where the funeral will take place.

Coroner Johnson issued a warrant for an inquest. He will consult Crown Attorney Dewart this morning, and it is likely the warrant will be withdrawn.

So thorough is the excellence of Ayer's Hair Vigor that it can be used with benefit by any person, no matter what may be the condition of the hair, and, in every case, it occasions satisfaction and pleasure, in addition to the benefit which invariable comes from its use.

AS REGARDS CUBA.

Premier Canovas Said to be Willing to Accept the Good Offices of the United States.

New York, Dec. 29.—The Herald's Washington correspondent says it is rumored an important despatch has been received at the Spanish Legation from Senor Canovas, the Spanish Premier, in which certain propositions are made looking to the mediation of the Cuban difficulties.

According to this report Senor Canovas accepts the good offices of the United States and states the terms which Spain will accord to the insurgents, upon conditions to be proposed by the United States.

More Fighting Reported.

Havana, Dec. 29.—A correspondent at Manzanilla reports engagements that have been fought between the forces of Gen. Rey and the rebels under Calixto Garcia. The Spanish troops left Manzanilla on Dec. 13 for Bayamo, acting as escorts of a provision and supply train. They were attacked by the rebels and some fierce fighting took place. The correspondent does not state which side was victorious, but this may be inferred from the fact that the Spaniards are now detained at Bueyoito. Gen. Hernandez Ferrer and Gen. Bosch have left Manzanilla with strong forces to protect the advance of the convoy to Bayamo. The Spaniards claim that they sustained no losses in the various engagements with the rebels.

Dr. Gaspar Betencourt, a well-known Havana dentist, an American citizen and a personal friend of President Cleveland, was arrested yesterday as a political suspect. Consul-General Lee has taken up his case.

Official confirmation is given to the report that the rebel leader, Juan Rus, is dead.

It is reported that Salvador Rios, another rebel leader, has been seriously wounded.

Cuban Forces Concentrating.

New York, Dec. 29.—A batch of letters from Cuba was received at the Cuban Junta headquarters yesterday. General Palma said that he might have some news to give out to-day. He consented to say that his advices showed that Gen. Gomez had crossed the Moron Trocha late in November, and that a concentration of the Cuban forces was being made in Santa Clara Province.

Filibusters in Hard Luck.

New York, Dec. 29.—The Herald says: The 50 filibusters who started for Cuba on the steamer are, according to advices received yesterday by the Junta, smoking cigarettes on a desolate key of the Florida coast. The filibuster steamer, as graphically told by the staff correspondents, who were on hand, lost no time, after her engagement with the Spanish gunboats, in leaving the Spanish main. She put the men and her cargo ashore on a barren island, which does not show on an ordinary map.

The Three Friends, an ocean tug, returned from an extended expedition after shells and sponges a few days ago, and the United States officials at Key West seized her for a violation of the customs laws in that she had taken out no clearance papers. The Three Friends was taken to Jacksonville Sunday in charge of a customs officer.

Meanwhile it fares uncomfortable for those men on the remote and lonely key. The expedition is a failure. It is only a question of a few days when the filibusters will disperse to their homes. Certain munitions of war which are now resting peacefully under tarpaulins down on a forlorn canal island will probably be sold very cheaply to any junk dealer who may heave into view.

The Junta here feels thoroughly discouraged at the result of an expedition which they had hoped would contribute much to the success of the Cuban cause.

Catarrh in the Head

Is a dangerous disease. It may lead directly to consumption. Catarrh is caused by impure blood, and the true way to cure it is by purifying the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures catarrh because it removes the cause of it by purifying the blood. Thousands testify that they have been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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LITTLE BOY BURNED.

With His Brother He Was Trying to Light Up a Christmas Tree and Set His Night Dress on Fire.

Elmira, Ont., Dec. 28.—On Saturday morning last two little boys, sons of Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Dunke, came down stairs in their night clothes, obtained matches and were trying to light the candles on the Christmas tree, when the eldest, a lad about seven years of age, accidentally set fire to his night shirt. His brother ran screaming upstairs and the parents, who were still in bed, at once ran down and succeeded in extinguishing the flames, but the poor little fellow was so badly burned that he died early Sunday morning. Both Mr. and Mrs. Dunke had their hands severely burned.

Bank of Superior Gone.

West Superior, Wis., Dec. 28.—The Bank of Superior of this city, with a capital of $25,000 and surplus of $50,000, failed this morning. An assignment was made to Henry S. Butler, who takes possession. The officials feared a run on account of the Chicago and St. Paul bank failures. The deposits amounted to $100,000.

A CASE OF DIABETES.

No Help from Medical Men—Suffered for Many Years—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

North Bruce, Dec. 21 (Special).—An old and well known settler in this township, named Thomas Brooks, who lives on lots 7 and 8 in the 14th concession, is rejoicing with his neighbours over his recent recovery, and he said:—

"I was cured by using twenty four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and, as nothing else ever helped me, I say they saved my life.

"I had tried all the doctors of this locality and was treated for Diabetes, hoping and suffering for years.

"From reading of cures I determined to use Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I must say that after using the first box I would have considered them reasonable at ten dollars a box."

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood clear your complexion, regulate your bowel and make your head clear as a bell. 25c 50c. and $1.00.

Antiquity of the Christmas Tree.

In Germany Christmas trees have been known ever since the introduction of Christianity. Before that time the dressing of a tree with candles and presents was a feature of the midwinter Druidical festival, so that in fact the German Christmas tree dates back to an era before the dawn of written history.—Exchange.

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OUR HALF PRICE OVER-REDUCTION SALE has been left behind and the prices goes down a notch lower. "Let Bygones be bygones." The very climax of successful buying has been attained by stupendous Money-Saving chances offered us, until now, with an establishment filled to overflowing with an assortment unequalled by any retail house in the Dominion—BARRING NONE—we emphatically predict for the next Thirty days the heaviest sale ever known in **Overcoats, Ulsters, Driving Coats, Winter Underwear, Gents' Furnishings, Gents' Fur and Felt Hats.**

PRICES WE CAN PROPHESY ON

OVERCOATS.

Men's Imported Ulsters, were $15	now $9 00
Men's Overcoats, were $10	now 5 50
Men's Tweed Ulsters, were $10	now 5 00
Men's Beaver Overcoats, were $10.50	now 5 00
Men's Frieze Ulsters, were $3.50	now 3 90
Men's Worsted Overcoats, were $9.50	now 4 50
Men's Nap Overcoats, were $7.50	now 3 00
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, were $7	now 4 00
Boys' Cape Overcoats, were $5	now 2 75
Boys' Tweed Overcoats were $4.50	now 2 75
Boys' Tweed Capes, were $2.90	now 1 70

SUITS.

Men's Auburn Mills Worsted Suits, were $9.50	now $5 90
Men's Auburn Mills All Wool Suits, were $8	now 5 00
Men's Yorkshire Tweed Suits, were $7.50	now 4 75
Men's Canadian Tweed Suits, were $6.50	now 3 90
Boy's Auburn Mills Suits, were $7	now 4 25
Boys' Blue Serge Suits, were $6	now 3 75
Boys' Scotch Tweed Suits, were $9	now 5 50
Boys' Canadian Tweed Suits, were $3.50	now 1 95

CAPS AND FURS.

25 Coon Fur Coats, were $30	now $16 50
30 Black Goat Coats, were $17.50	now 12 90
25 doz Sealette Caps, Jockeys	now 0 65
40 doz. Dominion Sealette Caps	now 1 00
200 Imitation Caps	from 19c to 0 50
2 doz. Persian Lamb Caps, were $5	now 2 90
50 Victoria Wedges, were $4.50	now 2 90

FURNISHINGS.

Men's Heavy Twill Cotton Night Robes	69c
Men's Silk and Satin Ties, four-in-hand and knots, were 25c. each	now 2 for 25c
Men's Fancy Ringwood Gloves, worth 40c	now for 25c
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched	for 15c
Men's Heavy Underwear, were 25c	now 19c
Men's Heavy All-Wool Underwear, were 50c	now 35c
Men's Heavy O. K. Wool Underwear	40 and 60c
50 doz Pongee Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched	35c
25 doz. White Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs	50c
Gough's World-Beater All-Wool Socks, Ribbed Top	10c
10 doz. Men's All-Wool Cardigan Jackets, Worth $1.25	50c

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UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.00, now $ 75
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.25, now 1 00
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.75, now 1 25
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $3.50, now 2 80

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 50
Lacing Gloves..... were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour d..... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Freres, 7 stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1.25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves .... were $1 25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now 12½c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

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ack Cashmere Hose..... were 20c, now 20c
Higher Grades at Cost.
eavy Wool Hose..... were 20c, now 15c
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 25c, now 20c

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Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Fortnightly Club.

The meeting of the Fortnightly Club, at which Mr. A. C. McCallum is to read his paper on "Ancient Engineering," has been postponed until January 11th.

Grand Flower Social.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the C.L.A. will hold their annual Flower Social on Wednesday evening, January 13th, in the Catholic Association rooms. Butcher's orchestra in attendance. Also cards and games. Tickets including supper, 50 cents. 9d

Quietly Wedded.

A quiet wedding took place at the Charlotte street Methodist church parsonage last night, when Rev. J. J. Rae performed the marriage ceremony between Miss Johanna Frise, daughter of Mr. Henry Frise, of Lakefield, and Mr. John Robertson, a moulder with the Wm. Hamilton Co. The newly married couple will take up their residence on Bonaccord street.

Holiday Photographs.

G. E. Whiten, the new photographer of Peterborough, is doing a grand trade since coming here. He is kept very busy. He finishes most of his work on the new Platinum finish. The [illegible] made in Ontario to-day than is made at Whiten's New Art Studio, on Hunter street west, opposite Oak Hall. His prices are very reasonable. Go and see the quality of his work and be convinced there is none better, and few to equal his work. Give him a trial. dtf

An Official Visit.

Mr. D. Guthrie, Q.C., Inspector of Registry Offices for Ontario, paid an official visit to Peterborough to-day. After the completion of the inspection of the local office, Mr. B. Morrow, Registrar, Mr. Guthrie remarked in the hearing of a leading local lawyer, that the Peterborough office was one of the best that he inspected, that everything was satisfactory and in good shape. This is Mr. Guthrie's first visit to town and he expressed himself as greatly pleased with the compact and progressive appearance of Peterborough.

Debate and Concert.

The Catholic Literary Association intend holding their opening debate in their hall, George street, on Tuesday, January 5th. The subject of discussion will be: Resolved,—"That the Canadian Senate should be Abolished." L. R. Keogh and O. LePlante will represent the affirmative, and Mr. J. Kenny and J. F. Thompson, of Toronto, will represent the negative. A first-class musical programme will also be presented. Admission 25 cents. 2d152

Ingenious Device.

A very ingenious device has been adopted by some druggists to prevent the frequent mistakes which occur at night in administering a dangerous medicine for a simple one. This is entirely obviated by putting up prescriptions containing powerful remedies of poisonous drugs in rough bottles as prickly as the coat of a gherkin. Any one rising in the dark is at once warned of his danger. Many lives have already been saved by this simple contrivance.

Hazel Brae's Acknowledgments.

The matron superintendent, Mrs. Metcalfe, of the Hazel Brae, Dr. Barnardo Girl's Home, desires to thankfully acknowledge the receipt of the following donations: Mrs. V Best, sack of apples; Mr. C. N. Brown, two turkeys; Mr. Edgcumbe, case of canned goods; Mr. Dobbin, (Review office) $5; Mr. Hamilton, turkey, biscuits, crackers, oranges; Mr. Mason, 50 packets candies, apples, nuts, cards; Mr. Powell, two turkeys; Mr. L. Smith, turkey; St. Paul's Junior Endeavour Society, scrap books; Miss Moore, turkey.

PRESENTED WITH A LAMP.

A Handsome Gift From the T.V.C. Surveying Staff.

Mr. F. Edwards, Douro, received a genuine surprise on Friday evening last, when Mr. H. Gillespie called upon him and presented him with a most handsome brass banquet lamp, on behalf of the surveying staff of Section No. 2 of the Trent Valley Canal.

Mr. Edwards' property adjoins the canal at the point, where the swing bridge is being erected, and all summer he has been most kind to the staff, allowing them to leave their instruments on his premises after hours, and being courteous at all times in the conferring of little favours, which they appreciated.

They, therefore, felt that they could not allow the Christmas to pass without an expression of the esteem and friendship which they cherish for Mr. Edwards, and so arrangements were made for the presentation of the lamp through Mr. Gillespie. The card attached wished wished Mr. and Mrs. Edwards a very Merry Christmas, and bore the names of Messrs. A. W. Spence, J. Herbert Hall, H. Gillespie, W. G. Askey and Jas. Swanston.

Mr. Edwards is a veteran of 1837, and is one of the only two living participants—himself and Mr. James Wasson, of town—in the memorable march to Toronto in December of that year. He therefore saw the beginning of the Trent Valley Canal, and the best wish that can be implied for a long life is that he may live to see its completion.

SEPARATE SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Election by Acclamation in the First, Second and Fourth Wards—A Contest in the Third Ward.

Nominations for Separate School trustees, held in the Murray street Separate School, at noon to-day, when the following nominations were made:—

No. 1 Ward—R. Sheehy, nominated by T. B. McGrath, seconded by T. Corkery.

No. 2 Ward—Thos. J. Doris, nominated by M. H. Quinlan, seconded by T. B. McGrath.

No. 3 Ward—John Kylie, nominated by M. Quinlan, seconded by John Kelly. Dr. Moher, nominated by J. J. Lynch, seconded by C. Halpin.

No. 4 Ward—M. H. Quinlan, nominated by T. B. McGrath, seconded by John Kelly.

In the First, Second and Fourth Wards, the retiring trustees were returned by acclamation. In the Third Ward (last year represented by M. H. LeHane) Dr. Moher and J. Kylie are candidates, and will go to the polls.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

All over Christendom the various churches unite in a week of special prayer at the beginning of the new year. The meetings commence on Monday, January 4th. In Peterborough it will be observed as follows:

Monday, St. Andrew's church; subject, "Church and Missions"; speaker, Rev. A. T. Dykeman.

Tuesday, Charlotte street church; Subject, "The Home"; speaker, Rev. J. G. Potter.

Tuesday, Ashburnham Methodist church; subject, "The Home"; speaker, Rev. Dr. Torrance.

Wednesday, George street church; subject, "Charitable Institutions"; speaker, Rev. J. J. Rae.

Thursday, St. Paul's church; subject, "Educational Institutions"; speaker, Rev. W. R. Young.

Friday, Murray street Baptist church; subject, "Social Reform"; speaker, Rev. W. C. Beer.

The meetings will begin at 8 o'clock sharp. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody.

Compliments of the season to our many customers and friends. GRAFTON & CO.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

Egg, Stove or Chestnut.....$5 50 per ton
No. 2 Nut..... 5 00 "
Anthroxolite..... 4 50 "
Pea..... 3 50 "

Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

Have You Seen it?

The little store around the corner south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 426 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—MRS. APPLEBY. dw

Will be Principal at Brockville.

T. G. Marquis, B.A., a graduate of Queen's University, and English master in Kingston Collegiate Institute, has been appointed Principal of the Brockville Collegiate Institute in succession to J. Packenham, who has received an appointment to the educational department, Toronto. The salary is $1,500.

AUCTION SALE.

Horse and Buggy or Cutter will be offered at 10 a. m., Saturday next, on Market Square; good driver. Owner has no further need. CHAS. STAPLETON, Auctioneer.

Sizing up the Situation.

For the few remaining days of the year there will be bargains at Routley's fancy goods store, enough to loosen the purse-strings of a skinflint. Stock-taking will be going on while a continued slaughter of the goods is in progress. The less stock we have to take the better, and almost any offer will influence sales. Mr. Routley is is open to receive offers for his valuable houses and other town properties, particulars of which will be cheerfully given to all enquirers. C. B. ROUTLEY.

Dangerous Wells.

The terrible ravages of typhoid fever in East Zorra, in the county of Oxford, have caused many farmers to clean out their wells that have been used for many years to procure drinking water from. Health authorities say that not one half of the wells in Canada are fit to use, as they are never cleaned out, although they are exposed to all the farm animals and fowls, besides toads, rats, worms, etc. Is Peterborough any better in this respect? Let's have a more thorough inspection than has as yet taken place of wells in the town, both public and private. All that are in any way of doubtful character in a sanitary sense, ought to be closed.

Fans for Evening Parties, etc.

The magnificent exhibition of holiday goods at the Peterborough Bookstore has been reinforced with new and attractive lines to meet the continued demand of holiday shoppers. Regular stocks have not been neglected, nor will they be. We have a lovely selection of new fans for evening parties, festivals and other fashionable functions. For the first three days of next week we will take a discount of 20 per cent. off every fan. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will therefore be bargain days in fans—including the choicest we have in silk, feather, hand-painted, etc. At the same time our stock of New Year's cards, calendars and booklets must be sold at "last moment prices."—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

MURRAY STREET JUNIOR ENDEAVOURERS.

Their Skilful Presentation of the Cantata "The Story of the Star."

The Junior Christian Endeavourers of the Murray street Baptist church held a most pleasing entertainment in the Sunday school last evening.

The programme consisted of the rendition of the cantata "The Story of the Star," which included a number of choruses, duets and solos, all being well handled by the twenty little tots upon whose shoulders the responsibility of the production of the cantata rested.

The attendance was large, and the Sunday school was very prettily decorated for the occasion. A raised platform had been built, and a large curtain strung across the room to make the production more realistic. The children representing the different countries were all appropriately costumed in the native dress, and the whole affair passed off most pleasantly and successfully.

There were twenty children participating in the cantata and during the evening a number of choruses were given. The principal parts were taken as follows:

Solo, "Beautiful Star".....Grace Stanley
Quartette, "Brothers and Sisters in Brown," (representing Asia)... Harry Blade, Chester Kemp, Bella Mann and Mamie Anderson
Recitation (representing Africa)..... Willie Wilson
Recitation (representing Germany)..... Sidney Plummer
Vocal duet (representing Norway and Sweden) Clara Kidd and Emma Scott
Recitation (representing Austria)... Hazel Kidd
Recitation (representing Poland)..... Chester Kemp
Christmas Carol (representing England.. Willie Wilson, Chester Kemp, Stanley Yelland, Willie Rose, Ethel Plummer, Jennie Rose and Birdie Taylor
Song (representing the Islands of the Sea)..... Clara Kidd, Emma Scott, Birdie Taylor and Rosetta Higgins
Recitations and twining of red, white and blue ribbons (representing America)... Annie Hardill, Bina Wilson, Ethel Plummer, Roma Langford, Birdie Taylor and Pansy Kemp
Song, "Over the Sea".....Clara Kidd, Emma Scott, Birdie Taylor and Rosetta Higgins
Recitation, "We've whisked about the whole round world"..... Mabel Harding
Chorus, "The Christian Star shines round the World".....

The little ones taking part are to be congratulated on their errorless presentation of the cantata. Much credit is also due to Miss Smith and Miss Taylor, who laboured indefatigably to have the affair pass off successfully, and those who were in attendance know with what success their efforts were fraught.

ST. ANDREW'S SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The Scholars Held Their Annual Entertainment Last Night.

The annual Christmas tea and concert for the Sunday school of St. Andrew's church was held last night. It was one of the most enjoyable evenings ever spent in the school. Tea was served from five until seven o'clock, after which the following programme was given, each one doing his or her part admirably.

Exercise Song.....*Infant Class*
Mouth organ duett..... W and F Cobb
Recitation..... Mary Oldham
Chorus, "Christ at Bethlehem"... Infant Class
Recitation..... Eveline Morrison
Piano solo..... Fannie Russell
Address..... Rev G J Potter, B A
Piano duet..... Misses Edna McFarlane and Ethel Tully
Dialogue..... Miss Lundy's class
Recitation..... Earnest Moore
Reading "Asleep at the Switch"..... Mr Denny
Piano solo..... Miss Georgina Bailey
Recitation..... Maude McCrea
Reading..... Mildred Brightman
Recitation..... Eva Richardson

A large number of prizes were given for general proficiency for the year, speaking well for the work of the school at large.

Mr. G. W. Mulligan occupied the chair most acceptably. The meeting closed with all singing the national anthem.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Quarterly preparatory service at St. Andrew's church to-night at 8 o'clock. Communion next Sunday at 11 a.m.

—Some additional evidence was taken in the Butler case at the police court this morning and he was remanded until to-morrow.

—David Doig preferred a charge of larceny this morning, in the police court against John Burton. The case was dismissed.

—All the *old rags of Dominion bills* are to be called in and cremated, and a fresh supply of new, crisp paper will be issued to take their place.

—The prettiest children's wool coats and bonnets to match, in town are on sale at Mrs. Appleby's fancy goods store, 426 Water street. 3d153

—The shortest days of the year are now in the background, as the sun starts out on its return trip northward, and will bring with it greater length of daylight.

—Back north in the township of Chandos, there was sufficient snow for sleighing three weeks ago, and from what is learned sleighs have been running steadily since then.

—Mr. T. B. Maniece, grocer, Ashburnham, while alighting from a delivery wagon, by the sudden starting of the horse was thrown violently to the ground, and seriously injuring his arm at the elbow but fortunately not breaking it.

—The Montreal schoolmaster who, to punish some pipe-smoking boys, dosed them with tobacco water, has been reprimanded by the Board of Commissioners. He will have to be more conservative hereafter. The stomach is not included among those parts of the body which a pedagogue is by tradition licensed to irritate for purposes of chastisement.

E. Brown & Co., 394 George Street.

Our Christmas fruits are the finest obtainable in Montreal and Toronto markets. We have just laid in a choice stock with the intention of supplying the town. Connoisseur Cluster Raisins, Currants, Layer and Cooking Figs, Prunes, Dates, Piper's pure Chocolate, Spices and everything needful for Christmas cakes and puddings. Don't forget to call.—E. BROWN & Co., Grocers, also Wines and Liquors.

The Poles Should be Cleaned.

The Great Northwestern Telegraph Co. sent a man to Cobourg last week to scrape their telegraph poles and remove the many offensive patent medicine advertisements. This should be done in every town and village, for the appearance of the street alone, if for nothing more. If patent medicine men want to advertise, they should be compelled to do it in the newspapers, and not monopolize the public streets for that purpose. Both telegraph and telephone poles within every corporation should be painted.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

DO YOU SMOKE? DO YOU WANT A PIPE?

Our stock is still large and of first quality. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. by buying from us now. Save it. The whole stock in trade for sale "en bloc," CLEGG'S RETIRING SALE, (Next to Stratton's Bookstore).

—THE—

Mayoralty Contest.

MR. YELLAND'S COMMITTEE ROOMS.

The Committee Rooms of Mr. Yelland are over the Fur Store of Messrs. Loch & Sons, George Street, and will be open this evening and every evening thereafter till the close of the contest.

WM. YELLAND.

GRAND RALLY!

MR. MOORE'S

Friends in the Mayoralty contest will meet at his Committee Rooms each evening this week at 7.30 o'clock p.m.

Rooms in Opera House Building, first turn to left from George street entrance, up stairs. (T. Hurley's late office.)

No Excuse

For wearing shabby and misfitting Garments when you can secure A 1 goods and perfect fit at the following prices at 422 GEORGE STREET:

Trousers..... $3, $4, $5
Suits..... $12, $14, $16
Double Breasted Ulsters $12, $13, $15.
Handsome Ties and Braces for the Xmas trade.

ROBERT WEIR

Issuer of Marriage Licenses. Arrangement made to meet the wishes of those desiring same. 422 George St., North of Loch & McWhinnie.

'CANES'

"They are a Creation, They Do Not Grow."

To-day we shew a fine line of these goods in "Silver Mounted" Congo woods — the "Prince of Wales" being the favourite pattern.

Prices will be from $1.00 to $2.00.

What a nice idea for a Gentleman's Present.

To help the overtaxed pocket of Christmas shoppers we place on sale in our window a fine assortment of Christmas Novelties in

—Rings
—Bangle Pins
—Bracelets
—Enamel Spoons
—Gold Chains
—Gold Spectacles, &c.

These Goods will be offered at prices that can not help but sell them.

McClelland

328 GEORGE STREET.

The Peterborough Bookstore.

417 GEORGE STREET, December 29th, 1896.

From Now Till New Year

Clearing Prices will prevail at this store. We ask Shoppers who have not yet made their purchasers for New Year Presents to go carefully through the following Price List.

These are days when forgotten things come to light. Selling at a loss the things we don't want to carry into the New Year. Our store will be still found packed with Holiday Plums. All left over from our great Xmas trade, will be sacrificed regardless of loss.

50 Leather Ladies' Writing Folios at 20 per cent. reduction.
50 Leather Gentlemen's Travelling Companions at 20 per cent. reduction.
200 Copies Assorted Prayers and Hymns, A. and M., at 20 per cent. discount.
10 Pocket Bibles, Yapped Leather Binding, 75c, for 50c.
25 Pocket Bibles, Ruby type References, Yapped leather binding, indexed $1.25, for 85c.
50 Copies Teachers' Bibles, (a traveller's samples) at 10 per cent. less than wholesale prices.
Catholic Prayer Books 20 per cent. reduction.
Windsor Newton's Oil Colours 8c. per tube.
Reeve's Best Canvas, $1 per yard for 75c.
Feather Party Fans in Pink, Blue and White $1, for 75c.
Feather Party Fans in Pink, Blue and White $2, for $1.50.
2 copies Girl's Own Annual $2, for $1.25.
All the Popular Poets in good leather binding $1.25, for 90c.
All the Popular Poets in padded leather binding, $1.50, for $1.10.
Pansy and Elsie Series Books 35c, for 20c.
Annie Swan Series Books 50c, for 35c.
100 Assorted Books for old and young 75c, for 35c.
100 Assorted Books for old and young 50c, for 25c.
Standard Sets of Dickens, Scott, Lytton and Thackeray, at Clearing Sale Prices.
Silk Fans, hand painted $1, for 75c.
Silk Fans, hand painted $1.50, for $1.15.
Silk Fans, hand painted $2, for $1.50.
6 Music Racks Racks, worth $1, for 75c.
3 Music Racks, worth 75c, for 50c.
3 Brush and Comb Sets in Celluloid $1.50, for $1.20.
3 Shaving Cases in Celluloid, $1.35 for $1.
2 Manicure Sets in Celluloid $3, for $2.25.
Assorted Purses, 3 different kinds, worth 35c, choice for 22c.
Assorted Purses, 3 different kinds, worth 60c and 75c, choice for 50c.
Lizard Skin Purses worth $1, for 75c.
Lizard Skin Purses, silver mounted, worth $1.25 for $1.
The Prettiest Doll for the least money.
The Best Game for the least money.
Get your Diary for 1897.
Do you want the "Globe" Almanac? Speak now.
What about your Account Books for 1897. Remember we keep the best for the least money.

A. H. STRATTON & CO

417 George Street.

OUR PRICES, LIKE THIS LINE, ARE AT THE BOTTOM.

A GRAND CLOSING SALE!

--AT--

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S.

The grand success of our Christmas trade has left us with many lines of goods broken in assortment and in sizes, and we have decided out of appreciation of a most liberal patronage by our many friends to clear out many lines at prices that must be a benefit to the buyer. This being the last week of the year we have many reasons for giving you this liberal offering.

Handkerchiefs.

All our 10c Silk Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched and Embroidered, will go at 5 cents.
All our 15c Silk plain Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs will go at 10c.
Only 10 doz left of our Special White Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, will go at 5c.
Only 10 doz left of our new Embroidered Handkerchiefs, will go at 15c.
Only 5 doz. Men's Coloured Silk Handkerchiefs, were 50c, will go at 35c.
All the balance of our Mufflers at at clearing prices.
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, special price 25c.
CHILDRENS' BOAS, LADIES' COLLARETTES.

Hosiery and Gloves.

Ladies' black ribbed Cashmere Hose, 32c quality, sale price 25c.
Ladies' Heavy wool Hose 20c quality, sale price 15c.
Boys' Heavy Ribbed Hose, sale price 25c
Special values in Kid Gloves.

Dress Goods.

200 yds of 50c Plaid Dress Goods, will clear at 40c.
300 yds 35c Fancy Tweed Dress Goods will clear at 25c.
200 yds of Black figured Dress Goods, 40c quality, will clear at 30c.
300 yds China Silk, will clear at 25c.

Mantles and Jackets.

Our stock in this department must now be cleared regardless of price. Bargains in Capes, Jackets, Ulsters, etc.

Millinery.

Everything being cleared out at special prices.

Carpets, Rugs, Mats and Curtains.

A special purchase of Rugs and Mats for Holiday trade.
Special prices on CARPETS, OIL-CLOTHS and CURTAINS.

Flannels, Flannelette and Cottons.

New spring Wrapperettes to go at special prices.
FLANNELS at special prices.
TABLE LINENS in cloths and by the yard at special prices.
BLANKETS. The best value in the trade.
FLANNELETTES. The best value in the trade.

Men's Ordered Clothing

At very special prices.

We wish to close the year with special bargains to our customers.

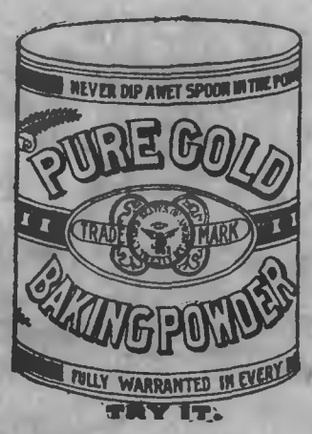
It will pay you to call and see our values this week.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

Pure Gold Flavouring Extracts are as good as Pure Gold Baking Powder.

Absolutely Pure.



The Careful Housewife Will Use No Other.

Pure Gold Flavouring Extracts—True Flavour.

COMPETENT HELP ONLY

Secures the confidence of Business Men.

How many of the young men and women who are anxious for a good position are able to fill one satisfactorily?

Good positions are more plentiful than competent help.

Our objects are (1) to thoroughly fit our students for office work. (2) to assist them to positions when they are competent. Fully 75 per cent. of our students last year are now engaged in office work.

YOUR CHANCES ARE JUST AS GOOD.

New term begins Jan. 4, 1897. Call at our office or write us for full particulars.

PRINGLE & McCORMA,
BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1896.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer. Supplied by Mr Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Dec. 30,—6.30 a.m.....34° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest
Yesterday	37°	3° above

LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD.

The Lupine Legend Dramatised by a Local Authoress.

THE EXAMINER has been favoured with a reading of the manuscript of a clever dramatisation of the nursery story of "Little Red Riding Hood," by Miss Alma Frances McCollum. This young lady has achieved a flattering reputation as a writer of graceful verse, and she has clothed the story of the lupine adventure with very pleasing literary features, and skilfully adapted it to dramatic presentation. The latter has been proven by the rehearsals that have taken place with a view of presenting the little drama in St. John's school house under the auspices of the Mission Band for the benefit of the school house extension fund, on Tuesday evening, Jan. 5th, 1897. To furnish a treat to the children of the Hazel Brae Home, a full-dress rehearsal of the operetta of Little Red Riding Hood will be given them free on Monday evening, Jan. 4th. Miss McCollum is entitled to great credit, not only for the excellent literary taste put upon the work in question, but for her devotion to the good cause it aims to help, shown by personally supervising the rehearsals.

CAN'T DO BUSINESS IN 1897.

With Last Night's Meeting Council of 1896 Expired.

City solicitor McIntyre has written as follows to the mayor and council of Kingston: "I beg to call your attention to a change in the law under an act passed at the last session of the legislature. It is in effect, that a municipal council shall not, after the 31st day of the year for which the members were elected, pass any bylaw or resolution for the payment of money or which involves directly or indirectly the payment of money, nor shall they enter into any contract or obligation on the part of the municipality, nor do any other corporate act after said date except in case of extreme urgency."

Under the change in the law a meeting of the council of 1896, after the council of 1897 has been elected, would be abortive, and the communication of Kingston's city solicitor is held to be applicable to Peterborough's mayor and council.

Suitable.

What more suitable for a Holiday present than one of China Hall's lovely $10.00 dinner sets?

PLENTY

For New Year's Gifts.

Plenty of Nobby Neckwear,
Plenty of Pretty Suspenders,
Plenty of Silk Handkerchiefs,
Plenty of Silk Scarfs,
Plenty of Lined Kid Gloves,
Plenty of Linen Shirts and Collars,
Plenty of Dress Ties in Boxes.

A GUID NEW YEAR TO ANE AND A'.

Mercer's

PERSONAL

Mr. J. W. Garvin was over in Lindsay on business yesterday.

Mrs. J. Crane, Water street, is spending the holidays with friends in Toronto.

Mr. S. Girvin, Norwood, spent Xmas with Mrs. R. G. Ritchie, Ashburnham.

Rev. R. R. Spence, of Victoria University, is spending his holidays with friends in town.

Hon. Mr. Hardy, Premier of Ontario, is confined to his bed by an attack of la grippe.

Miss Loretta Coleman and Miss Kathleen Callanane, of Trenton, are the guests of Mrs. M. Cooper, Sherbrooke street.

The many friends of Mrs. J. P. Hurley will regret to learn that she is very ill at the residence of her mother's, Mrs. J. A. Raymond, Water street.

Lieut. Col. Green, Fargo, North Dakota, brother of Mr. J. Green, North Monaghan, is visiting Mr. R. H Green, Reid street, at present. He notices many changes in our town since his last visit here eleven years ago.

On Tuesday Mr. Gladstone, the Grand Old Man, celebrated at Hawarden his 87th birthday. During the day he received cartloads of congratulatory telegrams from all parts of the United Kingdom, the continent and the United States. The veteran statesman is in good health and spirits.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

At the rink last night the following matches were played off amongst the Granites:

J D Collins,	R H D Hall.
R Fair	J Crane,
Geo Edmonson,	J Jeffries,
T P Attrill, skip.....9	J Connal, skip.....15
G Giroux,	Geo Morrow,
G Whiten,	Wm Manson,
W L Allen,	G M Roger,
H A Allen, skip.....20	E S Edwards, skip..11

The historic match of President vs. Vice-President on the curling ice will be played off at the rink on New Year's morning, afternoon and evening. The game will begin at 10 a.m. sharp, and the Thistle and Granite rinks are mixed up promiscuously, which will pit the following skips and their rinks against each other:

Presidents.	*Vice-Presidents.*
AT 10 A. M.	
H LeBrun ..... vs.	R E Wood
J S Pentland..... vs.	T P Attrill
T Rutherford..... vs.	W G Ferguson
AT 2.30 P. M.	
H M Allen..... vs.	R H Kells
Jas Connell ..... vs.	S Ray
G W Hatton..... vs.	D W Dumble
AT 7 P. M.	
R S Davidson..... vs.	D Belleghem
J G Hopkins..... vs.	E B Edwards
G Edmison..... vs.	Jno McClelland

The two secretaries, W. L. Allen, of the Granites, and J. S. Knapman, of the Thistles, have arranged the following draws for the Kendry cup and the Innes medal:

The Innes Medal matches begin on Monday, January 11th, and will be played off as follows:

Thistles.	*Granites.*
MONDAY.	
Sam Ray..... vs.	H M Allen
John McKee..... vs.	Dr Boucher
TUESDAY.	
R H Kells..... vs.	J Connal
T Rutherford..... vs.	R S Davidson
WEDNESDAY.	
R B McKee..... vs.	R Max Dennistoun
H LeBrun ..... vs.	Geo Edmison
THURSDAY.	
W G Ferguson..... vs.	T P Attrill
J Pentland..... vs.	E B Edwards
FRIDAY.	
John McClelland..... vs.	W D Parker
D Belleghem ..... vs.	D W Dumble
SATURDAY.	
Geo Hopkins ..... vs.	G W Hatton
S Clegg ..... vs.	Judge Weller

The Kendry Cup competition will be played in the week commencing January 4th. The draw is as follows:

Thistles.	*Granites.*
MONDAY.	
D Belleghem ..... vs.	Judge Weller
H LeBrun..... vs.	Harry Allen
TUESDAY.	
Sam Clegg..... vs.	R S Davidson
J S Pentland..... vs.	J Connal
WEDNESDAY.	
John McClelland ..... vs.	G W Hatton
John McKee ..... vs.	R Max Dennistoun
THURSDAY.	
W G Ferguson ..... vs.	E B Edwards
S Ray..... vs.	T P Attrill
FRIDAY.	
R H Kells..... vs.	D W Dumble
R B McKee..... vs.	J E Parker
SATURDAY.	
E Rutherford ..... vs.	Dr Boucher
Geo J Hopkins..... vs.	Geo Edmison

In the Innes medal and Kendry cup matches it has been agreed that a rink defaulting forfeits five points in the competitions, to be counted against the division to which he belongs. Substitutes in the rinks are frowned down upon, though a skip may take one player from another rink, who plays in exactly the same position, to replace one of his own men who cannot possibly attend. One, and only one, substitute is to be allowed, and if two men are absent from a rink it rests with the opposing skip as to whether he will claim the match as forfeited or allow still another player to be substituted.

Such provisions as these will tend to have the different competitions played out more harmoniously and will prevent the postponement of so many matches until the end of the season.

A meeting of the Granites will be held on Thursday evening next to choose the skips for the foreign matches. As this is a matter in which every member should be interested a large attendance is expected.

SELWYN LITERARY SOCIETY.

Programme Presented at the Regular Meeting.

The Selwyn Literary Society met in the Temperance Hall on Dec. 28th, the president in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted, after which the following programme was rendered:

Chorus	Glee club
Critic's report	Mrs T Bell
Reading	Ed Preston
Instrumental music	Miss Blaker and J J Hoolahan
Debate	Mr J McIlmoyle and M Bell, and R Pearson and J Morrison
Reading, "History of our own times"	W C Manning
Instrumental music	C Mann and Miss Roberts
German song	I Reubeck
Paper	Editor
Chorus	Glee club

Mr. Succee was appointed critic for the next meeting, after which a business meeting was held, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing month:

Pres.—E. McIlmoyle.
Vice-Pres.—Miss Middleton.
Secretary and treasurer—Mrs. W. C. Manning.
Musical directors—Mesdames Sanderson and Succee, and Miss Blaker.
Guard—Mr. Bell.
Editor—R. Pearson.

The meeting then closed with the National Anthem.

Ladies and Gentlemen, too, who desire to make a particularly happy hit in the way of a Present are advised to shop at MISS MELVILLE'S FANCY GOODS STORE, 424 George Street. Save you much thinking.

MUNICIPAL MEMS.

Notes of the Mayoralty and Councillors Contests.

The fact of Mr. Wm. Might not having been appointed collector of taxes is, Mr. Yelland says, being used against him in the mayoralty canvass, and he wishes to state there is no ground for such an objection being urged. He and Mr. Might met yesterday and fully settled whatever misunderstanding may have existed, shook hands over the matter and parted the best friends. Mr. Yelland thinks that if Mr. Might does not feel aggrieved (and he does not) his friends or pretended friends have no right to make a martyr of him at the expense of the mayor.

Another matter will, in the interests of honesty and fairness, stand a little explanation. Mr. Moore at the nomination proceedings accused Mr. Yelland of nepotism, of unduly favouring his own family in the matter of Mr. Brownscombe, treasurer, who is regarded by many as the Mayor's nephew. As a matter of fact Mr. Brownscombe is a very distant relative of Mr. Yelland. His mother is a cousin of Mr. Yelland, who has no wish to object to Mr. Moore's criticisms of his actions, so long as he adheres to the truth.

It is stated that Mr. W. H. Meldrum, a candidate for councillor in No. 4 Ward, is disqualified from holding a seat in the council, because the oatmeal mill, of which he was part owner, which was burned last summer, had exemption from taxation, although it paid the school rates. Mr. Meldrum states that the machinery was exempted, and that was destroyed by the fire, and that, therefore, the exemption, which practically does not exist, does not effect disqualification. It is stated that it has been decided in the courts that exemption under similar circumstances does not disqualify a candidate.

It is also argued, it is said, that Mr. Meldrum is disqualified because he is a member of the Auburn Light and Power Company, which has received from the town a franchise of certain streets for a pole line. Mr. Meldrum claims that neither this nor the other point urged is a disqualification, that he has a right to be a candidate, and if elected will take his seat.

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MARRIED.

CALDWELL—TROTTER—At the residence of the bride's father, Chandos on Friday, Dec. 25th, 1896, by Rev. John McEwen, of Toronto, Albert Caldwell to Mary Trotter.

ROBERTSON—FRISE.—At the Charlotte street parsonage, by Rev. J. J. Rae, on Tuesday, Dec. 29, 1896, John Robertson, Bonsecours street, to Johanna Frise, of Lakefield.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having received the honour of nomination as councillor, I hereby solicit your votes and influence to placing me in the council for 1897. If you do me this honour I pledge myself to use my best judgment and most diligent efforts to advance all the interests of this ward and of the town generally, and to insist on, as rigid economy in civic expenditure as is consistant, with efficient management of the affairs of our progressive town.

I have the honour to be,
3d152 Your obedient servant,
CHARLES B. ROBERTSON.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1

At the request of many of the intelligent ratepayers of the ward to become a candidate for councillor I have consented to do so and would respectfully solicit the favour of your votes and support. Being a large property holder in the town, my interest in the honest management of municipal affairs should be a sufficient guarantee that I would always favour the most careful economy—at the same time exercising my best judgment in promoting the growth, progress and prosperity of the town.

Yours respectfully,
3d152 **NOAH T. LePLANTE.**

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

Having again been honoured with a nomination as a candidate for Councillor in this ward I beg leave publicly to accept the nomination. I therefore respectfully solicit the vote and influence of the ratepayers of "the Banner Ward." If elected, I pledge myself to use my best efforts, as in the past, to protect the interests and promote the welfare of No. 1 Ward and of the whole town.

W. H. WHITE.
December 30th, 1896.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 3.

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 29th, 1896.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—As you are doubtless aware by the newspapers, I have accepted nomination as candidate for Councillor for No. 3 Ward. In respectfully soliciting your vote and influence, I consider the position I seek of so great importance, that I should state my position, in definite form, upon some of the leading questions that should engage the attention of a representative in the council of Peterborough, and I shall do so briefly.

I believe that in the interests of the town, as well as those of the great bulk of the ratepayers, our taxes should be collected in two instalments. I would be in favour of so changing the system of assessment as to permit of the first instalment being collected early in the autumn and not later than the first of October, and the second instalment on or about the first of February following.

I will advocate, if elected, the system of performing, as far as practicable, all works required by the town by contract, based upon public tender, and that it be made a provision of every such contract that labouring men should be paid not less than $1.25 per day of nine hours. This seems to me to be only a measure of fair play, when we consider that no man can keep a family in comfort on less wages, especially in view of the fact, as a rule, not being in any way constant during the year.

I believe that the agreement with the Street Railway Company should be carried out, especially in respect of providing better street car facilities for the western portion of the town by extending the line so as to give readier access to the beautiful resort in the western part of the town—Jackson Park—and a corresponding benefit to the residents of the west, to enable them to reach George street more conveniently.

I shall feel it my duty, if honoured with a seat in the council, to employ every reasonable means to add to our already extensive list of large and important manufacturing industries. But while I am in favour of offering reasonable inducements, I shall oppose every proposition of granting large and burdensome bonuses. We have in our own Ward a sample industry that has grown to a position ranking with the best in Canada, unaided by monetary favours and relying solely on perserverance and well directed enterprise.

I believe that it will be the best economy in the end to adopt the practice of looking to permanency in the construction of our streets and bridges, as it must be apparent to all that in the past a large proportion of the large annual expenditure on our streets has been wasted by makeshift construction, necessitating constant repairs, and, of course, unsatisfactory results. At the same time the streets would be kept in a condition that would reduce to a minimum the danger of accident, for which the town would be responsible, and saving a large expenditure in lawsuits and for damages, besides causing inconvenience and suffering to ratepayers who have paid their taxes in good faith.

While it may be in the interests of the country at large that party government should be the rule, I believe that only evil can result from introducing party politics into the management of municipal affairs.

As it will be impossible between this and the day of polling for me to call personally upon every ratepayer in the ward, I trust that if I find it impossible to call upon you that you will see your way clear to giving me your vote and support, upon my assurance that in addition to what I have stated above, I shall, if selected, make the interest of the town my first study, and that I shall oppose everything that will not tend to the promotion of the interests of this ward, and the town at large.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, I have the honour to remain

Your Obedient Servant,
J. E. McWILLIAMS.

TO THE RATEPAYERS OF WARD NO. 2

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 29th, 1896.

Having been requested by a large number of influential ratepayers to allow myself to be nominated as a candidate for the councillorship, and believing that personal considerations should, if at all possible, be subordinated to public good, I respectfully solicit the votes of the ratepayers of No. 2 Ward. The very heavy demands of my business, (always abnormally large at this season of the year), will in a measure prevent my making a personal canvas, but if elected, I shall use every legitimate effort to further the interests of the town of Peterborough, and while endeavouring, as far as in my power lies, to oppose all useless expenditure, I shall as earnestly support every measure that may tend to build up the prosperity of the town, with which my interests are so closely connected.

I am, yours respectfully,
4d151 **R. NEILL.**

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 4

Having been again requested to stand for councillor for this ward, I have accepted the nomination and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. My record, as one of your representatives in the council and my position in regard to the leading questions before the ratepayers, are well-known to you all. I am therefore quite willing to leave myself in your hands and to be judged accordingly. If elected I will continue to exercise the same care in future over the interests of the town as in the past, keeping in mind, principally, to encourage an economical and consistent policy in the management of our corporation affairs.

Your obdedient servant,
JOHN M. WHITE.
December 30th, 1896. 3d1w

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TABLE SUPPLY HOUSE.

CHOICE PORK SAUSAGES, 3 lb. for 25c,

Made from selected young Pork, nicely seasoned and very palatable.

Fresh Ribs, Fresh Hocks and Tenderlions, Fresh Oysters, Selects and Standards,

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FOR NEW YEAR'S GIFTS—Make a bee-line for TALBOT'S. We did a dandy Xmas business, but have replenished with newest Novelties in Cigar Cases, Pouches, Pipes, "B B B's" Silver Mounted, Smoker's Walking Sticks, Gold and Silver Mounted, &c.

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Has bought D. O. LeGendre's stock of First-Class Dry Goods at 55c on the Dollar, and he will sell it off without reserve at the late firm's place of business, No. 323 George Street, next door to G. Carton's Grocery,

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1 Tray, 1 Spirit Lamp, 2 Cups, 2 Spoons.
1 Wafer Boiler, 2 Salt and Pepper Castors,
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SAGE	MUTTON	EGGS	DUCKS

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TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 2.

At the request of many citizens and ratepayers, those largely interested in the welfare and progress of the Town, I have accepted the nomination as a Councillor for No. 2 Ward. I shall be glad to receive your vote and influence. Possibly I may not be able to see you before the election day to personally solicit your vote, and state my intentions, but you can rest assured, that if elected by your kind support, I shall do all in my power, and in as economical manner as possible, to press forward the interests of Peterborough so as to make it one of the most important centres of business and manufacturing life in the Province of Ontario.

Hoping to be favoured with your hearty support, and wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,

Yours Truly,
A. L. DAVIS.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

Having been nominated for Councillor for Ward No. 1 for 1897 I beg leave to announce my acceptance of the nomination.

I take this opportunity of soliciting the support of the electors—the ladies as well as the gentlemen—and if elected the best interests of this ward and of the town at large will receive my careful attention.

Yours Respectfully,
WM. RUDKINS.
December 28th, 1896.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—At the request of numerous ratepayers of Ward No. 1, to become a candidate for councillor, for 1897, I have decided to do so, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. Should you elect me for the position I will use my best judgment in all matters that may come before the council, but more especially in the interests of economy and retrenchment in public affairs. I will endeavour to explain my views personally to as many of the electors as possible before election day.

Yours respectfully,
THOMAS J. MOORE.

CARD

To the Electors of No. 3 Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I have to thank you very heartily for the nomination tendered and support promised me as candidate for election as Councillor for Ward No. 3.

I regret that business matters will not allow of my—if elected—devoting the time to the important duty which devolves on your representatives.

Hoping I may at some future time avail myself of your kind offices.

Yours very respectfully,
BENJ. SHORTLY.

Cupid breaks his bow at the sight of a face full of pimples and blotches. Hollow cheeks, sunken eyes, and a sallow complexion will defy his best intentions. Beauty is more than skin deep. The skin is merely the surface on which is written in plain characters the condition of the body. The skin is not a thing by itself, and skin diseases are frequently not skin diseases at all. All the lotions and bleaches and creams and powders in the world won't make a good complexion if the digestion is wrong. If the stomach is sour, and the liver torpid, and the bowels constipated, the skin will show it. No use trying to treat the skin for such a condition. The only way to relieve it is to cleanse the system and purify the blood. As long as the heart is pumping impurities to every part of the body, just so long these impurities will show through the skin.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is good for the complexion because it makes the whole body healthy—because it clears and purifies the blood, makes the digestion strong and clears out impurities of all kinds. By increasing the ability to assimilate nutritious food, and by the infusion of its own ingredients, it enriches the blood and so makes *solid, healthy* flesh. It fills out the hollows, rubs out wrinkles and substitutes for sallowness a rosy, healthy glow. There is no mystery about it. It isn't a miracle. It is merely the result of a combination of rational, natural common sense with expert medical knowledge. It cures diseases of the lungs, liver, stomach, bowels, skin and scalp, simply because all these diseases spring from the same cause—a disordered digestion and consequent impure blood. Don't let prejudice and scepticism cheat you out of your health. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will positively cure you, if suffering from diseases named above.

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THE MILLIONAIRES.

THE THING THE POSSESSOR OF MILLIONS CAN DO TO BE UNKNOWN.

The London Spectator's List of Obscure Millionaires and Some Pertinent Remarks for Consideration by All Those Who Haste to be Rich.

The London Spectator once published a list of those it called "obscure millionaires," who had died within the previous 10 years. The list was a rather long one. It sets one considering. The age is a shopkeeping age, it is true. It is apt, we say, to value men according to their property. Great wealth gives great consideration, and yet, notwithstanding the exaggerated importance of money and money getting, it appears that wealth in the largest measure redeems no man from obscurity; that money, in itself, by its mere possession, confers no distinction which even this age values. It's use, and not its possession, is all that can make it a matter of distinction. In our own country, even more than in Europe, wealth exaggerates its own consequence. It is natural that it should, for here, more than there, it is a personal matter. The American millionaire has "made," as he says, his own millions. They represent his own shrewdness, industry, tact, perseverance, or "good luck." He is fond, it may be, of reminding us all that it is so. He is a "self-made man," and recurs to the time when he was a barefoot boy, or a penniless youth, with some pride, as a proof of how bright a man he is in having changed by his own powers the early poverty for the present wealth. He feels in his heart he has done a noble work, and that he deserves the commendation of mankind for doing it. He is liable to disappointment, as we all know, and it is somewhat strange that, shrewd as he is in money matters, he is so blind in others. For the rest of the world is very busy and has little time to trouble itself about his success or his failure. Neither can other people see on exactly what grounds a man can claim its applause only for having taken good care of his own interests. The consideration given to him for his money is given only to his face by those who expect to get something by it. The community would look complacently upon the matter if a sudden revulsion should set him to sweeping the streets to-morrow, would consider him indeed quite as important in the last occupation as in that of raking his heaps higher. In other words, it is the wealth itself that is important, if there is any importance in the case. The man who owns it may be very unimportant; in fact, if he is content to be merely its owner, is sure to be so. The only way to create distinction with wealth is by its use. What a man does with what he has determines the question of his obscurity. The world is very just, and forgets all but its benefactors. The millionaire who uses his millions for his own benefit is like the officeholder who uses his office for his own benefit, or the man of genius who exhausts his genius for his own selfish ends, or indeed like any man who, endowed with a trust, uses the trust for his own exclusive use and behoof. Men possessed of other trusts are not as apt to make this mistake as the men possessed of money. Genius, intellectual power, high spiritual gifts, we are all loud to claim are conferred for the good of humanity. We stand ready to condemn relentlessly the men who endowed with such gifts use them mainly for their own advantage. But great wealth, especially if a man has himself won it, is less apt to be considered a trust. The greed for it is great. It is often sought not for itself, but for the supposed distinction it confers. When the young man of energy and ambition looks forward to the attainment of it as the end of his endeavors, he is not led by and miserly desire for money in itself. He has rather the noble desire of winning distinction and importance by its possession. It is a means and not an end. Pity he should in the years of his pursuit so often change his notion. For his first opinion is right. Wealth can confer distinction. It can bring honor and high consideration. It can make a man's memory fragrant for centuries. But to do all this it must be used. There are millionaires in our own country who will neither be remembered nor cared for 30 days after their costly funerals. Their passages from among living men will leave no void, for the stocks and bonds and shares which alone gave them their consequence remain. Mankind has lost nothing, misses nothing. There are others who will be missed in a thousand places and by thousands of hearts, for though the millions remain, the heart that made the missions a blessing is gone. The man in this case is lost to us, and he was more than his money. There are again some few who so dispose of their thousands that their names and memories are linked for years, for centuries, to the monuments of beneficence they leave behind them, famous the land over not for their wealth, but for the good deeds their wealth was used for. The millionaire is nothing, his importance nothing, his consequence nothing. We want to know what he does with his millions before we care to remember his name. As a millionaire merely, he is like the great poet who never writes, the great orator who has never made a speech, the great inventor who has never invented anything. He had grand opportunities. He could have done so much with is money. He did nothing. He "died worth so many millions." That is all. We stand by his grave, and think, "what a fool he was!" Another "obscure millionaire."

A Queer Expression.

Last summer we heard on the Maine coast the following phrase: "Come, now, don't peeve!" meaning, "Don't be peevish," or "Don't fret." Has any reader in New Hampshire or Vermont heard this verb in familiar use? We do not find it in the English dialect dictionaries that are at hand, nor is it in the pamphlets of the American dialect society. Ray says "peevish" in the north country dialect means "witty, subtle," and in certain English countries "peevish" means "foolish, trifling."—Boston Journal.

China Closets.

China closets in the dining room are no longer confined to corner cupboards. They are frequently built in the wall, and have wide doors with tiny leaded panes after old Dutch models.

To the aged, with their poor appetite, feeble circulation, and impoverished blood, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a boon beyond price. Its effect is to check the ravages of time, by invigorating every organ, nerve, and tissue of the body. See Ayer's Almanac for the new year.

BETTIE'S DIFFICULTY.

I.

Kind grandpa who lives in the country
A barrel of red apples sent;
The same day by mail came a letter,
Which said that the apples were meant,
Each one from the top to the bottom,
For his dear little granddaughter Bet,
And also his best love he sent to
Sweet Bettie, his own little pet.

II.

The barrel was opened by papa,
The dear little girl sat on top.
She ate one, two, three, then she faltered
And burst into sobbing, "Oh! pop—
Oh! pop—Oh! pop—papa! I cannot
Eat all in the barrel, and yet
I don't want to offend my dear grandpa,
I love him and I am his pet."

—Ohio Farmer.

IT IS IN THE AIR.

Tweed People Talk About it.

It is in the air.
Can't stop it spreading.
Can't keep down a good thing.
People who don't know about it want to known.
People who do know, want to tell about it.
It is kidney education.
Tweed people are learning fast.
Here are some facts.

One of the best known residents of Tweed is Mr. W. H. Houston, who relates the following interesting facts: Mr. Houston says, "I have been very bad for several years with pains in my side and back.

"I had to urinate very frequently, in fact my rest was disturbed by frequent rising at night for that purpose. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, at Newton's drugstore, and have experienced great relief from the first.

"I am sure that I have been greatly benefited, and can recommend them highly to anyone troubled as I was."

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TWO SUDDEN DEATHS.

Miss Annie O'Leary a Victim of Heart Failure—Samuel H. Park Died in His Chair in London.

London, Ont., Dec. 23.—Miss Annie O'Leary, daughter of the late Timothy O'Leary, 243 Clarence-street, for two weeks past has been ill with heart failure. Sunday she ate her breakfast with the other members of the family, and a few minutes later stepped from the dining room to the kitchen, fell to the floor and expired instantly.

Samuel H. Park, an old resident of London, expired suddenly on Saturday evening, while sitting in a chair, at the residence of his son, James C. Park, 661 Dundas-street. He leaves a widow and four children, Mrs. Taylor, and Miss Jennie E. Park of Detroit; Mrs. James Ritchie of Boston and James Park, with whom he resided.

A golden eagle has been shot in the Queen's Park here. It is a magnificent specimen, measuring 7 feet 4 inches from tip to tip.

THEY WORKED WONDERS.

Two Years of Bladder Torment—Had Attacks of Inflammation—Cured by a Few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Owen Sound, Dec. 28.—(Special)—The people of this town are talking again of another cure credited to Dodd's Kidney Pills. This is the case of Mr. W. Cruse, caretaker of the town buildings, who, when seen, had this to say of the matter:

"For over two years I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease, with occasional acute attacks of inflammation of the bladder.

"Was under doctors' treatment and have been compelled to resort to instrumental relief many times.

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FRUIT.

—Catawaba Grapes —Bananas,
—New Lemons, —Chestnuts,
—New Oranges, —Cranberries,

RELISHES.

—New Canadian Club House Cheese,
—Heinz's German Relishes,
—Curtis' Sons. Catsups,
—Curtis' Preserved Fruits,
—English Worcestershire Sauce.
—Boston Baked Beans.

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—Bermuda Onions, —Parsnips,
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Gas (for cooking or heating) at $1.25 per Thousand Cubic ft.

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I enlisted after graduation at Yale in the Twentieth Connecticut regiment and was commissioned first lieutenant of Company F. Our service during 1863 and 1863 was with the Army of the Potomac until after the battle of Gettysburg, in which we participated, when the Twelfth corps, under the command of General Hooker, "Fighting Joe," was sent west to form a part of General Sherman's army. About this time the government was recruiting regiments of colored troops, a measure I approved,

THEY WHILED AWAY THE TIME IN SINGING AND DANCING.

because I thought the negroes should fight for their own freedom and the elevation of their own race, and because, in other words, as was said at the time, a negro would stop a bullet as effectively as a white man. I believed, too, that properly officered and led the negroes would fight well, a belief that was confirmed by experience.

I saw four Christmases while in the army, for I was not mustered out until 1866—two with my old regiment, the Twentieth Connecticut, and one, that of 1865, while on detached service as the judge advocate of a general court martial. The Christmas which especially impressed itself upon me, however, was that of 1864, which I spent with my new regiment, the Forty-fourth, U. S. C. T. This regiment was recruited from among the plantation negroes recently slaves of northern Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee, with a small sprinkling from Mississippi. Dec. 25, 1864, was my first Christmas as a field officer, and with the colored troops—and with all of them—it was their first Christmas as soldiers and with many of them their first holiday as free men.

When Hood made his backward swing from Atlanta toward Nashville, while Sherman swung off on his famous march to the sea, the Forty-fourth was among the regiments left behind under Thomas to prevent the imperious Hood from reaching the Ohio. We were not with Schofield at Franklin, one of the fiercest engagements of the war. We did succeed in getting into Nashville in time to take part in the utter rout and dispersion of Hood's army on Dec. 15 and 16, though in getting there our train ran into a cul-de-sac lined with Confederate batteries, and we were only saved from annihilation by the celerity with which we got off the train and got behind cover. That night, guided by some of our Tennessee negroes who knew the bypaths, we eluded the Confederate pickets and got into the Union lines.

After the fight we were sent to Chattanooga and went into winter quarters. Our men lived in huts, rude, but comfortable. In fact, most of them were better housed, better clothed and better fed than they had ever been, and, while subject to the restraints of military discipline, enjoyed more real freedom than they had ever before known. As Christmas drew nigh the colored troops showed anxiety to celebrate it appropriately. On all well conducted plantations in the south before the war the holiday season was always a time for enjoyment and feasting with the blacks as well as the whites. The bonds of slavery were temporarily relaxed, and all went in for a good time. The white troops were receiving from their friends at home reminders that they were not forgotten in the shape of packages by mail and boxes by train laden with food, drink and clothing of a kind not provided by Uncle Sam's commissary or quartermaster. But our colored soldiers had no friends at home to send them these tokens of love and remembrance. Their friends, when not still in bondage, were poor, and homes were yet a thing of the future. But the men had their pay, and sutlers were as numerous as their prices were high. The officers of the regiment, both field and line, helped out the festivities of the black men in blue both by contributions and by teaching them how and what to buy. The result was that so far as creature comforts were concerned the men of the Forty-fourth, colored, fared remarkably well on their first Christmas of freedom and as soldiers.

The negro, like the Chinese and Japanese, is imitative; but, unlike them, he is musical. As a race the negro possesses a positive genius for music both vocal and instrumental. The men of the Forty-fourth Colored were not at all behind in this regard. We had a number of string bands among the men. In fact, every company had one or more. They had some very good performers among them, some of those on the fiddle and banjo being remarkably good. They played, of course, by ear, knowing nothing of written music. There was one negro who played the accordion with marvelous skill. He was from Mississippi and had acquired this accomplishment at New Orleans, where his old master spent his winters, this man having accompanied the planter as his body servant. The man had brought with him the instrument his master had bought him. Under his manipulation the peculiar whining tone of the accordion as ordinarily played was lost.

Then, there were any number of good singers. One big fellow, the blackest man, I think, I ever saw, had a tenor voice that would have made the fame and fortune of a white man. It was clear and powerful and as sweet as a chime of silver bells. In ordinary conversation he spoke in dialect, yet in singing his pronunciation was correct, while his enunciation was perfectly distinct. He sang all the old favorite ballads of antebellum days and the war songs of the time. His favorite song, though, was one of his own composition. It was all about mocking birds and nightingales, orange groves and cotton fields, running brooks and waveless bayous, trackless forests and hunted animals. The language was crude, yet endowed with the spirit of poetry, and when he sang it in that rich voice to a strange air full of pathos and sentiment it always seemed to me somehow that the black singer was inspired by a dim recollection of his ancestral home in some vast African forest and on the bank of some great stream.

This man was the leader of a band of choral singers formed by one of our lieutenants, who had a musical turn, to sing Christmas and war songs. And how they did sing them! Christmas eve was passed in this way. Sweet and touching were the Christmas carols they sang, but they were at their best when they gave musical voice to the fact that "John Brown's soul goes marching on." This they sang as though inspired, and when a thousand voices joined in the chorus, filling the frosty air with a great sound of chanting, the effect was one I'll never forget. This singing and the music were the most characteristic features of our Christmas festivities, the one in which we all participated as performer or listener, and the one which afforded the most universal pleasure and delight. Thus all of Christmas eve was passed. Christmas morning my striker, a boy about 18 or 19, black, careless, shrewd, impudent and faithful, woke me up by crying:

"Crismus gif', majah; Crismus gif', sah. I'se de fus'. Wot ye gwine to gib me—a drink?"

He dodged a boot and got his drink. Thus my first Christmas with the colored troops began. We of course had our indispensable military duties to perform, and we formed the regiment in hollow square on the parade ground to listen to divine service. Then the day was given up to jollity and merriment. Of course the chief interest of the day, especially with the colored men, centered in the dinner table. It is sufficient to say that they got the best dinner they had ever had. After that they whiled away the time in singing and dancing, swapping stories of their old life in slavery, now ended for them and soon to be for all wherever the stars and stripes floated; ran races and engaged in such games as their plantation life had made them familiar with and generally were boisterously merry, filling the air with their shouts of glee and unctuous negro laughter. They were a tired and happy lot of big, black, overgrown children when taps, "lights out," sounded that night and ended a day that to many of them no doubt seemed to set for the first time the seal of reality on that wonderful possession, personal ownership. THOS. B. KIRBY.

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(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. Kivas Tully and Miss Tully, of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. H. J. Lafevre.

Mr. Fred Tanner, of Toronto, is home spending his Christmas holidays.

Mr. W. Reynolds and Miss Reynolds, are visiting friends at Manvers.

Mr. Evans Atwood, of Montreal, spent his Christmas under the parental roof.

Mr. and Mrs. Lingwood, of Kingston, are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. C. Atwood.

Miss Huffman, of Belleville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Baptie.

Mr. Fred Grylls, of Westwood, is home for the holidays.

Miss Alice Strickland, of Peterborough, spent Christmas here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell, of Peterborough, were the guests of Mr. F. J. Tate on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McWilliams spent Christmas in the village.

Mr. Fred Stubbs is home for the holidays.

Mrs. Albert Fitzgerald, of Norwood, is visiting friends in the village.

Mr. Jas. Edward, of Montreal, was in the village on Monday.

Mr. Wilson was the guest of Rev. A. W. McKenzie on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron McDonald, of London, Ont., are the guests of Mr. T. G. Grieves.

Mrs. Traill and Mrs. Chamberlain presented a basketful of books to the Public Library.

Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, of Peterborough, is visiting friends in the village.

Mr. Robert Hamilton, of Vancouver, B. C., is visiting his brother, Mr. Wm. Hamilton.

On Christmas day special service was held in the English church, the church being very handsomely decorated for the occasion. Rev. G. Warren preached an excellent sermon appropriate to the occasion, while special music was rendered by the choir. On Sunday evening last a carol service was rendered by the children, at which there was a very large attendance.

Seasonable goods in all departments at special prices may be found in R. Graham & Sons departmental store.

At the last meeting of Court Lakefield No. 43 on Thursday evening, Dec. 17th, the following officers were elected :

Bro R J Jory	P C R
" Alex Richardson	C R
" W H Casement	V C R
" J A McWilliams	Chap
" W M Graham	Rec Sec
" Wesley Sherin	Fin Sec
" Bemrose Hunter	Treas
" R C Strickland	S W
" John Dinwoodie	J W
" Levi Payne	S B
" Geo B Hilliard	J B
" Dr J R Fraser	Physician
" Robert Graham	Organist
" H C Garbutt.. } " R Q Dench.... }	Delegates to High Court

The Methodist Sunday school held a successful Christmas entertainment on Christmas night in the church. An excellent programme was prepared and extremely well rendered by the children and those taking part. A good sum was realized for the Sunday school fund.

At the regular meeting of Clementi Lodge No. 313 A.F. and A.M., held here on Monday evening the following officers were duly installed :

W Bro Jas Edward	I P M
" R J Munro	W M
" Albert Hill	S W
" W M Graham	J W
W " R Graham	Chap
" R Q Dench	Secretary
W " W H Casement	Treasurer
" R C Gale	S D
" J W Ridpath	J D
" R Thompson	S S
" Geo G Ogilvie	J S
W " John Hall	D of C
" Charles Boyce	I G
W " Fred Barlee	Tyler

After the meeting was over the W. M. served an excellent oyster supper to the members at the Queen's, at which a number of toasts were drunk in pure water and excellent speeches made by the officers and those present.

Messrs. Jas. G. Brown and Levi Payne, having resigned as candidates for the school board, Messrs. Dr. J. R. Fraser, John Richardson, jr., and W. Harper are elected by acclamation.

Legal advice being sought, it was found that Mr. G. A. Strickland, being engaged in a suit between Lakefield vs. Strickland, is therefore disqualified to act as councillor, and Mr. W. M. Graham, having acted as auditor, auditing the accounts of 1895, is also declared disqualified to act as councillor, by the clerk of the village. This seems strange, that an auditor, auditing the accounts for 1895, in January, 1896, and partially ending his work at that time is debarred from acting in the capacity of councillor for the year 1897.

HAULTAIN.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The Methodist church held a very pleasant entertainment on Christmas Eve. A large tree loaded with beautiful gifts and quite a number under and around it adorned the platform. Before distributing the gifts Mr. C. Bronson, chairman, called for a short programme.

Hymn	Congregation
Prayer	Rev H Spence
Song	Mary and Julia Bronson
Recitation	Miss Jessie Reid
Recitation	Miss Mary Bronson
Recitation	Miss Millie Reid
Recitation	Miss Julia Bronson
Reading	Mrs Charles Lauder
Recitation	Gordon Reid
Song	Misses McCauley and Matthews
Recitation	Albert Armstrong
Recitation	Ella Hales
Dialogue	Miss G Laughlin and Albert Reid
Recitation	David Bronson
Recitation	Rev H S Spence
Recitation	J Northey
Reading	Mrs C Laudor

While all did their parts well in the programme some are deserving of special mention, as Miss Georgina Laughlin, who delighted the audience in her rendering of "Mrs. Caudle," Miss Ella Hales in the recitation, "The Country Girl," and Master Albert Armstrong in "My first Breeches." Amongst the gifts were a plush toilet set, a whisk and holder and a pair of driving mitts for our pastor, Rev. H. S. Spence, B. A. The meeting closed with God Save the Queen.

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Report of Two Successful Entertainments.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The fame of this society is spreading throughout the length and breadth of the whole section, and the regular meeting on Thursday, the 17th inst., was a crowning success. All the pieces given were of a high literary character. The programme was as follows :—

Opening chorus	Glee Club
Speech	Mr Jas Middleton
Address	President
Report	Secretary
Critic's report	Critic
Instrumental	Fred Agnew
Recitation	Miss Lilla Tully
Instrumental	Mr Rober Burleigh
Reading	Miss Edna Middleton
Song	Mrs T Calvert
Reading	Joe Tully
Duet	Mrs Reid and Mr Story
Reading	Fred Agnew
Recitation	Mr R Burleigh
Reading	Tully Tully
Chorus	Glee Club

AN EXTRAORDINARY MEETING.

The regular meeting on Thursday was a little out of the ordinary, as a good oyster supper was partaken of, after which the following programme was given :—

Opening chorus	Glee Club
Address	President
Report	Secretary
Critic's report	Critic
Song	Mr J Story
Dialogue	Tully Tully, Lou Ferguson and [Joe Tully
Recitation	Winnie Reid
Comic song	Robert Briggs
Reading	Mr G A Reid
Instrumental	Lou Ferguson
Solo	Miss E Patton
Dialogue	"The Midnight Train" Joe Tully, [J Mahood and J R Middleton

FLOODS AND SMALLPOX.

Cholera Also Adds to the Plagues Which Afflict Chinese and Japanese Cities.

San Francisco, Dec. 29.—The steamer Peru brings news that in addition to the smallpox epidemic in Japanese ports, cholera has revived at Hong Kong, and, though there are not as yet many deaths, the plague is increasing and serious results are expected. The disease has made much headway in many Chinese cities and on the Island of Formosa. The Japanese ports have declared a quarantine against all cholera-infected districts.

A severe famine is reported from Western China. It is particularly severe in the City of Chuantung, in Szechuen Province, where there has been a prolonged rain, causing floods, which have spread over vast areas of country, destroying almost the entire rice and vegetable crops. The inhabitants are dying by scores from starvation, and a large portion of the city situated on a bluff at a bend of the Kinsh River was carried under the flood by a landslide, and about 3000 of the starving Chinese were drowned. The flood had undermined the base of the bluff, and a portion of the hill, about five acres in extent, fell into the water.

WEDDING IN HIGH LIFE.

A Danish Count Marries a Great Great Granddaughter of "Betsy" Patterson.

Washington, Dec. 29.—The wedding of Count Adam De Moltke Huitfeldt of Denmark and Miss Louise Eugenie Bonaparte, daughter of the widow of the late Col. Jerome Bonaparte, took place this morning in St. Paul's Catholic Church. The church was handsomely decorated with flowers and plants. His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop of Baltimore, an old friend of the Bonaparte family, performed the ceremony.

Miss Bonaparte, the bride of to-day, is the great great granddaughter of the famous beauty, "Betsy" Patterson of Baltimore, whose marriage to Jerome Bonaparte, brother of Napoleon Bonaparte, was celebrated at Baltimore Christmas Eve, 1803. On her mother's side the new Countess is a descendant of Daniel Webster.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—There is a moderate demand, but the high prices asked restrict business. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.10, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The higher prices in Britain and the States have produced a very bullish feeling and holders are asking such prices as prevent business. While wheat is worth 83c to 84c outside, and red 82c to 83c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is held at 97c, Toronto freight, and at 81c to 81½c, afloat Fort William.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c to 29c outside.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 2 is quoted at 28c to 29c, No. 3 extra at 25c to 26c, and feed at 22c.

Oats—Market quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 18½c to 19c west, and at 20c on the Midland. Mixed are quoted at 17½c to 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices firmer, with sales at 41½c to 42c north and west, and at 43c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 25c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 27c outside.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The offerings to-day were 50 car loads. The demand for good butchers' cattle was fair, and prices ruled steady. Nothing doing in exporters. Good to choice butchers sold at 3c to 3¼c per lb. Medium butchers' sold at 2½c, and inferior stock at 2c per lb. Export bulls are worth 3c to 3½c per lb. Milch cows sell at $25 to $40 each and calves at $4 to $10 each.

Sheep and lambs in moderate supply and prices steady. Choice sheep sold at 3c per lb. and bucks at 2½c and 2¾c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3½c to 3¾c

Hogs in liberal supply and prices unchanged. The best sold at 4c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c to 3¼c, lightweights at 3¾c, sows at 2¾c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 29.—Spring wheat, 6s 11½d to 7s 0½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1d to 7s 2d; corn, 2s 9¾d; peas, 4s 5d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 6d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 26s 6d; tallow, 18s 9d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London, Dec. 29.—Wheat on passage firmer. English country markets quiet. Maize on passage firm.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady; futures steady at 6s 9¾d for Jan., 6s 10¼d for Feb. and 6s 10¾d for March. Maize firm at 2s 9½d for Dec., Jan., Feb. and March, and 2s 10d for May. Flour 24s 9d.

Paris—Wheat 22f 10c for Jan.

London—Close—Wheat on passage firm. Maize on passage steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 22f 25c for Jan. Flour 47f 25c for Dec. and Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat firm at 6s 9¾d for Jan., 6s 10¼d for Feb., and 6s 11d for March. Maize steady at 2s 9½d for Dec., 2s 9¾d for Jan., 2s 9¾d for Feb., and 2s 10d for May. Flour 24s 9d.

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THE PREMIER'S ELOQUENT SPEECH

Trade Policy Will be Reformed Without Destroying any Important Interests —Conciliation Has Worked Well and That Line Will be Followed in the Future.

Montreal, Dec. 30.—The banquet tendered by the Club National at the Windsor Hotel to-night in honor of Premier Laurier was a great success. Over five hundred took part, including many prominent Liberals. President Cote, of the Club Nationale, presided, and seated at the table of honor were Mr. Laurier, Sir Richard Cartwright, Messrs. Fielding, Mulock, Borden, Davies, Scott, Sir Henri Joly, Mr. Tarte and Mr. Geoffrion of the Dominion Cabinet. The most prominent members of the party occupied seats at the tables and the galleries were crowded with ladies. Hon. Thos. Greenway, Premier of Manitoba, was an honored guest, and was loudly cheered. It was nearly 9 o'clock when the dinner started, and it was near 11 o'clock when Mr. Laurier rose to reply to the toast of his health, which was enthusiastically honored.

Mr. Laurier spoke for nearly an hour in French, and his speech was one of the greatest efforts of his life. He said they were gathered together on a solemn occasion, and they witnessed all classes of society present. This was a proof, as he took it, that the Government in its short career had given satisfaction, and had succeeded in the policy that it had laid down. There were two principal articles in the Government's program, the reform of the tariff and the settlement of the Manitoba school question. The work on the tariff was now being accomplished, and the Government, when the time came, would show that it was possible to reform it without destroying the industries of the country, but rather by developing them to a greater extent. The policy of Liberalism was not a policy of revolution.

As for the school question, which to-day occupied to the greatest extent the attention of the Province of Quebec, the Government stood by its policy of conciliation. The Government attempted a task which the Conservatives had not been able to arrange in six years, and had obtained from the Manitoba Government important concessions, which permitted to the Catholic minority religious instruction and teaching of the French language. [Loud applause.] It was claimed by some that these concessions were not sufficient. While he respected the opinions of these people, he thought that the Government could at least claim to have obtained something, while their predecessors had done nothing. By conciliation they had obtained a great deal more than could ever have been obtained by coercive measures, and they trusted to the generosity and liberality of the Manitoba Government to carry out the settlement liberally.

Mr. Laurier said it was the first occasion he had had to speak with his compatriots of Quebec on this important question. He realized the importance of the occasion. He was aware that the settlement did not appear sufficient for certain high authorities (referring to the clergy). He revered those authorities, while he did not believe in their opinion in political matters.

Mr. Laurier then proceeded to explain at length the settlement of the school question which, he claimed, was much more favorable than the terms demanded by the late Government. Mr. Laurier said he was a Liberal of the English school, but he was not afraid to declare that, like Montlalambert and Lacondair, he believed in civil liberty. [Great and prolonged cheering.] He believed that the clergy, like all other citizens, had a right to their opinions, and he was willing to grant to them what he claimed for himself, the most complete liberty. He respected the views of the conscientious clergy.

Mr. Laurier, referring to the demands of the clergy as stated in The Semaine Religieuse, claiming the restoration of Separate schools, said that that was not the demand made before the Privy Council by Mr Ewart, representing the minority, who had simply demanded the right for the Catholics to ask for redress, and had not asked for Separate schools free from state control Mr. Laurier also denied that the judgment of the Privy Council had decreed the restoration of Separate schools. Such a demand now would result in a continuation of the sectional struggle which had disturbed the country for years.

The Manitoba Government had acted fairly and were inclined to render the fullest justice. It was prepared to give representation to the minority in the Cabinet, of which it had been deprived since the resignation of Mr. Prendergast [Great applause.] Mr. Prendergast was now being insulted by the Conservative press, but events would justify his course. The policy of conciliation Mr. Laurier said, had triumphed.

Mr. Laurier said he would continue the task to the end. It was only by such means that confederation could be built up and all classes live together in harmony. He would stand to the end for civil liberty. [Great and prolonged cheering, in which the whole gathering joined, and many cried "Civil liberty."] The cries were evidently intended as a direct challenge to the bishops

Mr. Laurier, continuing, said that he might fail, but if he did he would do so with the firm conviction that from instinct the principle that he had declared would rise immortal.

Mr. Laurier concluded with an eloquent plea for peace and harmony and was loudly cheered on resuming his seat.

Hon. Thomas Greenway began to speak at 1 o'clock. The Manitoba Premier first lauded his province and then referred to the school settlement. He declared that the Conservatives had offered about the same settlement as Hon. Mr. Laurier had accepted, but the Conservatives had said, If you don't do this we will pass a Remedial Bill, and Mr. Greenway said he did not feel disposed to be treated in this manner. When Hon. Mr. Laurier came into power, he went about it in a different manner, hence his success. He said he was always prepared to deal with all classes with the utmost liberality. We are now in a position to say, "Put your own representative on the advisory board and then the Catholics will have a say in the selection of the Catholic teachers." The Premier said some of his best friends in Manitoba were French, and they are grand men. He hoped French Canadians and men from Ontario and all other countries would come up and help build up Manitoba.

When the news reached the banquet hall that Archbishop Fabre was dead the proceedings were immediately brought to a close.

DEATH OF ARCHBISHOP FABRE.

After a Lingering Illness the Chief Roman Catholic Prelate of Montreal Crosses the Bar.

Montreal, Dec. 30.—After a lingering illness, Archbishop Fabre died to-night at 11 o'clock, retaining his senses to the last. He was born in this city Feb. 28, 1827. His parents, too, were natives of Montreal, His father, who was a bookseller, was Mayor of the city in 1849-50. Archbishop Fabre was the eldest of five children. A younger brother, Louis R. Hector Fabre, occupied a seat in the Senate of the Dominion for La Salle, and a sister was married to the late Sir George E. Cartier. The Archbishop was educated at St. Hyacinthe College and at Issy, near Paris, France. He received the tonsure at the hands of Archbishop Affre of Paris in 1845, and, returning to Canada, was ordained in Montreal in 1850 by Bishop Prince. In 1852 he was appointed parish priest at Pointe Claire, between Lachine and St. Anne. He became canon in 1855, and in 1873 was appointed Bishop of Gratianopolis, and was consecrated by Archbishop Taschereau of Quebec. In 1876, on the resignation of Bishop Bourget, he became Bishop of Montreal. He was created archbishop in 1886, when the see was raised to an archbishopric.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday, Jan. 5, at 10 o'clock in the morning.

BUTTER AND CREAM.

By Amalgamation Two New Associations are Formed for Eastern and Western Ontario.

Toronto, Dec. 31.

The various committees appointed to represent the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association, the Western Dairymen's Association and the Ontario Creameries' Association met in Mr. Henry Wade's office, Parliament Buildings, yesterday afternoon.

The following gentlemen representing the Creameries' Association were present: Messrs. D. Derbyshire, Brockville, President; A. Wenger, Ayton; William Halliday, Chesley; R. J. Graham, Belleville. Representing the Western Dairymen's Association: A. F. McLaren, M.P., Stratford; John S. Pearce, London; A. Pattullo, M.L.A., Woodstock; J. W. Wheaton, Secretary, London; R. M. Ballantyne, Stratford. Representing the Eastern Dairymen's Association: T. B. Carlow, Warkworth; John R. Dargavel, Elgin; William Eager, Morrisburg; R. G. Murphy, Secretary, Elgin, and Henry Wade, President.

Mr. Henry Wade was chairman and Mr. R. G. Murphy Secretary. The Minister of Agriculture, Hon. John Dryden, was present. After discussion it was moved by D. Derbyshire, seconded by A. F. McLaren, "That the three associations as now existing be amalgamated into two new associations, to be called the Butter and Cheese Associations of Eastern and Western Ontario, respectively, with an Executive Committee of three from each as a Central Advisory Board." Carried unanimously.

London Fog in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—A London fog overhung Chicago and the Great Northwest last night. It extended from the longitude of Pittsburg as far west as Kansas City, and played havoc with the telegraph service. "This fog interferes with our wires more than sleet, and is one of the worst we have ever had at this time of the year," said a telegraph official.

MET HIS CREDITORS.

Mr. Messner of Formosa Explains Matters.

TELLS WHAT CAUSED HIS FAILURE

Unfortunate Investments, Hard Times and Charitable Contributions All Had Their Effect—Used Other People's Money in His Own Business—Liabilities and Assets.

Walkerton, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—About 300 of Mr. Messner's creditors assembled at Formosa to-day and dealt with the legal requirements of the insolvent estate. The school house was the only building in the village large enough to hold them. They were remarkably peaceful and orderly, notwithstanding the fact that every one of them had lost money by the failure.

Mr. Messner made a statement about the cause of his insolvency, which he attributed to bad investments in Manitoba, hard times, loss by fire and money given to poor institutions. He had used in his own business the moneys placed in his hands for safety and investment, and could not give a clear account of what became of them. His liabilities showed $70,000 unsecured, besides heavy sums to the banks, which are secured by customers' notes. The assets are only $27,000 at high valuation, besides an interest in $65,000 of life insurance policies, the present value of which is unknown. He wanted to be let liquidate the estate himself, and promised to pay everybody in full in two years, but the creditors failed to agree with his view of the situation, and appointed a hostile assignee, E. G. Kunts, by a vote of 112 to 107 for John Messner, the insolvent's nephew. Three of Messner's friends, however, named Philip Weishardt, Peter Kuhry and John M. Fischer were elected inspectors, and the assignee has to deal with the estate according to their directions. A strong feeling was displayed against Walkerton taking part in the proceedings, and a proposal to appoint an English-speaking assignee would not be entertained. The German people were bound to have it all to themselves.

A motion was, however, carried to have Mr. Messner examined on oath, as his statement was not deemed satisfactory. The meeting adjourned to Jan. 14 for this purpose, and in the meantime the assignee will prepare a statement of the estate.

WHEEL RECORDS.

McLeod, Westbrook, Miller, and John Davidson, Have New Marks.

The official bulletin from the C.W.A. Racing Board was issued yesterday. The following records have been passed by the board:

One-quarter mile tandem amateur, against time, unpaced, flying start—Tucker and Boake, Toronto; 24 4-5 secs.

Two-mile tandem competition, amateur, standing start—L. E. Morin and A. Martineau, Montreal; 4.43 3-5.

One-quarter mile professional, against time, paced, flying start—Angus McLeod, Sarnia; 24 3-5 secs.

One-quarter mile professional, against time, paced, standing start—F. Westbrook, Brantford; 28 4-5 secs.

One-quarter mile professional, against time, unpaced, flying start—R. D. Miller, Hamilton; 26 secs.

One-half mile professional, against time, unpaced, flying start—R. D. Miller, Hamilton; 57 secs.

One-half mile paced amateur, flying start, against time—J. Davidson; 52 2-5 secs.

One-half mile paced amateur, standing start, against time—J. Davidson; 57 4-5 secs.

Claim is made by R. O. Blayney, Simcoe, for one and two mile paced competition records. The board has looked into the importance of the meet at which this time was made, and the circumstances of the races, and has decided that the records could be recognized only as attempts against time marks. He is allowed records as follows: One and two miles, paced, standing start, amateur, against time; 2.03 1-5 and 4.21.

THE HOCKEY SEASON.

Montreal Beat Winnipeg in the Great Match at the Prairie City.

Winnipeg, Dec. 30.—In all the history of Winnipeg no sporting event ever created as much interest as to-night's great struggle for the hockey championship of Canada between the Victorias of Montreal and the Victorias of Winnipeg. An idea of the interest may be gathered from the fact that reserved seats sold for $12 apiece. Spectators were jammed into every inch of space. There was no betting to speak of, because everybody wanted to back Winnipeg, and, though big odds were offered, there was no Montreal money in sight. The referee was W. C. Young of Ottawa, and the teams were composed as follows:

Winnipeg (5)—Goal, Merritt; point, Flett; cover, Johnstone; forwards, Campbell, Armytage, Howard, Bain.

Montreal (6)—Goal, Lewis; point, Henderson; cover, Grant; forwards, McDougall, Drinkwater, Davidson, McLea.

From the outset it was a great game of scientific hockey, and, though swift as can be possibly imagined, there was a total absence of rough play. A summary of the goals scored is as follows:

First game—Winnipeg, Bain, 6 min.
Second game—Winnipeg, Campbell, 2 min.
Third game—Winnipeg, Howard, 2½ min.
Fourth game—Montreal, McLea, 5 min.
Fifth game—Montreal, Davidson, 3 min.
Sixth game—Winnipeg, Howard, 7 min.
Seventh game—Montreal, Davidson, 6 min.
Eighth game—Montreal, McLea, 4 min.
Ninth game—Montreal, McDougall, 7 min.
Tenth game—Winnipeg, Bain, 6 min.
Eleventh game—Montreal, Drinkwater, 2 min.

The 12th game was in progress when time was called, leaving Montreal winners of the championship by one goal. They take back with them the coveted Stanley Cup, and to-night Winnipeg is in mourning.

FOUND AT LAST.

Annie Damer, Who Had Been Missing, Located by Wood Choppers in Michigan Forests.

Saginaw, Mich., Dec. 30.—Annie Damer, the Buffalo, N.Y. young woman, whose disappearance last Thursday created a sensation, was found this morning in a brush heap about half a mile from the western city limits. She was dazed and partly unconscious. A party of men chopping wood found her. She is now at the Saginaw Hospital under medical treatment. She can give no account of her whereabouts or how she came there. The Damer family formerly lived at Stratford, Ont.

Alleged Counterfeiters Arrested.

New York, Dec. 30.—Mary Hauson, Wm. Martin and Patrick Burke were arrested last night at No. 8 Batavia-street, this city, on a charge of being counterfeiters. They are said to be members of a gang of the cleverest counterfeiters that have ever existed either in this or any other country. The operations of the gang were carried on in the Maine woods and the mountain fastnesses of Virginia as well as in the slums of New York.

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The iron grasp of scrofula has no mercy upon its victims. This demon of the blood is often not satisfied with causing dreadful sores, but racks the body with the pains of rheumatism until Hood's Sarsaparilla cures.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1896

THE OLD YEAR AND THE NEW.

How quickly the years pass! The hours of another year have been absorbed into eternity. This is a season of retrospection as well as of looking forward. It is becoming to look back upon the record of the past twelve months and recall the blessings for which we should be thankful. While the year now closing has held many dark days for many of us, yet we have more or less to be thaufal for. As a town we have, while not enjoying any marked degree of prosperity, held our own better than most of our sister towns. As a nation the past year has been one of great interest and of gratifying improvement in government. From the EXAMINER'S point of view this year has marked an important crisis in our national history, augaring a progressive future. The advent of a Liberal Government to power, marks the beginning of a new era in our history, and one of the first acts of that government has, by the settlement of a vexed question that has hung over the country as a menace of national desintegration, given an impetus to national unification and consolidation. This will leave us free and unimpeded by racial, religious and sectional embroilment, to pursue the career of progressive development that will make of us a great nation. In material matters we have during 1896 witnessed a beginning of the development of our immense mineral resources that promise great things. From the Atlantic to the Pacific our wealth of arable soil is alternated at intervals, rich and frequent, with opulent deposits of gold, whose unexampled richness has turned the eyes of the world upon us. These, and Canada's achievements in other departments of her activities—industrial, agricultural and dairying—have linked more closely the bonds that unite us to the great Empire, and strengthened the sentimental ties that tend to our oneness with the imperial chain of colonies, each with the essential elements of an empire in resources and possibilities. While we still hold to our unalterable allegiance to the British Empire, never before has the existence of the Canadian national spirit put itself so prominently in evidence. Like a young giant, we are beginning to feel our strength and to recognise the truth that national unity and pride in our magnificent heritage are mighty moral agencies, necessary to the full development of that destiny to which our natural resources, the energy of our people and the expectation of the world point the way. Canada is a great country, and never before was that fact so borne in upon the national intelligence, and never before has that fact been accorded fuller recognition by the Empire and the world at large than to-day. And never before have our national hopes been higher and our national future brighter. This future to which the present points is full of encouraging promise, and the country is in a mood to be moved to fruitful action by that promise. It is in this spirit that we can, with confidence of happy realization, wish, not only our fellow Canadians, but the readers of the EXAMINER as well,

A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

The camel is a beast of great strength and endurance. Nothing hurts it until the proverbial "last straw" is added to its burden. The human digestive system is very much like a camel. It is really astonishing how much abuse it will stand. Sometimes, however, something worse than usual will be eaten, and will go through the stomach into the bowels, and then it will stick—that's constipation. Nine-tenths of all human sickness is due to constipation. Some of the simplest symptoms are coated tongue, foul breath, dizziness, heartburn, flatulence, sallowness, distress after eating, headaches and lassitude. A little thing will cause constipation, and a little thing will relieve it. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a certain cure for constipation. They are tiny, sugar-coated granules, mild and natural in their action. There is nothing injurious about them. Sold by druggists.

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YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Thos. Markle, of Bay Mills, Mich., spent Sunday at the Lakeview.

Miss Minnie Wyer, of Peterborough, is visiting Miss Nellie Young the past few days.

Mr. Frank McPherson, of Peterborough, is renewing acquaintances here this week.

Mr. Theodore Phelan, of Bay Mills, Mich., is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. J. E. Kearney.

Miss Maggie Fobert, of Bridgenorth, spent Christmas at the Point.

Mr. Robt. Dever came home for Christmas.

The roads are in fine condition and only require a few inches of snow to make good sleighing.

The farm house owned by Mr. L. G. Fobert, of Bridgenorth, and occupied by Mr. William Hockaday, was burnt on Thursday, Dec. 24th. As far as can be learned it was insured.

Mr. Francis Armstrong, who was living on a farm on the 12th concession of Smith, was burnt out. The house and contents were entirely consumed. Mr. Armstrong thinks the fire was work of incendiaries.

The lumbering is very quiet in this locality this winter. It would benefit the country around here if some firm would take hold of the Scott limits, as there is enough material there for a number of years.

A very pleasing wedding was celebrated in town on Monday, 28th inst. The contracting parties were Miss Mattie Phelan, granddaughter of Mr. Peter Phelan of Lakefield, and Mr. Thos. Markle of Bay Mills, Mich. They drove to Peterborough, and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, assisted by the Rev. Father Casey. The bride, who was attired in a beautiful brown French novelty, trimmed with fur and chiffon, was assisted by her cousin, Miss Lottie Kearney of Young's Point, and Mr. Theo. Phelan, brother of the bride, acted in the capacity of groomsman. After the wedding they drove back to Mrs. Phelan's, and those present sat down to a sumptuous dinner. They intend taking up residence in Bay Mills, Mich. We wish them success in their new life.

The concert held by the Young's Point Dramatic Club on Christmas night was a grand success, as about two hundred people attended. Mr. C. Young acted in the capacity of chairman and by a few well-selected remarks introduced the "Y. P. D. C." The programmee, which was rendered in first-class style by those who took part, was as follows:

Violin solo.....Mr R Oliver
Accompanist.....Miss Maggie Kearney
Dialogue, "A Neighbourly Quarrel".....Messrs F J Young and S Anglesey
Song, "East Side Girl".....Mr Harry Kearney
Recitation, "Brother Paul".....Miss Lottie Kearney
Charade..Misses Louise Kearney and Jennie Kearney, and Messrs W Scollard and W E Brooks
Recitation, "I bade ye the top o' the Morning," Mr M Young
Violin solo.....Miss Jennie Kearney
Song and dance, "Maggie McCarthy".....Mr Harry Kearney
Dialogue, "Scandal on the Brain".....Misses Maggie Kearney, Lottie Kearney, Emma Scollard, Nellie Young and Louise Kearney
Song, "On the Benches in the Park".....Miss Lillie McFarlane
Trio (violins and mouth organ)..Misses Lottie Kearney, Jennie Kearney and Maggie Kearney
Song, "Officer Porter,".....Miss Josie Phelan
Dialogue, "Stage Struck Yankee".....Misses Nellie Young, Emma Scollard, and Messrs W Scollard, W E Brooks, Harry Andrews and Will Young
God Save the Queen.

People had no idea there was such good talent in Young's Point, for everyone was thoroughly satisfied with the entertainment and hope it will not be the last.

Mr. Arthur Smith, who formerly taught school here, is visiting old friends here for a few days.

HONOUR ROLL.

Warsaw.

Sr. IV class—Bob Lynn, Hal. Choate, Flora McDonald, May Davis, Bessie Choate. Jr. IV—Jim Hawthorne, Archie Ingham, Edith Jackson, Frank Hughes, Berta Bullock, Gordon Payne, Maggie Middleton. Sr. III—Clarence Watts, Will Hawthorne, Rose Doughty, Ethel Doughty, Roy McDonald. Jr. III—Ern Kidd, Bert Kidd, Dick Smith, Wesley Bullock, Linda James, Allan Edwards. (recommended) Laura Edwards (recommended.)

PROMOTIONS.

From II Jr. to II Sr.—Emma Hampton, Dora Blight, Roy Hamblin, Fannie Hughes, recommended. From Pt. II Sr. to II Jr.—Allan Douglas, Teany Edwards, John McIntosh, Garnet Kidd, Clara Kidd, Rolly Doughty, recommended. From Pt. II Jr. to Pt. II Sr—Aggie Hyde, Lila Calder, Pearl McIntosh, Clara Hamblin, Effie Blewett, Kenneth Kidd, Florence Salder. From I Sr. to Pt. II Jr.—Wm. Hampton. From I Jr. to I Sr—Gilis Douglas, Harold Darling.

Westwood School.

Junior 1st.—Stanley Cook, James Sargent, Harold Robb. Senior 1st.—Fred. Dickson, John Drummond, Hazel Cardwell. Second Part.—Chas. McColl, Laura McColl, Bert Comstock. Junior 2nd.—Annie Walsh, Jos. Walsh, Daisy Wright. Senior 2nd.—Mabel Lobb, Rose Lobb, Nelson Gray. Third.—James Comstock, Lizzie Sharp, Annie Slade. Entrance.—Charles Blezard, Will Wright, Mabel Cardwell. P. S. Leaving.—Aggie McGrath, Frank Walsh, Bella Sharp.

D. M. Hunter, teacher.

S. S. No. 12, Otonabee.

4th Class—Nellie Tutty, Julia Heffernan, Ida Armtrong. 3rd Class, sr.—Bella Girvin, Harold Lawrence. 3rd Class, jr.—Lula Armstrong, Annie Coon, Willie Johnston. 2nd Class—Frank Heffernan. Pt. 2nd Class—Sarah McGregor, Ralph Lawrence, Mamie Johnston. Pt. I Class—John Girvin, Ida Carmichael, Robert Girvin. Pupils who passed from Pt. II to II book—Sarah McGregor, Ralph Lawrence, Mamie Johnston. From II Book to III—Lulu Armstrong, Annie Coone. From 3rd to 4th class—Bella Girvin, with honours. Best composition written by Nellie Tutty.

Percentages in test examinations for Senior IV. Class:—

History.—Ida Armstrong, 91; Nelly Tutty, 75; Anna Johnston, 66; Bruce Armstrong, 57; Julia Heffernan, 56; Patrick Heffrman, 56. Geography.—Ida Armstrong, 87; Bruce Armstrong, 68; Julia Heffernan, 77; Anna Johnston, 72; Nellie Tutty, 68; Patrick Heffernan, 62. Literature—Anna Johnston, 86; Ida Armstrong, 71; Nellie Tutty, 70; Bruce Armstrong, 58; Julia Heffernan, 51; Patrick Heffernan, 43. Grammar—Nellie Tutty, 64; Anna Johnston, 62; Julia Heffernan, 55; Ida Armstrong, 53; Bruce Armstrong, 52; Patrick Heffernan, 46. Arithmetic—Ida Armstrong, 64; Nellie Tutty, 57; Julia Heffernan, 57; Lizzie Girvin, 50; Bruce Armstrong, 49.

THEY WORKED WONDERS.

Two Years of Bladder Torment—Had Attacks of Inflammation—Cured by a Few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Owen Sound, Dec. 28.—(Special)—The people of this town are talking again of another cure credited to Dodd's Kidney Pills. This is the case of Mr. W. Cruse, caretaker of the town buildings, who, when seen, had this to say of the matter:

"For over two years I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease, with occasional acute attacks of inflammation of the bladder.

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GALWAY.

Council Meeting.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The Galway council met as provided by statute on Dec. 15th, the members all present. On motion this council transferred their claim on lot 9, con. A, to John Coulter for the amount paid for said lot at tax sale, and also lot 23, con. 12, to Nicholas Cheevers, for the amount of $10 paid for said lot at tax sale. On motion the trustee school rate charged to William McElwain, lot 8, con. 5, was taken off collectors roll as said lot is over 5 miles from school. On motion that the reeve and clerk are instructed to examine the treasurer's books, for the years 1894 and 1895, and if this municipality owes Thos. R. White, late collector, they to pass an order on treasurer for the same. On motion, the council is to be paid to date and orders drawn for the same: M. Mansfield, council fees, $5; G. McKee, council fees, $5; J. Allen, council fees, $5; J. Gilmour, council fees, $5; M. Collins, council fees, $5; clerk selecting jurors and financial statement, $2.50; clerk, miscellaneous, $4.10. On motion council adjourned sine die.

A MESSAGE TO MEN.

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If any man, who is weak, nervous and debilitated, or who is suffering from any of the various troubles resulting from youthful folly, excesses or overwork, will take heart and write to me, I will send him confidentially and free of charge, the plan pursued by which I was completely restored to perfect health and manhood, after years of suffering from Nervous Debility, Loss of Vigor and Organic Weakness.

I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble. Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. Geo. G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich.

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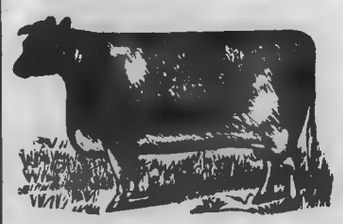

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If you want to see one of the grandest "Old Time" displays of Prime Meats visit J. J. Howden's Meat Mart, 461 George Street. Excellent supplies of well-fed Beef, Lamb, Veal and Pork. Great Show of our Sugar-Cured Hams, Breakfast Bacon, Spiced Rolls, Tongue, Sausage, Fancy Meats, Chopped Suet, etc. Abundant supply of Turkeys, Geese, and Chickens—all ready for your Christmas bill of fare.

Eat and Be Merry. "Christmas comes but once a year!" Telephone 39.

HOLIDAY HINTS FOR THE LADIES

Keep in mind the Removal Sale now going on at C. G. GEMMELL'S Corset and Furnishing Store. You can secure many excellent bargains in Sensible Christmas Gifts such as these:—

Ladies' $1.00 Corsets.....Reduced to 75c
Ladies' 75c C.....Reduced to 50c
Ladies' 50c Corsets.....Reduced to 40c
Ladies' 75c Wool Undervests.....Reduced to 55c

Finest and Cheapest Vests in Town. Cheaper grades similarly reduced in price.

Men's $1.00 Shirts and Drawers.....reduced to 75c
Men's 75c Shirts and Drawers.....reduced to 55c
Handkerchiefs—2 for 5c and up to 25c each.

JUST RECEIVED—A Holiday line of Ladies and Children's Lined Kid Mitts and Gloves, from 50c to 85c.

Wool Tam O'Shanters, in various colours, only 23c.

Remember C. G. Gemmell's Removal Sale Now Going on at 325 George Street, Opposite Market Building.

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FARMERS ...AND... FARMERS' SONS!

We are compiling a long list of Farms for Sale, to Exchange or Rent which we intend to advertise extensively and to do so free of charge, unless we sell, exchange or rent, when our regular and reasonable commission will be charged.

Call on us for anything you want in Real Estate in town or country.

Our office in block next to Post Office will be open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

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Heartburn, Sick Headache, and all Stomach Troubles,

POSITIVELY CURED BY

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Ask your Druggist for them.

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FAT MAN—"Hello, there skinny! Have you given your Holiday Order for CALCUTT'S beefy Ale or Porter?"

SLIM MAN—"Yes, sir, I've thrown physic to the dogs, and started off on Calcutt's prescription. Going to fatten up for 1897, you bet."

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Real Estate, Insurance and Employment Office.

Good value in houses, lots and farms to sell, rent or exchange. Insurance in good companies and at low rates.

A Splendid Brick House, Furnace, Bath Double Lot, Stable, Nice Situation. $3600.

Good 2-story Brick House, nine Rooms, Good Garden, Spruce and Maple Trees. $1,350.

Telephone 253. Rents Collected.
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Are made with special reference to the needs of Canada's daughters. Fits you like a glove and you like to wear it. Sold by R. FAIR, 328 George St. eodw

Retiring From Business.

CLEARING SALE OF MILLINERY.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

CHILDREN'S BONNETS, FANCY HOODS, CAPS AND MUFFS.

which will be sold much below cost. A number of PATTERN HATS and BONNETS to be sold at half price. This is a rare chance for Ladies to get the newest and most stylish goods at half the regular price. Come early and secure bargains as the goods must be sold.

MRS. CASSIDY

433 George Street.

Two Doors north of Examiner Office.

Good New Year's Groceries.

Do you want good things for your Family Table?

We have the best. We have selected fine lines for this season, with an experience of many years behind us as to what is desired.

Superb Fruits, Jellies, Sauces, Candies, etc. Staple lines of the best grades.

We fill orders promptly.

THE T. W. ROBINSON CO.

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NEW YEAR'S DAINTIES —AT— PHILP & CO'S

Fruit, Oyster, Game and Confectionery Store.

Every nook and corner of the store filled with the most desirable things for Christmas.

Valencia Oranges	Canned Delicacies
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New Lemons	Filberts, Almonds
Spanish Grapes	Fine Confectionery
Luscious Figs	Apples, Bananas
Toothsome Dates	English Walnuts
Crosse & Blackwell's Specialties	
Cranberries	Sea Salmon, etc.
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Xmas Oysters Selects—cans or bulk.

The very Choicest Lines of **Chocolates, Creams and Confectionery.**

All new—all fresh—just opened out.

Glad to see all old friends and many new ones!

Come and get a bunch of English Holly with your purchases.

376 George St., Phone 18.

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DEALERS IN RELIABLE

HARD AND .. SOFT **COAL**

Of all Sizes.

Office and Yard—At the Elevator, west of Railway track, Ashburnham. 'Phone 255.

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Only Best Goods.

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Handsome New Year Gifts both sensible and attractive are found in our stock of tableware.

—Pearl Handle Dessert Sets,
—Fish Sets,
—Coffee Spoons,
—Ice Cream Forks,
—Berry Spoons,
—Gravy Ladles,
—Cream Ladles,
—Pepper Dusters,
—Salt Cellars,
—Cheese Scoops,

And hundreds of other choice things. New patterns and splendid value.

CLARKE & GIBSON

Jewelers & Silversmiths

Hunter St, Opposite Post Office

NEWS FROM OTTAWA

The City and Taxation of the Government.

POINTERS FROM THE OLD COUNTRY

London County Council Had a Lot of Information to Give—Edinburgh and Dublin Also Send Replies—No Special Inducements to Armenian Immigrants—Notes.

Ottawa, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—The corporation of Ottawa proposes to present as strong a case as possible to the Dominion Government in asking for a new arrangement of the financial contribution to the municipal exchequer. Communications have been sent to the principal capitals in the empire and the replies are well calculated to help Ottawa's case. To-night three replies were presented to the City Council from London, Dublin and Edinburgh. Further communications are expected shortly from the Australian and South African colonies. The communication from the clerk of the London County Council says:

"In reply to your letter of the 12th ult., asking for information with regard to the financial relations between London and the Imperial Government, and whether the Government makes any contribution towards services of a municipal character, I have pleasure in forwarding the following particulars on the subject:

"Under the Local Government Act, 1888, the metropolis, the extent of which is about 120 square miles, and which includes within its boundary the city of London, an area of only one square mile, was made a county of itself, but the city of London is comparatively unaffected by the act, and no contribution to the funds of the corporation is made by the Government. I assume, however, that your letter has reference to the County of London, in respect of which the Government makes payments to the council from (a) the receipts from the local taxation, licenses for game dogs, guns, auctioneers, tobacco, carriages, hawkers, pawnbrokers, armorial bearings, etc.; (b) the estate duty; (c) beer and spirit duties. These grants are made to each county in England and Wales and in substitution for annual local grants, which, prior to the passing of the Local Government Act, 1888, were paid out of the Imperial Exchequer to local authorities in aid of local rates. The council is required to pay from the moneys thus received certain sums for the following purposes: Teachers in poor law schools, public vaccinators, registrations of births and deaths, pauper lunatics, poor law medical officers, metropolitan police. The estimated amount receivable under these heads for the year 1896-7 is: Local taxation licenses, £425,000; estate duty, £375,000; total, £803,000.

"Amounts payable direct through the Local Government Board: Metropolitan police, £511,620; revising barristers' costs (County Electors' Act, 1888,), £1,-275,512 5s 5d; beer and spirit duties, £290,895. The council receives the residue of these duties after $150,000 has been deducted in aid of the police superannuation fund (£171,000); total amounts receivable, £402,105. The council also receives a contribution of £10,000 per annum from the Government towards the expenses of the fire brigade and about £3600 per annum towards industrial schools. In addition to the above contributions from the Imperial Exchequer, the Government also assists local taxation by paying rates on the property which it holds in the various parishes and upon an assessment decided upon by the Government valuer."

The Town Clerk of Edinburgh replies as follows: "The Lord Provost has handed me your letter of the 16th inst., and I reply to the questions you put to His Lordship as follows:

"1. The Government pays no city taxes.

"2. They give a contribution, however, in lieu of rates. I may mention that last year on a rental of £20,000 a contribution of £2311 7s 3d was allowed.

"3. They pay no sum whatever in respect of the services specified in your third query."

Town Clerk of Dublin: *Referring* to your letter of the 16th instant, addressed to Lord Mayor, I have much pleasure in replying as follows:

1. Government property in the city of Dublin is exempt from rating.

2. The Government, however, makes a contribution or grant to the corporation in respect of such property equivalent to the amount that would be payable if the property were rated in the usual way. They respect the domestic water rate, and pay for the water by meter, that is, at a fixed rate per 100 gallons.

3. The city rates, towards which the above mentioned contribution is made, are applied to the maintaining and improvement of streets, public libraries, the fire brigade, etc. The police force here is controlled by the Government, and not by municipal authorities.

These replies are considered of the most favorable character.

The Free Press, commenting on this subject to-night, says: "A Hamilton paper alludes to Montreal, Toronto and Ottawa as making an attack upon the public treasury. So far as the two first-named cities are concerned, the statement is untrue and preposterous. Demands have been made for money for local purposes, which cannot, in our opinion, be considered by the Government. The preposterous Cabot scheme got up in Toronto is a case in point. The proposed International Exhibition, also a very shadowy scheme, is another. But Ottawa has made no demands on the public treasury, much less attacks. The justice and desirableness of the Government contributing something to the municipality has been argued, and reasonably, that is all."

The Government does not propose to offer any special inducement to Armenians to settle in Canada. An Order-in-Council has been passed, dealing with the suggestion that the Canadian Government should furnish funds to transport a number of Armenians to the Dominion, setting forth that there was no appropriation for assisting emigrants to Canada, and that in view of the difference of climate in Canada and Turkey, it might not be in the interests of the Armenians themselves to bring them to Canada; at the same time it was pointed out that private companies and individuals under the existing law could take land and homestead it in the Northwest. Copies of the Land Act and other information were attached to the Order-in-Council sent to Mr. Chamberlain.

The Fisheries Department has been advised of the formation of a company in Newfoundland for the purpose of prosecuting the whale fishery on the coasts of Labrador and Newfundland. For several years past a very profitable whale fishery has been prosecuted on the coasts of Norway and Iceland by small steamers, each armed with a heavy harpoon gun and bombs. The same species of whales abound on the coasts of Canada, Newfoundland and Labrador. It is proposed to bring first steamers and the equipment, together with trained gunners, from Norway, but the other officers and crews will be obtained in Newfoundland. Mr. Adolphe Neilsen, himself a Norwegian, who has been superintendent of fish culture in Newfoundland for some years, will be the head of the new concern. Captain Spain, commandant of the fisheries protection-fleet, is inclined to think that the new company, if well managed, will have a lucrative return for its investment. He has seen many whales off our coasts during the past few years.

Mr. George Johnson, Dminion Statistician, a few years ago published an interesting little brochure, "An Alphabet of First Things in Canada." Two editions have run out of print and now Mr. Johnson is at work on a third edition, being work up to date.

Nominations for Separate school trustees took place to-day. A By Ward meeting there was considerable excitement, Trustees Moffat and Mr. Boileau exchanging blows. A police court case may be the outcome.

Manitoba fish dealers complain that, with large stocks of frozen fish on hand, they are not able to ship to the eastern market on account of the mild weather. Their storehouses are filled with a supply which cannot be got rid of till the weather makes it possible to get it off east.

The Controller of Customs will spend New Year's day at his home.

Sir Richard Cartwright will return to Kingston.

Hon. R. W. Scott and Hon. L. H. Davies left for Montreal this afternoon.

Sir Adolphe Caron says that Sir Charles Tupper will return to Ottawa about the end of next week. Till then there will be nothing further done in the way of party organization, as in fact this has all stood over till his return.

Hon. Clifford Sifton left for Toronto to-night.

The sub-committee of the Council of the D.R.A. has decided to recommend one set of plans for the proposed Bisley building as coming within the requirements of the conditions, both as regards appearance and cost.

The City Council to-night presented a Collegiate Institute boy, Douglas Lyon, with a gold watch for attempting to save the lives of two boys on the Rideau Canal last month.

MR. E. W. HARLETT, Reeve of Chatham Township, Kent County, Ont., says: "My daughter has been very weakly for some years; she was very pale and always felt tired; she was prevailed upon by a friend to try a box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills. I must say it was a good investment; she at once began to improve. The colour came to her cheeks, she got stronger rapidly, and now is quite well." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Holiday trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea:—

Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Chiffon Collars and Neckwear
Veilings and Nettings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c.
Cloth for a Mantle
Winter Jackets
Winter Underwear
New Corsets
Lace and Embroidery

No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

MISSES CAHILL

493 George Street.

THE BEAUTIFUL STAR.

The wise men came out of the east,
Following the beautiful star,
And the camels they rode
Were weighed down with their load
Of spices and gold from afar.

They came to Jerusalem's gate,
And a message to Herod dispatched
Saying, "Tell us the news
Of the King of the Jews,
Whose wonderful birth star we've watched."

King Herod sprang up in alarm,
And the seventy summoned at morn,
And demanded of them,
"O King, Bethlehem,"
They replied, "is where Christ shall be born."

So the wise men to Bethlehem came,
Still following the beautiful star,
And they laid at the feet
Of the Christ Child so sweet
Their spices and gold from afar.

Then they reverently worshiped him there,
Though a rude manger cradled the boy,
And gave thanks to the Lord
For fulfilling his word,
And returned to their country with joy.

And the low bending heavens rang out,
While the thrilling, seraphic refrain
Filled the earth like a flood—
"Glory be unto God,
And on earth peace, good will unto men!"
—Chicago Inter Ocean.

So thorough is the excellence of Ayer's Hair Vigor that it can be used with benefit by any person, no matter what may be the condition of the hair, and, in every case, it occasions satisfaction and pleasure, in addition to the benefit which invariable comes from its use.

To remove worms of all kinds from children or adults Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe and sure remedy.

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That proves you've bought the best thread sold in the market.

CLAPPERTON'S MACHINE SIX CORD 30 COTTON

CLAPPERTON'S THREAD

Is strong, even, and does not snarl. It is sold at same price as other kinds that do not give as much satisfaction.

MRS. G. VINETTE'S HAIR PREPARATION

Cures Baldness, Grey Hair, Irritation of Scalp, Eczema, Removes Dandruff, Restores Grey Hair to Natural Color, Stops Falling Out, &c. Guarantee in all cases. References if required.

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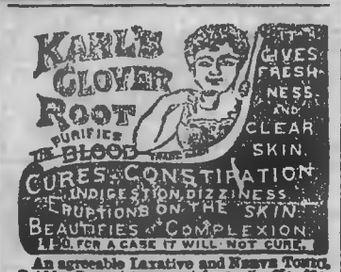

An agreeable Laxative and Nerve Tonic. Sold by Druggists or sent by mail, 25c., 50c. and $1.00 per package. Samples free.

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THIS GREAT COUGH CURE promptly cures where all others fail. For Consumption it has no rival; has cured thousands, and will CURE YOU, if taken in time. Price 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00.

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New Year's Gifts

—AT THE—

CITY CLOTHING STORE

We have in stock a handsome assortment of very stylish—very fashionable NECKWEAR—THE VERY LATEST THINGS OUT—and other lines of Gentlemen's Furnishings, suitable for New Year's Gifts:—

New Year's Silk Neckwear
New Year's Silk Scarfs
New Year's Silk Handkerchiefs
New Year's Silk Suspenders
New Year's Silk Umbrellas
New Year's Kid Gloves
New Year's Lined Mitts
New Year's Dress Shirts
New Year's Collars and Cuffs
New Year's Fine Underwear

We do as well for the YOUTHS and BOYS as we do for the Men. We go in this week for Lower Prices than ever as we want to sell the whole of our Holiday Stock this week. We are thankful for the confidence and continued patronage of the public, and take this opportunity of wishing all the Compliments of the Season.

H. Le Brun & Co.

SKATES!

Favourite styles—popular prices—including a lot of Spring Skates at less money. See our Hockey Skate with Improved Reinforced Front and Heel, guaranteed against breakage.

HOCKEY CLUB STICKS.

We are right in line with the newest puck-blocking and goal capturing Hockey Sticks of the season. Come and see them, boys.

MICKS & COX

Hunter St., Nearly Opposite the Post Office.

Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue business in his own name in future.

W. G. FOWLER

Begs to announce to all his old customers and the public generally that he has bought out the business formerly carried on by W. G. FOWLER & CO., and has put in a full and complete stock of

New Groceries, Sugars, Fruits,

And other staple lines. As I intend to carry on a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS in future, I will sell all goods at the CLOSEST CASH PRICES. You can now get the Cheapest Christmas Groceries in town at

W. G. FOWLER'S,

159 Hunter Street.

DECORATIONS.

FLAGS AND BUNTING

Decorations of any and every kind done in the most artistic manner by practical men and at the most reliable prices. Flags and Mottoes to rent. Carpet Coverings or Dancing Linen to Rent. Folding Tables to Rent. A few Carnival Suits to Rent, at

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The Tent, Awning and Flag Makers, George St., Peterborough. Telephone 180 or 215.

EDWIN ELCOME,

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Dealer in Eyes, Artificial Leaves and Frosting also Importer of Foreign Birds and Skins from all countries.

Birds, Animals, Fish and Snakes Stuffed and Mounted in and out of cases in the best life-like style at Lowest Prices. DEER HEADS a specialty. A stock of foreign and native birds always on hand for sale.

Residence—178 Harvey Street, Peterborough.

SELECT YOUR

New Year's Box

IN ADVANCE and let it be a

MASON & RISCH PIANO

This was the favourite New Year's Box among the cultured last season and promises to be so again this year. Select your Piano in time as the finest go first. Only one standard for tone and touch and that the highest.

Special Cases in English Oak, Satin Wood, Burl, Mahogany, Rosewood and Walnut.

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1897

Will issue Round Trip Tickets for

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE

Going December 31 and January 1st, Return until January 2, 1897.

Single First-Class Fare and One Third.

Going December 30 and 31, and January 1st, Return until January 4, 1897.
To all stations in Canada, Windsor, Sault Ste. Marie, Fort William and East.

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Special Excursion Fares

TO ALL POINTS IN CANADA.

1896--CHRISTMAS--1896

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE

Going December 24th and 25th, 1896, returning December 26th, 1896.

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Going December 23rd to 28th 1896 inclusive, returning January 4th, 1897.

1897--NEW YEAR'S--1897

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Going December 31st, 1896, and January 1st, 1897, returning not later than Jan. 2nd, 1897.

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SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE AND ONE-THIRD to Teachers and Students on surrendering standard form of School Certificate. Tickets to be issued December 11th to 24th, 1896 inclusive, valid to return not later than January 11th, 1897. For full particulars apply apply to

GEO. J. HORKINS, or WM. HAYDEN,
City Agt., Bradburn's Block Depot Agt.

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To do your Decorating for Christmas and New Years.

Decorate your Homes, Halls, Dining-rooms, Bedrooms, Club-rooms and Hotels.
I can furnish Flags, Bunting, Mottoes, etc., and do your Decorating in an artistic manner at a trifling cost.

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Family reunions at this season of the year furnish good opportunities for Photographing Groups before the members of the family have become scattered again.

All kinds of Photographic Work—Guaranteed best quality. Portraits of all styles and sizes. Large Family Groups. Children given Special Attention. ENLARGEMENTS.

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Visitors welcome. We have facilities and appliances to enable us to meet all demands.

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SKATING TICKETS

SEASON 1896-7.

The rink is now open for skating forenoons afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies	$2 00
For Gentlemen	3 00
For Girls	1 50
For Youths	2 00
For Boys	1 50

FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each addition 1 member half rates.
Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

Liquor Act Notice.

INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough with the bona fide name and address of the sender, will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO COCHRANE,
License Inspector West Peterborough

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Will Not be a Barrier

to the enjoyment of elegant Goods during this Final Winding-up Sale of ours.

There is a kind of revolt going on in the goods. The bear is among the merchandise. He makes prices dance downwards for the benefit of consumers, like this :—

UNDERSKIRTS.

Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.00, now $ 75
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.25, now 1 00
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $1.75, now 1 25
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $2.00, now 1 40
Ladies' Underskirts..... were $3.50, now 2 50

KID GLOVES.

Lacing Gloves..... were $0.75, now $ 60
Lacing Gloves..... were $1.00, now 75
Perrin Freres, 4 button, bourbon quality, in black and colour d..... were $1.00, now 0 75
Perrin Frere, 7 Stud Lacing Gloves in black and coloured..... were $1.25, now 1 00
4 Button Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves ..... were $1 25, now 1 00
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.20, now 15c
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.30, now 0 20
Cashmere Gloves..... were $0.35, now 0 25
Handkerchiefs at cost.
Veilings at cost.
Laces at cost.

HOSIERY.

Black Cashmere Hose..... were 30c, now 20c
Higher Grades at Cost.
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 20c, now 15c
Heavy Wool Hose..... were 25c, now 20c

To save a third or more on goods you want at this particular season of the year, is like finding that much money.

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Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Probabilities.

Northwest to northeast winds; fair, turning colder.

Suitable.

What more suitable for a Holiday present than one of China Hall's lovely $10.00 dinner sets?

Last Week.

Come and see our big bargains in watches, jewelry, silverware and fancy goods. All goods guaranteed as represented. Private sale all day long. MYERS BROS., Prop.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Bicycle Competition.

Fairweather & Co's. bicycle competition closes this evening, and the handsome wheel which has been on exhibition in their window will be awarded as stated in their advertisement in another column.

Riverside Skating Rink.

This rink is now open and is in excellent shape for skating. The price of season tickets has been placed at: Gentlemen, $1; ladies, 75c; children, 50c. This rink covers an area of over an acre, and a skate here can be thoroughly enjoyed.

Photographs Taken on New Year's.

Mr. G. R. Whiten's studio will be open to-morrow, New Year's Day. Parties wishing sittings, especially families, clubs and other groups, will find this a convenient opportunity. Kindly come as early as possible. Hunter street entrance, opposite Oak Hall.

Skating on the Lake.

The lake is in first class condition. Don't forget to come and skate to-morrow, and also make it one of your first good resolutions for the new year to get your groceries from E. BROWN & Co.; best always on hand. Also fresh fish every day. Don't forget the address.—E. BROWN & Co., 304 George street.

Preferred the Drink.

A citizen this morning met a tramp, who asked him for a quarter, saying that he had not tasted oysters for five years. The quarter was handed over and a few minutes later the citizen met the tramp coming out of a saloon wiping his lips.

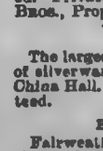
"I thought you wanted to buy oysters with that quarter!" said the citizen.

"Well, sir, you see, I happened to remember that I hadn't tasted whiskey for seven years, so I preferred the drink."

A Pair of Jacks.

Next Tuesday night a great treat is in store for the theatre going people of Peterborough, Manager Bradburn having booked, for one night only, the great musical farce comedy, "A Pair of Jacks." This attraction is one of the best that it is possible to find, and will, no doubt, meet with a grand reception on their appearance here. The company are now playing in Toronto, where the papers of yesterday spoke in glowing terms of the play. Don't forget the date, Tuesday night, January 5th. Seats on sale to-morrow. 1d

Debate and Concert.



The Catholic Literary Association intend holding their opening debate in their hall, George street, on Tuesday, January 5th. The subject of discussion will be: Resolved,—"That the Canadian Senate should be Abolished." L. R. Keogh and O. Leplante will represent the affirmative, and Mr. J. Kenny and J. F. Thompson, of Toronto, will represent the negative. A first-class musical programme will also be presented. Admission 25 cents. 2d182

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

Miss May Huebeck Receives a Handsome Silver Service.

A pleasant affair took place last night in St. Andrew's school room after the prayer meeting service. The pastor on behalf of the Session, read the following address to Miss May Heubeck, who is about leaving town to take up her residence in Chicago.

To Miss May Huebeck:

DEAR MISS HUEBECK,—We have learned with mingled feelings of pleasure and regret of your proposed departure from among us. We rejoice with you because you rejoice, and yet we regret that after years of loyal, faithful and devoted service with us, we are now called upon to loose one who had secured the admiration and esteem of officers and members. On behalf of the congregation, the Session and Managers of St. Andrew's desire to express their heartiest appreciation of your services in the choir and young Peoples' work, and as you have been a blessing to us we pray that heaven's choicest blessings may follow you into the new relationship that you are soon, in the providence of God, to form, and we sincerely hope and pray that you may be long spared to labour in the service of your Lord and Master in that same spirit of meekness and humility that has characterized you in the past.

JAMES G. POTTER, Pastor.
ROBERT TULLY, JAMES GARROW, JAMES PETRIE, ALEXANDER STEWART, WILLIAM FOWLER, R. W. BELL, M.D., J. D. TULLY, JOHN STANGER, A. MCFARLANE, TOS. FITZGERALD, F. W. GLADMAN. } Session.
G. W. MULLIGAN, Choirmaster. } Board of Managers.

After the reading of the address, Dr. R. W. Bell in a few words spoke in glowing terms of the faithful service rendered by Miss Heubeck. In times of difficulty and need she had been found ready and most willing to stand by the officers of the church, and consequently they were led to feel that in Miss Heubeck's departure they were losing a valued assistant. He then, in the name of the congregation presented Miss Huebeck with a case of silver, comprising table, tea, dessert and coffee spoons, tomato server, lobster forks, fruit forks and silver spoon basket.

Mr. G. W. Mulligan, on behalf of the choir, spoke of the great pleasure it gave him to testify to the excellent disposition of Miss Huebeck, and in his experience of ten years as a choir leader, he never met a more faithful and willing assistant.

Miss Huebeck then replied in feeling language to the kind things that had been said, and expressed her deep gratitude for the way in which the appreciation of the people had been shown, and in closing begged the prayers of the congregation on her behalf.

Refreshments were then served, and after a social hour, a pleasant meeting was brought to a close.

MR. AND MRS. ED. BROWN HANDSOMELY REMEMBERED.

Presented With Handsome Souvenirs by the Staff of E. Brown & Co.

This afternoon Mr. E. Brown, of the firm of E. Brown & Co., while he was comfortably discussing his dinner, was surprised by a messenger despatched by the staff of the firm. The staff, in recognition of the past prosperous year of business and a year of courteous and kindly treatment, sent Mr. Brown a handsome gold-headed cane and to keep it company, a dozen of gold bowled silver coffee spoons for Mrs. Brown. Mr. Brown is very highly pleased with this evidence that it pays to deal fairly and liberally with his employees and wishes to take this means of publicly acknowledging the graceful action on the part of his staff. At the same time it argues on the part of the employees a very proper degree of interest in the business, whose prosperity they are engaged to advance.

T. Fitzgerald's Wood and Coal Yard.

All customers kindly leave orders at once and avoid the rush Thursday, as I cannot deliver Christmas Day.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Have You Seen it?

The little store around the corner south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 428 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—MRS. APPLEBY. dw

Take Notice.

This is the last week of the Auction Sale, where you can buy goods at your own price. Auction Sale to-night at 7.30 o'clock. Everything must be sold. Goods of all classes. No reserve. MYERS BROS., Proprietors, Chas. Stapleton, Auctioneer, opposite Cox & Davis', George street, Newton's old stand.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

Egg, Stove or Chestnut.....$5 50 per ton
No. 3 Nut..... 5 00 "
Anthroxolite ..... 4 50 "
Pea..... 3 50 "
Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 239 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

AUCTION SALE.

Horse and Buggy or Cutter will be offered at 10 a. m., Saturday next, on Market Square; good driver. Owner has no further need. CHAS. STAPLETON, Auctioneer.

A Very Fine
OLD CANADIAN
WHISKY,
$3.50 per gallon at
ALEX. ELLIOTT'S.

Do You use a Diary?

Now's the time to secure the particular kind you prefer. The Peterborough Bookstore has a splendid assortment of office and pocket diaries for 1897, from the smallest to the largest made, in all forms and styles, with memorand spaces for each day, varied and arranged for all kinds of business. If you want to begin the year with a new set of account books, see our new stock before buying. We have a very superior line of account books, specially bound for the Peterborough Bookstore by THE EXAMINER Printing Company, in which the paper, binding and ruling are exceptionally good and warranted for extra work and extra wear.—A. H. STRATTON & Co., 417 George street.

A Tribute to Mrs. Traill.

The Globe says: "Mrs. Traill of Lakefield, is still full of keen interest in all matters Canadian. She is now 95 years of age, and when she was lately elected honourary president of an historical society she at once set to work to write to a number of her Indian friends for historical records and articles of various kinds of older days, saying as she did so, 'I do not mean to be a figure head only.' The society referred to is the Peterborough Historical Society, and it is to the Indians of Hiawatha and the Rice Lake region, that she has written for relics. While we all appreciate such evidences of Mrs. Traill's interest, it is to be feared that Mr. David Boyle of Toronto, may resent anything like poaching on his prehistoric preserve.

A DECEMBER WEDDING.

Nuptials of Mr. John Anderson and Miss Eva Kindred.

The Temperance House, Hunter street, was, last evening, the scene of an exceedingly pretty wedding, when Miss Eva, third daughter of Mr. W. A. Kindred, was united in marriage to Mr. John C. Anderson, son of Mr. John Anderson, of Ashburnham.

The ceremony was performed, in the presence of about one hundred relatives and friends of the young couple, by Rev. W. R. Young, B.A., of the George street Methodist church, the bride being a member of the choir. The wedding march was played by Miss Florence Blewett, Hall's Bridge.

The pretty young bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming in a wedding costume of fawn tweed trimmed with old gold silk and gimp, and was assisted by her sister, Miss Etta, who was becomingly attired in a costume of Persian cloth with trimmings to match. Both carried beautiful bouquets. The duties of best man were satisfactorily filled by Mr. Bruce Anderson.

After the ceremony the gathering sat down to a sumptuous wedding supper in the dining hall, after which the young couple received the congratulations of all present.

Both young people, who are well and favourably known, received a large number of handsome presents, the Peter Hamilton Mfg. Co., of which Mr. Anderson is bookkeeper, adding a handsome present to the list.

During the evening the Fire Brigade Band (Mr. Anderson being an ex-member) serenaded the young couple. The evening was enjoyably spent by the gathering present in music and games, after which Mr. and Mrs. Anderson departed for their home, 487 Aylmer street.

THE SHEPPARD FAMILY.

The Parents Have Been Arrested and Brought to Town.

Last night at 11 o'clock Constable Cochrane brought in the Sheppard family—mother, father and three children, from the back country. The children were poorly clothed and in a generally unkempt condition. The investigation into the numerous complaints of neglect and desertion will not be held till Thursday next owing to the distance to be travelled in reaching witnesses. In the meantime through the kindness of the lady managers and the matron of the Protestant Home, the mother and children are placed there.

VETERANS OF 1837.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—In your report of a presentation to Mr. F. Edwards, of Douro, by the surveying staff of the T.V.C., you conclude by saying that Mr. Edwards and Mr. James Wasson, of town, are the only two living participants in the memorable march from Peterborough to Toronto in December, 1837. In this you are mistaken, as I know of at least one other survivor, who resides in Otonabee, near the village of Keene, and who has been a constant resident of the same place for about 75 years. I refer to Mr. William Howson. Mr. Howson is now 81 years of age, and, with the exception of being a little deaf, is hale and hearty. He is a capital hand to tell a story, and has entertained the writer many a time recounting the hardships and adventures of his early life, not the least interesting of which was his experience as a soldier in 1837. It was his duty to take charge of the prisoners captured on the route to Toronto, and there were quite a number of them, too, many of whom he thinks were arrested for very trivial offences.

I often notice you express a wish that more was known of the experiences, the hardships and privations, the sorrows and the joys (for they had their joys, too) of the early settlers of this country, and I as often wish that you could have a good week's chat with Mr. William Howson.

Yours truly,
G. H. B.

Peterborough Dec. 31st, 1896.

[At the time the EXAMINER wrote up the memorable march to Toronto, a few weeks ago the names mentioned in the paragraph referred to above were all that were then known. At the same time a request was made for others, if there were any, to leave their names at the EXAMINER office. The above is the first response we have had, and this afternoon Mr. Frederick Edwards, of Douro, who had been making inquiries, gave the names of three others, Mr. James Girvin, of Otonabee; Mr. John Torpey, Douro, and Mr. John Hendren, of Dummer.—[ED. EXAMINER.

PERSONAL

Miss Lillie Fitzgerald is spending a week or so in Toronto.

Mr. Geo. Gumpricht was in Lindsay on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sims, of the Montreal Bank, Lindsay, spent the day in town.

Miss Laura Dormer, of Mount Vernon, is visiting her parents, Brown street, Ashburnham.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shaw of Cairnduff, Manitoba, are visiting friends in Peterborough, their former home.

Mr. George H. Halpin has returned to Toronto after spending his Xmas holidays with his parents, hunter street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brown leave in the morning to take their New Year's dinner with Mr. Brown's mother in Port Hope.

Miss Helen Goldsmith of Belleville, daughter of Dr. Goldsmith, formerly of Peterborough, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Minnie O'Sullivan's many friends will be pleased to learn that an improvement in her very precarious condition is apparent.

Miss Maude Macfarlane left by this morning's early C. P. R. express for Winnipeg, where she will spend the winter.

Mr. Will Conger, who has been spending the Christmas week with his uncle, Mr. R. D. Conger, returned home to Belleville this morning.

Miss Sarah Robinson, daughter of Mr. T. W. Robinson, is visiting Miss Ethel Piper in Toronto. She will spend a month or so in the Queen City.

Mrs. R. M. Denniston was at home to several hundred of her friends in the Oddfellows' Hall last evening. A large number were present from out of town.

—The Lindsay Post says: Miss Maud Landry, of Peterborough, spent her Xmas holidays visiting her parents in the south ward. She was accompanied by several other friends from the same town.

The EXAMINER has to thank Mr. J. W. Garvin for the gift, on behalf of the North American Life Assurance Company, of a copy of a beautiful and convenient pocket diary, with the Company's compliments.

In the account published yesterday of St. Andrew's Sunday school entertainment the name of Mr. John Laing was omitted, as having participated in the programme. Mr. Laing's piano solo was greatly appreciated.

Windsor Salt

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

NEW YEAR'S DAY AT SPRINGVILLE.

Special Ordination and Induction.

In the Presbyterian church, Springville, on New Year's day at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. A. J. McMullen, late of St. Thomas, will be inducted into the pastorate of Springville and Bethany. At the conclusion of the induction ceremonies a tea and concert will be given, at which addresses will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Torrance and Rev. J. G. Potter, Peterborough, Rev. Mr. Johnston of Millbrook and others. The music of the evening will be supplied by the choir of St. Andrew's, Peterborough, under the leadership of Mr. G. W. Mulligan. There will also be readings and recitations. Admission to tea and concert, 25 cents. Peterborough people especially invited.

Ladies and Gentlemen, too, who desire to make a particularly happy hit in the way of a Present are advised to shop at MISS MELVILLE'S FANCY GOODS STORE, 424 George Street. Save you much thinking.

DIED.

O'NEIL.—In Peterborough, on Wednesday, December 31st, 1896, Minnie O'Neil, eldest daughter of Mr. John O'Neil, aged 20 years.

Funeral from the family residence, 19 Chamberlain street, on Saturday, January 2nd, 1897, at nine o'clock a.m.

GRAND RALLY!

MR. MOORE'S

Friends in the Mayoralty contest will meet at his Committee Rooms each evening this week at 7.30 o'clock p.m.

Rooms in Opera House Building, first turn to left from George street entrance, up stairs. (T. Hurley's late office.)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Robert Hall, of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Dry Goods Merchant, Insolvent.

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE ABOVE named has made an assignment to me under the Provisions of R. S. O. 1887, Chapter 124, of all his estate in trust for the general benefit of all his creditors.

A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby called and will be held at the office of Messrs. Stratton & Hall, in the Town of Peterborough, on **Thursday, the Seventh day of January, A. D. 1897, at 3 p.m.**, for the appointment of Inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate.

All the creditors of the said estate are hereby required to fyle their claims and prove their security on or before the date of said meeting. After the second day of February next I shall proceed to distribute said estate having regard only to such claims as I shall then have due notice of and proof and I shall not be held responsible for the assets of said estate nor any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim shall not then have been fyled.

W. A. STRATTON, Trustee.

STRATTON & HALL, Trustee's Solicitors.
Peterborough, December 30th, 1896. 5dm

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New term begins Jan. 4, 1897. Call at our office or write us for full particulars.

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"They are a Creation, They Do Not Grow."

To-day we show a fine line of these goods in "Silver Mounted" Congo woods — the "Prince of Wales" being the favourite pattern.

Prices will be from $1.00 to $2.00.

What a nice idea for a Gentleman's Present.

To help the overtaxed pocket of Christmas shoppers we place on sale in our window a fine assortment of Christmas Novelties in

—Rings
—Bangle Pins
—Bracelets
—Enamel Spoons
—Gold Chains
—Gold Spectacles, &c.

These Goods will be offered at prices that can not help but sell them.

McClelland
388 GEORGE STREET.

The Peterborough Bookstore.

417 GEORGE STREET, December 29th, 1896.

From Now Till New Year

Clearing Prices will prevail at this store. We ask Shoppers who have not yet made their purchasers for New Year Presents to go carefully through the following Price List.

These are days when forgotten things come to light. Selling at a loss the things we don't want to carry into the New Year. Our store will be still found packed with Holiday Plums. All left over from our great Xmas trade, will be sacrificed regardless of loss.

50 Leather Ladies' Writing Folios at 20 per cent. reduction.
50 Leather Gentlemen's Travelling Companions at 20 per cent. reduction.
200 Copies Assorted Prayers and Hymns, A. and M., at 20 per cent. discount.
10 Pocket Bibles, Yapped Leather Binding, 75c, for 50c.
25 Pocket Bibles, Ruby type References, Yapped leather binding, indexed $1.25, for 85c.
50 Copies Teachers' Bibles, (a traveller's samples) at 10 per cent. less than wholesale prices.
Catholic Prayer Books 20 per cent. reduction.
Windsor Newton's Oil Colours 8c. per tube.
Reeve's Best Canvas, $1 per yard for 75c.
Feather Party Fans in Pink, Blue and White $1, for 75c.
Feather Party Fans in Pink, Blue and White $2, for $1.50.
2 copies Girl's Own Annual $2, for $1.25.
All the Popular Poets in good leather binding $1.25, for 90c.
All the Popular Poets in padded leather binding, $1.50, for $1.10.
Pansy and Elsie Series Books 35c, for 20c.
Annie Swan Series Books 50c, for 38c.
100 Assorted Books for old and young 75c, for 35c.
100 Assorted Books for old and young 50c, for 25c.
Standard Sets of Dickens, Scott, Lytton and Thackeray, at Clearing Sale Prices.
Silk Fans, hand painted $1, for 75c.
Silk Fans, hand painted $1.50, for $1.15.
Silk Fans, hand painted $2, for $1.50.
6 Music Racks Racks, worth $1, for 75c.
3 Music Racks, worth 75c, for 50c.
3 Brush and Comb Sets in Celluloid $1.50, for $1.20.
3 Shaving Cases in Celluloid, $1.35 for $1.
2 Manicure Sets in Celluloid $3, for $2.25.
Assorted Purses, 3 different kinds, worth 35c, choice for 22c.
Assorted Purses, 3 different kinds, worth 60c and 75c, choice for 50c.
Lizard Skin Purses worth $1, for 75c.
Lizard Skin Purses, silver mounted, worth $1.25 for $1.
The Prettiest Doll for the least money.
The Best Game for the least money.
Get your Diary for 1897.
Do you want the "Globe" Almanac? Speak now.
What about your Account Books for 1897. Remember we keep the best for the least money.

A. H. STRATTON & CO

417 George Street.

OUR PRICES, LIKE THIS LINE, ARE AT THE BOTTOM.

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'Y.

WISH THEIR MANY CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS....

"A Happy and Prosperous New Year."

In this our closing announcement for the year 1896, we have very great pleasure in wishing all our customers and friends a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

It is gratifying to us to find the number of our customers steadily increasing, and to find a keen appreciation on the part of the general public of our efforts to give them an assortment of High-Class Goods at the lowest living profits, equal to that found in any city store.

It is now four years since we adopted the cash system which is the system adopted by nearly all the foremost stores of the Dominion, and the steady increase in our business is a proof that this is the only system at the present time by which a business man can treat all his customers alike. Our aim has been to serve you promptly and well.

By our connection with the Great Glasgow and Canadian Syndicate we are enabled to buy from manufacturers all over the world, at prices that cannot be repeated by any house outside this syndicate.

Thanking you one and all for your liberal patronage during the year just closing and soliciting your trade for the New Year.

We are Yours, Respectfully

Hall Gilchrist & Co

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Trousers..... $3, $4, $5

Suits..... $12, $14, $16

Double Breasted Ulsters $12, $13, $15.

Handsome Ties and Braces for the Xmas trade.

ROBERT WEIR

Issuer of Marriage Licenses. Arrangements made to meet the wishes of those desiring same. 422 George St., North of Post & McWhinnie.

Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY. DECEMBER 31, 1896.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Council meeting to-night—the last of the year.

—This is the time when electors should put on their thinking caps.

—Mayor Smith has been re-elected in Lindsay by acclamation.

—Jack Butler was allowed to go on suspended sentence this morning by the magistrate on a charge of larceny.

—This appears to be the regular January thaw. It is to be hoped that it will not last the usual week. This is the fourth day.

—The prettiest children's wool coats and bonnets to match, in town are on sale at Mrs. Appleby's fancy goods store, 426 Water street. 3d152

—Messrs. Sam Ray and John Stanger were out on a fox hunting expedition yesterday, but did not have the pleasure of a chase. A couple of rabbits were secured.

—Eighty-five hundred dollars, the whole profit for last season of the Imperial House of Commons kitchen, has been invested by the committee in a stock of claret. Evidently the Imperial House is not on the prohibition ticket yet.

—Merchants are taking advantage of the soft spell to give their windows one more wash before the winter finally sets in. Peterborough merchants are noted for their fine windows and the way they display their goods in them. Visitors to town always remark on this fact.

—There were seventy nominees for municipal honours in Lindsay, but for some reason so many declined that one seat in the council will have to go begging for an occupant, and another nomination will have to take place. In Toronto there were only 77 nominees. Lindsay is doing well.

—J. M. Barrie, the novelist, visited a girls' college in the south recently, and was asked by one of the young ladies to write in her album. This is what he wrote: "Beware of a pale woman with a large appetite." Nobody has yet been able to find out what Barrie meant, though hundreds have racked their brains over the mystery. Possibly that's just what Barrie intended.

—For the second time within a year the presidency of Levana society, of Queen's University, has become vacant through the incumbent resigning to enter the state of matrimony. The president who held office up to within a few days ago, will wed a minister stationed at Merrickville. This ought to be an inducement to a number of other young ladies to take a course at Queen's and to aspire to the presidency of the Levana society.

—The Riverside Park skating rink, Ashburnham, has been reflooded. The ice looks as if it were a mirror, so clear, smooth and level is it. No doubt there will be hockeyists, skaters, and those about to become skaters, on the rink to-morrow afternoon and evening in large numbers. The rink will again be reflooded to-morrow morning. A commodious waiting room has been erected on the east side of the rink for ladies and others who patronize the rink. It will be well heated as well as lighted. Attendants will be on hand to adjust skates, and see after the little ones at all times. The open air rink should be well patronized as there is a full acre of ice.

Sizing up the Situation.

For the few remaining days of the year there will be bargains at Routley's fancy goods store, enough to loosen the purse-strings of a skinflint. Stock-taking will be going on while a continued slaughter of the goods is in progress. The less stock we have to take the better, and almost any offer will influence sales. Mr. Routley is is open to receive offers for his valuable houses and other town properties, particulars of which will be cheerfully given to all enquirers. C. B. ROUTLEY.

PLENTY

For New Year's Gifts.

Plenty of Nobby Neckwear,
Plenty of Pretty Suspenders,
Plenty of Silk Handkerchiefs,
Plenty of Silk Scarfs,
Plenty of Lined Kid Gloves,
Plenty of Linen Shirts and Collars,
Plenty of Dress Ties in Boxes.

A GUID NEW YEAR TO ANE AND A'.

Mercer's

HALL'S GLEN, DUMMER TOWNSHIP.

Rev. G. Warren, of Lakefield, Presented With an Address and Purse.

On Christmas evening the service of the Church of England was held in the Orange hall, at Hall's Glen, by the Rev. G. Warren, incumbent of the parish of Lakefield and Warsaw. Since the latter part of October the above service has been held almost weekly, and has been remarkably well attended, the people of the vicinity displaying great interest. The Orange Lodge very kindly gave the use of their hall; an act very much appreciated by the officiating clergymen. The services are held alternately by Rev. F. H. Hartley, of South Burleigh, and the Rev. G. Warren, of Lakefield. On Christmas evening, at the conclusion of Divine service, two lads, named Carveth and Dunford, stepped forward with an address, which was read to Mr. Warren before the assembled congregation. It was as follows:—

To the Rev. Geo. Warren:

The members of your congregation at Hall's Glen, recognizing the difficulty and hardship which you, as a faithful minister of Christ, have undergone in attending our services, desire at this festival season to show our appreciation of your unselfish labours on our behalf by more than mere words. Therefore we beg you to accept this purse, accompanied by our heartfelt prayers for your continued success here, and in the other congregation over which you preside.

Wishing yourself and family a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, we are

Yours sincerely,

THE CONGREGATION AT HALL'S GLEN.

Hall's Glen, Dec. 25th, 1896.

The two boys then handed the address to the clergyman, together with a purse containing $17.21. In a few words Mr. Warren expressed his surprise at so unexpected a gift, and his gratitude to the members of his congregation for the affection which prompted them to make it. He came among them as a minister of Christ, and was more than pleased to know that as such they received him.

The congregation then dispersed.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

The ice was very sticky at the rink last night, but nevertheless a couple of the rinks were occupied. The recent thaw has worked havoc with the fun of the skaters, as about half an inch of water covers the ice. Those of the curlers who tried their muscles by endeavouring to get the stones over the bog line, had plenty of fun and the results of the two games were as follows:

O B Shortly,	Herb Hall,
Geo Giroux,	R Kerr,
J S Kanpman,	C Rutherford,
Geo Brown, skip....16	J B Pentland... 13
Alf Terrill,	J Baptie,
A Blade,	H Snowden,
G Fitzgerald,	S Ray,
D Bellegham, skip..13	A McNeil, skip.....8

The meeting of the Thistles, which was to take place last night, was postponed until Monday, when skips will be chosen to play at the Lindsay bonspiel and in the Lindsay-Peterborough annual competition.

The Granites meet to-night at the rink to elect their skips for the above mentioned competitions.

The public are anxiously waiting to hear the announcement of one of the famous LaBrun-Brown games, which are always fraught with so much excitement.

No games for the brooms have been announced for this season as yet.

HOCKEY.

Mr. A. H. Beaton, secretary of the O.H.A., has, as requested, drafted a schedule for the Bay of Quinte League matches. Belleville, Trenton, Picton, Deseronto and Napanee will play. It is hoped that some of the stronger teams will join the O.H.A. next year.

AN ESTEEMED JOURNAL.

Friendly Appreciation of the "Witness Jubilee Year."

Under the above heading "Le Cultivateur," the paper of which the Hon. Mr. Tarte is editor, publishes the following item: "The year that is now drawing near to a close will remain a red letter day in the annals of the Montreal Witness as being the one in which the fiftieth anniversary of its foundation occurred. Since the month of December last the Witness did not pass a single week without devoting at least one page every Saturday to the celebration of its jubilee year, and the beauty of it is that the subscribers themselves have in every case furnished the elements for that weekly page. The historical or literary contributors were so much the more interesting that for the most part they referred to events contemporaneous with the foundation of the paper. If the public found a real intellectual treat in that original publication, the Witness itself must have found in the feeling which inspired it and nurtured it every week a very sweet consolation, that of knowing that it has the love of its readers, a love such as yet no other Canadian journal has been able to secure. That fact, now established beyond all doubt, is the greatest success which our worthy English confrere could have dreamed of fifty years ago for its golden wedding of 1896."

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Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

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running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled from end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

THE MAYORALTY CONTEST.

Both candidates in the mayoralty contest are actively working, and the electors have reason to put on their thinking caps and select the best man. But the majority, it seems, do not need to go through this mental process, for they have decided in favour of Mr. Yelland, who is without doubt the popular candidate in this contest.

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And with good reason. The workingmen of Peterborough remember that during Mr. Yelland's occupancy of the Mayor's chair, they have had a large amount of employment which they would not have had had not the work of sewerage construction been pushed.

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Mr. Yelland may be depended upon. He is, it is true, a plain and blunt everyday man, with the courage of his convictions. What he thinks is right he will do; what he thinks is wrong he will oppose.

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And he is capable of dealing with public affairs practically. He had risen in the world by the work of his own hands—by his own unaided effort. He is a specimen of the best type of workingman—one who has succeeded by dint of intelligently directed, and hard work. He can sympathise with the workingmen, he is easily approached by the electors whom he represents and they can always be sure of a civil answer.

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Mr. Yelland deserves the advantages that the custom of the past twenty years has accorded to a mayor who is elected after a contest. It would have been proper then in view of this custom to have allowed Mr. Yelland to be returned without opposition, unless some very grave and weighty acts forfeiting the public confidence could be laid to his charge. This cannot be done. His record is a good one; he has diligently looked after the business of the town, and been most attentive to his duties.

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That no serious charge can be brought against Mr. Yelland was shown at the nomination proceedings, when in default of anything of importance, the most petty and puerile charges were brought, showing that there was nothing serious against his record.

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It is claimed for Mr. Yelland's opponent in this contest as the first of the four reasons why he should be elected that he is "exceptionally well fitted to grace the mayor's chair." We are a plain practical people and the people who toil will not take much stock in in appeal to elect an ornamental mayor. We do not so much require a man to "grace" the mayor's chair, a man of good, strong, practical sense, who is in touch with the people, who can be approached by the humblest, and who does not move in a lofty atmosphere of "grace," inaccessible to ordinary mortals.

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We all look forward to a happy new year, and we shall have it in a civic sense by electing Mr. Yelland mayor.

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The town requires a good mayor for the year 1897. We shall have a good mayor in Mr. William Yelland, and no reasonable ratepayer can want any Moore.

MR. MIGHT'S STATEMENT.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—I am very sorry to find my name again in the public press in connection with the mayoralty contest, but I do not like the inference that may be drawn from the article in yesterday's EXAMINER with regard to a conversation between the mayor and myself. What statements I have made regarding the mayor's action I did not retract, but for the sake of principle and harmony, I consented to say no more about the matter, he agreeing to do the same. However, for other reasons, given Mr. Yelland yesterday, I have every intention of supporting W. H. Moore. Thanking you Mr. Editor, I remain

Yours truly,

W. MIGHT.

Peterborough, Dec. 31st, 1896

Compliments of the season to our many customers and friends.
GRAFTON & CO.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Cadadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

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Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $5.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for.. $3.00

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

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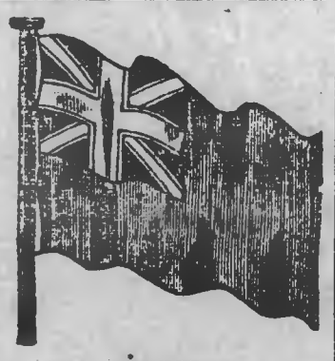
DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Dec. 31,—6.30 a. m.....27° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday.....	39°	34° above



—THE—

Mayoralty Contest.

MR. YELLAND'S COMMITTEE ROOMS.

The Committee Rooms of Mr. Yelland are over the Fur Store of Messrs. Lech & Sons, George Street, and will be open this evening and every evening thereafter till the close of the contest.

WM. YELLAND.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

Having again been honoured with a nomination as a candidate for Councillor in this ward I beg leave publicly to accept the nomination. I therefore respectfully solicit the vote and influence of the ratepayers of "the Banner Ward." If elected, I pledge myself to use my best efforts, as in the past, to protect the interests and promote the welfare of No. 1 Ward and of the whole town.

W. H. WHITE.

December 30th, 1896.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 2

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having offered my services as councillor for Ward No. 2, I respectfully solicit your votes on Monday next. I do not believe in going around town button-holing people for votes. I have been a builder and contractor in the town for over 20 years, so I think I am pretty well known. I leave to you the decision as to who shall be councillors for 1897.

Yours truly,

2d **H. CARVETH.**

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 2.

At the request of many citizens and ratepayers, those largely interested in the welfare and progress of the Town, I have accepted the nomination as a Councillor for No. 2 Ward. I shall be glad to receive your vote and influence. Possibly I may not be able to see you before the election day to personally solicit your vote, and state my intentions, but you can rest assured, that if elected by your kind support, I shall do all in my power, and in as economical manner as possible, to press forward the interests of Peterborough so as to make it one of the most important centres of business and manufacturing life in the Province of Ontario.

Hoping to be favoured with your hearty support, and wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,

Yours Truly,

A. L. DAVIS.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 4

Having been again requested to stand for councillor for this ward, I have accepted the nomination and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. My record, as one of your representatives in the council and my position in regard to the leading questions before the ratepayers, are well-known to you all. I am therefore quite willing to leave myself in your hands and to be judged accordingly. If elected I will continue to exercise the same care in future over the interests of the town as in the past, keeping in mind, principally, to encourage an economical and consistent policy in the management of our corporation affairs.

Your obdedient servant,

JOHN M. WHITE.

December 30th, 1896. 3d1w

Geo. Carton's

TABLE SUPPLY HOUSE.

CHOICE PORK SAUSAGES, 3 lb. for 25c,

Made from selected young Pork, nicely seasoned and very palatable.

Fresh Ribs, Fresh Hocks and Tenderlions, Fresh Oysters, Selects and Standards,

Always on hand. We invite you.

A. G. CHAMBERS, MANAGER.

BREAKFAST
Is the most enjoyable meal of the day when you drink
CHASE & SANBORN'S
SEAL BRAND COFFEE
FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS IN EACH CAN

GOOD RESOLUTIONS

FOR THE NEW YEAR.

FOR SMOKERS—Make up your mind to buy your Pipes, Tobaccos and Cigars, from TALBOT BROS., the Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough.

FOR ELECTORS—Make it a condition that all election bets on the Mayoralty for the Cigars, must be paid from TALBOT BROS., "A1" stock.

FOR NEW YEAR'S GIFTS—Make a bee-line for TALBOTS. We did a dandy Xmas business, but have replenished with newest Novelties in Cigar Cases, Pouches, Pipes, "B B B's" Silver Mounted, Smoker's Walking Sticks, Gold and Silver Mounted, &c.

OUR BIG 4 COMBINATION—Four Genuine 10c Cigars for 25c. Take your pick of these—The Rosebery, William Pitt, Dunraven, El Cello, Irving, Dias Garcias and the Chamberlain, the new popular 10c Cigar out.

A NEW MIXTURE—"Creme de la Creme"—finest, mildest, mellowest mixtures in the world.

Whole-sale and Retail Tobacconists, 383 George St., Sign of the Indian Queen. **TALBOT BROTHERS**

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—At the request of numerous ratepayers of Ward No. 1, to become a candidate for councillor, for 1897, I have decided to do so, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. Should you elect me for the position I will use my best judgment in all matters that may come before the council, but more especially in the interests of economy and retrenchment in public affairs. I will endeavour to explain my views personally to as many of the electors as possible before election day.

Yours respectfully,

THOMAS J. MOORE.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

Having been nominated for Councillor for Ward No. 1 for 1897 I beg leave to announce my acceptance of the nomination.

I take this opportunity of soliciting the support of the electors—the ladies as well as the gentlemen—and if elected the best interests of this ward and of the town at large will receive my careful attention.

Yours Respectfully,

WM. RUDKINS.

December 28th, 1896.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having received the honour of nomination as councillor, I hereby solicit your votes and influence to *placing me in the council for 1897. If you* do me this honour I pledge myself to use my best judgment and most diligent efforts to advance all the interests of this ward and of the town generally, and to insist on, as regid economy in civic expenditure as is consistent, with efficient management of the affairs of our progressive town.

I have the honour to be,

3d152 Your obedient servant,

CHARLES B. ROBERTSON.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1

At the request of many of the intelligent ratepayers of the ward to become a candidate for councillor I have consented to do so and would respectfully solicit the favour of your votes and support. Being a large property holder in the town, my interest in the honest management of municipal affairs should be a sufficient guarantee that I would always favour the most careful economy—at the same time exercising my best judgment in promoting the growth, progress and prosperity of the town.

Yours respectfully,

3d152 **NOAH T. LePLANTE.**

TO THE RATEPAYERS OF WARD NO. 2

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 29th, 1896.

Having been requested by a large number of influential ratepayers to allow myself to be nominated as a candidate for the councillorship, and believing that personal considerations should, if at all possible, be subordinated to public good, I respectfully solicit the votes of the ratepayers of No. 2 Ward. The very heavy demands of my business, (always abnormally large at this season of the year), will in a measure prevent my making a personal canvas, but if elected, I shall use every legitimate effort to further the interests of the town of Peterborough, and while endeavouring, as far as in my power lies, to oppose all useless expenditure, I shall as earnestly support every measure that may tend to build up the prosperity of the town, with which my interests are so closely connected.

I am, yours respectfully,

4d151 **H. NEILL.**

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 3.

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 29th, 1896.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—As you are doubtless aware by the newspapers, I have accepted nomination as candidate for Councillor for No. 3 Ward. In respectfully soliciting your vote and influence, I consider the position I seek of so great importance, that I should state my position, in definite form, upon some of the leading questions that should engage the attention of a representative in the council of Peterborough, and I shall *do so briefly.*

I believe that in the interests of the town, as well as those of the great bulk of the ratepayers, our taxes should be collected in two instalments. I would be in favour of so changing the system of assessment as to permit of the first instalment being collected early in the autumn and not later than the first of October, and the second instalment on or about the first of February following.

I will advocate, *if elected, the system of* performing, as far as practicable, all works required by the town by contract, based upon public tender, and that it be made a provision of every such contract that labouring men should be paid not less than $1.25 per day of nine hours. This seems to me to be only a measure of fair play, when we consider that no man can keep a family in comfort on less wages, especially in view of the fact, as a rule, not being in any way constant during the year.

I believe that the agreement with the Street Railway Company should be carried out, especially in respect of providing better street car facilities for the western portion of the town by extending the line so as to give readier access to the beautiful resort in the western part of the town—Jackson Park—and a corresponding benefit to the residents of the west, to enable them to reach George street more conveniently.

I shall feel it my duty, if honoured with a seat in the council, to employ every reasonable means to add to our already extensive list of large and important manufacturing industries. But while I am in favour of offering reasonable inducements, I shall oppose every proposition of granting large and burdensome bonuses. We have in our own Ward a sample industry that has grown to a position ranking with the best in Canada, unaided by monetary favours and relying solely on perserverance and well directed enterprise.

I believe that it will be the best economy in the end to adopt the practice of looking to permanency in the construction of our streets and bridges, as it must be apparent to all that *in the past a large proportion of* the large annual expenditure on our streets has been wasted by makeshift construction, necessitating constant repairs, and, of course, unsatisfactory results. At the same time the streets would be kept in a condition that would reduce to a minimum the danger of accident, for which the town would be responsible, and saving a large expenditure in lawsuits and for damages, besides causing inconvenience and suffering to ratepayers who have paid their taxes in good faith.

While it may be in the interests of the country at large that party government should be the rule, I believe that only evil can result from introducing party politics into the management of municipal affairs.

As it will be impossible between this and the day of polling for me to call personally upon every ratepayer in the ward, I trust that if I find it impossible to call upon you that you will see your way clear to giving me your vote and support, upon my assurance that in addition to what *I* have stated above, I shall, if selected, make the interest of the town my first study, and that I shall oppose everything that will not tend to the promotion of the interests of this ward, and the town at large.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, I have the honour to remain

Your Obedient Servant,

J. B. McWILLIAMS.

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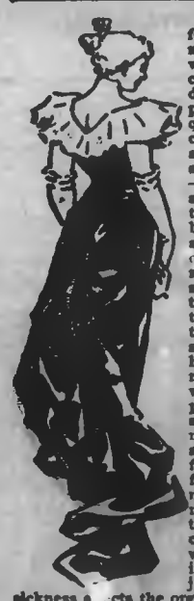

Is there any reason for dodging and ignoring a great and vital fact simply because a few prejudiced, misguided people have antiquated ideas of what constitutes morality and modesty? Reason and honesty say *—certainly not.* Men and women are attracted to each other because they are men and women and because it is right and necessary that they should be so attracted. The things that make a man attractive are the characteristics caused by his inherent manliness—by the strength which makes him a perfect man. The same is true of woman. There is strong attractiveness in perfect health. There is fascination and magnetism in it. A woman cannot be entirely womanly—she cannot be a perfect woman—if she is not in perfect health. In just so much as her sickness affects the organs that make her a woman, in just so much she loses attractiveness. This is the vital part of her health. If anything is wrong there, it may result in all manner of ills all over the body. Careless, or too busy, physicians frequently treat the symptoms of this kind of disorder as separate and distinct ailments. The symptoms are many and varied, so much so that when a woman is sick in any way, the first thought should be given to the organs distinctly feminine. About 9 times in 10 the cause of the trouble will be found there. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures all disorders of this kind. There is no guesswork about it. There is no chance about it. It is a fact that has been demonstrated in 30 solid years of extensive practice.

Thousands of women have written grateful letters, who have wished the whole world of women to know the wonderful things the "Prescription" has done for them.

TWENTY-ONE DEAD.

The Horrors of the Train Wreck at the Cahaba Bridge Down in Alabama.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 29.—Few further details are obtainable as to the terrible railway wreck at the Cahaba River bridge yesterday. The railroad officials have a list of twenty-one dead, that number of bodies having been taken out of the river, but the belief gains ground that there are more dead bodies yet in the river. The railway officials, however, say the place has been thoroughly searched. It seems impossible to ascertain how many passengers were on the train. Nearly all had round trip holiday tickets, and had been away from home to spend Christmas. Many were on their way back to the various mining towns when the disaster occurred. Only one ticket was sold out of Birmingham for the ill-fated train. Conductor Connell, who knew better than anyone else the number aboard, was killed and burned in the wreck. A man named Libbs and his wife got on the train at Gulners, six miles this side of the wreck. They are missing, and it is probable they were burned in the wreck. This runs the list of known dead up to 23. Others to the number of six, who were supposed to be missing, have been accounted for. The only persons of the train to escape unhurt were three little children of Mrs. Walker, who was slightly injured. It is thought that fully one-half of the dead were cremated alive. A further examination of the bridge shows that the spikes on one side had been drawn for a rail length, which indicates that the rail was moved out of place to deliberately wreck the train. The story that three men robbed the dead and dying, as told by one of the survivors, has not been confirmed.

A CASE OF DIABETES.

No Help from Medical Men—Suffered for Many Years—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

North Bruce, Dec. 21 (Special).—An old and well known settler in this township, named Thomas Brooks, who lives on lots 7 and 8 in the 14th concession, is rejoicing with his neighbours over his recent recovery, and he said:—

"I was cured by using twenty-four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and, as nothing else ever helped me, I say they saved my life.

"I had tried all the doctors of this locality and was treated for Diabetes, hoping and suffering for years.

"From reading of cures I determined to use Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I must say that after using the first box I would have considered them reasonable at ten dollars a box."

Grain Receipts at Buffalo.

Buffalo, Dec. 29.—The following shows the grain receipts by lake during the season of 1896 (one vessel yet to arrive): Flour, 10,365,192 barrels; wheat, 54,159,183 bushels; corn, 47,670,537 bushels; oats, 39,973,512 bushels; barley, 16,787,285 bushels; rye, 4,461,307 bushels. Reckoning flour as its wheat equivalent, the grand total makes 214,878,284 bushels, the greatest quantity in the history of the port. Sixty years ago the sum total was 1,239,551 bushels, and 20 years ago it was but 48,184,034 bushels. Ten years ago it was only 94,858,931. Last year's total was 162,988,742. Thus this year's total exceeds that of last year by nearly 55,000,000 bushels.

The Bank Was Run Down.

Roanoke, Va., Dec. 29.—The failure of the Commercial National Bank, which closed its doors this morning, was caused by a run on the bank yesterday. Cashier Davenport resigned on the 20th instant, and turned over the bank's books in good shape to his successor and returned to his old home in Charlestown, W. Va. This fact did not become known until yesterday, and is said to have been the cause of the run. It is believed all liabilities will be paid in full. No other banks are in the least affected.

To the aged, with their poor appetite, feeble circulation, and impoverished blood, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a boon beyond price. Its effect is to check the ravages of time, by invigorating every organ, nerve, and tissue of the body. See Ayer's Almanac for the new year.

Sick headache and Constipation are promptly cured by Burdock Pills. Easy to take, sure in effect.

Dyspepsia and Indigestion, common diseases, but hard to cure with ordinary remedies, yield readily to Manley's Celery-Nerve Compound.

W. H. Buckingham, 396 King St. East, Hamilton, Ont., says:—"I was troubled with Dyspepsia and Indigestion for a long time, and could get no relief until I tried Manley's Celery-Nerve Compound, which cured me, and I cannot speak too highly in its praise."

Sold in Peterborough by J. B. Tully.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

More Bank Failures Across the Line—News Notes Gathered From the Daily Despatches.

The Washington Bank of Minneapolis has closed its doors.

Barbot, the French tenor, who first sang Gounod's "Faust," died yesterday in Paris.

Isaac Zuker, a New York firebug, has been sentenced to 36 years' imprisonment.

The failure is announced of the Commercial National Bank of Roanoke, Virgilia.

M. Nelidoff of Russia advises a military occupation of Constantinople. The Czar is said to oppose active coercion.

The Columbia National Bank of Minneapolis has closed its doors. It is claimed that depositors will be paid in full.

The Eastern Ontario Poultry and Pet Stock Association's annual show is in full blast at Kingston, and is a success.

New York State canals carried during 1896 3,714,894 tons of freight, an excess over 1895 of 215,580 tons.

Lansing W. Bancker, the oldest circus clown next to Dan Rice, died yesterday in the Philadelphia alms house, aged 75.

The Dime Savings Bank of Chicoga will, it is said, pay its depositors and get out of business. The savings deposits amount to $380,000.

The plant of the Electric Light Company of Newark, N.J., was burned yesterday morning and the 37 dynamos were all destroyed. The city is in darkness. Loss $175,000.

Mr. Woodhouse Currie, of the banking firm of Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co., London, Eng., and a brother of Sir Philip Currie, British Ambassador to Turkey, died yesterday of cancer, aged 69.

James L. Lawson has been arrested at Detroit on suspicion of having killed Farmer James Brown of Millington, Mich., last Wednesday night.

A bogus $10 National bank note has been discovered by the Treasury Department at Washington. It is a photographic reproduction of a note issued by the Union National Bank of Detroit.

Mrs. Jmes A. Burden, wealthy society woman of Troy, N.Y., was robbed of her purse yesterday in broad daylight on Fifth-avenue, New York. The woman was knocked down, but sprang up and chased the thief, who was captured.

The evidence given before the Tariff Commission at Washington favors specific instead of ad valorem duties. Cotton men want more protection, and silk manufacturers ask for a return to the McKinley duties.

The Bram trial at Boston was continued yesterday, but nothing new came out. The tendency of the evidence for two days has been to shift the responsibility for the murder of Captain Nash and wife to Seaman Brown.

Isaac H. Douglas, a well-to-do farmer, near Norwich, Conn., went crazy over religion and thought he had a mission to kill his weak-minded son, a man of 30. He tried to do so with an ax, and afterwards attempted to burn both the son and himself. Neighbors saved them.

Lord Dunraven yesterday evening presided over a meeting held at Limerick to protect against the excessive taxation imposed on Ireland. Politicians of all sades are unanimous in this movement. Among the speakers were Bishop O'Dwyer of Limerick and John Daly, the released dynamiter.

James Burdell, who was convicted at Sarnia some years ago for making counterfeit money, for which he was sent to Kingston for seven years, and who has been doing time at the Detroit House of Correction, has been pardoned by President Cleveland. Burdell floated about 2500 $10-bills along the frontier in 1893. Later he was rounded up with a gang in Brooklyn.

WALLER IN THE LEAD.

Only Two Laps Ahead of Maddox at Washington—Some Indoor Records.

Washington, Dec. 29.—The bike race was continued here to-day. Great disappointment resulted as Teddy Hale did not enter the contest. He is in Washington, and will ride a number of sprints, but is not fit to enter the six days' race.

The close of the second day left the score standing: Waller 291.6, Maddox 291.0, Ashluger 290.5, Lawson 288.5, Hunter 288.0, Chappelle 286.2, Forster 286.1, Ball 280.5.

Linton made three miles in 7.06, breaking the record by six seconds.

Eddie Bald made ¼ mile in 29 seconds, reducing the record by four seconds.

These spurts against time were made immediately after the international race closed for the night.

BIG PURSES FOR WHEELMEN.

Trotting Associations Propose to Turn Over Their Tracks to the Professionals.

New York, Dec. 29.—Indications point to professional bicycle racing next year being controlled by trotting associations. Prominent track owners and trotting men are considering the advisability of the idea. The plan is that an association composed of owners of trotting tracks and others in the National American trotting Associations be formed to promote and control professional bicycle racing. The plan was advocated about a year ago by W. J. Morgan of this city.

The National Trotting Association and American Trotting Association own and control over 1200 tracks. Many of these tracks are now idle, and it is claimed the owners of tracks will gladly embrace the opportunity to use them for cycle racing. It is the plan of Mr. Morgan to form a 50 or 100 track association out of the 1200 tracks, and have each track offer about $2000 in purses during the season. Instead of scratch and handicap races, as at present, Mr. Morgan purposes to have class races, as in trotting. This he claims will bring professionals of every class into the ranks, as they will all have an equal chance to win. It is expected that a call will be issued to a number of trotting men to attend a meeting to be held either in this city or Chicago for the purpose of forming an organization.

Treasurer Gourlay Died.

Arthur, Ont., Dec. 29.—Yesterday, while attending the nomination in West Luther, Joseph Gourlay, treasurer of the township, was stricken with paralysis and died a few hours afterwards.

FOUND A JEWEL.

An Important Find by a Brockville Jeweller.

Mr. Joseph Lane, the well-known jeweller of Brockville, says: "For some years I have suffered with severe pains in my back and sides and flashes of heat between my shoulders. I had a tired, wornout feeling.

"The numerous medicines that I took gave me very little relief. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills I thought I would try a box, and got one at Curry's drugstore.

"After the first two or three doses I felt much relieved, and the longer I took them the greater the change for the better in my condition. I am much better in every respect and recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to all sufferers from kidney trouble as the best remedy I know of."

Sold by James Lynch, druggist, 168 Hunter street, Peterborough.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Mrs. D., says: "For years I have been nervous and weakly. I took one dollar's worth of Miller's Compound Iron Pills, and am now quite well and strong." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

The Best Cough Cure is Haggart's Pectoral Balsam. It heals the lungs and cures cough and colds.

ANOTHER CRASH IN CHICAGO.

The Collapse of the Atlas National Bank Carries Down the Vannortwick Firm.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—As a result of the voluntary liquidation of the Atlas National Bank, William M. and John S. Vannortwick, who held 484 shares of stock in that bank and were borrowers therefrom to the amount of $300,000, made an assignment yesterday to the Equitable Trust Company of Chicago, who took possession of the Vannortwicks' bank at Batavia.

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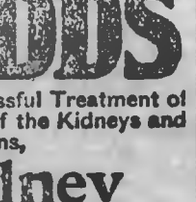

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PERTINENT HOLIDAY MESSAGES.

Fresh Sentiments Never Reft Photographed—They Embrace Things Clever, Things Reminiscent and Things Sad and Humorous—The Holiday Spirit Variously Reflected.

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"Real people never seem as Christmassy as they do in books," said a little tot the other day. Nor do they. Our "peace on earth, good will to men," depends much upon the passing mood, however—yesterday's dinner, the sky overhead, the street down below, a broken shoestring and other petty things that so shape everyday life. Following will be found how Christmas strikes certain well known literary people. Tomorrow it may seem somewhat different, for they had not caught the reflection of the good cheer when they courteously replied to my query.

Interesting holiday messages have come to me from well known members of the literary craft. Send me, I said, exclusively for this holiday occasion and this article a few words that you have never embodied in print before. And I received the happy responses which are given below with a few explanatory sentences of my own. Junius Henri Browne writes the following:

Christmas has as a holy day and holiday many tender and joyous anticipations. Whether what it commemorates be fact or fiction it has great human interest. It should be remembered and observed, if for no other reason, for the rare happiness it has afforded children and will afford them for untold centuries to come. JUNIUS HENRI BROWNE.

Mr. Browne's number on the holiday programme identifies him as one of the delightfully old fashioned people who do not believe in helping children to grow old any more than any of us like the autumn leaves to fall too early or the cold to kill the bloom.

The following quaint dialect poem, fresh to print, is reproduced by permission from the scrapbook of the late Miss McClelland. It was written a few years before her death and is illustrative of an old negro who had literary aspirations and printed his efforts through the aid of a "'commodatin" editor. Feeling himself "gittin mos' too stiff" and probably near his last hours of usefulness one Christmas, he writes a poem of greeting and farewell to his publisher and readers:

UNCLE IKE'S CRISMUS GREETIN AND FAR'WELL.

You bin mighty 'siderate, mars'r, to ele lke for dis long while,
Although his 'munications very likely made you smile,
An I wanted for to thank you for de 'commodatin way
You is printed in de paper what dis darky had to say.
So as Crismus times is comin long I thought dat anyhow
You would lemme pull my fo'lock, sar, an make my bes'est bow,
An wish de "Merry Crismus" both to you an all de folks
Dat is listened to my talkin an is larfed at all my jokes
An express my yearnest 'sire (ef you'll lemme be so bold)
Dat ole "Santie" 'll fill your stockin's jus' as full as dey kin hold,
An fetch de fattest turkeys an de biggest piece of chine,
Wid all de udder goodies dat is floatin froo your min—
De candy for de chil'en, an de dry goods for de wife,
An all de odder blessin's dat is 'tendin on dis life.
I'se a-writin of my greetin kase I'se gittin mos' too stiff
For to slip aroun an see you all an ketch your Crismus gif'!
An I hope you won't forgit me, now de time is come to part,
Kase de po' ole nigger loves you from de bottom of his heart,
So dat now he's gwine to leave you, sah, de tears is in his eye,
An his throat feels mighty choky 'bout de wishin you goodby.

M. G. MCCLELLAND.

Miss McClelland will be remembered as a writer of dialect stories. Her novels had all the freshness and breeze of that special life her vein encompassed and were very popular and salable. Her sad death from consumption, in the midst of summer, success and cherished plans, was a shock to her many friends. She was one of the charming type of southerners noted for the refined essence of courtesy, and the doors of the Virginian home she loved so well stood always open.

Edith M. Thomas, one of the best known and cleverest writers of magazine poetry, puts in this plea for the mistletoe at my request:

HOLLY AND MISTLETOE.

Said the holly to the mistletoe:
"Of our holytide what canst thou know,
Thou a pagan, thou
Of the leafless bough?
My leaves are green, my scarlet berries shine
At thought of things divine!"

To the holly spake the mistletoe:
"This I of our holytide do know—
Many a tremulous vow
Thrills my leafless bough,
And human love, I deem, may give some sign
Of share in things divine!"

EDITH M. THOMAS.

Murat Halstead has sent the following:

It would be a privation and pity to do without Christmas if for no other reason than because the day has more poetry and love in

ROSE HAWTHORNE LATHROP.

it than any other. But it seems to me one ought not only to eat turkey with currant and cranberry jelly on this precious day, but to eat our native hickory nuts and walnuts and drink cider; then, if we could, have snow on the ground and wood fires, and, looking into the fire after dinner, one might see the faces one saw in youth that long ago faded from this world. MURAT HALSTEAD.

But without the feast there stalks a ghost. Mrs. Jennie June Croly, in sad reflection, writes me:

Christmas was an ideal to me; but, like everything else, it is now being ground up into a powder for all sorts of gristmills. I think even Christ must have ceased to have pleasure in its recurrence. Yours sincerely,

J. C. CROLY (JENNIE JUNE).

Miss Julia Magruder, writing from the south, marshals up thought and retrospect in the words she has sent:

Now that wise men are able to measure almost everything let some computers of forces tell us to what extent peace and good will among men are enlarged and extended by the observance of the three hundred and fifty-ninth day of the year. Could this estimate be given us we should perhaps be surprised to find how much the other 365 days feel the influence of the Christmas spirit. And so, in 1896, we should be more ready than ever before to welcome and to celebrate merry Christmas.

JULIA MAGRUDER.

William H. Hayne, the southern poet, sends me the following poem:

CHRISTMAS.

The day divine, whose heavenly might
Still floods the ransomed world with light—
That light, supreme and undefiled,
Borne from the cradle of a child.

WILLIAM HAMILTON HAYNE.

Mr. Hayne's poetry is widely known for its lightness, purity and grace.

Mrs. Rose Hawthorne Lathrop writes as follows:

If on no other day, yet on this day
Of all the year
May I rejoice in joy not mine, I pray,
To some heart dear,
Living in life not mine most eagerly,
Since Christ, for love of others, came—to die!

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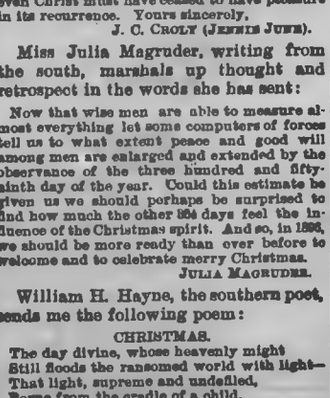

GEORGE W. CABLE.

Scollard needs no introduction. His own poetry and his lectures on modern English and American poetry have made his name a familiar and a pleasant one. This is the poem he sent me:

FOR CHRISTMAS MORNING.

Oh, wear for garment mirth
Upon the soul
As all the fields of earth
Wear one white stole!
A dream of things long gone
Let sorrow be!
Turn thou thine eyes on dawn,
Thy heart on glee!

CLINTON SCOLLARD.

George W. Cable writes me from Northampton, Mass., and I make his the parting message on the page of Christmas offering:

May Christmas bring us all rightfully the merriment of conquerors and the new year find us strong for fresh conquests.

G. W. CABLE.

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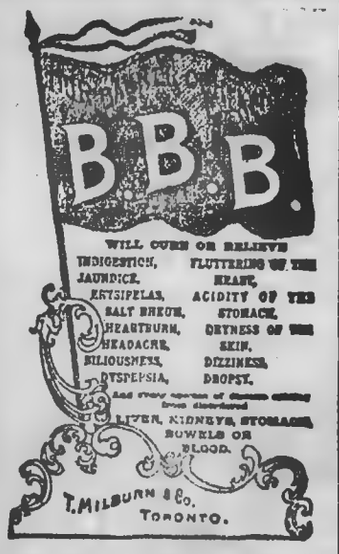

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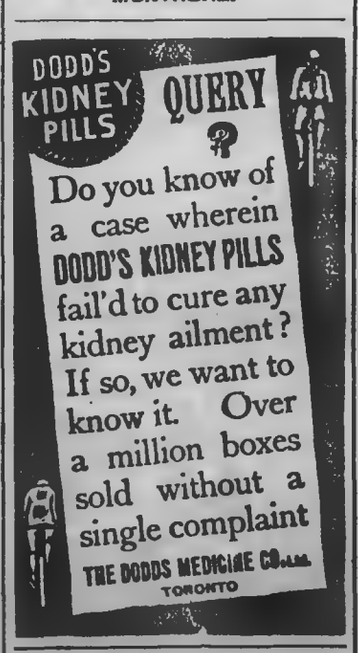
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LEGEND OF THE CHRISTMAS ROSE.

Ever westward sped the star I and faithful to its guidance followed the three kings with their retinues, journeying to offer gifts to a Babe to whose birthplace the star shall lead them. By ships of the sea and by ships of the desert they had slowly and wearily made their way to Palestine with no other pilot than the unsetting star. And as they travel on, the magnificent spectacle of a city set upon a hill attracts their attention—its heavy walls and solid proportions proclaim it a town of great importance; a fit birthplace for the coming King, think the magi—surely the star will set over that glittering temple whose splendor is such that in noonday glare the eye can scarce bear to gaze upon it—but still the star sped on, and with many a backward longing look the wise men followed. Melchior, the eldest of the trio, was most disappointed. Where, thought he, in this small country can be found so meet a birthplace for the King who shall crush the power of Rome as this walled and fortified city! A few miles further on the star paused over the obscure village of Bethlehem, and here the whole party dismounted from their camels and the camp was set up. Let us look at the three principal figures in this gorgeous caravan. Melchior, the venerable, was arrayed in striking Hindu garb of white and red, his snowy beard reached to his breast, and his intense dark eyes glowed with eagerness. He formed a complete contrast to the Egyptian Balthasar, whose stolid mein resembled that of his own sphynx. Was it stoicism that lent to his face the its absence of expression, or had he suffered so much that like the crater of an extinct volcano the very life was burned out! Recalling his past was but sorrow, and if

"The sunset of life brings him mystical lore
And coming events cast their shadows before"

his future is still more to be dreaded—trouble and disgrace for his beautiful daughter Tras and finally her death by drowning. Not even the prospect of the coming Messiah can awaken anything like enthusiasm in this Egyptian. The youngest and last of the three kings differs as entirely from the former two as they vary from each other. Behold a man in the prime of life. Fair and blue-eyed, the picture of health, was Gasper, coming from that happy land of Greece, where gloom is not tolerated and suicide and insanity are unknown. These were the royal three who were being guided by the star to "where the young child lay." It was night when the party encamped on a plain outside the village of Bethlehem. Never had its humble populace beheld such a display of wealth or such a gorgeous camp. Thoroughbred camels bearing silken awnings, retainers clad in rich Oriental garb, the profusion of everything necessary for travelling, all this was a source of wonder to the shepherd folk "who were abiding in the fields keeping watch over their flocks by night." Nearer and nearer pressed the children, eager for a sight of something new and strange and one shepherdess, little Madelon, forgot altogether her flock in the field, and stood entranced by all this splendor and by the grace of a little boy, being Gaspar's son, who was bringing sweet music out of the pipes hung around his neck. The three Kings, with servants bearing treasures, set out to seek the infant Jesus, who they had come so far to worship, guided by the star in the east, which had preceeded them, till it came and stood over the place where the young child was, not in a grand dwelling but in an unused khan, where cattle had been kept.

"Oh Bethlehem, for all, all men
The House of Bread.
The Great Love came at midnight then,
And was not fed.
With soldiers and a judgment hall,
And Romans grim.
Your inns were large enough for all,
Save only Him."

The door of the khan was opened by Joseph who, on learning his guests' errand said, "Enter, and peace be upon you." Melchior first advanced to where the Babe lay. Eagerly those piercing eyes sought for some supernatural sign, but, finding none, he had faith in God and the future and proffered his gift of gold—gold, the symbol of power. Did a silent prayer accompany his offering that when a man grown this Child might be the conquerer of Rome, the hated oppressor of the east? We cannot tell; the only words he said were: "We have seen His star and have come to Worship Him."

Gaspar, in whose heart was no bitterness, but joy, came next, offering frankincense, which symbolizes love, and as he laid it down before the Babe he prayed, "Lo, may this Child be love's high Lord," and the old khan was filled with sweet music from the Greek boy's pipes. With slow step the Egyptian advanced and proffered his gift of myrrh—bitter myrrh which symbolizes peace after pain. Myrrh which mixed with wine brings a deep calm.

Each King gave that which his own life had taught him was most precious, and still, as if loath to leave so fair a scene, the Greek boy played on and the stone walls of the old khan echoed and re-echoed the strains of music. The Jewish shepherdess, Little Madelon, had followed the procession into the building, and now, beholding the beauty of the Babe, she longed for some present to give Him, but because she was very poor she had no gift, so sobbing bitterly she stole away from the others, and, leaning outside the door, she wept as only a sensitive child can weep, when suddenly a bright light shone all around her, and looking up with fear she beheld a shining angel, who said:—"I am Gabriel, Little Madelon, why do you weep so?" and she answered, "Because I have no gift for the infant Jesus, whom I love." And Gabriel struck the frosty air with his rod, and, lo, there sprang up a rose-bush in bloom, and the little shepherdess gathered great handfulls of the white Christmas roses, and, returning to the khan, she showered them round the beauteous Babe, and the Virgin Mother smiled, and that night the star set and found rest at last. And as I write a sweet voice beside me says, "Mother," and looking up, I meet the tender eyes of my own little Madelon, my blessed child. In her hour of grief and supplication may good angels be swift to help, as Gabriel came to Little Madelon that first twelfth night in old Judea.

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GOUGH BROS.

WARSAW.

From our own Correspondent.

Quite a number attended the shooting match on Christmas Day.

Harry Henning, of Goderich, is visiting at Mr. W. Kidd's.

Mrs. Irwin and daughter, of Perrytown, are visiting at Mr. John Doughty's.

Mr. Woodbeck, of Bancroft, is spending a few days at Mr. A. Calder's.

Mrs. Uriah Payne is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. R. Payne.

A large crowd attended the concert given in the Methodist church on the 25th. The receipts amounted to $28.00.

Mrs. Chas. Doughty, of Norwood, spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. John Doughty.

Thomas Rose, of Manitoba, is home for a few days.

Rev. Mr. Tighe, of Smithtown, conducted the services in the Baptist church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, of Indian River, spent Christmas in town.

Miss May Jackson, who is attending High School in Norwood, is home for her holidays.

Misses Effie, Mary and Laura Hughes, of Peterborough, were in town on Sunday.

Allan Kidd is spending a few days with friends in Colborne.

Misses Conkbrite and Randon are visiting at Mrs. Edward's.

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Mrs. J. Kidd, who has been very sick for the last few days, is recovering.

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Havana, Jan. 1.—The correspondent of The Liberal of Madrid has had an interview with General Weyler at the latter's camp near Candelaria. When asked if he would issue a decree, declaring that the Province of Pinar del Rio had been pacified, General Weyler said he would not adopt such a measure. He added that his modesty and prudence counselled him only to dictate measures for the organization of the force remaining in the province to pursue bandits. It was his intention, he declared, to send two-thirds of his forces to the Provinces of Havana, Matanzas and Santa Clara, and to strengthen the central trocha, which extends from Jucaro to Moron. He would also order the concentration in the cities and towns of all the residents in the Province of Havana, as he had done in Pinar del Rio.

Regarding the sugar crop, General Weyler said he would decide, according to circumstances, whether or not to allow the planters to grind. The Captain-General said, in conclusion, that there were now only 500 rebels in the Province of Pinar del Rio, and that they were divided into two bands, commanded by Ruis Rivera and Ducassi.

A Cargo of Arms Cleared.

Jacksonville, Jan. 1.—The steamer *Commodore*, commanded by Capt. Edward Murphy, formerly of the steamship Laurada, was granted clearance papers yesterday by the collector of customs, and left port with a cargo of arms and ammunition for Cienfuegos, Cuba. The arms were loaded openly at the railroad wharf and no attempt was made to prevent anyone from seeing what was going on. The cargo was shipped by H. P. Fritot of this city and was consigned to S. Cisneros, President of the Cuban Republic. Spanish Vice-Consul Potis refused to give the clearance papers on the ground that arms could not be shipped to a Cuban port without permission of the Governor-General. He filed a formal protest with the collector against the vessel being allowed to depart. The protest was filed by the collector and the vessel was allowed to depart, as clearance had been granted. The Commodore carried a crew of 28 men, 20,000 cartridges, 175 rifles, 1000 pounds of giant powder and other munitions of war, besides a quantity of medicine and stores.

The sudden departure of the cruiser Raleigh from Key West has caused considerable uneasiness in Cuban circles, for it is believed that she has been given an order to stop the Dauntless and Commodore and search them to ascertain if they are violating the law by carrying a body of men, as well as a cargo of arms. If the men are found on either steamer, the vessel will be seized and brought back to this port. The Three Friends returned to port and is in charge of the collector of customs. Her crew came ashore and immediately disappeared. None of them would talk.

Fifty-One Filibusterers Drowned.

Madrid, Jan. 1.—A special despatch from Havana to The Imparcial says that 51 men, comprising the filibustering expedition recently landed upon a desert key by the steamer Three Friends, have been drowned. The men were hastily put ashore on the barren island after the Three Friends had been pursued by Spanish gun boats, with which the filibustering steamer had an exchange of shots, and the cargo of arms, ammunition, provisions, etc., on board the steamer, was also landed with the men. The Three Friends, being closely pursued by the Spanish war vessels, was compelled to put the men ashore on this barren island, or take them back to the United States and it was in making an attempt to leave the island, the despatch says, that they were drowned. The despatch also says that 360 rifles which the filibusterers had with them were lost in the sea.

The semi-official newspapers defend the action of the Government in seizing the issues of The Heraldo and Imparcial upon the ground that the articles published by those papers denouncing the policy of Capt.-General Weyler in Cuba had a tendency to create discontent among the troops in Cuba and to encourage Americas filibusterers. The Government will not permit the objectionable articles to be transmitted by telegraph.

Public opinion is greatly excited over reports that the Spanish troops in Cuba are compelled to undergo extreme hardships through hunger and nakedness, and that those who are confined in the hospitals by illness or because of wounds are suffering from neglect and an insufficient supply of medicines. As large sums of money have been sent to Cuba from Spain for the purpose of furnishing clothing, medicines, etc., for the troops, the question is asked, Where has this money gone? El Dia asserts that a Ministerial crisis is probable as the result of a change of policy. It is rumored that the Cabinet has approved the proposal to recall Capt.-General Weyler, but that Premier Canovas has delayed action in the matter, giving no reasons for so doing. All of the Ministers met at the residence of Premier Canovas last evening and drank to a toast of pressing hope for the speedy conclusion of peace in the disturbed colonies.

A BAD BARNARDO BOY.

He Shot His Employer in the Neck Without Provocation—He Skipped But Was Caught.

Thorold, Ont., Jan. 1.—A Barnardo boy named Bert Davis, about 18 years of age, who has been living for some time with Fred Grenville, a farmer, about two miles out of town, shot Grenville in the neck with a revolver last evening. It appears that Grenville had just returned home, and the two were unhitching the horses, when, without provocation or words, Davis fired the ball, which lodged in the back of Grenville's neck, and stunned him for a while. On recovering he saw Davis snapping the weapon at him again, but it failed to go off. Grenville hurried to town for a warrant for Davis' arrest and took the chief of police out, but Davis had cleared and is yet at large. It is supposed that Davis intended robbery, as well as murder.

Later.—Davis was arrested in Pelham by Chief Upper this afternoon. He will have a hearing before Police Magistrate Fish to-morrow morning.

WALKED 9000 MILES.

Francis Richardson Has Done a Great Feat in the Pedestrianic Art and Seen a Lot of the World.

Toronto, Jan. 2.

Last evening a gentleman with weather-beaten countenance and keen eye walked into The World office and extended the compliments of the season to the staff. He gave his name as Francis Richardson, and announced that he had just completed a pedestrian tour of 9000 miles, ending at Toronto the previous evening at 7 o'clock. Leaving New York on Sept. 29, 1895, he proceeded via Utah and Salt Lake City to San Francisco, which he reached on May 4 last. Through California, Oregon, and Washington to British Columbia and then by the Canadian Pacific Railway he proceeded to Winnipeg, which he reached on Nov. 18, and thence via North Bay to Toronto. He has carried all his necessaries, weighing 45 pounds, in a knapsack slung from his shoulders and has performed his long journey entirely unarmed, save with a stout walking stick. An encounter with a grizzly 3 1-2 miles from Donald, which he escaped by strategy, and a contest with a panther, which was ended by the retreat of his assailant, upon the approach of a freight train, were the exciting incidents which are related of his trip. Mr. Richardson, who now claims the world's championship for long distance walking, holds the belt for the longest distance covered in a week's walk in London, Eng., and has also won records in Australia. The walk was undertaken for a wager of $6000, with Thomas E. T. Alden of England, and F. T. Simpson of Montreal, who are now verifying the authenticity of the performance. This champion continental trotter intends making a stay in Toronto and giving exhibitions of walking.

A BARBER IN TROUBLE.

William W. Lepper Accused of Making $5 and $10 Bills Contrary to Law.

Detroit, Jan. 1.—William W. Lepper, a barber in the Hotel Cadillac, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Secret Service Detective William J. Barnes on the charge of counterfeiting. Lepper was taken before United States Commissioner Graves and remanded to jail, pending examination, bail being fixed at $5000. The matter was kept as quiet as possible and no one but those immediately concerned with the arrest were informed of it. The idea was to not warn the rest of the gang. More arrests are expected. The specific charge against Lepper is that of manufacturing $5 and $10 bank bills. The $5 notes are on the National Bank of Commerce of Chicago, and the $10 notes on the Union National Bank of Detroit. They are said to be very clever imitations and the police and United States detectives have been on a still hunt for the author of them for weeks. It is thought that Windsor was the place selected for the business. Lepper, it is known, made his home there for a part of the time.

SMASH ON THE CENTRAL.

A Fireman and Brakeman Killed—Engineer Saved by Jumping.

Schenectady, Jan. 1.—Early this morning a rear-end collision occurred on the New York Central Railroad near here between two freight trains. John Cook, a fireman, and Charles Vogel, a brakeman, both of Albany, were killed. George Gilchrist, engineer of the rear train, saw that a collision was inevitable and jumped, thus saving his life. Several cars caught fire and were burned, causing a loss of $30,000.

Killed Himself With Poison.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 1.—B. G. Scanlan, general agent for Orator F. Woodward, proprietor of the Kemps Balsam manufactory at Leroy, N. Y., committed suicide at the Continental Hotel this morning by taking poison. He had lived at No. 252 West 28th-street, New York city. He was well known in Rochester.

Laying Off Men.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—In order to more easily meet the semi-annual interest payment of its bonds, the Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic Railway Company has ordered the lay-off of all men who can possibly be spared from every department. The entire shop force at Marquette will be let out. The order affects 200 men.

THAT PLEURO SCARE

Tuberculosis Was What Ailed the Cattle

AND CAUSED THEIR SLAUGHTER.

Deputy Minister Scarth Has Looked Into the Eastern Townships Case and Finds Out the Particulars—No Pleuro-Pneumonia in Canada —News From Ottawa.

Ottawa, Jan. 1.—(Special.)—Mr. Scarth, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, was to-day shown the full report of the slaughter of diseased cattle in the Eastern Townships and was enabled to give a more circumstantial explanation of the matter than occurred to him during Wednesday night's hasty interview. The mention of Mr. Holden, of St. Armand, as the owner of the cattle, recalled the circumstances of the case, and Mr. Scarth at once gave the following official account of the affair:

On Nov. 7 the Messrs. Holden wrote to the department to the effect that they had 18 head of Jerseys which were tuberculosed, that they desired them killed, and asked that Dr. McEachren be sent down to look after them, and test the rest of their cattle. Dr. McEachren was sent at once, and tested the cattle, with tuberculine, the result of the test being that 22 animals showed signs of tuberculosis. Messrs. Holden, therefore, decided to slaughter these animals. Post-mortem examinations were made by Dr. Moore and Dr. McEachren, and tuberculosis was found in various stages, in every one of them.

Mr. Scarth, in the course of further conversation, emphasized his statement of the previous evening, to the effect that no cases of pleuro-pneumonia had ever been reported to the department as being absolutely correct. He added: "I believe from very careful enquiry, which I have made, and from reading all the files of the department, that it can be positively stated that no case of pleuro-pneumonia has ever been found in Canada. It is true that in 1886 an animal was brought to Canada by one of the Allan steamships and found, while in quarantine at Point Levis, to be affected with pleuro-pneumonia. The most energetic measures were immediately taken. The animal was destroyed, as well as those with which it had been in contact. Therefore, the affected animal and those with which it had been in contact, not having been allowed out of the quarantine enclosure, it cannot properly be said to be an importation into Canada; so that it can be positively stated that no pleuro-pneumonia has ever been found in the Dominion."

His Excellency the Governor-General, held his usual New Year's day levee in the Senate Chamber to-day. He was attended by Capt. Wilberforce and Lieut. Neve, as A.D.C's. Among the members present were the Premier, Hon. Messrs. Scott, Borden, Fielding and Davies. Manitoba Premier Greenway, Archbishop Duhamel, Bishop Hamilton, Lord Archibald Douglas, General Gascoigne and Col. Lake were in attendance on His Excellency. About 500 leading citizens called to pay their respects. For several days past an advertisement has appeared in the city papers urging the ladies of the Capital not to offer intoxicating liquor to New Year's callers. His Excellency accordingly adopted the request.

Ross Thompson, the founder of Rossland; J. M. Burke of Rossland, one of the best known mining men west of the Rockies, and Dennis Ryan of St. Paul are in town on mining matters. Mr. Burke says that, with his knowledge of mining, covering a period of 27 years, and extending over all the western mining States, not a single camp can be compared with Rossland at its present stage of development.

New Year's day passed off quietly in Ottawa. The weather was seasonable, although there was no sleighing, owing to the thaw of the early part of the week.

SHOT AND KILLED.

A Tragedy in Philadelphia, the Perpetrators of Which are Not at Present Known.

Philadelphia, Jan. 1.—Mrs. Emma Betz, aged 40 years, was shot and killed in the third storey of the house at 1216 North Fourth-street to-day. The police were not informed of the tragedy until an hour and a half after the woman was dead, and they have been unable to learn with certainty who did the shooting. They arrested Mrs. Christian Engle, an old woman, who is mistress of the place, and a man named "Andy" Schmidt, who lived in the house, has disappeared and is being sought by the police.

Mrs. Engle says the Betz woman came in about noon with a strange man as she was going out. When Mrs. Engle returned she found the man gone, she says, and the woman dying from a gunshot wound in the throat. The shooting was done with a gun owned by Schmidt.

JERNIGAN SHOT HIMSELF.

A Swindling Scheme of His Exposed and He Couldn't Stand the Pressure.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 1.—County Treasurer A. J. Jernigan, shortly after reaching his office yesterday morning shot himself through the body, the ball just missing the heart, and he will die. He states that he let a colored porter about the County Court House have $4500 of the county funds to put into a scheme to dig for Mexican gold supposed to be buried in the vicinity of this city. Two colored sharpers inveigled the porter into the scheme, fleecing him out of $6000 in addition to the amount Jernigan let him have. The scheme was exposed a few days ago and the sharpers were arrested.

A Montreal Firebug.

Monmouth, Ills., Jan. 1.—W. A. LaGrace, who was arrested here two weeks ago as the supposed New York firebug, J. L. Harris, has been identified by Officer McMahon as Isador Bolieu, wanted in Montreal for arson. The recognition was mutual and the prisoner accompanied the detective this morning without requisition papers.

Death of Admiral Skerrett.

Washington, Jan. 1.—Rear Admiral Joseph S. Skerrett, United States navy, retired, died at his residence in this city last night.

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Impure

blood, to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and prevent such eruptions and suffering.

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Blood

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Many of our readers can truthfully confess that the year just gone by was to them a period of pain, suffering, anxiety, disappointment and wretchedness. Some were laid on beds of sickness, weak and helpless; others, ailing and almost broken down, were just able to move about to imperfectly attend to daily duty and work. The sick and ailing ones met with many failures and disappointments in their efforts to regain health. Doctors failed to cure them, and the very ordinary medicines of our times failed to bring back the blush of health to the pale and wan face.

Those of our readers who were unhappy last year may this year throw off their burdens and shackles, if they use that marvellous source of health-giving—Paine's Celery Compound—that contributed to the happiness of so many thousands in past years.

There is no necessity here to enlarge on what Paine's Celery Compound has done or is doing at the present time. Every day it is making well rheumatic, neuralgic, dyspeptic and sleepless mortals, and giving a new life to those afflicted with kidney, liver and blood diseases.

All classes unite in praising and recommending Paine's Celery Compound as the most effective of medicines. The more physicians know of it, the more do they earnestly reccommend it for the sick. If you would be well, happy and vigourous all this year, begin at once with nature's healer and life-giver.

POLICEMEN THUMPED.

A New Year's Day Saloon Row at Grand Rapids, Mich., Which Had Serious Results.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 1.—Two men were shot and two policemen received a nearly fatal beating in a saloon riot here this afternoon. Officers John Verglever and William Herrington entered the place, suspecting that the laws were being violated in keeping open. Immediately they were confronted by an angry crowd, in which "Jimk" Treadwell and Orlo Kruger, the bartender, seemed to be leaders. The men demanded to see the officers' badges and almost immediately the crowd set upon the two policemen. Revolvers were drawn and shots were fired. Beer glasses and bricks and all sorts of instruments of assault were used. Treadwell was shot in the right breast and his condition is serious. Verglever is unconscious from the effects of the beating. A number of arrests have been made.

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New Year's Honors Bestowed by the Queen.

A FOREIGNER MADE A K.C.M.G.

Prognostication as to What the Queen's Speech Will Advocate—Lord Beresford's Condition More Serious Than Was at First Thought—European News Notes.

London, Jan. 1.—Among the New Year honors conferred by the Queen is the appointment of Senhor Luis Pinto de Soveral, Portuguese Minister of Foreign Affairs, as a knight of the Grand Cross of the Order of St. Michael and St. George. The honor was conferred in recognition of his assistance in the settlement of the Anglo-Brazilian dispute regarding the ownership of the Island of Trinidad, off the coast of Brazil. Great Britain took possession of the island, with the intention of making it a cable station, but Brazil made a vigorous protest, claiming the island as her own. This claim was substantiated, and Great Britain withdrew.

The Queen's Speech

London, Jan. 1.—The Queen's speech opening the coming session of Parliament will, it is generally believed, refer to a closer union between Great Britain and the colonies, and will indicate the views of the Government in the matter.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS

King Humbert is Ill and New Year's Receptions Have Been Postponed.

Rome, Jan. 1.—King Humbert is ill and the New Year's receptions at the Quirinal have consequently been postponed.

Laurada Sailed for Baltimore.

Gibraltar, Jan. 1.—The former Cuban filibustering steamer Laurada, which arrived here from Messina yesterday, has sailed for Baltimore.

Mr. Eustis's Reception.

Paris, Jan. 1.—Hon. J. B. Eustis, the American Ambassador, held a New Year's reception to-day, which was very largely attended by the members of the American colony. Miss Eustis acted as hostess.

Lord Beresford is Very Poorly.

London, Jan. 1.—The condition of Lord William Beresford, severely injured by his horse rolling on him while hunting with the staghounds on Wednesday at Dorking, Surrey, continues to cause anxiety. He passed a restless night and a physician was in attendance upon him all night long. It is stated that his pelvic bones are broken and he has sustained internal injuries. Lord and Lady Charles Beresford will not delay their voyage to Egypt, having received assuring reports of Lord William's condition.

Bank Failure in France.

Paris, Jan. 1.—The bank failure is announced at Caen of David and Julien Renier & Co. for 1,250,000 francs. The books were found to be falsified and David Renier has falled.

Faure is Optimistic.

Paris, Jan. 1.—President Faure received the diplomats to-day, and in addressing them said that the ardent desire for concert and union which the powers show themselves to be animated by, justified them in looking forward with confidence to the year 1897.

Several days ago King Humbert caught a cold which he neglected. He became feverish, but his condition has never been serious. He is much better this evening.

Intend to Prosecute.

London, Jan. 1.—The Madrid correspondent of The Standard telegraphs that the Government intends to prosecute several newspapers for imitating The Imparcial and Heraldo, which was seized yesterday for condemning the military administration in Cuba and demanding Gen. Weyler's recall. The Government is determined to suppress the press campaign against the Cabinet's policy in Cuba, but notwithstanding this fact the Opposition has decided that it will stir up the Cortes on the Cuban question when the session opens.

Turkey's Hard-Up Condition.

Constantinople, Jan. 1.—Sir Edgar Vincent, Governor of the Imperial Ottoman Bank, has made a report to the Sultan on the finances of the Empire. The report shows an average yearly deficit of one million pounds (Turkish) since 1890, but Sir Edgar insists that there is nothing to prevent the restoring of a balance if the problem is honestly grappled with. He recommends a reduction in the military expenditures and suggests other reforms.

A COBBLER'S CRIME.

Blew the Top of His Wife's Head Off and Tried to Kill Himself With a Razor.

Boston, Jan. 1.—Samuel Whittaker, a shoemender, living in North Cambridge, at 3.30 o'clock this morning killed his wife, Catherine, by blowing the top of her head off with a shotgun. He then attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. He was taken to the Cambridge Hospital in a critical condition. Whittaker is about 50 years old and his wife was a few years younger. The couple have had numerous quarrels, caused by drink. They have eight children.

A LIAR AND SCOUNDREL

Is What President Gompers Calls McCraith, Who Made These Charges Against Him.

Indianapolis, Jan. 1.—Secretary McCraith of the American Federation of Labor, who made the sensational charge against President Gompers at the recent convention of the Federation at Cincinnati, that he made a deal with Senator Jones, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, which contemplated giving the Federation's influence to the free silver forces, resigned his position yesterday. McCraith repeated his charges and produced letters purporting to have passed between Gompers and Col. Wetmore, of St. Louis, a representative of Chairman Jones, arranging for a meeting between Gompers and Wetmore, which meeting took place in Chicago. President Gompers to-day denied the charges of McCraith, saying that he was a liar and a scoundrel.

The camel is a beast of great strength and endurance. Nothing hurts it until the proverbial "last straw" is added to its burden. The human digestive system is very much like a camel. It is really astonishing how much abuse it will stand. Sometimes, however, something worse than usual will be eaten, and will go through the stomach into the bowels, and then it will stick—that's constipation. Nine-tenths of all human sickness is due to constipation. Some of the simplest symptoms are coated tongue, foul breath, dizziness, heartburn, flatulence, sallowness, distress after eating, headaches and lassitude. A little thing will cause constipation, and a little thing will relieve it. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a certain cure for constipation. They are tiny, sugar-coated granules, mild and natural in their action. There is nothing injurious about them. Sold by druggists.

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NEW YEAR'S AT THE WHITE HOUSE

The President and Mrs. Cleveland Were Made Tired With Hand-Shaking, But Smiled Through It All.

Washington, Jan. 1.—The annual New Year's show at the White House took place to-day according to long-established custom. It constitutes the yearly ordeal of the President and mistress of the White House, for they must shake hands with many hundreds—several thousands in fact—of their fellow-citizens and a large number of distinguished foreigners.

They smiled and bowed and beamed through it all day, and stifled the winces that unconsciously followed the hearty grasp of some young subaltern, fresh from the frontier, or the grip of some horny hand that had done service in the late political campaign. It was one continual round of hand-shaking and exchanging the compliments of the season.

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Men's 75c Shirts and Drawers.....reduced to 55c
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Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

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Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue business in his own name in future.

W. G. FOWLER

Begs to announce to all his old customers and the public generally that he has bought out the business formerly carried on by W. G. FOWLER & CO., and has put in a full and complete stock of

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VERY LARGE BOTTLES, 50c.

HOT FIGHT IN TORONTO.

A Very Disorderly Meeting in the Pavilion —Police Called in.

Toronto, Jan. 2.

For two hours last night the Pavilion presented a scene of orderliness and enthusiasm seldom witnessed at a big municipal meeting. And for the following two hours it reached the other extreme and was a scene of tumult, wrangling and recrimination, in fact a veritable bear-garden.

The one who threw in the apple of discord was the redoubtable and irrepressible E. A. Macdonald, whose interruptions and contradictions of the Mayor's speech led to his being invited to the platform. Then ensued a re-enactment of the scene at the nomination at the City Hall. The lie direct was given scores of times between the Mayor and E. A. Macdonald. Vainly the chairman sought to stem the torrent of vituperation. Meantime the people enjoyed the fun and alternately cheered and hooted. At times it appeared as though the wordy contestants would come to blows. A motion was carried by the meeting that Mr. Macdonald be no further heard. This he stoutly resented, and the uproar and tumult became so great that the chairman, Dr. Barrick, called in the police. Inspector Hall and four constables advanced to the platform; the chairman ordered the arrest of E. A. Macdonald; the aqueductor stated that only by main force would he be removed from the platform and then they must fetch the patrol.

The Mayor interceded with the chairman and Mr. Macdonald was given five minutes to conclude his remarks. Then he abused this grace by reiterating, amidst constant interruptions, his old charges. These of course caused the Mayor to reply and the unseemly wrangle continued until a quarter after midnight.

SORE ON WEYLER.

Leading Papers of Madrid Condemn the Administration of the Butcher and Demand His Recall.

Madrid, Jan. 1.—The Imparcial and The Heraldo to-day publish articles condemning the military administration in Cuba, and pointing out that, despite his oft-repeated promises, Capt.-General Weyler has practically accomplished very little in the direction of suppressing the rebellion. Both papers demanded that Gen. Weyler be recalled and that Gen. Azcarraga, Minister of War, be appointed in his place. The articles caused a great sensation in the city and the Government, fearing trouble would follow, ordered that the issues of both papers be seized.

The Gazzetteta Official will to-morrow publish a number of decrees regarding the administrative and other reforms to be put into effect in Porto Rico. A preamble written by Prime Minister Canovas del Castillo, dealing with the colonial policy of Spain, will accompany the decrees.

The decrees appoint Feb. 11 as the date for holding municipal elections in Porto Rico, and April 14 as the date for the election of members of the Provincial Councils.

So thorough is the excellence of Ayer's Hair Vigor that it can be used with benefit by any person, no matter what may be the condition of the hair, and, in every case, it occasions satisfaction and pleasure, in addition to the benefit which invariably comes from its use.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer 'Saved my Life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels Price 75c. Sold by John Nugent 360 George Street.

Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Holiday trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea:—

Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Chiffon Collars and Neckwear
Veilings and Nettings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c.
Cloth for a Mantle
Winter Jackets
Winter Underwear
New Corsets
Lace and Embroidery

No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

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403 George Street.

BRAM LOOKED ANXIOUS.

The Mental Strain on the Accused Man is Having Its Effect—The Jury Has the Case.

Boston, Jan. 1.—Thomas M. Bram, charged with the murder of Capt. Nash and his wife of the barquentine Herbert Fuller, wore an anxious look as he came into court this morning. The effects of the terrible mental strain he is undergoing are commencing to be seen.

District Attorney Hoar resumed his argument immediately after the judges had taken their seats. He assailed the testimony of Bram, whose story, he said, was not borne out in any essential particular. He defended Monks and Brown from the impeachments brought against them by Mr. Cotter, Bram's counsel, and contended that their evidence was truthful and sufficient to warrant the conviction of the prisoner. He closed with an eloquent appeal to the jurors to do their duty and return a verdict of guilty against the prisoner.

After a brief recess, Judge Webb delivered the charge to the jury. He said the jury must determine their verdict upon the evidence submitted and must not be influenced by any arguments of counsel, only as such arguments are supported by the evidence. He explained to them what constituted murder. The only question the jury had to decide was as to the death of Capt. Nash. They were simply to determine whether or not Bram did the killing. Judge Webb admonished the jury to take time and render a just verdict. The jury retired at 1.25 p.m. and the court adjourned until 5 o'clock.

After recess the court came together and Judge Colt announced that the court would convene at 10.30 o'clock.

Just as the court was about to leave the building the jury sent in a sealed communication. The judge ordered the defendant and jury brought in. The communication read: "What time was it when Brown saw Bram strike Capt. Nash with an ax, as testified by Brown on the witness stand?"

Judge Colt said that the jury might refresh their recollection, but should not base their judgment on the stenographer's report, but use their own recollection.

The jury then put the following question to the court, viz.: "What time was it when Brown said he saw Bram strike Capt. Nash? Brown's testimony at Halifax reads: 'From 1.15 to 1.50 a.m.,' and his testimony here says 15 minutes before he was relieved from the wheel, which was at 2 o'clock. He also testified that it was about 20 minutes or so before Lohaec relieved him."

This seems a most significant point and is interpreted as being favorable for the prisoner, for Lohaec testified that he saw Bram at the time up to about ten minutes of 2; so that, even if Bram committed the crime, he could not have done it at the time when Brown said he saw him do it.

The jury then retired again, and the court adjourned until 10.30 o'clock to-night.

No verdict having been reached up to 10.30 o'clock to-night, the court adjourned until morning.

AFTER THE WHEELMEN'S MEET.

Mr. J. F. Cairns Tells Why Chatham Should Get the Big Event.

The annual struggle for the C.W.A. meet has begun in earnest. The big bicycle event will, of course, go to the west, and Chatham, London and Brantford are after it, with the present chances in favor of the Maple City. Mr. J. F. Cairns of the Chatham Cycle Club was in town yesterday, and he says they will get it sure, although some of the C.W.A. magnates are pledged to one of their opponents. Their track is all that can be desired—a half-mile that has many seconds to its credit, good stands that will be enlarged and young men who are capable of conducting a meet in the most approved fashion.

In Mr. Cairns Chatham has an able representative. He is on a canvassing tour, and hopes to be able to report progress on returning home next week. To-day he will interview Secretary Donly at Simcoe, and set down the claims of his club.

Mr. Cairns is an old Association football man, and played with the Victoria University team before the Methodist College was removed from Cobourg. He also takes great interest in baseball, and was proud to say that the Chatham B.B.C. beat everything west of London last season. Percy Brown, who has Mr. Cairns in hand here, says that Chatham is the place for next year's meet, and he is already convinced that it will go there.

THREE WEEKS IN AGONY.

Inflammatory Rheumatism so Acute he could not Attend to his Daily Duties —Lived three Weeks in Agonising Pain when that "Good Samaritan" of All Cures, South American Rheumatic Cure, passed his way — It Helped in a few Hours and Speedily Cured—Cost 75 cents.

Mr. E. A. Norton, a well-known citizen of Grimsby, Ont., was severely attacked with inflammatory rheumatism some twenty years ago. After a time he recovered, but five or six weeks ago the dread disease returned so violently that he had to give up work. For nearly three weeks he lay in bed suffering terrible agony. Another resident of the town who had been cured by South American Rheumatic Cure persuaded him to try it, and to his great surprise, after using the medicine but one week, he was so far recovered as to go about town. From the first dose taken he felt marked improvement, and to-day he is most enthusiastic in singing its praises. No case too severe for South American Rheumatic Cure to check in six hours and cure permanently. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

Mr. E. W. Hazlett, Reeve of Chatham Township, Kent County, Ont., says: "My daughter has been very weakly for some years; she was very pale and always felt tired; she was prevailed upon by a friend to try a box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills. I must say it was a good investment; she at once began to improve. The colour came to her cheeks, she got stronger rapidly, and now is quite well." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

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Shiloh's Cure, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c. Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 360 George Street.

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The Unfortunate Kleptomaniac Fully Restored by a Surgical Operation at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Ella Castle, the wife of the California millionaire, who was admitted to the Polyclinic Hospital three weeks ago, shortly after the return of the couple from their unpleasant experience in London, left that institution on Monday perfectly well. Mrs. Castle was suffering from an internal malady and was successfully operated on in order to restore her to her normal condition. The physicians at the hospital state that Mrs. Castle is now in excellent health and does not exhibit the least trace of her former malady.

Smallpox Has Increased.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Sanitary Inspector D. M. Burgess, in a report to the Marine Hospital service on smallpox and yellow fever in Cuba during the first two weeks in December, says that nearly all sperading diseases have been somewhat diminished except smallpox, which has increased.

Grace Secures a Count.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—Grace Virginia Corneau was united in marriage last evening to Lecompte Jolleaud de St. Maurice of Paris. The Count and Countess left for Chicago. From there they will go to Montreal, and later to Paris.

Mrs. Craven May Lose the Millions.

San Francisco, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Nettie R. Craven, the claimant to a large portion of the estate of the late Senator Fair, is seriously ill. She may die at any time.

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O. F. SPRING, publisher of the Preston "Times," Ia., writes:—"Your remedy '77' for Grip relieved myself and mother from the worst 'bone-racking' cases of Grip that we ever had, and in mother's case it saved a doctor's bill of about $10.00. The investment has brought returns that I little expected."

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Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

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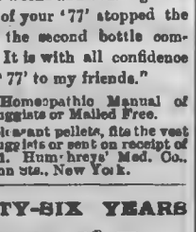

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By the aid of The "D. & L." Emulsion, I have got rid of a hacking cough which had troubled me for over a year, and have gained considerably in weight. I liked this Emulsion so well I was glad when the time came around to take it.

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New Year's Dress Shirts
New Year's Collars and Cuffs
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Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 2, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Suitable.

What more suitable for a Holiday present than one of China Hall's lovely $10.00 dinner sets?

Y. W. C. A. Notes

Regular board meeting in Y. W. C. A. Rooms on Monday at 3:30 p.m. All members are earnestly requested to attend.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Through the Ice.

A little lad named Robert Hackett went through the ice on Whyte's pond this morning, but fortunately the accident occurred where the water was shallow and no harm resulted.

Grand Flower Social.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the C. L. A. will hold their annual Flower Social on Wednesday evening, January 13 h, in the Catholic Association rooms. Butcher's orchestra in attendance. Also cards and games. Tickets including supper, 50 cents. 9d

Have You Seen It?

The little store around the corner? south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 426 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—MRS. APPLEBY. dw

Riverside Skating Rink.

This rink is now open and is in excellent shape for skating. The price of season tickets has been placed at: Gentlemen, $1; ladies, 75c; children, 50c. This rink covers an area of over an acre, and a skate here can be thoroughly enjoyed.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

Egg, Stove or Chestnut	$5 50 per ton
No. 3 Nut	5 00 "
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Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 220 Charlotte street. Telephone 305.

Beaten all Records.

The applications received by the Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada for the year 1896 amounted to the grand total of $11,105,000 00. This is over $1,000,000 in advance of the figures touched in any one year by any other Canadian Life Company. This is surely a record this company may well be proud of.

Solemn Requiem Mass To-day.

A solemn requiem high mass was chanted at St. Peter's Cathedral this morning for the repose of the soul of the late Richard Nagle, Esq., of Ottawa. The mass was sung by Ven. Archdeacon Casey, assisted by Rev. Fathers Scanlan and O'Sullivan, as deacon and sub deacon, respectively.

Skating on the Lake.

The lake is in first class condition. Don't forget to come and skate to-morrow, and also make it one of your first good resolutions for the new year to get your groceries from R. BROWN & Co.; best always on hand. Also fresh fish every day. Don't forget the address.—R. BROWN & Co., 394 George street.

Holiday Photographs.

G. R. Whiten, the new photographer of Peterborough, is doing a grand trade since coming here. He is kept very busy. He finishes most of his work on the new Platino finish. There is no better work made in Ontario to-day than is made at Whiten's New Art Studio, on Hunter street west, opposite Oak Hall. His prices are very reasonable. Go and see the quality of his work and be convinced there is none better, and few to equal his work. Give him a trial. dtf

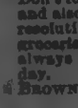
The President's Victory.

Mr. H. LeBrun, president of the Thistles, has reason to be proud of his victory yesterday—the first time a president's team has won against a vice-president. Mr. LeBrun's personal score was a fine one, and he marshalled his rink to victory. It was a great day for the French—Waterloo avenged—yesterday was Jean Baptiste's day. Canada with a French Premier and Peterborough with a French premier curling president make a happy blending. Bonjour, la Canada Francaise!

A Pleasant Evening.

At the close of the meeting of Peterborough Lodge, I.O.O.F., on Thursday evening, when the second degree was conferred on two members, Dr. Clarke, the Lodge physician, invited the members into the ante room to partake of a supper, which Caterer Long had provided under his instruction for the occasion. After discussing the refreshments a pleasant hour was spent in social converse, when a number of the members expressed the high opinion in which Dr. Clarke was held by the Lodge.

Peterborough vs. Toronto.



Attention is called to the Debate and Concert to be held in the Hall of the Catholic Literary Association on Tuesday evening, January 5th. The subject of discussion is: "That the Senate of Canada should be abolished." L. R. Keogh and A. LePlante will support the affirmative and W. J. Kenney and J. F. Thompson (son of the late Sir John Thompson) the negative. B. W. Dumble, Esq., Police Magistrate, will act as chairman. Tickets 25 cents. 2d1

Laid at Rest.

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Thursday, St. Paul's church; subject, "Educational Institutions"; speaker, Rev. W. R. Young.

Friday, Murray street Baptist church; subject, "Social Reform"; speaker, Rev. W. C. Bear.

The meetings will begin at 8 o'clock sharp. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. H. Stratton is visiting with friends in Montreal.

Miss Laura Bellegham is spending a couple of weeks in Cobourg.

Miss Potter, of Kingston, will sing a solo in St. Andrew's church to-morrow night.

Miss Leta Skitch, of Lindsay, is the the guest of Miss Edna Stanger, George street.

Miss Phoebe Owen, of Campbellford, is visiting at Mrs. W. Menzies, 201 Rubidge street.

Miss Lillie Gamble, of Port Hope, is spending a few days with Miss Gillespie, George street.

Miss Marion Sherwood has returned to town after a visit of several months duration in Detroit.

Mr. F. J. Rogers, manager of the Bank of Montreal, is in Montreal, spending New Years with friends.

Miss Eva Deane, who is taking a course in nursing at the Kingstone Hospital, is seriously ill of diphtheria.

Miss Edith Owen, of Campbellford, is the guest of Misses Edith and Nellie McKee at the Huffman House.

The Rev. R. E. Spence, of Victoria University, will preach in Mark street church, Ashburnham, to-morrow evening.

Mr. Duncan Walker, the newly appointed Inspector of Public Schools, arrived in town to-day to assume his duties.

Mr. W. J. Drope, of Grimsby, formerly of the local Collegiate Institute staff, is in town for a day or two and is being welcomed back by his many friends.

Mr. James Bellwood, of Richmond, Virginia, spent New Years in Peterborough with friends. It is about 17 years since Mr. Bellwood left Peterborough and his many friends were pleased to see him pay them a visit again.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The lucky number which draws Fairweather & Co.'s wheel is 2166.

—All George street school pupils will return there on Monday next to receive notice of promotion.

—Rev. Walter Roger will speak to young men at the meeting in Y. M. C. A. Hall Sunday at 4:15 p. m.

—Dr. Moher having declined election for a separate school trustee. There will consequently be no election.

—The Y. M. C. A. desire to thank all who in any way assisted at their New Year's reception to young men.

—The prettiest children's wool coats and bonnets to match, in town are on sale at Mrs. Appleby's fancy goods store, 426 Water street. 3d1s3

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—The musical farce comedy, "A Pair of Jacks," will be the attraction at the opera house next Tuesday night. As this is one of the best companies on the road, giving a first class entertainment, a good night's enjoyment may be had by attending the opera house on Tuesday night next.

THEY WORKED WONDERS.

Two Years of Bladder Torment—Had Attacks of Inflammation—Cured by a Few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Owen Sound, Dec. 28.—(Special)—The people of this town are talking again of another cure credited to Dodd's Kidney Pills. This is the case of Mr. W. Cruse, caretaker of the town buildings, who, when seen, had this to say of the matter:

"For over two years I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease, with occasional acute attacks of inflammation of the bladder.

"Was under doctors' treatment and have been compelled to resort to instrumental relief many times.

"I have taken eighteen boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and am satisfied with results, being perfectly relieved of all suffering."

T. Fitzgerald's Wood and Coal Yard.

All customers kindly leave orders at once and avoid the rush Thursday, as I cannot deliver Christmas Day.

THE McGILL STUDENTS WERE WELL RECEIVED.

TENDERED A RECEPTION AFTER THE CONCERT.

The Huffman House Ball Room a Blaze of Light and Beauty—The Social Event of the Season.

The visit of the McGill University Glee and Banjo Club proved quite an event in Peterborough's social circles. The concert was patronized by the elite of the town, who afterwards repaired to the Huffman House where a reception was held, which was quite the most enjoyable affair of this nature which has been held in Peterborough in years.

The club is composed of the following artists:

GLEE CLUB.

Conductor—Mr. Ed. Broome.
Leader—P. T. Moore.
1st Tenors—R. Paul, P. C. DuBuyse, Arts, '97; W. F. Connal, Sc. '97; R. T. Gough, Sc. '99.
2nd Tenors—A. A. Bowman, Sc. '99; A. F. Byers, Sc. '00; R. U. Patterson, Med. '98; J. T. Farmer, B.Sc.
1st Bass—P. T. Moore, Arts '98; G. M. Hillary, Sc. '98; W. A. Duff, B. A. Sc.; T. F. Therrien, Arts '00; A. Lamb, Med. '99.
2nd Bass—C. T. Morison, L.D.S.; M. N. Burke, Arts '99; R. A. Henderson, Sc. '99; N. M. McLeod, Sc. '98.

BANJO CLUB.

Instructor—Mr. J. H. Parker.
Leader—W. F. Carter, B.A.Sc.
Banjeaurines—W. F. Carter, B. A. Sc.; H. H. Hilboro, Sc. '97; W. F. Brown, Med. '99, J. H. Parker.
Banjos—J. A. Fairie, Med. '98; F. E. Leach, Sc. '97; W. W. Colpitts, Sc. '99; E. J. Brown, Med. '97.
Mandolins—A. E. Rutherford, Med.; D. T. Wood, Med. '98.
Guitars—F. W. J. McKibbin, Sec. '97; R. E. McConnell, Arts, '98.
Violincello—W. A. Wilkins, Med. '98.
Reader—Mr. T. L. Packard, Sc. '97.

THE PROGRAMME

was excellently presented, opening with a grand chorus, "The Students of McGill," in which every member of the club participated. During the evening the Glee and Banjo Clubs rendered respectively a number of selections which were greatly enjoyed, being something entirely out of the usual line of concert entertainments.

Mr. Roland Paul, who accompanied the club, has a fine robust tenor voice, and his solo work during the evening was finely executed, his selections being Lane's "Black Eyes," and Balfe's "Come into the Garden, Maud." Mr. Fred McKibbon, of town, who is connected with the club, as well as Mr. Will Connal, took part in several banjo and guitar quartettes, which numbers were all rapturously encored, as in fact was nearly every number on the programme. Mr. F. L. Packard's "habitant" recitation has never been excelled on the local stage and Mr. Therriens' heavier work in the same line was a number deserving of the highest praise. Mr. Parker, the instructor of the Banjo Club, was fully appreciated in his solo selections and Mr. P. T. Moore's comic songs were

ALSO WELL RENDERED.

The entire entertainment was something so unique that the memory of it will live long in Peterborough.

The majority of those in attendance at the concert repaired at its conclusion to the Huffman House where a reception was held for the students under the management of the local students at the University, being Messrs. Fred McKibbon, Will Connal, Thos. Ferguson, Will Davidson, James and Milt. Hamilton, Court King and Harold Burnham. They were a most efficient committee and the manner in which the arrangements were carried out reflected great credit on the boys.

The patronesses were Mrs. C. Fessenden, Mrs. B. M. Dennistoun, Mrs. J. R. Stratton, Mrs. J. Burnham, Mrs. King, Mrs. S. McKibbin, Mrs. D. Landy, Mrs. R. S. Davidson, Mrs. Boucher, Mrs. Richard Hall, Mrs. W. G. Ferguson, Mrs. W. H. Moore, Mrs. R. B. Rogers and Mrs. R. D. Hamilton.

The Huffman House ballroom and dining room were gorgeously decorated for the occasion with festoons of bunting and flags. On the walls were such mottoes as "Welcome McGill," "Science," "Medicine," "Law," "Arts," etc. The ballroom never looked prettier, and as over two hundred dancers were on the floor the scene was one which impressed itself on the memories of all present. The fact that a number of society rosebuds were present and made their debut added eclat to the occasion.

The Misses Harley furnished the music for dancing.

The visiting students cannot speak too highly of the manner in which they were entertained in Peterborough. At the Huffman House the grand New Year's dinner was delayed until their arrival, and the boys captured all the menu cards to carry off as souvenirs of the event. The diningroom management was all that could possibly be desired. Amongst the invited guests present at the ball were:

THE GUESTS.

Miss Archer, S. Adams.
Mr. and Mrs. John Burnham, Mr. and Mrs. W. Boucher, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bradburn, the Misses Burnham, Mrs. F. Burnham, Misses Beicher, Miss Beck, Miss Barlee, Miss Blackely, (Hamilton,) Miss Boucher, Miss Bolster, Miss Bryson, Miss Burton, Miss Irene Brignoll, J. H. Burnham, W. B. Buchanan, C. Bradburn, T. Burnham.
The Misses Carnegie, Miss Bessie Connal, Misses Collins, Misses Calcutt, Miss Cameron, Miss Campbell, Miss Cumming, C. Collins, G. Cumming.
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dennistoun, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Davidson, Miss L. Davidson, Miss J. Davidson, Miss Laura Davidson, Misses Deane, Miss V. Dover, Miss F. Davidson, Dickson Davidson.
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Mr. and Mrs. W. Graham (Ottawa), Mr. and Mrs. Grant, Miss Girouard.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hall, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hamilton, Dr. and Mrs. Halliday, Miss Halliday, Miss Howden (Port Hope), Miss Lillian Hall, Miss Marion Hall, Miss L. Hall, Miss A. Hall, Miss A. Hall, Miss A. Hamilton, Miss Hutchinson (Hamilton), Miss Henderson (Lindsay), W. Hall, J. Herbert Hall.
Mr. W. L. Innes.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Jeffreys.
Dr. and Mrs. King, Mr. and Mrs. Kirby (Ottawa), Misses Kingan, F. D. Kerr, L. King.
Mr. and Mrs. D. Landy, Misses Lewis (Montreal), Miss Landy, F. LaFevre.
Mrs. F. McKibbin, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Macdonald, Misses McKee (Stratford), Misses Moore, Misses McCollum, Miss Meade, Misses Edith and Nellie McKee, Miss Manson, Miss Ada McBain, Miss Murdoch, Miss McKay (Hamilton), W. J. Montgomery, F. MacNee, R. McWilliams, V. McWilliams, F. D. McKay, A. L. Mudge, E. V. Moore, —Mullins.
Miss Owen (Campbellford).

Miss Lily Peegie, Miss Peterson, Miss Peterson, W. B. Parker, J. Peel, F. H. Pope.
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Rogers, Misses Robinson, the Misses Rogers, Miss Alice Rogers, Miss Rackham, Mrs. Geo. Rubidge, D. K. Rogers, Guy Rogers, F. Rogers.
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sherwood, Mrs. Stapleton, Misses Stratton, Misses Sherwood, Miss Smith, Miss Robertson, Miss Stapleton, G. Stephens, W. Sadler, W. A. Stratton, S. Smith, A. Smith.
F. Tytler (Lindsay), Miss H. Taylor, Alf. Terrill.
Misses Wood (Montreal), Miss Walton.
Also the following members of the McGill Faculty and their wives:
Principal Peterson, Dean Johnston, Dean Bovey, Dean Crank, Dean Davidson and Dean MacEachran.
In the "wee sma hours" when the programme drew to a close the club gathered in the rotunda of the hotel, and as the ladies grouped themselves on the stairs they were gallantly serenaded. The picture was one which would have delighted the eye of an artist and can be more easily imagined than described.

Compliments of the season to our many customers and friends.
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—THE—
Mayoralty Contest.
MR. YELLAND'S
COMMITTEE ROOMS.
The Committee Rooms of Mr. Yelland are over the Fur Store of Messrs. Loch & Sons, George Street, and will be open this evening and every evening thereafter till the close of the contest.
WM. YELLAND.

DAY AND EVENING CLASSES
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It will be to the advantage of those who intend attending, either for a Shorthand or Commercial course, to enter at the beginning of the term.
HOURS—Day Lessons, same as Public Schools Evening Lessons, 7 to 9 p.m.
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OPERA HOUSE
TUESDAY, JANUARY 5
"Laugh, and the World Laughs With You."
RICH & HAEDER'S COMEDIANS
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By M. GRATTAN DONNELLY.
Bristling full of fun, music and laughable situations.
ADMISSION—25c, 35c and 50c.
First four rows reserved seats 75c.

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"They are a Creation, They Do Not Grow."
To-day we shew a fine line of these goods in "Silver Mounted" Congo woods — the "Prince of Wales" being the favourite pattern.
Prices will be from $1.00 to $2.00.
What a nice idea for a Gentleman's Present.
To help the over-taxed pocket of Christmas shoppers we place on sale in our window a fine assortment of Christmas Novelties in
—Rings
—Bangle Pins
—Bracelets
—Enamel Spoons
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Dress Goods.
Fancy Tweed Dress Goods, were 35c, reduced to 25c.
All Wool Tweed Dress Goods, were 50c reduced to 30c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were 75c reduced to 50c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were $1, reduced to 85c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were $1.25, reduced to $1.
10 pieces Plain Coating Dress Goods, were 65c to 75c, reduced to 50c.
6 ends Plain Dress Goods, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
6 ends Plaid Dress Goods, were 40c, reduced to 30c.
8 ends Plaid Dress Goods, were 20c, reduced to 15c.
50 remnants of Black Silks, suitable for skirts and waists, away down in price.
All Black Jet Trimmings at 25 per cent off—this is a rare chance.
Steels 5c. set. Hooks and Eyes 1c. a card.
10 shades of Silk Velvets, 75c quality, going at 50c.

Handkerchiefs, Gloves and Hosiery
Our 25c Embroidered Handkerchiefs, reduced to 20c.
75 Coloured Border Lawn Handkerchiefs, were 10c, reduced to 5c.
20 only left of the 10c All Silk Handkerchiefs, reduced to 5c.
10 doz. more Boys' heavy ribbed wool Hose, will go at 25c.
Ladies' heavy ribbed Cashmere Hose, will go at 25c.
25 Felt Gaiters, for ladies, were $1.40, will go at 89c.

Underwear, Corsets and Skirts.
5 heavy Skirts, were $1, will go at 70c.
5 heavy Skirts, were $1.50, will go at $1 29
2 heavy Skirts, were $2.25, will go at $1.79.
Ladies' Combination Suits, were $2.75, will go at $1.99.
Ladies' Combination Suits, were $3, will go at $2.25.
Ladies' All Wool Vests, were 50c, will go at 40c.

Jackets and Capes.
Special Fur-lined Cloaks, were $15 and $18, will go at $10.
Special Ladies' Ulsters, were $10, will go at $5.
Jackets were $3.50, will go at $2.
Jackets were $5, will go at $3.25.
Jackets were $8, will go at $5.50.
Capes were $6, $8, $11, $15, will go at $4, $5.50, $7.50 and $10.

Staple Department.
1000 yds Heavy Cotonade, was 35c, will go at 25c.
500 yds Check Gingham, was 8c, will go at 5c.
Feather Ticking, Flannels and Table Linens at sale prices.
2000 yds Heavy Grey Cotton, 7c quality will go at 5c.

Men's Furnishings.
Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
Men's Silk Neck Ties, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
Men's Collars, were 18c, reduced to 10c

Carpets and Housefurnishings.
A clearing must be done in this department to make room for new spring goods 1st February. Everything must go.

Millinery.
Great sacrifice here as everywhere must be sold.
This is a bona-fide sale. Our loss will be your gain. The goods must be converted into cash. Everyone come.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Suitable.

What more suitable for a Holiday present than one of China Hall's lovely $10.00 dinner sets?

Y. W. C. A. Notes

Regular board meeting in Y. W. C. A. Rooms on Monday at 3 30 p.m. All members are earnestly requested to attend.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 25 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Through the Ice.

A little lad named Robert Hackett went through the ice on Whyte's pond this morning, but fortunately the accident occurred where the water was shallow and no harm resulted.

Grand Flower Social.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the C.L.A. will hold their annual Flower Social on Wednesday evening, January 13 h, in the Catholic Association rooms. Butcher's orchestra in attendance. Also cards and games. Tickets including supper, 50 cents. 9d

Have You Seen It?

The little store around the corner south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 426 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—MRS. APPLEBY. dw

Riverside Skating Rink.

This rink is now open and is in excellent shape for skating. The price of season tickets has been placed at: Gentlemen, $1; ladies, 75; children, 50c. This rink covers an area of over an acre, and a skate here can be thoroughly enjoyed.

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Egg, Stove or Chestnut	$5 50 per ton
No. 2 Nut	5 00 "
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Beaten all Records.

The applications received by the Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada for the year 1896 amounted to the grand total of $11,105,000 00. This is over $1,000,000 in advance of the figures touched in any one year by any other Canadian Life Company. This is surely a record this company may well be proud of.

Solemn Requiem Mass To-day.

A solemn requiem high mass was chanted at St. Peter's Cathedral this morning for the repose of the soul of the late Richard Nagle, Esq., of Ottawa. The mass was sung by Ven. Archdeacon Casey, assisted by Rev. Fathers Scanlan and O'Sullivan, as deacon and sub deacon, respectively.

Skating on the Lake.

The lake is in first class condition. Don't forget to come and skate to-morrow, and also make it one of your first good resolutions for the new year to get your groceries from E. BROWN & Co.; best always on hand. Also fresh fish every day. Don't forget the address.—E. BROWN & Co., 394 George street.

Holiday Photographs.

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The President's Victory.

Mr. H. LeBrun, president of the Thistles, has reason to be proud of his victory yesterday—the first time a president's team has won against a vice-president. Mr. LeBrun's personal score was a fine one, and he marshalled his rink to victory. It was a great day for the French—Waterloo avenged—yesterday was Jean Bantiste's day. Canada with a French Premier and Peterborough with a French premier curling president make a happy blending. Bonjour, la Canada Francaise!

A Pleasant Evening.

At the close of the meeting of Peterborough Lodge, I.O.O.F., on Thursday evening, when the second degree was conferred on two members, Dr. Clarke, the Lodge physician, invited the members into the ante room to partake of a supper, which Caterer Long had provided under his instruction for the occasion. After discussing the refreshments a pleasant hour was spent in social converse, when a number of the members expressed the high opinion in which Dr. Clarke was held by the Lodge.

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WEEK OF PRAYER.

All over Christendom the various churches unite in a week of special prayer at the beginning of the new year. The meetings commence on Monday, January 4th. In Peterborough it will be observed as follows:

Monday, St. Andrew's church; subject, "Church and Missions"; speaker, Rev. A. T. Dykeman.

Tuesday, Charlotte street church; Subject, "The Home"; speaker, Rev. J. G. Potter.

Tuesday, Ashburnham Methodist church; subject, "The Home"; speaker, Rev. Dr. Torrance.

Wednesday, George street church; subject, "Charitable Institutions"; speaker, Rev. J. J. Rae.

Thursday, St. Paul's church; subject, "Educational Institutions"; speaker, Rev. W. R. Young.

Friday, Murray street Baptist church; subject, "Social Reform"; speaker, Rev. W. C. Beer.

The meetings will begin at 8 o'clock sharp. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody.

PERSONAL

Mrs. A. H. Stratton is visiting with friends in Montreal.

Miss Laura Belleghem is spending a couple of weeks in Cobourg.

Miss Potter, of Kingston, will sing a solo in St. Andrew's church to-morrow night.

Miss Leta Skitch, of Lindsay, is the guest of Miss Edna Stanger, George street.

Miss Phoebe Owen, of Campbellford, is visiting at Mrs. W. Menzies, 291 Rubidge street.

Miss Lillie Gamble, of Port Hope, is spending a few days with Miss Gillespie, George street.

Miss Marion Sherwood has returned to town after a visit of several months duration in Detroit.

Mr. F. J. Rogers, manager of the Bank of Montreal, is in Montreal, spending New Years with friends.

Miss Eva Denne, who is taking a course in nursing at the Kingstone Hospital, is seriously ill of diphtheria.

Miss Edith Owen, of Campbellford, is the guest of Misses Edith and Nellie McKee at the Huffman House.

The Rev. R. E. Spence, of Victoria University, will preach in Mark street church, Ashburnham, to morrow evening.

Mr. Duncan Walker, the newly appointed Inspector of Public Schools, arrived in town to-day to assume his duties.

Mr. W. J. Drope, of Grimsby, formerly of the local Collegiate Institute staff, is in town for a day or two and is being welcomed back by his many friends.

Mr. James Bellwood, of Richmond, Virginia, spent New Years in Peterborough with friends. It is about 17 years since Mr. Bellwood left Peterborough and his many friends were pleased to see him pay them a visit again.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The lucky number which draws Fairweather & Co.'s wheel is 2166.

—All George street school pupils will return there on Monday next to receive notice of promotion.

—Rev. Walter Roger will speak to young men at the meeting in Y. M. C. A. Hall Sunday at 4:15 p. m.

—Dr. Moher having declined election for a separate school trustee. There will consequently be no election.

—The Y. M. C. A. desire to thank all who in any way assisted at their New Year's reception to young men.

—The prettiest children's wool coats and bonnets to match, in town are on sale at Mrs. Appleby's fancy goods store, 426 Water street. 3d152

—As Monday, January 4th, is the W. C. T. U. day of prayer, a prayer service will be held at Mrs. George Paton's from 2:30 till 4:30. All pastors and people made welcome to this prayer service, 292 Brock street.

—The musical farce comedy, "A Pair of Jacks," will be the attraction at the opera house next Tuesday night. As this is one of the best companies on the road, giving a first class entertainment, a good night's enjoyment may be had by attending the opera house on Tuesday night next.

THEY WORKED WONDERS.

Two Years of Bladder Torment—Had Attacks of Inflammation—Cured by a Few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Owen Sound, Dec. 28.—(Special)—The people of this town are talking again of another cure credited to Dodd's Kidney Pills. This is the case of Mr. W. Cruse, caretaker of the town buildings, who, when seen, had this to say of the matter: "For over two years I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease, with occasional acute attacks of inflammation of the bladder.

"Was under doctors' treatment and have been compelled to resort to instrumental relief many times.

"I have taken eighteen boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and am satisfied with results, being perfectly relieved of all suffering."

T. Fitzgerald's Wood and Coal Yard.

All customers kindly leave orders at once and avoid the rush Thursday, as I cannot deliver Christmas Day.

THE McGILL STUDENTS WERE WELL RECEIVED.

TENDERED A RECEPTION AFTER THE CONCERT.

The Huffman House Ball Room a Blaze of Light and Beauty—The Social Event of the Season.

The visit of the McGill University Glee and Banjo Club proved quite an event in Peterborough's social circles. The concert was patronized by the elite of the town, who afterwards repaired to the Huffman House where a reception was held, which was quite the most enjoyable affair of this nature which has been held in Peterborough in years.

The club is composed of the following artists:

GLEE CLUB.

Conductor—Mr. Ed. Broome.
Leader—P. T. Moore.
1st Tenors—R. Paul, P. G. DuBoyce, Arts, '97; W. F. Connal, Sc. '97; R. T. Gough, Sc. '99.
2nd Tenors—A. A. Bowman, Sc. '99; A. F. Byers, Sc. '00; R. U. Patterson, Med. '98; J. T. Farmer, B.Sc.
1st Bass—P. T. Moore, Arts '98; G. M. Hillary, Sc. '98; W. A. Duff, B. A. Sc.; T. F. Therrien, Arts '00; A. Lamb, Med. '98.
2nd Bass—C. T. Morison, L.D.S.; M. N. Barke, Arts '99; R. A. Henderson, Sc. '99; N. M. McLeod, Sc. '98.

BANJO CLUB.

Instructor—Mr. J. H. Parker.
Leader—W. F. Carter, B.A.Sc.
Banjeaurines—W. F. Carter, B. A. Sc.; H. H. Hilborn, Sc. '97; W. F. Brown, Med. '99, J. H. Parker.
Banjos—J. A. Fairie, Med. '98; F. E. Leach, Sc. '97; W. W. Colpitts, Sc. '99; E. J. Brown, Med. '97.
Mandolins—A. E. Rutherford, Med.; D. T. Wood, Med. '98.
Guitars—F. W. J. McKibbin, Sec. '97; R. E. McConnell, Arts, '98.
Violincello—W. A. Wilkins, Med. '98.
Reader—Mr. T. L. Packard, Sc. '97.

THE PROGRAMME

was excellently presented, opening with a grand chorus, "The Students of McGill," in which every member of the club participated. During the evening the Glee and Banjo Clubs rendered respectively a number of selections which were greatly enjoyed, being something entirely out of the usual line of concert entertainments.

Mr. Roland Paul, who accompanied the club, has a fine robust tenor voice, and his solo work during the evening was finely executed, his selections being Lane's "Black Eyes," and Balfe's "Come into the Garden, Maud." Mr. Fred McKibbon, of town, who is connected with the club, as well as Mr. Will Connal, took part in several banjo and guitar quartettes, which numbers were all rapturously encored, as in fact was nearly every number on the programme. Mr. F. L. Packard's "habitant" recitation has never been excelled on the local stage and Mr. Therriens' heavier work in the same line was a number deserving of the highest praise. Mr. Parker, the instructor of the Banjo Club, was fully appreciated in his solo selections and Mr. P. T. Moore's comic songs were

ALSO WELL RENDERED.

The entire entertainment was something so unique that the memory of it will live long in Peterborough.

The majority of those in attendance at the concert repaired at its conclusion to the Huffman House where a reception was held for the students under the management of the local students at the University, being Messrs. Fred McKibbon, Will Connal, Thos. Ferguson, Will Davidson, James and Milt. Hamilton, Court King and Harold Burnham. They were a most efficient committee and the manner in which the arrangements were carried out reflected great credit on the boys.

The patronesses were Mrs. C. Fessenden, Mrs. R. M. Dennistoun, Mrs. J. R. Stratton, Mrs. J. Burnham, Mrs. King, Mrs. S. McKibbin, Mrs. D. Lundy, Mrs. R. S. Davidson, Mrs. Boucher, Mrs. Richard Hall, Mrs. W. G. Ferguson, Mrs. W. H. Moore, Mrs. R. B. Rogers and Mrs. R. D. Hamilton.

The Huffman House ballroom and dining room were gorgeously decorated for the occasion with festoons of bunting and flags. On the walls were such mottos as "Welcome McGill," "Science," "Medicine," "Law," "Arts," etc. The ballroom never looked prettier, and as over two hundred dancers were on the floor the scene was one which impressed itself on the memories of all present. The fact that a number of society rosebuds were present and made their debut added eclat to the occasion.

The Misses Harley furnished the music for dancing.

The visiting students cannot speak too highly of the manner in which they were entertained in Peterborough. At the Huffman House the grand New Year's dinner was delayed until their arrival, and the boys captured all the menu cards to carry off as souvenirs of the event. The diningroom management was all that could possibly be desired. Amongst the invited guests present at the ball were:

THE GUESTS.

Miss Archer, S. Adams.
Mr. and Mrs. John Burnham, Mr. and Mrs. W. Boucher, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bradburn, the Misses Burnham, Mrs. F. Burnham, Misses Belcher, Miss Beck, Miss Barlee, Miss Blackely, (Hamilton,) Miss Boucher, Miss Bolster, Miss Bryson, Miss Burton, Miss Irene Briguoll, J. H. Burnham, W. B. Buchanan, C. Bradburn, T. Burnham.
The Misses Carnegie, Miss Bessie Connal, Misses Collins, Misses Calcutt, Miss Cameron, Miss Campbell, Miss Cumming, C. Collins, G. Cumming.
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dennistoun, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Davidson, Miss L. Davidson, Miss J. Davidson, Miss Laura Davidson, Misses Denne, Miss V. Dover, Miss F. Davidson, Dickson Davidson.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Fessenden, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ferguson, Miss Kate Ferguson, R. J. Fife.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Graham (Ottawa), Mr. and Mrs. Grant, Miss Girouard.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hall, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hamilton, Dr. and Mrs. Halliday, Miss Halliday, Miss Howden (Port Hope), Miss Lillian Hall, Miss Marion Hall, Miss L. Hall, Miss A. Hall, Miss A. Hall, Miss A. Hamilton, Miss Hutchinson (Hamilton), Miss Henderson (Lindsay), W. Hall, J. Herbert Hall.
Mr. W. L. Innes.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Jeffreys.
Dr. and Mrs. King, Mr. and Mrs. Kirby (Ottawa), Misses Kingan, F. D. Kerr, L. King.
Mr. and Mrs. D. Lundy, Misses Lewis (Montreal), Miss Lundy, F. LaFevre.
Mrs. F. McKibbin, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Macdonald, Misses McKee (Stratford), Misses Moore, Misses McCollum, Miss Meade, Misses Edith and Nellie McKee, Miss Manson, Miss Ada McBain, Miss Murdoch, Miss McKay (Hamilton), W. J. Montgomery, F. MacNee, R. McWilliams, V. McWilliams, F. D. McKay, A. L. Madge, E. V. Moore, —Mullins.
Miss Owen (Campbellford).
Miss Lily Pearce, Miss Pennette, Miss Peterson, W. D. Parker, J. Puff, F. H. Pope.
Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Rogers, Misses Robinson, the Misses Rogers, Miss Alice Rogers, Miss Rackham, Mrs. Geo. Rubidge, D. M. Rogers, Gay Rogers, P. Roper.
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sherwood, Mrs. Stapleton, Misses Stratton, Misses Sherwood, Miss Smith, Miss Robertson, Miss Stapleton, G. Stephens, W. Sadler. W. A. Stratton, S. Smith. A. Smith.
F. Tytler (Lindsay), Miss H. Taylor, Alf. Terrill.
Misses Wood (Montreal), Miss Walton.
Also the following members of the McGill Faculty and their wives:
Principal Peterson, Dean Johnston, Dean Bovey, Dean Craik, Dean Davidson and Dean McEachran.

In the "wee sma hours" when the programme drew to a close the club gathered in the rotunda of the hotel, and as the ladies grouped themselves on the stairs they were gallantly serenaded. The picture was one which would have delighted the eye of an artist and can be more easily imagined than described.

Compliments of the season to our many customers and friends.
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—THE—

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MR. YELLAND'S COMMITTEE ROOMS.

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WM. YELLAND.

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—AT THE—
Peterborough Business College
—RE-OPEN—
MONDAY, JAN. 4th, 1897

It will be to the advantage of those who purpose attending, either for a Shorthand or Commercial course, to enter at the beginning of the term.

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To help the overtaxed pocket of Christmas shoppers we place on sale in our window a fine assortment of Christmas Novelties in

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Dress Goods.

Fancy Tweed Dress Goods, were 35c, reduced to 25c.
All Wool Tweed Dress Goods, were 50c reduced to 30c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were 75c reduced to 59c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were $1, reduced to 85c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were $1.25, reduced to $1.
10 pieces Plain Coating Dress Goods, were 65c to 75c, reduced to 50c.
6 ends Plain Dress Goods, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
6 ends Plaid Dress Goods, were 40c, reduced to 30c.
3 ends Plaid Dress Goods, were 20c, reduced to 15c.
50 remnants of Black Silks, suitable for skirts and waists, away down in price.
25 remnants of Fancy Silks, suitable for trimmings or waists, away down in price.
All Black Jet Trimmings at 25 per cent off—this is a rare chance.
Steels 5c. set. Hooks and Eyes 1c. a card.
10 shades of Silk Velvets, 75c quality, going at 50c.

Handkerchiefs, Gloves and Hosiery

Our 25c Embroidered Handkerchiefs, reduced to 20c.
75 Coloured Border Lawn Handkerchiefs, were 10c, reduced to 5c.
20 only left of the 10c All Silk Handkerchiefs, reduced to 5c.
10 doz. more Boys' heavy ribbed wool Hose, will go at 25c.
Ladies' heavy ribbed Cashmere Hose, will go at 25c.
25 Felt Gaiters, for ladies, were $1.40, will go at 89c.

Underwear, Corsets and Skirts.

5 heavy Skirts, were $1, will go at 79c.
5 heavy Skirts, were $1.50, will go at $1.20
2 heavy Skirts, were $2.25, will go at $1.79.
Ladies' Combination Suits, were $2.75, will go at $1.99.
Ladies' Combination Suits, were $3, will go at $2.25.
Ladies' All Wool Vests, were 50c, will go at 40c.

Jackets and Capes.

Special Fur-lined Cloaks, were $15 and $18, will go at $10.
Special Ladies' Ulsters, were $10, will go at $5.
Jackets were $3.50, will go at $2.
Jackets were $5, will go at $3.25.
Jackets were $8, will go at $5.60.
Capes were $6, $8, $11, $15, will go at $4, $5.50, $7.80 and $10.

Staple Department.

1000 yds Heavy Cottonade, was 25c, will go at 23c.
500 yds Check Gingham, was 8c, will go at 5c.
Feather Ticking, Flannels and Table Linens at sale prices.
2000 yds Heavy Grey Cotton, 7c quality will go at 5c.

Men's Furnishings.

Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
Men's Silk Neck Ties, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
Men's Collars, were 18c, reduced to 10c

Carpets and Housefurnishings.

A clearing must be done in this department to make room for new spring goods 1st February. Everything must go.

Millinery.

Great sacrifice here as everywhere must be sold.
This is a bona-fide sale. Our loss will be your gain. The goods must be converted into cash. Everyone come.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

It's Dollar Harvest Time

During this Dissolution Sale.

And the sale is to last until January 1st, when our senior partner will retire. At that date, we will need as much cash as possible. To obtain this cash is of the first importance. Therefore, in order to sell the goods, we have reduced the prices until now you can buy the best Dry Goods sold in the Dominion at about half the prices formerly obtained, and at prices which are far lower than those asked for trashy Dry Goods. This is a plain statement and a very honest sale. It is not an excuse to boom business. It is a movement which is recognized in the business world as decidedly legitimate. It is one which will vastly benefit you in your purchasing for the Holiday times, and we are sure that you will take advantage of it.

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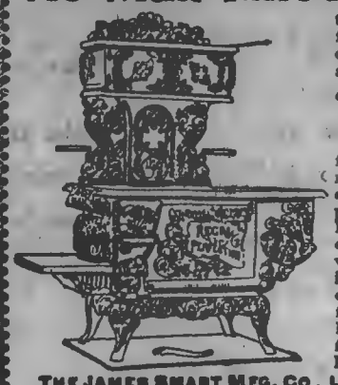

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Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 2, 1897.

MAYORALTY CONTEST NOTES.

His worship Mayor Yelland has received a card of the season's congratulations from their Excellencies Lord and Lady Aberdeen, who evently have not forgotten the courtesies received at the hands of the Mayor, as representative of the people, during their visit to Peterborough last fall.

Their Excellencies are informed that the address need not be changed for their next year's card of Holiday greeting.

All the appearances indicate that the address of the mayor of Peterborough during the year of grace 1897 will be "His Worship, Mayor Yelland.

Mr. Yelland is a generous opponent—he fights hard, but he fights fairly. At the nomination meeting he gave Mr. Moore credit for what he had done, but he also held him to responsibility for any mistakes which had been made. Mr. Moore was not so generous. He consumed nearly an hour in picking flaws in Mr. Yelland's record, and didn't even draw blood.

The January thaw is a bad thing for Mr. Yelland. According to Mr. Moore the mayor is to blame because there is no snow to draw stone for the poor to break this winter. Mr. Yelland was guilty of the heinous offence of wishing to save the town's money by having the stone drawn more cheaply in the winter than on wheels.

Every mechanic and every man of affairs knows that the first week even the best mechanic is not as useful as he is after he has got into the ways of the shop. On the same principle a mayor is naturally not as useful the first year as he is after he has had an experience of one year, and that is the reason why in the past in Peterborough a mayor has been granted a second term without putting him to the trouble of a contest. Mayor Yelland has got himself into harness and shows that he can do effective work. It is to the interest of the town that a man who has got accustomed to the office and arrived at the period of greater usefulness, should again be returned.

He has a good record as mayor and the interests of the town will be served by re-electing him. He is a practical and progressive man. Under his mayoralty there has been abundant work for the unemployed and if he is again elected he will provide more—something that is needed till these hard times are succeeded by the better, which are coming.

Mr. Yelland is in favour of that great thing to be desired, permanent improvement in our streets. We want the work done well so that it will last and not cost more for everlasting patchwork than for the original construction.

And who is best qualified to see that work is done properly, a practical man accustomed to practical work or a gentleman who has only literary or clerical ability?

A spoke-shave in the hands of a practical man gives better promise of practical results than a goose-quill in the hands of the cleverest lawyer in Canada.

Mr. Yelland is in favour of the encouragement of new industries as a pressing need of the town if she should retain the foremost position she now holds.

This is a town of workingmen, and the best man for mayor is a practical workingman, who is honest, straightforward, direct, whose word is as good as his bond, who will do what he says—is not afraid to carry out what he believes is right—such a man is best for all classes of citizens.

There are very few that feel the need of an ornamental mayor. If one sent for a plumber and he came to the house dressed in broadcloth, his hands encased in kid gloves, you would expect to have trouble with your water pipes if you entrusted your work to him.

Mr. Moore criticises Mr. Yelland because the latter favoured a movement to postpone the date when a ratepayer should be fined for failure to pay his taxes. Mr. Yelland is not accustomed to law processes in the collection of taxes. He has paid taxes for over forty years in Peterborough, and at times it was no doubt a hard pull, therefore he can sympathise with others, and it is singular that he should be blamed for showing mercy to the poorer ratepayers.

To make the grievous burden of taxpayment as light as possible Mr. Yelland favours the payment of the taxes in instalment, one-half earlier in the season and one later.

Isn't that better for the poor man as well as the business man, than screwing out the whole tax bill at once by legal process—following up the bill with the bailiff?

Mr. Yelland wants Central Park put into better shape, and he believes in making the Dominion Government, who has the use of part of it, pay its share.

One sentence from Mr. Yelland's address to the electors furnishes a key to his character as well as a plea for his return as Mayor. It is this:

"It is true that I am a plain every-day citizen, who have gained all my substantial interests in the town by the labour of my own hands, but I have yet to learn that honest citizens regard that as a reason why they should withdraw the confidence I have enjoyed the past year."

And as Mr. Yelland further says the town does not require an orator or ornamental mayor.

We want a mayor of practical business experience, learned from forty-five years more or less direct contact with the growth of the town and its developing requirements—one more familiar with business than briefs—one more familiar with labour than law.

Will the workingmen of Peterborough vote for a journeyman or an apprentice to the office of mayor? Both candidates have experience in the council, but only one in the mayor's chair, and according to custom he is entitled to a second term.

The duty of the elector lies in the interests of the town, and the interest of the town lies in marking your ballot for Wm. Yelland as mayor of Peterborough for 1897.

JANUARY BULLETIN!

To-day we start our Annual January Clearing Sale of **END LENGTHS** and **REMNANTS**, consisting of short pieces of superior **TWEEDS**, suitable for Boy's Clothing or Gentlemen's Trousers.

Also all our Fashionable High-Class **WINTER GOODS, ETC.**

This sale should prove specially interesting to purchasers, because the little lots that linger will be so reduced as to make them go out in short order.

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Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are purely vegetable and act upon the liver without disturbance to the system, diet or occupation. 10 cents a vial.;

They are system renovators, blood purifiers, and builders; every gland and tissue in the whole anatomy is benefited and stimulated in the use of them. 40 doses in a vial, 10 cents. Sold by H. S. McDonald.

THE COUNCIL'S LAST MEETING FOR 1896.

A VOLUMINOUS REPORT ON PERMANENT ROADS.

The Business of the Year Wound up on Thursday Evening Last by the Council of 1896—Four New Electric Lights—One in Each Ward.

At the meeting of the council Thursday night the Mayor presided and every member was in his seat.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and referred as follows:

From James Condon, asking refund of eating house license.—Referred to Licence Committee.

From Benjamin Johnston, asking remission of taxes.—Referred to Court of Revision.

From Margaret O'Mara, asking for remission of taxes.—Referred to Court of Revision.

From W. H. Anthony, asking remission of dog tax.—Granted on his taking the necessary declaration.

From John Lynch, asking for refund of dog tax—Referred to Court of Revision.

From Frank Brown, asking for remission of statute labour.—Referred to Court of Revision.

From Mrs. Carson, asking for correction in assessment.—Referred to Committee of Revision.

From P. H. Green, asking for the placing of an electric light at corner of Reid and Smith streets.—Received.

Accounts were received and referred to the Finance Committee as follows:

A. McDonald	$ 8 25
J. E. Belcher	167 90
Thomas Rutherford	11 50
Tees Caswell Co.	5 15
Robert Fair	4 50
Light & Power Co.	1 80
Times	4 50
Salisbury & Co	3 83
W. Scoles	6 50
R. H. Kells & Co.	2 50
E. Cumming	50 00
John Nugent	2 60
A. Peters	1 00
John Armstrong	7 50
H. M. Nesbitt	4 00
J. Smith	2 00
James Hogue	15 35
Adam Hall	14 36
J. W. Brislin	4 00
G. H. Noble	7 75
Peterborough Hardware Co.	5 47
Fortye & Harper	13 94
A. J. Warne	10 00
T. Fitzgerald	4 50
T. J. Michiel	16 35
D. Bellingham	7 00
W. G. Fowler & Co.	17 65
J. Smith	2 00
Peterborough Hardware Co.	2 07
Mrs. Dunford	1 00

Councillors Phelan and Moore moved the payment of one month's salary to the late collector of taxes.

Councillor Moore explained that the collector's year expired in October first, but she remained in the office for another month until another collector was appointed. Therefore another month's salary was due here.

The motion carried.

On motion an account of $32.00 for manhole pans were ordered to be paid.

THE STREET AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE

through its chairman, Councillor Langford, reported as follows:

1. That the amount of work done on streets and bridges during the year in the four wards was as follows:

NO. ONE WARD.

Filling approaches to bridge on George street, and raising grade of George street between King and Rink streets		
160 cords of stone	$ 266 25	
5,673 yards of gravel	1575 00	
Spreading gravel	184 00	
		$ 2,025 00
Grading, breaking stone and foaming on George street from Lake to King	543 00	
Building bridge on George street	2700 00	
Building pier	185 00	
		3,428 00
		$ 5,453 25
Work on streets	$ 305 50	
Work on new sidewalks	195 00	
New crossings	185 00	
Repairing sidewalks, cleaning streets, shovelling snow, etc.	350 00	
		1,835 50

NO. 2 WARD.

Work on streets	$ 831 00
Sidewalks and crossings	208 00
Repairing sidewalks	350 00
Cleaning streets, shovelling snow, etc.	200 00
	1,939 00

NO. 3 WARD.

Work on streets	$ 936 00
Building bridge on McDonel street	226 00
New sidewalks	961 00
New crossings	232 00
Repairing sidewalks, cleaning streets, shovelling snow, etc.	275 00
	2,637 00

NO. 4 WARD.

Work on streets	$ 602 00
New sidewalks	200 00
New crossings	104 00
Repairing sidewalks, etc.	280 00
	1,186 00
Grand total	$12,970 75

2. Summarized the amount spent on the different classes of work during the year was:

George street bridge, raising grade of George street to protect sewer	$ 5,403 25
Work on streets	2,151 50
New sidewalks and crossings	3,585 00
Repairs, cleaning streets, drains, etc.	1,535 00
McDonel street bridge	293 00
Total	$12,970 75

The report was adopted.

GENTLEMEN,—Your Special Committee appointed to visit such cities as would afford object lessons in methods of constructing permanent roadways and sidewalks, with the view of gathering information that would assist the council in deciding upon the most suitable and most economical methods which could be adapted to the uses of Peterborough, beg leave to report that we visited Toronto, Buffalo, Tonawanda, Niagara Falls and other places and by observation and enquiry studied the methods which had been and were being employed in those places.

For the purpose of this report we will group our remarks on the different methods under their respective headings.

ASPHALT ROADWAYS.

The method of constructing these roadways varies somewhat, but in general it may be said that the road bed is first properly graded, being rounded with the centre perceptibly higher than the sides, and rolled until the bed becomes a solid foundation. Upon this a concrete bed of from four to six inches is laid to receive the asphalt, and the depth of the asphalt varies from two to two and a half inches. The cost of this method ranges from $3 to $3.75 per square

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DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 2,—6.30 a.m. ..... 37° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	39°	11° above

HEART PAIN.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart Defies the Most Intense Pains—No Matter how Long Standing the Trouble, it Masters Disease in Half an Hour, and in the Case of John Crow Five Bottles Cured Heart Disease of Ten Years Standing—Here's his Testimony Unsolicited.

John Crow, son of Mr. George Crow, farmer, near the village of Tara, Ont., writes: "I was alarmingly afflicted with palpitation and enlargement of the heart for nearly ten years. I doctored with best physicians and tried numerous remedies with very little benefit. In our local papers I noticed Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart advertised and I determined to give it a trial. Inside of half an hour I had relief. I have taken about 5 bottles, and feel to-day that I am as well as ever I was. I am completely cured." Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

Sizing up the Situation.

For the few remaining days of the year there will be bargains at Routley's fancy goods store, enough to loosen the purse-strings of a skinflint. Stock-taking will be going on while a continued slaughter of the goods is in progress. The less stock we have to take the better, and almost any offer will influence sales. Mr. Routley is open to receive offers for his valuable houses and other town properties, particulars of which will be cheerfully given to all enquirers, C. B. ROUTLEY.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL! Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Cadadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

DIED.

McINTYRE—On December 31st, 1896, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Drysdale of Elmvale, Ann West, relict of the late Donald McIntyre, of Keene, and mother of A. A. McIntyre, of this town.

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $8.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for - - $3.00

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

W. J. GREEN,

No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 2.

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 29th, 1896.

Having been requested by a large number of influential ratepayers to allow myself to be nominated as a candidate for the councillorship, and believing that personal considerations should, if at all possible, be subordinated to public good, I respectfully solicit the votes of the ratepayers of No. 2 Ward. The very heavy demands of my business, (always abnormally large at this season of the year), will in a measure prevent my making a personal canvas, but if elected, I shall use every legitimate effort to further the interests of the town of Peterborough, and while endeavouring, as far as in my power lies, to oppose all useless expenditure, I shall as earnestly support every measure that may tend to build up the prosperity of the town, with which my interests are so closely connected.

I am, yours respectfully,

4d151 **R. NEILL.**

Geo. Carton's

TABLE SUPPLY HOUSE.

CHOICE PORK SAUSAGES, 3 lb. for 25c.

Made from selected young Pork, nicely seasoned and very palatable.

Fresh Ribs, Fresh Hocks and Tenderlions, Fresh Oysters, Selects and Standards,

Always on hand. We invite you.

A. G. CHAMBERS, MANAGER.

GOOD RESOLUTIONS

FOR THE NEW YEAR.

FOR SMOKERS—Make up your mind to buy your Pipes, Tobaccos and Cigars, from TALBOT BROS., the Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough.

FOR ELECTORS—Make it a condition that all election bets on the Mayoralty for the Cigars, must be paid from TALBOT BROS., "A1" stock.

FOR NEW YEAR'S GIFTS—Make a bee-line for TALBOTS. We did a dandy Xmas business, but have replenished with newest Novelties in Cigar Cases, Pouches, Pipes, "B B B's" Silver Mounted, Smoker's Walking Sticks, Gold and Silver Mounted, &c.

OUR BIG 4 COMBINATION—Four Genuine 10c Cigars for 25c. Take your pick of these—The Rosebery, William Pitt, Dunraven, El Cello, Irving, Dias Garcias and the Chamberlain, the new popular 10c Cigar out.

A NEW MIXTURE—"Creme de la Creme"—finest, mildest, mellowest mixtures in the world.

Wholesale and Retail Tobacconists, 328 George St., Sign of the Indian Queen. **TALBOT BROTHERS**

GRAND NEW STOCK

Bought at 55c on the Dollar.

W. W. JOHNSTON

Has bought D. O. LeGendre's stock of First-Class Dry Goods at 55c on the Dollar, and he will sell it off without reserve at the late firm's place of business, No. 323 George Street, next door to G. Carton's Grocery,

Commencing Thursday, Dec. 24th, 1896.

The Stock is new and as it must be sold within a limited time Big Bargains will be given.

Goods the people want. Prices the people like. This is the whole story. The sale of this Stock will be short and profitable to buyers.

COME ONE. COME ALL.

W. W. JOHNSTON.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—At the request of numerous ratepayers of Ward No. 1, to become a candidate for councillor, for 1897, I have decided to do so, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. Should you elect me for the position I will use my best judgment in all matters that may come before the council, but more especially in the interests of economy and retrenchment in public affairs. I will endeavour to explain my views personally to as many of the electors as possible before election day.

Yours respectfully,

THOMAS J. MOORE.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

Having been nominated for Councillor for Ward No. 1 for 1897 I beg leave to announce my acceptance of the nomination.

I take this opportunity of soliciting the support of the electors—the ladies as well as the gentlemen—and if elected the best interests of this ward and of the town at large will receive my careful attention.

Yours Respectfully,

WM. RUDKINS.

December 28th, 1896.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having received the honour of nomination as councillor, I hereby solicit your votes and influence to placing me in the council for 1897. If you do me this honour I pledge myself to use my best judgment and most diligent efforts to advance all the interests of this ward and of the town generally, and to insist on, as rigid economy in civic expenditure as is consistent, with efficient management of the affairs of our progressive town.

I have the honour to be,

3d152 Your obedient servant,

CHARLES B. ROBERTSON.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

Having again been honoured with a nomination as a candidate for Councillor in this ward I beg leave publicly to accept the nomination. I therefore respectfully solicit the vote and influence of the ratepayers of "the Banner Ward." If elected, I pledge myself to use my best efforts, as in the past, to protect the interests and promote the welfare of No. 1 Ward and of the whole town.

W. H. WHITE.

December 30th, 1896.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 2

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having offered my services as councillor for Ward No. 2, I respectfully solicit your votes on Monday next. I do not believe in going around town button-holing people for votes. I have been a builder and contractor in the town for over 20 years, so I think I am pretty well known. I leave to you the decision as to who shall be councillors for 1897.

Yours truly,

2d **H. CARVETH.**

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 4

Having been again requested to stand for councillor for this ward, I have accepted the nomination and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. My record, as one of your representatives in the council and my position in regard to the leading questions before the ratepayers, are well-known to you all. I am therefore quite willing to leave myself in your hands and to be judged accordingly. If elected I will continue to exercise the same care in future over the interests of the town as in the past, keeping in mind, principally, to encourage as economical and consistent policy in the management of our corporation affairs.

Your obedient servant,

JOHN M. WHITE.

December 30th, 1896. 3d1w

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 3.

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 29th, 1896.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—As you are doubtless aware by the newspapers, I have accepted nomination as candidate for Councillor for No. 3 Ward. In respectfully soliciting your vote and influence, I consider the position I seek of so great importance, that I should state my position, in definite form, upon some of the leading questions that should engage the attention of a representative in the council of Peterborough, and I shall do so briefly.

I believe that in the interests of the town, as well as those of the great bulk of the ratepayers, our taxes should be collected in two instalments. I would be in favour of so changing the system of assessment as to permit of the first instalment being collected early in the autumn and not later than the first of October, and the second instalment on or about the first of February following.

I will advocate, if elected, the system of performing, as far as practicable, all works required by the town by contract, based upon public tender, and that it be made a provision of every such contract that labouring men should be paid not less than $1.25 per day of nine hours. This seems to me to be only a measure of fair play, when we consider that no man can keep a family in comfort on less wages, especially in view of the fact, as a rule, not being in any way constant during the year.

I believe that the agreement with the Street Railway Company should be carried out, especially in respect of providing better street car facilities for the western portion of the town by extending the line so as to give readier access to the beautiful resort in the western part of the town—Jackson Park—and a corresponding benefit to the residents of the west, to enable them to reach George street more conveniently.

I shall feel it my duty, if honoured with a seat in the council, to employ every reasonable means to add to our already extensive list of large and important manufacturing industries. But while I am in favour of offering reasonable inducements, I shall oppose every proposition of granting large and burdensome bonuses. We have in our own Ward a sample industry that has grown to a position ranking with the best in Canada, unaided by monetary favours and relying solely on perseverance and well directed enterprise.

I believe that it will be the best economy in the end to adopt the practice of looking to permanency in the construction of our streets and bridges, as it must be apparent to all that in the past a large proportion of the large annual expenditure on our streets has been wasted by makeshift construction, necessitating constant repairs, and, of course, unsatisfactory results. At the same time the streets would be kept in a condition that would reduce to a minimum the danger of accident, for which the town would be responsible, and saving a large expenditure in lawsuits and for damages, besides causing inconvenience and suffering to ratepayers who have paid their taxes in good faith.

While it may be in the interests of the country at large that party government should be the rule, I believe that only evil can result from introducing party politics into the management of municipal affairs.

As it will be impossible between this and the day of polling for me to call personally upon every ratepayer in the ward, I trust that if I find it impossible to call upon you that you will see your way clear to giving me your vote and support, upon my assurance that in addition to what I have stated above, I shall, if elected, make the interest of the town my first study, and that I shall oppose everything that will not tend to the promotion of the interests of this ward, and the town at large.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, I have the honour to remain

Your Obedient Servant,

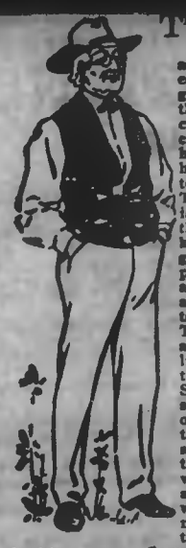
J. B. McWILLIAMS.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1

At the request of many of the intelligent ratepayers of the ward to become a candidate for councillor I have consented to do so and would respectfully solicit the favour of your votes and support. Being a large property holder in the town, my interest in the honest management of municipal affairs should be a sufficient guarantee that I would always favour the most careful economy—at the same time exercising my best judgment in promoting the growth, progress and prosperity of the town.

Yours respectfully,

3d152 **NOAH T. LePLANTE.**



The man who looks out at the world with clear and healthy eyes cannot help feeling great gratification at the thought that his children and his children's children have inherited from him no weakness nor tendency to disease. The healthy old man is the man who has throughout his life kept his digestion good and his blood pure. Once in a while you find such a man who has never taken any medicine. That man has lived a perfectly natural life. Not one in a thousand does do it. Sometimes very slight indiscretions or carelessness pave the way for serious sickness. The germ theory of disease is well authenticated, and germs are everywhere. This need make no difference to the perfectly healthy man. Germs go through the healthy body without effect. They are hurried along rapidly and thrown off before they have time to develop or increase. Let them once find lodgment or let them find a weak spot, they will develop by the million and the blood will be full of them. Instead of rich, life-giving properties, the blood will be a sluggish, putrid tide of impurity. Instead of giving strength to the tissues, it will force upon them unwholesome and innutritious matter, and the man will lose flesh. The more flesh he loses and the weaker he becomes, the more susceptible he is to disease. His trouble will become complicated and serious consequences will follow. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the only medicine that absolutely and infallibly cures all blood diseases, and almost all diseases are blood diseases. It isn't a medicine for some one particular so-called disease. It is a medicine for the *whole body*. It forces out all the germs of disease, replaces impurities with rich, red blood, feeds the tissues and makes strong, healthy flesh.

THE FLAVOR, BUT THAT'S ALL.

A Man Must Go Dry in Grand Valley Where Nothing is Sold.

Grand Valley, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—This thriving and stirring village was to-day treated to a matinee in the shape of three whiskey trials before Justices Gaviller and Johnson, the charges of selling liquor without the necessary license being preferred against Robert Hanna of the Commercial Hotel and John McClure of the uptown hostelry. As Grand Valley is the head centre of local option in this part of the province, the temperance people seem determined to stamp out the sale of intoxicants and the recollection of them. With this end in view, those prosecutions were instituted, and witnesses, without regard to age, race or creed, were summoned from far and near and rigidly examined as to where they had been and what they had drunk for a month past. Some remembered, others forgot, but all agreed that the liquor supplied by Grand Valley is not a shadow of its former self, unsubstantial and unsatisfying, lacking in nip and sting. The Crown Attorney spent the live-long day in search for a solitary man who had partaken of intoxicating liquor, but all in vain. The evidence disclosed the fact that, while the witnesses had "called" for birch beer, pop or cider, something came that resembled none of these things. A man of science explained that this was due to the new drink being kept in the old vessels in use before the local option bylaw cast its blight over the village. The ancient flavor is all that remains of the good old days. Many sigh as they pass the place regretfully on their way to Orangeville to supply themselves with the necessaries of life. Many are waiting patiently till the change comes. The cases were all dismissed. Crown Attorney McKay of Orangeville appeared for the prosecution; Mr. Haverson of the License-Holders' Association for the defence.

KIDNEY PAIN.

John Snell of Wingham, Ont., was in a Maelstrom of Pain and Agony from Diseased Kidneys—South American Kidney Cure was the welcome Life Preserver—It Relieves Instantly and Cures Surely.

"Five years ago I had a severe attack of La Grippe, which affected my kidneys and caused intense pains in my back and urinary organs. I suffered untold misery; at times I could not walk, and any standing position gave me intense pain. I became worse so rapidly that my family became alarmed. Just at this time I noticed South American Kidney Cure advertised. Although I had little faith left in any remedy—having tried so many worthless ones—but a drowning man will grasp at a straw, and I procured a bottle. In a few days it had worked wonders, and before half a bottle was taken I was totally relieved of pain and two bottles entirely cured me." Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—There is a moderate demand, but the high prices asked restrict business. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.10, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The local market is quiet and prices rule steady. Sales of red were made at 81c, and of white at 82c, outside. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 94c Toronto freight and at 96c grinding in transit. No. 2 hard is quoted at 92c, Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c to 29c outside.

Barley—The market is firmer. No. 2 is quoted at 28c to 29c, No. 3 extra at 25c to 26c, and feed at 21c.

Oats—Market quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 18½c west, and at 19c on the Midland. Mixed 17½c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady, with sales at 41½c north and west and at 42c to 42½c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 24c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 27c outside.

Quackery is always discovering remedies which will act upon the germs of disease directly and kill them. But no discovery has ever yet been approved by doctors which will cure consumption that way. Germs can only be killed by making the body strong enough to overcome them, and the early use of such a remedy as Scott's Emulsion is one of the helps. In the daily warfare man keeps up, he wins best, who is provided with the needed strength, such as Scott's Emulsion supplies.

STABBED BY HIS BROTHER.

Dennis O'Connor is Now Lying in St. Michael's Hospital in a Dangerous Condition—Pat Locked Up.

Toronto, Dec. 31.

Dennis O'Connor is lying in the emergency ward of St. Michael's Hospital suffering from about a dozen knife wounds inflicted by his brother Pat.

Pat O'Connor and his wife Helen, who live at 934 Dufferin-street, are locked up, the former charged with wounding and the wife held as a material witness. The wounded man Dennis lived at his brother's. They had a disagreement yesterday morning. When Dennis returned last night from work he said to his brother: "You're a nice man, ain't you?" That evidently annoyed Pat, and he attacked Dennis, using a long-bladed penknife. He stabbed him twice in the head, gashed his arm in two places, stabbed him in the side and in the breast. The two last wounds are dangerous. One of the cuts would have reached the heart had it not been parried by bone.

Dennis was taken to St. Michael's Hospital about 10 o'clock. At midnight he became suddenly worse. Dr. Dwyer thought he was going to die, and notified Crown Attorney Curry and sent for O'Connor's spiritual adviser, who came quickly. The wounded man, who is a hardy young fellow, revived, and was much better at 2 o'clock this morning, although weakened by loss of blood.

The police story is that the whole affair was caused by liquor and the result of a drunken row.

SHE TOOK MORPHINE.

Florence Smith Quarrelled With Her Lover, and Will Likely Die From the Effects of Poison.

Toronto, Dec. 31.

Florence Smith, or Forsyth, a handsome girl about 20 years of age, attempted suicide by taking morphine last night, and at 3 o'clock this morning she was lying in an unconscious state at the house of Mrs. Hattie Ross, 11 Emily-street, and Dr. G. W. Badgerow, who was with her, was doubtful as to her recovery.

There is a story in connection with the case. It is alleged that the girl has for sometime past been the companion of a young man who occupies a prominent position at one of the down-town amusement resorts. Of late, it is alleged, there was a separation from some cause, and since then Florence has been living at Minnie Beatty's, 100 King-street west. She has threatened since the disagreement to commit suicide, and yesterday, it is said, she met the young man and had a violent quarrel with him.

At about 9 o'clock last night Florence, accompanied by a friend named "Gracie," went into McLaren's drug store, at King and Emily-streets, and announced that she had taken three grains of morphine. According to the story of the girl "Gracie," the drug clerk told them to go down to Mrs. Ross' house. The pair did this, and by the time the house was reached Florence had become so ill that she nearly fell inside as the door was opened. Mrs. Ross barely knew either of the girls, but seeing the serious condition of Florence, she took her in and sent for Dr. Badgerow. When he arrived Florence had lost consciousness and he called in Dr. Charles Temple. The medical men worked upon the girl continuously, Dr. Badgerow staying all night, but their efforts to bring her out of the stupor were unavailing. Mrs. Ross and her girls did all in their power to keep the unfortunate alive.

The girl Gracie gave no particulars concerning herself, but left the house a couple of hours after her friends became unconscious. Mrs. Ross and her companion, "Maudie," stated that they knew nothing about her excepting that she had said Florence's name was Forsyth, whereas they believed it was Smith. Both girls are said to have come here from Buffalo some time ago.

To the aged, with their poor appetite, feeble circulation, and impoverished blood, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a boon beyond price. Its effect is to check the ravages of time, by invigorating every organ, nerve, and tissue of the body. See Ayer's Almanac for the new year.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

News Notes Culled From the Despatches and for Lack of Space Boiled Down to Paragraphs.

The financial flutter at Chicago is settling down.

There is still trouble among the banks at Minneapolis.

Germany refuses to accept the new Chinese Ambassador.

Herring are reported plentiful at Placentia Bay, Newfoundland.

Cecil Rhodes arrived at Cape Town yesterday and was given a great ovation.

William Euclid Young has been expelled from the New York Stock Exchange.

Lewis G. Carter, ex-postmaster of Colborne, died yesterday from a paralytic stroke.

It is reported from Madrid that a strong feeling against General Weyler has sprung up there.

Bichet Cypria of Cote St. Paul, Montreal, was buncoed out of $200 in New York yesterday.

The Bram trial at Boston was continued yesterday. Addresses of counsel occupied the whole day.

Premier Canovas of Spain says he will not accept United States intervention in regard to Cuba.

The Commercial Bank of Selma, Ala., which failed yesterday, owed $450,000 to New York banks.

The Bankers' Exchange Bank of Minneapolis, went into the examiner's hands yesterday after a run.

The late Lieutenant-Governor Fraser of New Brunswick left an estate worth $11,500 to his family and near relatives.

The State Bank at Sully, Iowa, was looted by robbers on Tuesday night. The amount stolen is estimated at from $5000 to $15,000.

The Judges at Charlottetown, P.E.I., have given decision unseating Mr. Hackett, Conservative M.P. The personal charges were dismissed.

The Northern Trust Company of Minneapolis has applied for a receiver. The company owes about $500,000, and claims a surplus of $27,774.

Two of the assassins of M. Stambuloff, ex-Premier of Servia, have been convicted and sentenced to three years' imprisonment. The third one was acquitted.

Arthur H. Darling, building contractor, has disappeared from Mount Vernon, N.Y., owing a million dollars, and leaving assets of about 5 per cent. of that amount.

Jamaica oranges and bananas were sold at auction in Covent Garden Market, London, yesterday. Some brought good prices, but as a whole the sale was not a success.

Henry M. Weed, an insurance broker, leaped from a rear window of his residence in New York to the flagging, 50 feet below, and killed himself. Cause, business reverses.

King Alexander of Servia and his father, ex-King Milan, have become reconciled. This will drive the King's mother, Natalie, from Belgrade, as she and her husband are not on speaking terms.

A farmer in Germany has a dynamo, driven by a turbine, which supplies light, as well as power, to run all the farm machinery. It does away to a large extent with the hired man nuisance.

During the progress of his wife's trial for divorce at St. Louis yesterday, Jacob Fischel shot his wife in the shoulder and her brother in the breast. Then he tried to shoot himself, but was prevented.

The Niagara Postoffice investigation was resumed yesterday by Inspector Barker and Assistant Inspector Burnham. All the evidence went to show that the charges of mis-management and neglect were not well founded. Mr. Warren, the postmaster, was too ill to attend or to give evidence at his house in his own behalf. A petition or citizens was presented in favor of the postmaster and assistants.

THE POWER DUTIES.

John Farr of New York Says the Sugar Importers Want a Specific Duty of a Cent a Pound.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The session of the Committee on Ways and Means to-day was given to the question of sugar duties. The opening was given to the sugar importers, whose views were voiced by John Farr of New York, who said that at a recent meeting of the sugar importers of that city it was unanimously decided that an ad valorem rate of duty was unfair, unreliable and exceedingly difficult in practice; that one cent a pound should be imposed on all sugar below 75 degrees polariscope, and that additional discriminating duties should be levied on all sugars coming from bounty-paying countries.

PRENDERGAST QUITS.

The Member for St. Boniface Withdraws From the Legislature to Go on the Bench, it is Said.

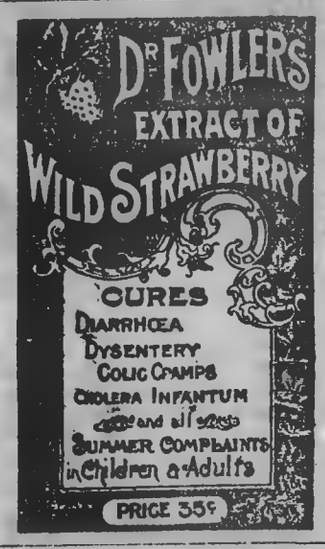
Winnipeg, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Hon. Mr. Prendergast, representative of St. Boniface, has resigned his seat in the Manitoba Legislature. He recently announced his satisfaction with the school settlement, and was denounced by the Catholic organ as a traitor. It is understood Mr. Prendergast is to get a judgeship.

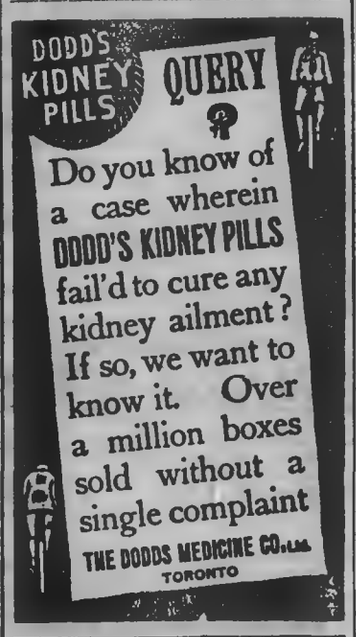
The charges of ballot-box stuffing in connection with the Winnipeg Dominion election will be investigated at the city Police Court to-morrow.

Rheumatism is caused by lactic acid in the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla neutralizes the acid and cures rheumatism.

Karl's Clover Root.

the great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures Constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 389 George street.

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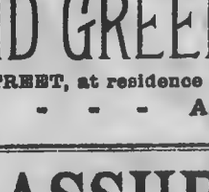

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HOUSE DECORATION.

What French Architects Are Doing in This Direction.

The French architects are seeking to rearrange the interior construction of our dwellings and adapt them to our modern and fin de siecle ways. This naturally applies principally to villas, mansions and private houses, but some of the large sets of apartments in Paris are being constructed on these new lines.

Thus, instead of the long, narrow windows that give so little air or light, very wide and large glazed spaces are made that can scarcely be called windows. These have panes of transparent, but softly-tinted glass, without any pattern or design; others have colored glass, ornamented with birds, flowers or figures. Openings are arranged for ventilation. These "baies," as they are called here, are put in halls, dining-rooms, libraries, or those long, narrow rooms sometimes called galleries, sometimes used as half drawing-room, half-library kink of morning room where the family spend their time, and which is replacing the stiff state drawing-room. A small room is often fitted as a retreat for the master or mistress of the house, called by the poetic name of "Asile de reve," the "boudoir" being quite out of date.

For furnishing these rooms, wood lacquered in white or light colors is used, also light oak carved, but nothing to recall the Moyenage. Renaissance or Louis XVI. styles, which have been overdone. The materials for hangings and covers can be cretonne, tapestry, silk or Utrecht velvet in rather sober shades, moss green, havane, dove-colored ground with large likes, passion flowers and birds in faded yellow, moss green or dead red. Sometimes the furniture is lacquered red or green, veined with the same in a lighter shade.

One of these new saloon bibliotheques or morning rooms destined for an elegant country house has doors, window frames, woodwork and ceiling painted or lacquered silver gray, the latter slightly vaulted for the electric illumination. On the floor is a carpet of one tint only, golden moss, faded plane tree leaf, or reddish brown. The walls are almost hidden with panels painted with landscapes, ancient temples, picturesque ruins, etc. In the middle of one side comes the large, wide window of transparent glass in big panes, so as not to cut the view. A gathered store or blind can be raised or lowered at will. On each side of this window is an immense mirror glass which reflects the painted panels, and at the foot of each glass is a wide seat or divan covered with a rich Oriental carpet, which falls also to the floor for several yards, and cushions are thrown about on this resting place. The furniture can be either in valuable Australian wood, very pale, almost white mahogany, or simple pine, or lacquered silver gray, table to match, chairs and armchairs plain and deep covered, with material and cushions all in light, faded tones. Here a bookcase, in three divisions, ornaments the mantelpiece, the sides covered or not with little plush curtains, the middle with an open recess in which to place a statuette of terra cotta. In this bookcase for general works, rather than learned or scientific ones, the books should be well bound in handsome bindings of leather or wood, or ornamented with flowers and figures in colored leather. In the angles and corners of the room various objects are placed; an easel with a portrait on it, or an enameled piece, or a pedestal with a statuette of white marble; in another a valuable vase of ceramic art, or a case containing small valuables.

The lighting of this large room is not the least curious or interesting. It is principally produced by the illuminated ceiling, which ought to give out all over a soft, subdued light, and then this is aided by a quantity of bronze fireflies, each holding a small globe for electric light. These insects, made about as large as a closed hand, are united at unequal distances with chains, and suspended in the folds of the store or blind before the side window. These can also be suspended otherwise, if wished, or the lights placed lower down, in shrubs with metal flowers beautifully painted, orchids, or falling flowers or climbers, in which are concealed the pear-shaped globes that contain the electric light. In a large ante-room, corridor or hall a statue looks well holding with an upraised hand a torch with several pear lights. Another idea is a small gilt peacock with spread tail, and a small electric pear globe at the end of each plume. All kinds of flowers and forms are used for this new style of illumination.—The Queen.

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patterns and prize contests and is not sold on this side of the Atlantic, but has a large patronage in India and Australia. Miss Shell previously was connected with The Princess and since she came on The Lady a couple of years ago she has shown that she possesses marked talent for running a paper which shall please its subscribers. Her office is bright with oriental curtains, rugs, tea table, screens and pretty pictures. Her staff is composed largely of women, as she believes they can do the kind of work necessary more skillfully than men. Titled women contribute to the society columns and bright ideas in advertising attract attention.

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A PEDLAR'S EXPERIENCE.

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From the St. Catharines Journal.

It is a curious pathological fact that spinal complaint has sometimes actually been mistaken for Bright's disease, and there is no doubt many have been maltreated for Bright's disease, when spinal trouble was the real malady. Geo. T. Smith, pedlar, of St. Catherines, is one who thus suffered. His narrative is as follows:—"In the fall of 1894 I began to experience alarming symptoms of what I thought to be spinal trouble. I resorted to lotions, plasters and other remedies, but to no avail, as I continued to grow worse. At this point my friends advised the services of a physician, which I gladly submitted to. The professional man made a minute examination, and pronounced mine a case of Bright's disease, which quite naturally gave me a severe shock, as I deemed the death sentence had been passed upon me. The doctor said he could alleviate my sufferings, but remarked that it would only be a matter of time with me. However, I accepted his medicine and took it according to directions with no beneficial results. In the meantime a friend procured a remedy said to be a cure for Bright's disease. This medicine I took, but with no effect whatever. Ten months had passed away and I had become so haggard, emaciated, stooped and miserable that my friends had difficulty in recognising me. In fact they, like myself, harboured the most painful apprehensions. At this juncture an aunt came to visit me, and strongly advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Like a drowning man reaching for a straw I did so. To my great surprise I soon noticed an improvement, the pain in my back began to leave, my appetite improved, my colour returned, and by the time I had used eight boxes not an ache or pain remained, and I am as able to travel about to-day as previous to the attack. I know that I owe my restoration to Dr. Williams Pink Pills, and I urge those ill or suffering to give them a trial."

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ACCIDENTS WILL HAPPEN.

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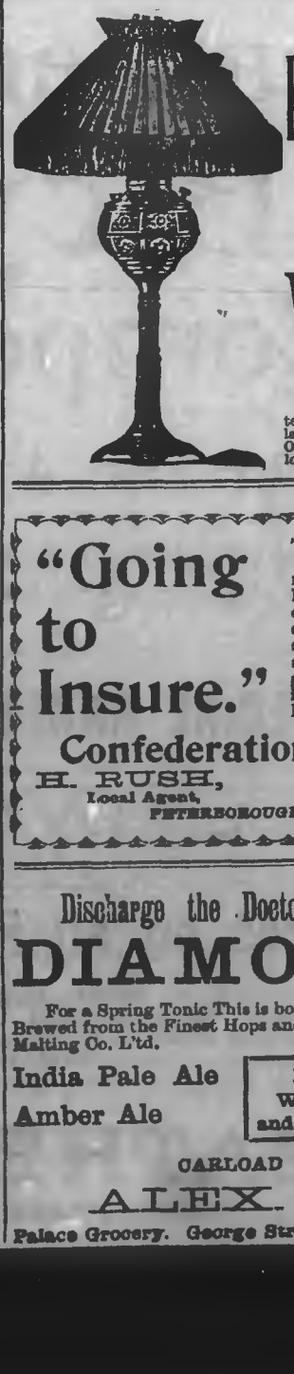

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THE COUNCIL'S LAST MEETING FOR 1896.

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yard, and would on our business streets cost some $60,000 to $70,000 per mile. The maintenance of the asphalt roadways is very expensive, and there are several objections to it peculiar to our northern climate, and we consider it a luxury entirely beyond our means, for the present at least.

BRICK ROADWAYS.

In Toronto we noticed that some of the streets were paved with brick. These we found on inquiry were much liked, but they had not had sufficient experience with them to decide as to their longevity as they had been but recently laid. In Buffalo they have within the past two years laid a few streets with brick pavement, but there, as in Toronto, they are in the experimental stage. In Tonawanda, N. Y., they have some seven or eight miles of brick roadways, which have been laid for some years and have given most satisfactory results. In Niagara Falls, N. Y., we saw the roadways being laid with brick, and on inquiry found that they had constructed about one mile of roadway after having obtained all possible information from the experience of their use in other cities in the United States. The cost of the brick paved roadway varied in accordance with the manner in which it was laid, the expense incurred in preparing the roadbed and the cost of the brick employed. In some cases where, after the roadbed had been properly rounded and prepared and the bricks were laid on a bed of sand, the cost was not more than one dollar per square yard, and again in places where the bricks were laid on a bed of cement the cost reached $1.75 per square yard. This made, no doubt, a first-class roadway. The bricks are rounded on the edges and the joints filled in with cement grout, sand or pitch. The advantages claimed for these roadways are, amongst other things, that they are easily cleaned, easily repaired and impervious to frost. This for the business streets of our town would be the best pavement, if within our reach as to cost.

CEDAR BLOCK PAVEMENT.

On enquiry we found that little or no cedar block paving was being laid in the cities we visited on account of its supposed unsanitary tendencies, the difficulty of keeping it clean, and its short life. What was being laid cost about 40 to 45 cents per square yard.

MACADAM ROADS.

In the different cities we visited macadam was well spoken of when properly laid and the roadbed properly formed and drained. The method of construction in the places we inspected consisted in properly grading, rounding up and draining the road bed and covering it with from 9 to 12 inches of broken stone. The larger stone is placed at the bottom and the smaller on top, and it is well rolled in and consolidated. Then with a well-formed crown it will shed the water, which will not percolate through it and destroy the pavement, and the result is a good, smooth and lasting roadway with a good appearance.

SIDEWALKS.

Cement, concrete or artificial stone for permanent sidewalks was more generally used in replacing timber sidewalks than any other material in the several towns and cities visited by us, though in some instances we observed some extremely neat brick sidewalks which rather impressed with their clean, solid and durable appearance, and it was claimed for them that they had the considerable advantage of not being so slippery as the artificial stone. The cost of the artificial stone and of brick is nearly about the same.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

After learning all we could by observation and enquiry at the several places we beg to make the following recommendations:

First—That before any permanent construction of roadways is made all sewers and sewerage connections and gas and water mains and connections should be laid in position as far as possible, to prevent so far as it can be done the future breaking up and disturbance of the street surface.

Second—That the streets in the business portion of the town be paved with brick, and sidewalks constructed of either artificial stone or brick, as may be desired, provided the property holders on the streets so paved are willing to pay the customary proportion of the cost of construction of the pavements on the roadways and sidewalks by frontage tax.

Third—That the residential and other streets of the town be properly graded, rounded up, drained and macadamized, except in some places where gravel might be used instead of the broken stone, particularly on streets on which there is not much traffic.

Fourth—That for this purpose the corporation should at once make arrangements to purchase a stone crusher and a heavy steam roller, as none of the foregoing work can be properly done without these necessary machines.

We would also recommend that the corporation should purchase this winter a large quantity of field stone so as to be ready to commence operations in the spring. The teaming and breaking of the stone during the winter would provide employment for quite a number of our citizens, and the stone can be procured cheaper during the winter than in any other season.

Peterborough has many natural advantages, and among the most useful is the natural foundation and drainage provided for the construction of good roadways. Where the natural soil is clay, the practice is to excavate to the required width to receive the gravel for a foundation, but here, in a considerable portion of the town, we have a natural gravel foundation. This gives us an advantage and would to that extent lessen the expense.

To carry out the recommendations here made it would be well to issue debentures for the purchase of the roller and crusher, and it might also be advisable to raise by debentures sufficient money to purchase a quantity of stone and to pay for the labour at the commencement, say about $5,000 in addition to the cost of the machines. By doing this the debentures would provide funds to make a good beginning, and the work could be carried on as circumstances would permit, and the increase in the taxes would be minimized as much as possible.

While these permanent roadways are being constructed it would also be well, outside the business portion of the town, to narrow the parts of the streets devoted to carriage ways. The sides should have lines of curbing of stone or cedar plank, to define the carriage ways and protect the road metal, while the space between the curbing and the street line, except so much of it as would be used for sidewalks, could be beautified by boulevarding and the planting of trees. This would enhance the appearance of the streets and at the same time there would be less roadway to maintain.

The improved roadways would facilitate business, for it certainly is a material advantage to have well made and well kept streets, instead of rough, uneven and soft roadways, a fact which has impressed itself upon the people of Ontario during the past few years. The increased comfort in the use of such streets would also be gratifying.

The improvement in the appearance of the town by the construction of such roadways would not only be pleasing, but of material advantage as well. This town has excellent buildings and finely fitted up stores in the business portion, and in the residential parts of the town there are many handsome residences, while all citizens are showing a commendable desire to have their premises, whether large or small, present a neat, tidy and pleasing appearance. All this helps a town. It develops a spirit of pride in, and loyalty to, the home town which helps it along, and the impression made upon visitors is that the place is inhabited by a progressive people and that it is a good one to live in. But when the streets are not in keeping with the buildings, lawns and boulevards, and when the handsome business places look out upon roadways not in keeping with their surroundings, the good effect of private enterprise is partly lost by the public neglect. This is one particular in which we are not behind other places, for it would not be correct to say that, but in which we are not as far advanced as with our privileges we might be by taking hold of the matter in a business spirit, and by facing the expense necessary to construct permanent roadways, the streets could soon be so improved that the good appearance of the town would be greatly enhanced. This would help us in our efforts to promote the progress of the town, for it would attract those who desired an enterprising, progressive, clean, healthy and tidy town to live in. This is especially the case when we have already taken the step in advance of providing the entire business portion with a good system of sewers—a system which will no doubt be extended until it covers all parts of the town where sewerage is needed. The improved streets should follow the construction of sewers as speedily as the work can be done, and this is one of the first important works that the council, acting for the people, should take up.

There is a mistaken impression with some that purchasing those machines would deprive some men of work who might be engaged to break stones. This would not be the case. A number of men would be employed with the machines, and a number more on the work on the streets, so that the number employed would be greater, if these recommendations were carried out, than if the work were carried on as it has been heretofore. Besides the work would be such as the men could do to better advantage, to the town and to themselves, for in the same time they would do more effective work and they would earn more than in breaking stone by the cord.

We submit these results of our observations, and these recommendations, with the hope that, although it is too late to do any more this year, they may be of use to those who will have charge of the administration of the affairs of the town in 1897, and be of benefit to the town as a whole.

WM. LANGFORD,
HENRY BEST.

Councillor Moore expressed the thanks of the council to Councillors Best and Langford for the most comprehensive report which had been submitted. It had, he was sure, cost them a good deal of trouble and time to gather the statistics which had been compiled in the report. He accordingly moved a vote of thanks to these two gentlemen, seconded by Councillor Jno. White. The report was referred to the Street and Bridge Committee.

THE LICENSE COMMITTEE

through its chairman, Councillor Hughes, recommended that no action be taken in reference to the application of Walter Kerr for a license for peddling, etc.

Councillor Hughes moved the adoption of the report.

Councillor Sawers and Moore moved that the request be granted.

Councillor Langford and John White moved in amendment that the report go back to the committee.

The report was adopted.

THE COURT OF REVISION

recommended through its chairman, Councillor Hughes,

1. That the assessors in assessing lot 15 south of Sherbrooke street and west of George street, take into consideration the burden of a special tax for the construction of the Park street drain from which the lot receives no benefit, and that the tax for this year be remitted, amount $3 77.

2. That W. H. Roberts be refunded $3 paid by him as costs with his taxes, and that a cheque be issued to him for that amount.

The report was adopted.

THE SEWERAGE COMMITTEE.

through its chairman, Councillor Best, reported that at a meeting on Dec. 21, that the accounts of Messrs. Grant & Winch for contract No. 3, Mr. Bogue, for contract No. 4, and of Mr. Belcher, town engineer, for his commission on contracts Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, were taken up and dealt with. Your committee, in reference to these accounts, decided to recommend as follows:

1. That Messrs. Grant and Winch be allowed $108.55 in full and final settlement of Contract No. 3 from Townsend street to King street.

2. That Mr. James Bogue be allowed $12,212.40 for the full amount of his contract and extras for Contract No. 4, less the amount which had been paid him, which amounted to $9 342.60 at the time of the meeting of the committee, the drawback of 10 per cent. to be held back in accordance with the terms of the contract.

3. That Mr. J. E. Belcher be allowed $1,640.00 for his commission on the four contracts, less the amount which has been paid him, leaving $163.00 to be paid Mr. Belcher in full settlement for his services in connection with these contracts.

The report was adopted.

Councillors John White and Graham moved that Mr. P. H. Green be granted an electric light in the locality requested; Councillors Sawers and Weir asked for one on the corner Donegal and Murray streets; Councillor Wm. White and Hughes for one on Sherbrooke street, west of Park, and Councillors Phelan and Dunne for one on Scott and Rubidge streets.

Carried.

The council then adjourned.

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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate. Second Sunday after Christmas, Jan. 3rd. Holy Communion at 8.30 a.m.; 10 a.m. Morning Prayer; 11 a.m., Second Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon; Sunday School, 2.45 p.m.; 3 p.m., Bible classes; Evening Service and Sermon, 7 p.m. Ushers on duty—Messrs. G. A. Smith, W. E. Conway, F. Perry and H. S. Greenwood.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. J. Rae, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 3rd.—Service at 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. conducted by Rev. L. Phelps, Millbrook. Sunday school anniversary services—Platform meeting at 2.30 p. m., addressed by Rev. W. R. Young and Rev. L. Phelps. Strangers welcome.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. R. Young, B. A., pastor. Sunday, Dec. 27th. Service at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Monthly fellowship meeting at 10 a.m. Sunday School and Bible class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats. Grace church Sunday School at 2.30 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Jan. 3rd. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. conducted by pastor. Sabbath School and Bible class 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Monday at 8 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Seats free. Junior C. E. meets every Sunday at 4 o'clock.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance D. D., pastor, Sunday, Jan. 3rd. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Y.P.S. C.E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 3rd. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 3.00 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all are welcome.

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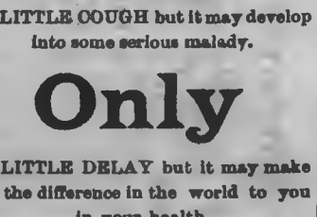

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WAR ON THE CLERGY

Mr. Tarte Appears Determined to Fight It Out.

BEAUGRAND AGAIN HEARD FROM.

The Minister of Public Works Proposes, It is Said, to Have the Election Law Amended So That Clerical Politicians Will be Liable to Criminal Proceedings.

Montreal Jan. 3.—(Special.)—The combat deepens and if Hon. Mr. Tarte succeeds he will be a man to be remembered, but if he fails the fall will be considerable. It is understood that the Minister of Public Works is determined that an important amendment to the election law will be introduced at the coming session of Parliament, and, although the details in full have not yet leaked out, it is stated that he will make it a criminal offence for any clergyman to exert political influence either from the pulpit, by means of the confessional or by private visit. Be the result what it may, Mr. Tarte is evidently a marked man for episcopal displeasure, as the attacks or writings in the Minister's personal organ, Le Cultivateur, against what is called clericalism have been much more severe than those of L'Electeur; consequently a good deal of surprise was felt when the first-named sheet did not meet with the same fate as its Quebec confrere. Le Cultivateur was not condemned by the prelates, but the priests are doing the work all the same. Hon. Mr. Tarte's friends were stating yesterday that no less than two thousand of Le Cultivateur's subscribers had given up the paper on account of its action on the Manitoba school question.

Mr. Beaugrand is still in the ring and in another vigorous article which was published in La Patrie yesterday, the ex-Mayor says, in opening, that the violence of his journalistic opponents would almost make one believe that they were inspired by a monastic abuse of Oka whisky. The reader outside this province will understand the French journalist's expression in recalling the fact that the rev. Trappists of Oka were fined some months ago for the illegal manufacture of whisky within their domain.

Continuing, he says: "But what an awakening! The letters of encouragement which reach me from all parts of the country make it evident that I will not be alone in the fight I am about to undertake, but even if I am absolutely alone that would not change my determination one iota. What will they do here in Montreal? I really know nothing, but if they launch their thunderbolts, I ask that it be of the first order and that there shall be no ambiguity about it. Let them be as explicit as in Quebec, so that it will make a cause celebre for the Privy Council. They finished by burying Guibord, and they will also finish by leaving politics alone. No one wishes any harm to the clergy of the Province of Quebec, and no one will interfere with their concerns if they will only do us the honor to keep out of politics. There is no air of bravado on my part or a tempestuous declaration of war against the clergy, yet, with three years of this kind of work, I have almost lost patience. Besides the letters of approval which I have received from all sections of the country, a great deal of correspondence has come to hand which it would be impolite to publish in La Patrie. The campaign which we have entered upon is so serious that we must direct it according to our own way of thinking; therefore I wish it to be thoroughly understood that Hon. Mr. Laurier and Hon. Mr. Marchand have not been, or will not be, consulted in this matter."

High Constable Bissonnette left for Quebec last night, bearing a warrant for the arrest of Mr. J. P. Tardivel, the so-called ultramontane editor of La Verite, the criminal action being taken by Dr. Louis Frechette, the well-known Canadian poet and litterateur. L'Institut Canadien of the Ancient Capital having invited Dr. Frechette to deliver a lecture, Mr. Tardivel wrote in his paper that he was under the impression that the institute was a respectable organization, hence the action in question. This Quebec journalist is the same gentleman who was condemened by the Montreal courts to pay $200 and costs for having called Mr. Marc Sauvalle, a former editor of La Patrie, a Mc n dist

A fatality occurred yesterday near St. Augustin, County of Two Mountains. As two men and a boy were crossing the railway track their rig was struck by the incoming train from Ottawa, killing one of the occupants named Desormeau, from St. Eustache. The other two escaped without much injury, but the horse was instantly killed.

Mgr. Langevin of St. Boniface has written a letter to La Croix of Paris, appealing for aid to enable His Grace to establish Separate schools in Manitoba. The Archbishop states in his letter that when these National schools were being forced upon them the Catholic minority, bishop, priest and people arose as one man and replied, "Potius mori quam foedari" (Death rather than dishonor).

It is more than likely that the gentleman appointed to succeed Archbishop Fabre will be the next Canadian Cardinal, as it is generally understood that when His Eminence Cardinal Taschereau dies the hat will come to Montreal.

The electric tramway is now in operation between Montreal and Lachine, over one thousand persons being carried over the line on New Year's day.

The body of the late Archbishop will be removed from the palace to the Cathedral to-morrow afternoon, and at the funeral Tuesday it is expected that 30 bishops and archbishops and 900 priests will be present.

Some of the Conservative members of the Club Canadien are making a fuss because of the little demonstration which took place there the other day in honor of Hon. Mr. Greenway.

WEYLER ISSUES EDICTS.

Hardware Business Prohibited—Zones of Cultivation Ordered Formed Around the Towns.

Havana, Jan. 2.—Gen. Weyler has issued from his camp at Bayete two edicts bearing date of yesterday. One of them prohibits the storage or sale of hardware, saddlery, clothing, provisions or medicines in unfortified towns. It also absolutely prohibits the removal of such goods from the towns in the Provinces of Pinar Del Rio, Havana, and Matanzas without a military permit. It is ordered that eight days after the date of the edict all stores in unprotected villages and hamlets must be closed and their goods removed to stronger places. This applies also to stores on unfortified sugar estates in the Provinces of Santa Clara, Puerto Principe and Santiago de Cuba. Those persons who violate the edict will be considered as rebel sympathisers and will be condemned as such.

The other edict orders the formation of zones of cultivation around the towns, for the cultivation of vegetables, etc., according to the ground. These persons will be allowed to hold the land free of all charges for six months after the insurrection shall have been suppressed. An exception is made, however, in the case of those families which have a brother or husband in the rebel ranks. To those no land will be allowed.

It is suspected that the rebel leader, Jose Maria Aguirre, has died from pneumonia.

An engagement has taken place at Blanquizal, Province of Pinar Del Rio, between a rebel party and a detachment of Spanish troops. The rebels were defeated after losing twenty of their number killed. Four insurgents were captured. The Spanish loss was a major, a lieutenant, and two privates seriously wounded.

BAD AS NEW YORK.

Manchester Chief of Police Bounced in Disgrace—How He Levied on Disorderly Houses

New York, Jan. 3.—A special cable despatch from London to The Sun says: On last Wednesday Mr. William Bannister, Superintendent of the Manchester Police Force, was dismissed with ignominy and fined by a police magistrate for what is euphemistically described on the charge sheet as "neglect of duty." The man ought to have been charged with pretty well every crime possible for a trusted public officer to commit, but there is a general desire in Manchester to keep the scandal within the narrowest bounds as far as the public is concerned, and so Bannister has been let off lightly, and other officers who ought to have been in the prisoners' dock with him have escaped with nothing more serious than a caution. The main trouble was connected with disorderly houses, but Bannister not only levied blackmail upon wretched women as a matter of routine business, but was actually part owner of a disorderly house himself, and tried to establish a monopoly for that establishment in its own particular district by persistently raiding rival houses within a specified radius. The keepers of these houses in other districts, who could not be regarded as rivals in business, were regularly warned when raids were contemplated and, of course, had to pay for the information. Bannister was within nine months of completing twenty-five years of service, which would have entitled him to a pension of $1000 a year, and this, of course, he has forfeited. But there is not the least doubt that he has made plenty of money by his nefarious operations, which will enable him to live in comfort for the rest of his life.

Immaculate Manchester is in a state of much virtuous indignation over these disclosures, but the feeling is apparently not strong enough to compel a searching investigation by an impartial body into the whole question of the connection of the police with illegal practices.

HON. THOS. McGREEVY DEAD.

The Man Who Was so Much Talked About in Political Circles in 1891 Has Passed Away.

Quebec, Jan. 2.—Hon. Thomas McGreevy died early this morning at the Hotel Dieu Hospital. After a long and painful illness. The hon. gentleman has been for a very long time identified with public matters in the city of Quebec. He was a Legislative Councillor from 1867 up to the last general elections, and represented Quebec West in the House of Commons, with the exception of the two or three sessions during which the seat was held by the late Hon. John Hearn. He was expelled from the House of Commons in 1896, following the revelations made by the Hon. J. I. Tarte of his connection with the Quebec harbor works scandals. He contested Quebec West in the general elections of last June, but was defeated by Hon. R. R. Dobell. The illness which resulted in his death was contracted almost immediately after he retired from Parliament.

MACOE STILL LIVES

So It is Again Reported From the Interior of Cuba.

SAID TO BE RECOVERING RAPIDLY

He Was Shot and His Followers Thought Fatally, But When Preparing to Bury Him They Discovered Signs of Life — Dr. Zertucha's Treachery Confirmed.

Havana, Jan. 3.—(Via Key West, Fla., Jan. 3.)—Reports that Maceo is alive are coming constantly from the field, and all tend to show that he is recuperating rapidly. Letters received in Havana from his medical attendants explain the nature of his wounds and confirm previous reports of the character of the same, and reports of Zertucha's treachery. They say that Maceo, with his staff, came to meet Ahumada with a flag of truce, and that Cirujeda and his comrades were in ambush. As soon as Maceo appeared the Spaniards opened fire. Maceo being in front fell from his horse. Gomes also fell at his side. The rest of the staff, some of whom were wounded, managed to escape and reach Baldomero. Acosta's camp instantly gathered all its small forces and rushed to the rescue. They made a desperate fight and drove Cirujeda into Punta Brava, recovered the bodies and carried the apparently dead Maceo with them. He remained unconscious four days and five nights, and when prepared for burial it was found that he was still alive. As soon as he was able to be transported he was carried with the greatest care and under a strong escort to the Cienega Hospital, though others say to Siguanea.

It appears that the project of the Cubans as soon as Maceo is able to move is to send him to the United States, and a steamer has already been ordered for the purpose, and thus personally prove that he is alive.

Great excitement prevails in Havana over the news. It is widely discussed, and even the Spaniards are talking of the possibility of his being alive. A member of the Produce Exchange created a sensation the other day when he announced the fact, and a commotion followed.

BAD FOR THE CUBANS.

The Loss of the Steamer Commodore Upset Some of Their Plans.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 3.—The steamer Commodore sank in 20 fathoms of water 20 miles northeast of Mosquito Inlet at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. All of the men on board were saved, and 12 of them reached Jacksonville last night.

The story of the accident, as told by one of the men, is as follows: The steamer crossed the St. John's Bay at 2 o'clock on Friday, and at midnight was 100 miles down the coast. One of the men went into the hold for something, and found it half-full of water. Great excitement prevailed, but the pumps were started, and everyone on board was put to work bailing. The water gained steadily, and at 3 o'clock the steamer was deserted, L. A. Delgado taking command of one boat, with 11 other men, and Capt. Murphy commanding the other. The Delgado party landed on the beach near New Smyrna at 10.30 a.m., but Capt. Murphy's boat load did not land until 9 o'clock to-night. The boat is said to have been overloaded with coal when it left here, and it is thought that she sprang her seams when she grounded on Commodore Point in going down the St. John's. Stephen Crane, the novelist, was on board, and was in Capt. Murphy's boat.

The Cubans here are downhearted at the accident, as the Commodore was expected to carry the men left by the Three Friends on No Name Key.

A. A. Blabee, owner of the Dauntless, received the following from that Key: "The Dauntless rescued a large body of men and a cargo from No Name Key. Many of the men were in a helpless condition. The Dauntless will wait and meet the Commodore and deliver the men and cargo to her. Will report as per signals seen at Miami, and will return as soon as we meet the Commodore, probably Friday."

This confirms the reports received from Key West Friday night, stating that the Dauntless was anchored off No Name Key, Friday afternoon, taking on men and cargo.

BLOOD POISONING KILLED HIM.

Mr. Watson of Reaboro Was Skinning a Cow Which Died, Touched a Slight Cut in His Face and Was Fatally Poisoned.

Lindsay, Ont., Jan. 3.—Mr. Isaac Henry Watson of Reaboro', a widely known and much respected citizen, was buried here to-day. Mr. Watson spent the Christmas holidays with friends in Midland, returning home on Monday last. On his return he found out one of his cows had died, and he at once proceeded to skin the animal so as to secure the hide. While thus engaged he chanced to touch his face with one of his hands where he had slightly cut himself while shaving at Midland a day or two previous, and a little of the blood from the cow got into the cut. Blood poisoning set in at once, and he died in three or four days. While at the funeral to-day some parties noticed a cat eating at the hide of this cow, and the cut was suddenly seized with violent sickness and died in a few minutes, thus proving it to be a case for investigation by experts. Mr. Watson was one of the most respected men in the neighborhood, a member of the Church of England, and a staunch Conservative, being chairman of the Conservative Association, and a prominent Orangeman and Forester. The funeral was a very large one, over a mile and a half long.

A VERY BAD BOY.

He Was Convicted of Picking Pockets, His Mother Begged Him Off, and Now He is Suspected of Murder.

Philadelphia, Jan. 3.—A few days before Christmas two boys, giving the names of James Hagen and Edward Burns of New York, were arrested here for picking pockets. Hagen was identified as a boy who had served time on Blackwell's Island for picking pockets in New York, but nothing was learned of the Burns boy. Both boys were convicted and sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the Huntingdon Reformatory. On Friday a middle-aged woman and a well-dressed young man visited Judge Yerkes, who sentenced Burns, and told him they were the mother and brother of the boy. They said their name was Canover, and that the boy lived in Chicago. The woman made such a piteous plea that yesterday Judge Yerkes had the boy brought into court, and after giving him some good advice set him free. Not two hours after the happy mother and her boy left the court room a telegram came from Chicago saying that Edward Burns was wanted there for murder. The Chicago despatch contained no details, but the police here think the boy is the one wanted. They have been unable to get any trace of him or his mother and brother. The boy is only 15 years old and wears knee breeches.

Secretary of Agriculture Morton replies warmly to Sam Allerton's letter criticising the cattle regulations regarding Canada, and shows that Allerton is out of his calculations. Mr. Morton says shipments of cattle by United States exporters have increased under the new arrangement, and that Canadian ports will soon be open to United States cattle shippers.

That

Extreme tired feeling afflicts nearly everybody at this season. The hustlers cease to push, the tireless grow weary, the energetic become e.servated. You know just what we mean. Some men and women endeavor temporarily to overcome that

Tired

Feeling by great force of will. But this is unsafe, as it pulls powerfully upon the nervous system, which will not long stand such strain. Too many people "work on their nerves," and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous prostration," in every direction. That tired

Feel-

ing is a positive proof of thin, weak, impure blood; for, if the blood is rich, red, vitalised and vigorous, it imparts life and energy to every nerve, organ and tissue of the body. The necessity of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for that tired feeling is, therefore, apparent to every one, and the good it will do you is equally beyond question. Remember that

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THE RAILWAY EMBANKMENT DITCH.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—I notice in the WEEKLY EXAMINER published on December 24th, an account of the proceedings at the meeting of the council of the township of Otonabee in which it is stated that a grant was made to me of $8.33, being the municipality's share of the work of excavating a ditch through the old Cobourg Railway to take the water off the road allowance,

Now Mr. Editor I would like to ask a little space to let the public know the facts regarding this matter. The embankment on the old railway which ran through my farm in Otonabee caused the water to dam back and flood the Keene road, one of the most travelled roads in the township. Last spring the water was more than three feet deep in the middle of the road for a distance of about 150 yards for four or five weeks. During most of that time the road was very dangerous and almost impassable, endangering the lives and property of those requiring to use the road. The water was also forced back on a portion of my land. To remedy the evil it was necessary to cut a ditch through the embankment, which at the place in question was 23 feet high and 66 feet wide at the base. The council agreed to pay one-third of the cost of making the ditch through the embankment and advertised for tenders for the work, the lowest tender being $111.00, and the others being much higher. The contract was not let, but as the season was advancing I got the work properly done at a large expense and now the council make me a grant of $8.33 as their share of the work. Now if the council think that this is all that a permanent improvement, such as I have made, is worth to the people of the township they can keep the money, for I will not accept any such sum as the township's share of the expense, Thanking you for the space, I am yours, etc.,

ALEX. MCFARLANE.

Otonabee, January 2nd, 1897.

CENTREVILLE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. M. R. Hutchinson, who is carrying on quite an extensive boot and shoe business in Millbrook, formerly one of our popular young men here, took unto himself a partner in life on Wednesday, Dec. 23rd. His affianced one was Miss Hattie M Walter, a very estimable young lady, daughter of Mr. Walter of Cedar Valley. The marriage took place at the residence of the bride's father at 2.30 p.m., the Rev. Mr. McKee of Fraserville officiating. The bride was supported by her sister, Miss Nettie Walter, and the groom by his brother, Mr. Wm. Hutchinson. Miss Ida Munro of St. Thomas, played a wedding march admirably. The bride received many valuable tokens of regard. After the marriage ceremony was over, and partaking of an elaborate dinner, the happy couple took the five o'clock train going west on a wedding tour.

South Monaghan councillors were elected by acclamation: Messrs. J. W. Dawson, Herb Perrin, Alex. Anderson and John Buckham. Messrs. Jas. Greer, Bailieboro, and H. Hutchinson, near here, are in the field as candidates for the reeveship.

KEENE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Robert English has moved into his handsome new residence on Main street.

Mr. Walter Bryce is spending his Christmas holidays with his father in Keene.

Mr. W. A. Eaton spent a few days in the village last week.

Master Croyland Yokome, of Peterborough, spent a few days in the village the guest of Master Cluny Reed.

At the regular hockey meeting the following officers were elected:

President—F. Burnham.
Vice-President—A. Walsh.
Secretary—J. McCarthy.
Chaplain—J. McIntyre.
Hon. Pres.—R. J. McCamus.
Committee—C. Fife, W. Brown, R. Dickson and F. Quinn.

Practice three nights in the week from 7 to 9 p.m.

The rink is now in good running order, under the very able care of Mr. R. Brown, who fully understands his business.

Mr. R. Brown has moved to the village.

Mr. Jas. Ashburn has moved into the brick dwelling lately occupied by J. Powell.

Dr. Shields, an eminent physician of Tennessee, says: "I regard Ayer's Sarsaparilla as the best blood-medicine on earth, and I know of many wonderful cures effected by its use." Physicians all over the land have made similar statements

BENMORE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. M. J. Carroll is spending the Xmas holidays here, after teaching for the past year in Ottawa.

Miss Annie Crough of Ottawa is spending her holidays at her home here.

Miss Katie Guiry is home from Lindsay for her Xmas vacation.

Mr. Herbert O'Donoghue of Buffalo is spending a couple of weeks visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Dorgan of Emily is the guest of her friend, Miss Mary Twomey.

Mr. Jas. Kearney spent a few days in Bobcaygeon last week.

A very interesting entertainment was given in the town hall on Tuesday evening, 29th inst., by the pupils and teachers of the public schools, assisted by the Young's Point Dramatic Club. The manner in which the children acted their several parts reflects great credit on their teachers, Miss Agnes Hanahoe, Miss Maggie Fobert and Mr. E. Bolton. The following is the programme:

PART I.

Welcome chorus.....Children's singing class
Recitation; "A hole in my pocket".....Gertie Mahoney
Song.....Mr J E Galvin
Tableau, "The Shrine of St. Agnes".....
Dialogue, "The rival speeches".....Walter O'Connor and Willie Bull
Recitation.....Miss Louise Kearney
Violin solo.....Mr James Hollihan
Recitation.....Miss Agnes Hanahoe
Vocal solo.....Miss Aggie Fobert
Dance.....Masters Joe and John O'Connor
Refinement, "A charade in three acts".....Young's Point Dramatic club

PART II.

Tableau.....Medley
Instrumental duet, violin and piano....Misses J Kearney and M Fobert
Club swinging.....Learnie Sullivan
Recitation, "Little Jim".....Gertie Mahoney
Vocal solo.....W Bull
Dialogue, "He lost their sympathy".....children
Vocal chorus, "The Merry Brook"...Children's singing class
Recitation, "A visit to grandma".....Minnie Costello
Vocal solo, "Flowers, Flowers, who wants to buy".....Lillie O'Connor
Dialogue, "The Yankee stratagem,".....Mr E Bolton and P Moher
Tableau, "The Angel's Whisper".....

While all did their parts well in the programme some are deserving of special mention. The charade, in three acts, by Young's Point Dramatic club was splendidly acted, while the song, "Flowers, Flowers, who Wants to Buy," by little Lillie O'Connor, was sung with a sweetness of tone seldom heard in a little girl. The entertainment closed by the singing of the National Anthem.

WALLER WON THE RACE.

Two Laps Ahead of Maddox, with Ashinger Third—They Covered 674 Miles.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The six-day, eight-hour bicycle race closed to-night in the presence of the largest crowd that has yet been in attendance, and with a fine burst of speed on the part of Maddox, the New Jersey man who, during the last three minutes almost gained one of the five laps he was behind the leaders. Six men were in at the finish. The prize money was $3500, of which $1500 went to the winner, the remainder divided among the men according to position and distance covered. The track was again officially measured and found to be three feet too long on each lap, thus adding almost seven miles for each rider. The race ended with a number of exhibition riders. The following is the score:

	Miles.	Laps.	Feet.
Waller	674	5	28.5
Maddox	674	3	42.9
Ashinger	673	7	14.5
Lawson	671	10	429.1
Hunter	671	10	423.9
Forster	670	3	225.1

GIDEON WILL RETIRE.

Philadelphia, Jan. 2.—Chairman George D. Gideon of the Racing Board of the League of American Wheelmen is sincere in his announcement that under no circumstances will he accept a reappointment to the position. The duties pertaining to the office are not only arduous, but very often unpleasant. Mr. Gideon has given good satisfaction, but several times his rulings, though admittedly fair, have made him the target of much abuse. He has always performed his work without regard. It is now the intention of the L. A. W. to make the position a paying one, and at their annual meeting in February next a salary will be decided upon. Mr. Gideon will retire, and three of the other members of the Racing Board also intend dropping out. The list includes D. W. Robert of St. Louis, Fred Gerlach of Chicago and E. H. Grindinger of Cincinnati. The retirement of these four officials will cause the appointment of an almost entirely new board.

AS WELL AS EVER.

A Brickmaker Listens to Reason—Uses Six Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and Tells it.

Brockville, Jan. 4 (Special)—Mr. W. H. Odell, perhaps one of the best known citizens of this town has lately recovered from a long continued and painful kidney ailment. He tells the story of his experience to the correspondent as follows:

"I have suffered for over a year from kidney disease, the pain in my back being so severe that I was unable to stand to my work."

"Noticing the published cures of what Dodd's Kidney Pills were doing for others I concluded to use them."

"Having used only six boxes I can say that I am perfectly cured and well so that I can attend to business as well as ever I could."

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand is limited and prices as a rule unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.10 Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market is quiet and firm, with limited offerings. Red and white wheat sold outside at 83c to 83c respectively, and No. 1 hard is quoted at 96c to 97c, Toronto freight, and at 81c Fort William.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 2 is quoted at 28c to 30c, No. 3 extra at 26c to 27c, and feed at 21c to 22c.

Oats—The market is unchanged. White sold at 20c on the Midland, at 19c west. Mixed nominal, at 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices firm, with sales at 42c north and west, and at 43c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 23½c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 26c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales west at 38c outside.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool—Market closed to-day.

London—Closed—Wheat on passage firm. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

Constipation Cured.

Gents,—I was in very poor health for over four years; the doctor said it was constipation. Not wanting to spend too much cash I got three bottles of B.B.B. and took it regularly. I can certify that I am now in the very best of health and feel very grateful to B.B.B.

ALFRED TREMOUX, Montreal, Que.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego Cal. says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 389 George Street.

VICIOUS ITALIANS.

Three of Them in Montreal Stabbed a Young Man and His Father, Killing the Latter

Montreal, Jan. 2.—(Special.)—Three Italians are under arrest to-night charged with a very grave crime. Last evening, as a young man named Lintens was coming down Montcalm-street he was attacked and stabbed by the two in question. He staggered home, and his father, coming out, was set upon in turn and stabbed to death. The son will also probably die.

Lady Aberdeen's Brother Engaged.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—The engagement is announced of Miss Mysie Brown, of Nashville, Tenn., and Hon. Archibald John Majoribanks, second son of Lord Tweedmouth, and brother of Lady Aberdeen, wife of the Governor-General of Canada.

A FAMOUS MAN!

What His Researches Have Done for the World.

DR. CHASE.

All successful and distinguished men have imitators, and Dr. Chase, the well-known author of Chase's Recipe Book, proved no exception to the rule. Dr. Chase's discoveries have many pretended rivals, but no equals.

Long scientific researches produced Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and Chase's Ointment, the first a certain cure for all kidney, liver, stomach, bladder and rheumatic troubles; the latter an absolute specific for chronic and offensive skin diseases. Among his other discoveries were Chase's Catarrh Cure and Chase's Linseed and Turpentine for colds and bronchitis.

During 1895 the Canadian manufacturers, Edmanson, Bates & Co., 45 Lombard street, Toronto, gave away free 500,000 samples of Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and 100,000 samples of Chase's Ointment. The return they brought proved how much they were appreciated. The same free distribution of samples will be continued during 1896. Those at a distance should enclose a 5-cent stamp and also receive a sheet of the latest music in return.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Robert Hall, of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Dry Goods Merchant, Insolvent.

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE ABOVE named has made an assignment to me under the Provisions of R. S. O. 1887, Chapter 124, of all his estate in trust for the general benefit of all his creditors.

A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby called and will be held at the office of Messrs. Stratton & Hall, in the Town of Peterborough, on Thursday, the Seventh day of January, A. D. 1897, at 3 p. m., for the appointment of Inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate.

All the creditors of the said estate are hereby required to fyle their claims and prove their security on or before the date of said meeting. After the second day of February next I shall proceed to distribute said est to having regard only to such claims as I shall then have due notice of and proof and I shall not be held responsible for the assets of said estate nor any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim shall not then have been fyled.

W. A. STRATTON, Trustee.

STRATTON & HALL, Trustee's Solicitors, Peterborough, December 30th, 1896. 5dm

CONGER'S FAIR

Closing-Out Sale

Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods:

Enameledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc Store Can Be Secured.

Conger's Fair

Holiday Sittings

—FOR—

PHOTOGRAPHS.

Family reunions at this season of the year furnish good opportunities for Photographing Groups before the members of the family have become scattered again.

All kinds of Photographic Work—Guaranteed best quality. Portraits of all styles and sizes. Large Family Groups. Children given Special Attention. ENLARGEMENTS.

VIEWS—Superior views of Peterborough for sending away.

Visitors welcome. We have facilities and appliances to enable us to meet all demands.

A. E. FORD

Ground Floor Studio, 170 Charlotte St.

DR. RYERSON,

EYE, EAR AND THROAT

60 College Street, Toronto

May be consulted at Oriental Hotel Peterborough, Saturday, Jan. 30th.

HOURS—11.30 to 4.

It Doesn't Cost A Great Deal

To dress well with OAK HALL right in the centre of the town. TAKE A LOOK AT OUR WINDOW and you will see that we can fit you out with an Overcoat from $1.72 up, a Suit from $3.25 up; in fact the whole window is an object lesson of values. After viewing the windows, step inside, as we are confident that we can satisfy you, having goods to suit the most fastidious.

Remember we manufacture all our own goods and guarantee satisfaction, both in quality and fit.

A Handsome Souvenir Given to Every Purchaser.

OAK HALL

The Only Reliable One-Price Clothiers. W. J. WATTAM, Manager.

TWO GOOD RULES;

What you want we have.

What we have is Yours at the Smallest Profit.

That's what makes ours the busiest shop on the street.

We have established a reputation for good, reliable FRESH MEATS. Our customers are sure of a superior article.

J. J. HOWDEN,

Meats and Provisions. 461 George Street.

HOLIDAY HINTS FOR THE LADIES

Keep in mind the Removal Sale now going on at C. G. GEMMELL'S Corset and Furnishing Store. You can secure many excellent bargains in Sensible Christmas Gifts such as these:—

Ladies' $1.00 Corsets.....Reduced to 75c
Ladies' 75c.....Reduced to 50c
Ladies' 50c Corsets.....Reduced to 40c
Ladies' 75c Wool Undervests.....Reduced to 55c

Finest and Cheapest Vests in Town. Cheaper grades similarly reduced in price.

Men's $1.00 Shirts and Drawers.....reduced to 75c
Men's 75c Shirts and Drawers.....reduced to 55c
Handkerchiefs—2 for 5c and up to 25c each.

JUST RECEIVED—A Holiday line of Ladies and Children's Lined Kid Mitts and Gloves, from 50c to 85c.

Wool Tam O'Shanters, in various colours, only 23c.

Remember C. G. Gemmell's Removal Sale Now Going on at 325 George Street, Opposite Market Building.

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FARMERS

...AND...

FARMERS' SONS!

We are compiling a long list of Farms for Sale, to Exchange or Rent which we intend to advertise extensively and to do so free of charge, unless we sell, exchange or rent, when our regular and reasonable commission will be charged.

Call on us for anything you want in Real Estate in town or country.

Our office in block next to Post Office will be open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

T. HURLEY & CO.

FAT MAN—"Hello, there skinny! Have you given your Holiday Order for CALCUTT'S beefy Ale or Porter?"

SLIM MAN—"Yes, sir, I've thrown physic to the dogs, and started off on Calcutt's prescription. Going to fatten up for 1897, you bet."

Waterbrash

Heartburn, Sick Headache, and all Stomach Troubles,

POSITIVELY CURED BY

HALL'S STOMACH PILLS.

Ask your Druggist for them.

PRICE 25c. dw

For Sale by John McKee, Druggist.

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Issuer of Marriage Licenses,

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Real Estate, Insurance and Employment Office.

Good value in houses, lots and farms to sell, rent or exchange. Insurance in good companies and at low rates.

A Splendid Brick House, Furnace, Bath Double Lot, Stable, Nice Situation. $2600.

Good 2-story Brick House, nine Rooms, Good Garden, Spruce and Maple Trees. $1,250.

Telephone 203. Rents Collected.

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Under Market Hall, 325 George Street

P. N. CORSETS

Are made with special reference to the needs of Canada's daughters. Fits you like a glove and you like to wear it. Sold by R. FAIR, 128 George St. eodw

Retiring From Business.

CLEARING SALE OF MILLINERY.

Having decided to retire from business I will sell my stock of Millinery regardless of cost, as the goods must be sold by January 1st. The stock consists of all this season's newest styles in Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets. Also a select assortment of Fancy Novelties in

CHILDREN'S BONNETS, FANCY HOODS, CAPS AND MUFFS.

which will be sold much below cost. A number of PATTERN HATS and BONNETS to be sold at half price. This is a rare chance for Ladies to get the newest and most stylish goods at half the regular price. Come early and secure bargains as the goods must be sold.

MRS. CASSIDY

423 George Street

Two Doors north of Examiner Office.

NEW YEAR'S DAINTIES

—AT—

PHILP & CO'S

Fruit, Oyster, Game and Confectionery Store.

Every nook and corner of the store filled with the most desirable things for Christmas.

Valencia Oranges	Canned Delicacies
Florida Oranges	New Relishes
New Lemons	Filberts, Almonds
Spanish Grapes	Fine Confectionery
Luscious Figs	Apples, Bananas
Tothsome Dates	English Walnuts
Crosse & Blackwell's Specialties	
Cranberries	Sea Salmon, etc.
Celery	Finnan Haddies
Fresh Fish, etc.	Fowl
Xmas Oysters Selects—cans or bulk.	

The very Choicest Lines of

Chocolates, Creams and Confectionery.

All new—all fresh—just opened out.

Glad to see all old friends and many new ones!

Come and get a bunch of English Holly with your purchases.

376 George St., Phone 18.

Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue business in his own name in future.

W. G. FOWLER

Begs to announce to all his old customers and the public generally that he has bought out the business formerly carried on by W. G. FOWLER & CO., and has put in a full and complete stock of

New Groceries, Sugars, Fruits,

And other staple lines. As I intend to carry on a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS in future, I will sell all goods at the CLOSEST CASH PRICES. You can now get the Cheapest Christmas Groceries in town at

W. G. FOWLER'S,
159 Hunter Street.

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HARD AND .. SOFT **COAL**

Of all Sizes.

Office and Yard—At the Elevator, west of Railway track, Ashburnham. 'Phone 204.

Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Holiday trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea:—

Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Chiffon Collars and Neckwear
Veilings and Nettings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c
Cloth for a Mantle
Winter Jackets
Winter Underwear
New Corsets
Lace and Embroidery

No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

MISSES CAHILL

403 George Street.

OUR GREAT GUNNERS

Get Words of Commendation From the Colonial Office.

CHARGE AGAINST A LIQUOR SELLER

He is Alleged to Have Adulterated Whiskey and Sold It—Ottawa Shaken by Earthquake—Project for Increasing Trade in Frozen Fish—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 3. — (Special.) — A militia general order was issued yesterday. The Major-General announces the receipt from the Colonial Office of the Secretary of State's expression of satisfaction at the success of the detachment of the Canadian artillery at Shoeburyness. Col. R. M. Stewart, R. A., the Commandant of the School of Gunnery, states that the Queen's prizes were well won and deserved by the Third Middlesex Volunteer Artillery and the Canadian Artillery, "a very smart soldier-like detachment."

The case against the Ottawa liquor liquor seller, D. B. Ranger, by the well-known distillery firm of Hiram Walker & Sons of Walkerville was called in the Police Court yesterday. The charge is that Ranger has in his possession a counterfeit seal of Messrs. Walker, and that he has from time to time opened barrels of liquor upon which was the Walker seal, adulterated the liquor and sealed it up again. For some time past it appears that numerous complaints have been going in to Messrs. Walker's office that their liquor was not up to the standard. The firm were at a loss to know what the cause of the complaints were and the services of Detective Carpenter of Montreal were obtained. The detective worked very quietly on the case, and finally located the source of the trouble. Mr. Ranger purchased large quantities of liquor from Messrs. Walker, and in turn sold it to outside parties as coming direct from the distillery. This liquor was found to be inferior in quality, and a close investigation showed that the seals had been tampered with, the bungs removed and a counterfeit seal replaced. These barrels of liquor were in possession of various customers, and sold in each case by Mr. Ranger. Mr. Latchford, for the prosecution, quoted the criminal code, chap. 447, in reference to any person having in his possession any die, lock, machine or other instrument that is used as a trade mark. Mr. N. A. Belcourt, who represented Mr. Ranger, said he desired the case adjourned until Tuesday to allow him to see his client. He had no explanation to offer until then. The case was the leading topic among business men about the city, and the outcome will be watched with interest. Witnesses will be brought here from Windsor.

There are two charges against Mr. Ranger. The first is that on December 21 he sold a barrel of adulterated whisky. The other is with intent to defraud by having in his possession a brass seal for the purpose of using as a trade mark, which is the registered property of Hiram Walker & Sons of Walkerville.

The Marine Department yesterday received a request that when the Government is carrying out its scheme for placing cold storage accommodation on board the vessels sailing from Montreal and Halifax, there should be room provided for shipping fish to the Old Country market.

The Premier has ordered an investigation in the matter of the charge laid against the postmaster of Crane Island, Charlevoix County, of having destroyed copies of L'Electeur which passed through his office, and which were destroyed in compliance with the order of the cure of that parish after the reading of the mandement last Sunday.

A sharp shock of earthquake that lasted fully ten seconds, and was accompanied by a dull, rumbling noise, was felt in various parts of the city yesterday morning between 12.15 and 12.45 o'clock. According to various statements people who were awake at the time felt it distinctly, and quite a few who were asleep were awakened by the force of the shock.

Lord Haddo, the eldest son of His Excellency the Governor-General, is spending the Christmas holidays at Government House.

Forty young ladies took the veil and pronounced their final vows at the Grey Nuns' Convent on Water-street yesterday. Archbishop Duhamel presided at the ceremony. The sermon in French was preached by Rev. Canon Campeau, and the sermon in English by Rev. Father Pallier, O.M.I. A large number of priests attended the service; also the parents and friends of those making the profession. Pupils of the Hull Convent conducted the greater part of the musical service.

The trade in frozen fish between Canada and the Old Country is to receive large encouragement. Some of the largest fish dealers of London, Eng., have had representatives in this country making purchases and arrangements for shipment. British dealers our rowing advantageous rates for the carriage of their consignments.

It is officially stated that so far as Canada is concerned Mr. J. M. Lemoine is the only Canadian who has been the recipient of an Imperial honor bestowed by Her Majesty at the New Year.

The crop of applications for the Crow's Nest Pass Railway charter is multiplying, and promises to give the Railway Committee plenty of work at the coming session. There are two new applications in this week's Canada Gazette, one for a line from Lethbridge to Fraser River, the other from Burrard Inlet to Lethbridge.

The militia list for 1897 is out. Major Bliss is prompt on time with his useful militia guide.

There were 21,595 visitors at the Geological Survey during the year 1896.

Owing to outside bakers being allowed to come into the city and cut prices, the managers of a few large establishments in the city have arranged to lower the price of bread to ten cents per loaf. This had to be done, they claim, in order to compete with those who pay no taxes to the city.

It is reported in political circles that Mr. Laurier was offered a knighthood, but declined to accept the honor, preferring to follow the example of men like Gladstone and Bright.

Last night Mr. Wm. Craig, merchant and ex-M.P. of Russell, died at his home in Duncanville, Russell. Mr. Craig was a prominent business man in the county he represented in Parliament for four years, and was very highly respected.

The Curfew law went into operation on Friday night.

Rev. Lord Douglas of England is staying at the Archbishop's palace. Father Douglas is looking after the orphans all over the Dominion, and will spend a few days in Ottawa, during which time he will visit the Orphans' Homes of this city.

Her Excellency the Countess of Aberdeen sent to the wives of the Cabinet Ministers and to several other prominent ladies whom she honors with her friendship, very beautiful baskets of roses and best wishes for the new year.

Rev. Father Cloutier, Roman Catholic chaplain at Stoney Mountain penitentiary, Manitoba, has been suspended. It was reported that politics had something to do with Sir Oliver's action towards Father Cloutier, but as far as can be learned in official circles this statement is not correct. It is simply a question of contravention of the prison regulations.

BRAM FOUND GUILTY.

The Jurors Deliberated Long and Finally Decided That the Mate Murdered Capt. Nash and Wife.

Boston, Jan. 2.—Long before the hour of the meeting of the Circuit Court hundreds were struggling to get into the room where they expected to hear the final verdict of the jury either convicting or acquitting Thomas Bram. The jury came in at 9.45 and the court soon followed. Judge Cott asked the foreman if there was a verdict. The foreman stated that there was none yet. Judge Cott then read to them in some regard the evidence and the jury retired for further consideration. At 12.45 o'clock the jury came into court for further instructions and again retired. The court then took a recess until 2.30. At that time the jury announced that they had agreed upon a verdict.

The clerk of the court, after the judges had entered, facing the prisoner, requested Bram to rise. The jury was then polled as usual, after which they rose. Bram was told to look upon the gentlemen of the jury and the jury to look upon the prisoner. After the clerk had completed the usual formula, asking the foreman to pronounce the verdict, the foreman allowed the fatal word "Guilty" to escape him.

The effect upon the prisoner was hardly noticeable. He still maintained the composure which has characterized his action all through the trial, with the exception that under the eyes a deep flush gradually appeared.

After he had seated himself Judge Cott asked the prisoner's counsel, Mr. Cotter, how much time he required to file his exceptions.

After Mr. Cotter had expressed his desire the court said that he might have two weeks in which to examine exceptions and then make his application. District Attorney Hoar agreed to this. Then Judge Cott discharged the jury, thanking them for their attention.

PUT IN SIX BOGUS BALLOTS.

The Confession of a D.R.O. Named Uriah Scrammel in Macdonald Constituency—Rev. Father Cloutier Bounced.

Winnipeg, Jan. 3.—(Special.)—In an election trial in the constituency of Macdonald a deputy returning officer named Uriah Scrammel, having been promised immunity, swore that he inserted in his ballot box six ballots marked for Nat Boyd, the successful Conservative candidate. He did it without any inducement, and on his own responsibility.

A petition has been filed in the courts to disqualify Winnipeg's Mayor-elect, W. F. McCreary, on the ground of lack of property qualification.

A telegram has been received at the Archbishop's palace, St. Boniface, dismissing Father Cloutier as chaplain of Stony Mountain Penitentiary. No cause is given. Father Cloutier is now in the East with Archbishop Langevin.

Blood is Life.

It is the medium which carries to every nerve, muscle, organ and fibre its nourishment and strength. If the blood is pure, rich and healthy you will be well; if impure, disease will soon overtake you. Hood's Sarsaparilla has power to keep you in health by making your blood rich and pure.

HOOD'S PILLS are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

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One Laxa-Liver Pill taken each night during 30 days will cure Constipation, after-returning Headaches and irregular action of the bowels. Laxa-Liver Pills leave no unpleasant after-effect.

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Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 25 and 50c.

John A. Wood Couldn't Shoot Himself But He Could Fall From a Window.

White River Junction, Vt., Jan. 2.—John A. Wood of Taftville, this State, aged 23 years, unmarried, committed suicide at the Junction House to-day. He fired two charges from a shot gun, one of which had no effect and the other wounded him in the left arm. Failing to inflict a mortal wound in this manner he jumped from a fourth storey window, breaking his neck and fracturing his skull.

An Envoy of Bimetallism.

New York, Jan. 2.—Senator Wolcott sailed for Europe to-day as the envoy of bimetallism.

A January thaw is always more productive of colds and coughs than a January freeze. Then is the time Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is needed and proves so extremely efficacious. Ask your druggist for it, and also for Ayer's Almanac, which is free to all.

MR. THOS. ERRETT, Port Burwell, Ont., says: "I had been weak and miserable two years. I took Miller's Compound Iron Pills and never felt better than I do now." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

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Will issue Round Trip Tickets for

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Decorations of any and every kind done in the most artistic manner by practical men and at the most reliable prices. Flags and Mottoes to rent. Carpet Covers or Dancing Linen to Rent. Folding Tables to Rent. A few Carnival Suits to Rent, at

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We have in stock a handsome assortment of very stylish—very fashionable NECKWEAR—THE VERY LATEST THINGS OUT—and other lines of Gentlemen's Furnishings, suitable for New Year's Gifts:—

New Year's Silk Neckwear
New Year's Silk Scarfs
New Year's Silk Handkerchiefs
New Year's Silk Suspenders
New Year's Silk Umbrellas
New Year's Kid Gloves
New Year's Lined Mitts
New Year's Dress Shirts
New Year's Collars and Cuffs
New Year's Fine Underwear

We do as well for the YOUTHS and BOYS as we do for the Men. We go in this week for Lower Prices than ever as we want to sell the whole of our Holiday Stock this week. We are thankful for the confidence and continued patronage of the public, and take this opportunity of wishing all the Compliments of the Season.

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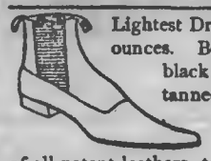

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Reserve Fund..... $100,000.00

GEO. A. COX, President.

Four per cent. interest allowed upon deposits, and Four and One Quarter per cent. upon debentures.

Money to lend upon favourable terms

W. G. MORROW, Manager.

TAKEN POSSESSION

I beg to announce to the citizens of Peterborough and vicinity that I have purchased the business lately conducted by Mr. C. B Routley, and will continue to carry on a First-class Fancy Goods Store with full lines in all departments as heretofore.

Orders will be placed as rapidly as possible for an entirely new stock of goods for each department and the establishment will soon be overflowing again with an assortment of the very latest goods, unequalled by any retail Fancy Goods Store in Canada.

Ten Days Longer.

For ten days longer, still more Sweeping Clearing Sale prices will be continued until stock-taking is fully completed.

Mr. Routley will be found at the office in the store during the next few weeks to settle his outstanding accounts and wind up his business affairs.

Respectfully soliciting a continuance of your esteemed patronage.

C. F. KUTZBACH,
Successor to C. B. Routley.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers in the DAILY EXAMINER to ensure a prompt change of their advertisement, will please hand in their copy the evening previous to the date the "ad." should appear.

Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Suitable.

What more suitable for a Holiday present than one of China Hall's lovely $10.00 dinner sets?

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Union Prayer Meeting To-night.

The meeting in St. Andrew's church to-night ought to be well attended. The Rev. A. T. Dykeman will give an address on "The Church and the Missions." St. Andrew's church choir will lead the singing. Everybody invited.

Grand Flower Social.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the C.L.A. will hold their annual Flower Social on Wednesday evening, January 13th, in the Catholic Association rooms. Butcher's orchestra in attendance. Also cards and games. Tickets including supper, 50 cents. 9d

Have You Seen It?

The little store around the corner! south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 426 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—MRS. APPLEBY. dw

Riverside Skating Rink.

This rink is now open and is in excellent shape for skating. The price of season tickets has been placed at: Gentlemen, $1; ladies, 75c; children, 50c. This rink covers an area of over an acre, and a skate here can be thoroughly enjoyed.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

Egg, Stove or Chestnut	$5 50 per ton
No. 2 Nut	5 00 "
Anthroxolite	4 50 "
Pea	3 50 "

Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

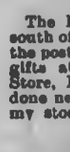
Skating on the Lake.

The lake is in first class condition. Don't forget to come and skate to-morrow, and also make it one of your first good resolutions for the new year to get your groceries from E. BROWN & Co.; best always on hand. Also fresh fish every day. Don't forget the address.—E. BROWN & Co., 394 George street.

To Examine the Extent of Pine.

The Crown Lands Department will send as soon as possible a corps of rangers to examine into the value and extent of the pine forests existing north of Lake Wanhapitae, with a view to throwing open the land to miners. The land has never been opened to prospectors but it is said that valuable mineral deposits are to be found in parts of this now forest-covered area. The reason for this is that the prospector's camp fire often endangers the pineries, and extensive fires have been traced to this origin.

Peterborough vs. Toronto.



Attention is called to the Debate and Concert to be held in the Hall of the Catholic Literary Association on Tuesday evening, January 5th. The subject of discussion is: "That the Senate of Canada should be abolished." L. R. Keogh and A. LaPlante will support the affirmative and W. J. Kenney and J. F. Thompson (son of the late Sir John Thompson) the negative. D. W. Dumble, Esq., Police Magistrate, will act as chairman. Tickets 25 cents. 2d1

A Rarity of a Walking Stick.

Mr. James Hall, Donegal street, has received from Mr. W. E. Earle a walking stick made of the celebrated "Amara" Wood, which was cut on the famous disputed territory between British Guiana and Venezuela. It was purchased of a native by Mr. Earle, on March 30th, 1896. On its journey to Peterborough from its native woods it had to travel about 4,000 miles. The stick was purchased in Georgetown, Demarara. The stick is a very heavy one, and the colouring goes right through the fibre of the wood. The land in which this stick grew is below the sea level, being protected from overflow by immense sea walls.

The Children's Aid Society Takes over Another Little One.

It will be remembered that at the instance of the Children's Aid Society County Constable Cochrane a few days ago arrested the parents of three children in the north country and brought them to town on a charge of neglecting their offspring.

It was alleged that the children had been often left for days in a destitute condition, whilst the parents were away from home and therefore the society felt justified in interfering.

The case, however, has been settled without the assistance of the courts, the parents consenting to give up the youngest child, a boy, and being permitted to retain the two older children conditional on their good treatment.

S. S. ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.

The Charlotte Street Sunday School Children Assemble.

Special Sunday school anniversary services were held in the Charlotte street Methodist church yesterday, being conducted by Rev. L. Phelps, of Millbrook.

In the morning Mr. Phelps spoke directly to the parents of the children, urging them to look well to the religious training of their little ones at home and not leave that most important duty to the Sunday school. The Sunday school was a place where the education of the child could be continued along religious lines, but the seed should first be sown in the homes.

The discourse was of a very impressive character and the eloquent words of the the speaker evidently sank very deep into the hearts of his hearers.

In the afternoon the Sunday school children assembled in the church where they were addressed by Rev. W. R. Young, B. A., of the George street Methodist church and by Rev. Mr. Phelps. The former made a few remarks on the duties of parents towards the children and the latter spoke on the "Rose of Sharon," drawing an apt comparison between the fragrance of the rose and the love of the children of Christ, which he pointed out should be as characteristic of them as perfume was of the rose.

During the services Miss Florence Hall and Mr. A. L. Davis contributed solos of unusual excellence.

This evening an entertainment will be held in the Sunday school for which an elaborate programme has been prepared, including lecture by Mr. R. M. Roy, which will be richly illustrated with some of his fine stereopticon views.

CHURCH CHIMES.

St. Andrew's choir sang as a recessional last night, "Behold I Bring You Good Tidings"

Rev. Dr. Smith, of Kingston, took the evening sermon in St. Paul's church last night.

St. Paul's choir sang "All Thy Works Shall Prove Thee" as an anthem last night.

The choir of St. Andrew's sang as an anthem last night "Safely through another year."

Miss Potter sang "What will you do with Jesus" very sweetly last night in St. Andrew's church.

Rev. Walter Roger, brother of Mr. G. M. Roger, of town, preached in St. Paul's, yesterday morning.

Rev. R. E. Spence, of Victoria University, occupied the pulpit of the Mark street Methodist church last night and delivered a most eloquent sermon.

Rev. J. J. Rae drove down to Millbrook yesterday and conducted both the morning and evening services in the Methodist church there.

Holy Communion was celebrated in St. Andrew's church yesterday morning. Rev. Dr. Smith, of Kingston, delivered the sermon.

At the Christmas ordinations in St. James' Cathedral, Montreal, by Mgr. Emard, Bishop of Valleyfield, the following Peterboroughnians were ordained: J. J. O'Brien, minor orders; F. J. O'Sullivan, sub-deacon, and M. J. O'Brien, deacon.

A meeting of the special committee on the division of the Diocese to confer with the clergy of the Deanry of East York, will be held to-morrow at Pickering. Archdeacon Allen, of Millbrook, Col. Boulton, of Cobourg, and Rev. H. Symonds, of town, will attend.

From Wednesday to Friday a reunion of the Clerical graduates of Trinity University, Toronto, will be held in that city. Papers theological and devotional will be read. Amongst others are by Rev. G. Warren, of Lakefield, on "The moral element in the teaching of Christ." Rev. H. Symonds and Rev. W. L. B. Reed will attend this meeting.

Off to School Again!

To-day the school bell again summoned the scholars to their studies for 1897. Now for another term of earnest work. But first, scholars must be equipped with new school books and other school supplies. The Peterborough Bookstore is provided, as it always is, with a full and complete stock of every requisite for pupils of every grade and form. Scribblers for 1c, 2c, 3c, 4c and 5c. Exercise books for 3c and 5c. All sizes of slates and all numbers of copy books and drawing books. The handiest scholar's companions for 5c, and your choice of lead pencils at 1c, 2c, 3c, and 5c each. Every lesson book from Part I up. High School students' books and supplies of every kind, and every order carefully filled according to latest authorised publications and school orders, at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

DON'T!

Don't slack up or quit advertising altogether as soon as the holiday season is over. Don't say: "Well, we can't sell goods in the dull season, no matter how hard we try, and advertising is just money thrown away." Your bustling competitor, with no better chance or location than you have, keeps business booming all the time by advertising all the time in the most vigorous way. He has no "dull season," why should you?

The pushing, prompt, persistent men
Who advertise each day,
In every year, can always make
Their advertising pay.

General Grant once said there is a time in every battle when each side thinks it is whipped. He learned by experience that if he kept up the fight until the other side thought it was whipped, he was pretty sure to win. There is something for advertisers to learn from this. If, when they begin to think, advertising does not pay, they would fight a little harder to make it pay, they would be pretty sure to win.

The Wabash Railway Trains

running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled from end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

RESPECTFULLY REMEMBERED.

Address and Presentation to Mr. Wm. McAllister.

Mr. Wm. McAllister, one of the most prominent and highly respected residents of the township, was, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 29th, made the recipient of a very cordial tribute to his worth.

A large number of his friends invaded his reidence on Tuesday night, and though the numbers looked like a threatening demonstration, the peaceful demeanour of the invaders dispelled this idea and they were cordially welcomed as friends and neighbours. At nine o'clock, Mr. Wm. Rutherford called the gathering to order and called upon Mr. Geo. L. Fair, secretary of the South Monaghan Agricultural Society, to read the following

ADDRESS:

SOUTH MONAGHAN, December 29th, 1896.

Mr. Wm. McAllister, South Monaghan:

DEAR SIR,—On behalf of the South Monaghan Agricultural Society, Township Council and other friends, we desire to convey to you our deep regret that, after a residence amongst us of over forty years, you have decided to remove from your old home, where you have so many friends, to take up your residence more convenient to the town of Peterborough and to enjoy a well-earned rest.

During the past twenty years you have upon different occasions represented the people in Township Council most satisfactorily and efficiently, and your services in connection with the Township Agricultural Society have been most valuable to your co-dire tors during the past thirty years, during which you have been identified with the South Monaghan Agricultural Society.

Not only in the official relations which you have sustained with the people of South Monaghan have you shown the possession of the best qualities of citizenship, but also as a member of the community generally, and in all relations of society, as a neighbour, friend, and as a co-worker in the promotion of the moral and material interests of the community at large have you shown qualities that have endeared you to all.

It would be only a simple statement of truth for us to say that we shall very greatly miss, not only yourself, but your amiable wife and daughter, and we have the greatest pleasure in wishing you the utmost happiness and contentment in your new home, where we are sure the same qualities that have made so many friends for you in South Monaghan will raise up other friends for you.

In earnest of our good wishes, we ask your acceptance of the accompanying gold headed cane for yourself, and easy chairs for yourself and wife.

Wishing you both not only a Happy New Year, but many years of peaceful and prosperous happiness, we remain, on behalf of the people of South Monaghan,

Yours very sincerely,
WM. RUTHERFORD.
W. H. HUTCHINSON,
J. W. DAWSON,
GEO. L. FAIR.
JOHN LIGHTFOOT,
ALFRED MAYCOCK,
HERBERT PERRIN.

The presentation of the articles enumerated in the address was as follows:—Mr. Rutherford presented the gold-headed cane to Mr. McAllister and Councillors Dawson, Hutchinson and Perrin the easy chairs to each Mr. and Mrs. McAllister.

Mr. McAllister, though completely taken by surprise in the matter of the presentation, made a feeling and suitable reply thanking the donors for their very cordial and kindly address. He feeling referred to the unvarying kindness and courtesy he had received at the hands of all his South Monaghan neighbours, among whom it had been the greatest enjoyment to reside for so many years. He regretted very deeply the separation that was about to take place and assured all that he should always hold their kindness, which had been crowned by the act of the evening, in the fondest remembrance. He very heartily appreciated their kindness and concluded his remarks by extending to his many guests the warmest compliments of the season.

At this stage the ladies of the party took possession of Mr. McAllister's home and brought forth their well-laden baskets. The tables were soon spread with a most sumptuous repast, which was enjoyed to the accompaniment of social intercourse.

After supper a season of social chat was enjoyed, varied with music, and the younger enjoyed a few turns at tripping the light fantastic toe, and not the youngsters only, for it was very difficult to draw the line at which some guests considered themselves old.

In the wee sma' hours when the company was thinking of dispersing, somebody called upon Mr. John Riddell for a speech. Mr. Riddell, as he does in every good work, nobly responded. He paid a tribute to Mr. and Mrs. McAllister's worth of character, and referred to the fact that Mr. McAllister came from the Green Isle in his teens in humble circumstances. Since that time he has spent the rest of his life in the township and by the exercise of integrity, industry and ability he has developed into one of the foremost farmers in the township, respected on all sides for his sterling qualities of character. The respect in which he was held and his interest in benefitting his neighbours, were shown by Mr. McAllister successfully representing the township in the council for many years. He was an energetic supporter of the South Monaghan Agricultural Society, and of the church of his choice, the Presbyterian. His worth was so highly appreciated that his departure, as well as that of Mrs. McAllister, would be a distinct loss to the community. He would be followed to his new home, near Peterborough, by the best wishes of all his old neighbours, and his hosts of friends in the township.

Mr. McAllister has purchased a residence east of the Locke, adjoining the town, and entered upon his new home with the new year. The EXAMINER welcomes him to town, and hopes that his residence with us may be happy and prosperous.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Mr. Mulligan's singing class will meet as usual to-morrow night in St. Andrew's schoolroom.

—In the month of December there were 22 births, 28 marriages and 13 deaths in Peterborough.

—Have you tried "Gold Cure" for Asthma. If not call on J. D. Tully and get a sample. 6d2-1w

—Fruit stored in cold storage buildings has preserved in good shape, while those who have used the old style cellar will be heavy losers.

—Yesterday was one of the warmest January days that there has been years. Last year about this date the thermometer marked 22 below zero.

—The mineral discovered in Cariboo township, Hastings county, has been tested by the manager of emery works in Pennsylvania, and pronounced to be of a very fine quality.

—Mr. A. W. Myers, of Myers Bros., who has been conducting an auction sale of jewelry, etc., in town, closed his business on Saturday night. He wishes to thank the citizens for their patronage, which he hopes will be renewed on his return one month hence.

—The Cobourg Post says: The free public skating rink scheme advocated by Mayor Hayden is thought to be a capital idea by the press of the neighbourhood, and it is likely the example set by Cobourg will be followed by a number of towns. Peterborough, Picton, Brighton and Colborne are advocating a similar plan for the benefit of children who cannot afford to pay the high prices demanded by rink managers.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

T. Fitzgerald's Wood and Coal Yard.

All customers kindly leave orders at once and avoid the rush Thursday, as I cannot deliver Christmas Day.

Official Readings of the Thermometer.

Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 4.—6.30 a. m. ..... 26° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	31°	23° above

AN OTONABEE WEDDING.

Nuptials of Mr. Thos. Sargent and Miss Eveline Hanbidge.

A pleasing event took place on Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. Robt. Hanbidge, Otonabee, the occasion being the marriage of hi eldest daughter, Eveline, to Mr. Thos. Sargent. Only the immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. W. C. Bear. The bride, who was prettily arrayed in a becoming travelling dress, carried a beautiful bouquet of flowers and looked very attractive. Miss May Hanbidge, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Wm. Sargent, brother of the groom, acted as best man. A wedding march was played by Miss L. Bear. A bounteous wedding supper was enjoyed by the guests present. The many handsome presents, of which the bride was made the recipient betokened the high esteem in which she is held by her friends.

Tore His Flesh in Agony

"I was troubled with blind itching piles for twenty years; was unable to work and tore my flesh in agony. United States and Canadian doctors failed to relieve. Chase's Ointment was a God-send. I am a better man than in twenty years, and am able to work every day." Philip Wallace, blacksmith, Iroquois, Ont. Chase's Ointment cures, piles, eczema, and irritant diseases. All druggists, 60c. per box.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Cadadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

MARRIED.

LOVEKIN—SNOW—On Jan. 1st, 1897, at St. John's church, by the Rev. W. L. Armitage, L. A. M. Lovekin, of Ottawa, to Fanny Whalley Snow, of Wilton County, Wear, England, daughter of W. B. Snow, C.E.

DIED.

MCKEE—At Teeswater, Bruce county, on Tuesday, Dec. 29th, 1896, Margaret Roseburgh McKee, relict of the late Samuel McKee, formerly of Smith, and mother of Mr. John McKee, druggist, town.

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $5.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for - - $3 00

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

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No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

DAY AND EVENING CLASSES
—AT THE—
Peterborough Business College
—RE-OPEN—
MONDAY, JAN. 4th, 1897

It will be to the advantage of those who purpose attending, either for a Shorthand or Commercial course, to enter at the beginning of the term.

HOURS—Day Lessons, same as Public Schools. Evening Lessons, 7 to 9 p.m.

PRINGLE & McCREA,
BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

OPERA HOUSE
TUESDAY, JANUARY 5
"Laugh, and the World Laughs With You."
RICH & MAEDER'S COMEDIANS
In the Screaming Farce Comedy of
"A PAIR OF JACKS."
By H. GRATTAN DONNELLY.

Bimful of fun, music and laughable situations.

ADMISSION—25c, 35c and 50c.
First four rows reserved seats 75c.

PROFESSIONAL MICROSCOPES.

A Microscope with joint to incline to any angle.

With rack and pinion adjustment.

Also fine adjustment draw tube.

2 Eye-pieces, 2 object Glasses.

And packed in Mahogany box.

Power up to 600 Diameters

$25.00.

Same as above with condenser on stand

$27.50.

Also a fine line of "Botany Lenses," Weavers Lenses, Seed Testers, Reading Glasses.

These goods are fine value and every day use for "Students" and "Professional Men."

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338 GEORGE STREET.

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417 GEORGE STREET, January 2nd, 1897.

Turning Over A New Leaf.

That's what most business men will be doing for the next few weeks. Opening up new sets of Account Books, and making a fresh start with all the lessons of the past year to improve and simplify the Book-keeping for 1897.

ACCOUNT BOOKS.

Whoever wants a new set of Account Books should remember that The Peterborough Bookstore solicits your order with the fullest confidence in the superiority of their stock.

Our Day Books, Journals, Ledgers, Cash Books, Minute Books, Copying Letter Books, &c., are manufactured specially by the Examiner Printing Co., whose account books are in use in many parts of Canada outside of Peterborough.

The Paper, Ruling and Binding are exceptionally good, and the Books are designed for extra wear and extra work.

Our prices are the lowest. Give us a trial order and test us for Blank Books, Office and Pocket Diaries for 1897, printed and arranged to suit any business.

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417 George Street.

A GREAT 30-DAYS'
Stock-taking Sale
...AT...
HALL, & GILCHRIST & CO'S.

We mean to have no dull days at our store during this month. We have decided on a GRAND CLEARING SALE in order to sell everything in the shape of heavy winter goods. You will find it to your interest to call and see the Bargains we have to offer at this sale. Of course we want you to understand that we do not offer everything at cost, as we could not do that and pay our expenses, but many lines will go at half cost. Anything to clear out all winter goods.

Dress Goods.

Fancy Tweed Dress Goods, were 35c, reduced to 25c.
All Wool Tweed Dress Goods, were 50c reduced to 30c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were 75c reduced to 59c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were $1, reduced to 85c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were $1.25, reduced to $1.
10 pieces Plain Coating Dress Goods, were 65c to 75c, reduced to 50c.
6 ends Plain Dress Goods, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
6 ends Plaid Dress Goods, were 40c, reduced to 30c.
3 ends Plaid Dress Goods, were 20c, reduced to 15c.
50 remnants of Black Silks, suitable for skirts and waists, away down in price.
25 remnants of Fancy Silks, suitable for trimmings or waists, away down in price.
All Black Jet Trimmings at 25 per cent off—this is a rare chance.
Steels 5c. set. Hooks and Eyes 1c. a card.
10 shades of Silk Velvets, 75c quality, going at 50c.

Handkerchiefs, Gloves and Hosiery

Our 25c Embroidered Handkerchiefs, reduced to 20c.
75 Coloured Border Lawn Handkerchiefs, were 10c, reduced to 5c.
20 only left of the 10c All Silk Handkerchiefs, reduced to 5c.
10 doz. more Boys' heavy ribbed wool Hose, will go at 25c.
Ladies' heavy ribbed Cashmere Hose, will go at 25c.
25 Felt Gaiters, for ladies, were $1.40, will go at 89c.

Underwear, Corsets and Skirts.

5 heavy Skirts, were $1, will go at 79c.
5 heavy Skirts, were $1.50, will go at $1.29
2 heavy Skirts, were $2.25, will go at $1.79.
Ladies' Combination Suits, were $2.75, will go at $1.99.
Ladies' Combination Suits, were $3, will go at $2.25.
Ladies' All Wool Vests, were 50c, will go at 40c.

Jackets and Capes.

Special Fur-lined Cloaks, were $15 and $18, will go at $10.
Special Ladies' Ulsters, were $10, will go at $5.
Jackets were $3.50, will go at $2.
Jackets were $5, will go at $3.25.
Jackets were $8, will go at $5.50.
Capes were $6, $8, $11, $15, will go at $4, $5.50, $7.90 and $10.

Staple Department.

1000 yds Heavy Cottonade, was 25c, will go at 22c.
500 yds Check Gingham, was 8c, will go at 5c.
Feather Ticking, Flannels and Table Linens at sale prices.
2000 yds Heavy Grey Cotton, 7c quality will go at 5c.

Men's Furnishings.

Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
Men's Silk Neck Ties, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
Men's Collars, were 15c, reduced to 10c

Carpets and Housefurnishings.

A clearing must be done in this department to make room for new spring goods 1st February. Everything must go.

Millinery.

Great sacrifice here as everywhere must be sold.

This is a bona-fide sale. Our loss will be your gain. The goods must be converted into cash. Everyone come.

Hall Gilchrist & Co
130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

Pure Gold Flavouring Extracts are as good as Pure Gold Baking Powder.

Absolutely Pure.

TRY IT.

The Careful Housewife Will Use No Other.

Pure Gold Flavouring Extracts—True Flavour.

Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 1897.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

The Thistles meet this evening in the rink parlours to select their skips to play in the Lindsay-Peterborough competition and at the Lindsay bonspiel.

Peterborough, it is said, will send up about fifteen rinks to play in the single rink competition at the big Lindsay bonspiel.

The Kendry Cup competition begins to-night when rinks skipped by Messrs. D. Bellegham and E. LeBrun, well represent the Thistles and Judge Weller and Harry Allen will skip the opposing rinks of Granites. Players are again reminded that if absent only one substitute can be taken on end that if two are away from the same rink their skip forfeits the match.

Appended will be found an extended report concerning the personnel of the fourteen rinks which battled in the President vs. Vice-President match on New Year's Day:

MORNING.

President.	*Vice-President.*
A J Gough,	Judge Weller,
R H Fortye,	W Manson,
John A Cameron,	T E Bradburn,
H LeBrun, sk.....21	R E Wood, sk.....8
H Snowden,	Herb Hall,
A Blade,	C N Brown,
C Rutherford,	D Davidson,
T Rutherford, sk ..24	W G Ferguson, sk....10
Alf Terrill,	G Giroux,
R Kerr,	R Fair,
Gus Say,	W Salisbury,
J B Pentland, sk...15	T B Attrill, sk.....15

AFTERNOON.

E R Stone,	G Giroux,
R H Fortye,	E R D Hall,
H LeBrun,	D Bellegham,
G W Hatton, sk....17	D W Dumble, sk ... 10
C Matthews,	J S Knapman,
W L Allen,	Geo Brown,
R D Davidson,	C McGill,
H M Allen, sk.....14	R H Kells, sk.. ..18
C Fessenden,	W E Loch,
W J Thompson,	J D Baptie,
J Jeffries,	J Stanger,
J Connal, sk.....11	S Ray, sk.....17

EVENING.

Geo Giroux,	H Snowden,
H J Grassett,	A Blade,
Geo Morrow,	D Bellegham,
Geo Edmison, sk....10	J McClelland, sk 24
Totals.....115	103

Majority for President, 12.

HOCKEY.

The "Umpire" in Saturday Night's hockey notes says:—"From the showing Peterborough made against the Imperial Bank they appear to have a good senior team. King who was U.C.C.'s best man last year and Phelan are two of the best forwards in Ontario and the combination of Peterborough's forward line will be hard to beat."

It will be remembered that when the O. H. A. schedule was drawn up the Peterborough seniors were to play home and home games with the R. M. C. team of Kingston and Queens would play the winners one match on the latter's ice. Peterborough confidently expected to win from the R.M.C. team and with Queens having to play here, it was presumed that the local team would again win and thus find its way into the finals, but Queen's intend a kick, with the result that the sub-committee of the executive changed the schedule so that the winner of the R. M. C.—Peterborough series will have to play home and home matches with Queen's. Although Peterborough had somewhat of an advantage by the first arrangement, yet the change favours Queen's entirely too much, as that team is a bye in the first series, with no travelling to do, whilst Peterborough will have to go to Kingston twice. Entirely too much of a good thing—for Queen's. Mr. G. J. Hopkins is in Toronto to-day at a meeting of the Executive of the O. H. A. to endeavour to have a further change made.

If Queen's insists on home and home games, a new drawing might be made, pitting that team against the R.M.C. men for the first round, when Peterborough could play home and home games with the winner. This looks like a more equable arrangement—an arrangement which would allow Queen's the extra game, which it wants, and at the same time give Peterborough less travelling to do.

The Queen's men were of the opinion that Peterborough had too much of a snap, but when making their kick they forgot apparently that they themselves were not altogether neglected, as through the draw they were a bye in the first round, and did not have to play a single game to occupy that position.

If the Peterboroughs are allowed to take Queen's place, as a bye they should be willing to play home and home games with the winner of the R.M.C.-Queen's games.

The above suggestions are just suggestions and nothing more, but are given for what they are worth as a good way to settle the difficulty. It looks fair enough.

NORWOOD'S NEW RINK.

(From a Correspondent.)

On New Year's eve Norwood's grand skating rink, of which she is a little vain, and justly so, considering it is an excellent building of its kind, was opened for the season's enjoyment. By 8 o'clock quite a crowd of skaters in all sorts of attitudes and ages were skimming around or trying to do so. Old men and young men, pretty misses and austere dames, skilful skaters, and those who needed a little more of the swamp for their fancy figure cutting, performed upon the ice, while ranged around were sightseers galore, watching those most favoured and endeavouring to solve the problem, "Hadn't I better buy a pair of skates?" While above the band discoursed melodious sounds, which "the ladies declared was quite delightful to skate to.

But the excitement grew intense when the champions skaters, McGuire, of Havelock, and Fraser, of Norwood, lined up for a mile dash. At the start McGuire led for four laps and then the fairplay of Norwood's sports asserted itself, groan after groan crept slowly along the ice, not a word, a look or a sign of encouragement for the visitor, but instead, Dave! Dave! and Dave! in softer accents kept a constant murmur in the air! Urged forward by such pitying cries Dave did go ahead, then the manly tongues broke forth in voices loud and long, the arenes echoed, the building trembled and the band forgot to play. People bent forward with expectant glance and the wrinkles gradually unfolded themselves into wreathes of smiles, while the tune was changed to "all right Dave, you've him beaten, mind the corners, Dave! etc.," and when at length Dave finished first, huzzah! huzzah! From the outcry you would have thought the champion of the Olympian games had struck the town. I could not help but admire the way McGuire skated even in the midst of all the turmoil, no hurrying! no anxiety. He never quitted the long, long skilful stroke nor graceful bend with which he started.

We do not doubt that Norwood has a grand skater, but common courtesy is due anyone, who is a stranger to us, and accepts a challenge for the amusement of a Norwood crowd or the successful opening of a skating rink.

OBS.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Brodigan is visiting relatives in the west.

Mr. R. F. Day, of Gough Bros., Port Hope, spent New Year's in town.

Rev. J. C. Davidson and Mrs. Davidson are at present in Toronto visiting friends.

Mr. Will Davidson left Sunday night for Montreal to resume his studies at McGill.

Mr. J. W. Garvin is in Barrie for a few days, being interested in the municipal elections there.

Mr. McCaig returned New Year's night from Collingwood, where he spent his Christmas holidays.

Messrs. James and Milt. Hamilton left last night for McGill University, Montreal, the holidays being over.

Mrs. W. H. Robertson and little daughter have returned from Fenelon Falls, where they have been spending New Year's.

Messrs. R. F. and Victor McWilliams return to Toronto to-day to resume, respectively, the study of law and medicine.

The Port Hope Guide says:—"Miss Irene Perks, of Paterborough, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Florence Ross, Walton street."

Mr. John Dixon and wife, of the firm of Dixon Bros. Maple Creek, N. W. T., are in town on a visit, the guests of Mr. A. E. Dixon.

Mr. H. B. H. Kenner of the Collegiate Institute staff, has returned to town, after spending the holidays at home with his parents.

Mrs. C. Gale, formerly of Ashburnham but now of Montreal, is visiting her friend, Mrs. Edward Peck, corner of Maria and Mark streets.

Mrs. (Dr.) Dyer of Albert College, Belleville, has returned home, having spent some time with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Brisbin, Charlotte street.

His Lordship Bishop O'Connor and Ven. Archdeacon Casey left this morning to attend the funeral of the late Mt. Rev. Archbishop Fabre in Montreal.

Mr. John N. Johnston, brother of Dr. Johnston, who has been in town for the holidays, returned to the Ontario Veterinary College to-day to resume his duties.

Mr. H. S. Kirby of Ottawa, who, with Mrs. Kirby, has been visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Wm. Bradburn, left yesterday for Montreal, where he is putting in his last year in medicine at McGill University.

The Minister of Militia has made special recognition of the militant qualities of Rev. A. Symonds, Ashburnham. In the Militia General orders appears the following memorandum:—"Prince of Wales Canada Dragoons; to be Honorary Chaplain, as a special case, Rev. H. Symonds.' Rev. Mr. Symonds is to be congratulated. No doubt this flattering appointment is a recognition more or less direct of his effective services in the church militant.

RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

It is said that a new interlocking apparatus is to be placed in position at the Locks' bridge shortly by the G.T.R. When this is in working order, it will be impossible for the bridge tender to open the swing unless both semaphores are at danger, nor can the semaphores be let down until the swing is securely locked. It is said that a derailing switch may also be put in, so that an engineer who persists in going ahead against a danger signal will find his engine ditched instead of in the river.

Mr. Robb, late of Belleville, entered on the duties of Mechanical Superintendent of the Midland Division of the G.T.R. yesterday, vice A. H. Smith retired.

The Grand Trunk Railway have one of their bridge gangs at work repairing the trestle work near the Barnardo Home. The bridge is receiving a thorough overhauling and strengthening in anticipation of the increased traffic, which will pass over it when the bridge at Auburn is completed, and the trains to Lakefield take this shorter and more direct route.

Talk about bargains—see Grafton & Co's during the Clearing Sale.

Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

A Credit to Canadian Patriotism, Patience, Acumen, Art and Typography.

"A thing of beauty," is a phrase that, true as it is, only partially describes the "Cabot Calendar," compiled by Mary Agnes Fitzgibbon and Sara Mickle. It consists of a dozen calendar pages, with an artistically simple, yet striking, title page, bearing a portrait and autograph of Sebastian Cabot, flanked by the significant numerals, 1497-1897, the calendar being a timely and happily conceived contribution to the commemoration of the 400th anniversary of the discovery of Canada. Everyone of the twelve monthly calendar pages is a mine, or rather, a collection of nuggets, of historical information, as to events of, or touching upon, Canadian history, set opposite the date—day and year—of its occurrence. Thus for every day in the year some significant Canadian record is provided. Every calendar page is different in design, yet all harmonize with the general plan, and each contains portraits with autographs of men prominent in Canadian history, with the names of the months dropped in at artistic random. Every page is as dainty as a daisy. Interleaved between the calendar pages are full-page lithographed portraits, with autographs of Champlain, Frontenac, Wolfe and Brock, that of the latter from a hitherto unpublished miniature recently discovered in Toronto.

The typographical excellence of this calendar is in keeping with the artistic features and the two combined furnish as fine samples—both pencil and press—of workmanship of its class as can be produced in any country—another credit to Canadian skill.

While the compilers must have employed an infinity of research in collecting, and patience in selecting and arranging data so minute in detail and so comprehensive as a whole, their patriotism must have been behind the patience required to reach such results. They as well as the lady artists that furnished the excellent drawings deserve the highest credit and should receive due appreciation.

A copy of the Cabot Calendar should be in every school in Canada, both for its stimulus to patriotic sentiments and for its educative effects—for the assistance it would give in developing a fondness for the study of history, by robbing it of its dryness. If the teacher throughout the year took the date and event for the day and invited the pupils to suggest other events, in either Canadian or British history, of the same date, a spirit of rivalry and research would be aroused, with the most beneficial results. The school boards of Winnipeg, Hamilton and Toronto have provided a copy of the Cabot Calendar for each room of their schools, an example which the Peterborough board could follow with great advantage to the pupils. The calendars will be furnished school boards at wholesale rate. Wm. Briggs, Publisher, Toronto, price 50 cents. To be had at the Peterborough Bookstore.

CONVENT SCHOOL REPORT.

Result of the Christmas Examinations—Names of Pupils Given in Order of Merit.

FORM IV.

Seniors—S. Wyer, A. Crowley, M. Kelly, E. Primeau, A. Gilmac, F. Corkery, K. Driscoll, M. Sullivan, M. Sherbineau, E. Kelly, T. Watson, A. Mercier, A. Watson, A. Picard, N. Lynch, A. Sullivan.

Juniors—J. Lynch, V. Donoghue, L. Hallihan, E. Labbe, M. Kylie, G. McFadden, M. Calnan, M. Collins, B. Costello, M. O'Brien, L. Mahoney, M. Kennedy, A. Desautel, S. Cadigan, M. Hurley, E. Brion, M. Heenan, A. Barrette, M. Butler, C. Lagrandeur.

FORM III.

Senior Class A.—M. Carveth, F. Hallihan, M. Potter, W. Brennan, M. Buck, M. Halpin, L. Bell, H. McNeil, N. Simons, M. Clancy.

Senior Class B.—A. Primeau, J. Sullivan, A. Guerin, N. Coughlin, M. Sparks, D. Stephens, V. Clancy, M. Crough, M. Corkery.

Junior Class A.—E. Morrow, H. Kelly, C. Halpin, C. Cahill, L. Quinlan, M. Hennessey, E. Drake, T. Cadigan, I. Doris.

Junior Class B.—N. Hobbins, M. Doris, L. Devlin, E. Kane, C. Connors, A. Galvin, M. Kelly, G. Bell, L. McAuliffe, L. Stothart, M. Fountain, L. Guerin, S. Beauregard, L. Delaire, L. Ferguson.

SECOND BOOK.

Senior Second.—N. Hayes, L. Moher, L. Hayes, Z. Buck, T. McMahon.

Junior Second.—C. Sharpe, K. Murray E. Fredenburgh, C. Clancy, A. LaPlant, M. McGrath, B. Wyer, E. Doris, F. Brennan, A. Kylie, L. Pope, M. LaJeunesse, M. L. Koster.

FORM FIRST.

Part Second—senior grade.—M. Carveth, M. Geary, A. Gordon, M. Donagher, L. Doboghue, M. McManus, C. Brion, L. Potvin, G. O'Brien, M. Carson, T. Walker, F. Butler, M. Daigle.

Part Second, Junior Grade—M. Whaley, M. Gagnon, T. Spratt, M. Hoban, K. McMann, L. Lavasseur, I. Drake, L. Leger, M. Flynn, L. Galvin, M. Calaghan, M. Sullivan, M. Shanahan, A. Hobbin, B. O'Hara.

Part First, Senior Grade—A. Hurley, E. Conroy, A. Delaire, J. Potvin, N. Murray, M. Dennie, W. O'Brien, A. Decaird, O. Beauvais.

Part First, Junior Grade—M. Sullivan, N. Overend, K. Kylie, K. O'Brien, F. Fredenburg, M. E. Trombly, A. Huppie, N. Kieth, J. Huard, M. Morency, B. Walkie, G. Vinette, M. T. Scarborough.

Primary Grade.—A. Archambault, E. Talbot, N. Brady, F. Dunn, M. Dunn, K. Delaney, E. Sullivan, A. Clancy, A. Devlin, G. Holman, L. Kelly, J. Morency, O. Schappe.

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No remedy in the world equals Nerviline—nerve pain cure. Neuralgia and Rheumatism are relieved almost instantly, and the minor aches and pains are cured by a single application. Nerviline—nerve pain cure—is sure to cure.

New Furniture,

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. Clegg, 427 George street.

Clearing Sale now going on at Grafton & Co's.

The Late Mrs. Samuel McKee of Bruce County.

Mr. John McKee returned home on Friday night from Teeswater, Bruce County, where he was attending the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Samuel McKee. Mrs. McKee, whose maiden name was Margaret Rosebargh, was a former resident of Smith township. She has been a resident of Bruce county for about 20 years, and her many friends in this county will learn with deep regret of her demise, which took place at the advanced age of 77 years, resulting from la grippe, following an attack of congestion of the lungs. Mrs. McKee left behind a family of seven sons and one daughter, all living. Mrs. Gerald Fitzgerald, of Lakefield, is her only surviving sister.

A HEART-BROKEN MINISTER.

The Death of the Late Rev. A. H. Munro Attributed to the Effects of Grief.

The Toronto News has the following:—"Quite recently there died in St. Thomas an aged minister named Rev. A. H. Munro. It is said that he died of a broken heart, in a physical as well as an emotional sense. The indications as diagnosed by physicians after his death, seem to show that peculiar form of breakdown which is occasionally produced by great grief was responsible for his death. He was a Baptist minister, formerly of Peterborough, and late in life he was expelled from his church on the testimony of a woman, who claimed that he had wronged her. The woman was afterwards found to be insane, and it is now believed that all her assertions were absolutely false. She is in an asylum and her conduct is said to have been due to her intense affection for him, and to her crazy view that she might become his wife by making such a ruinous accusation against him. Exactly the same situation is to be found in a Spanish novel "Faith," by Armando Palacio Valdes, in which a woman drives a pure and devoted young priest into disgrace by a similar assertion. Valdes is a realist and possibly his tale was founded on an incident within his own experience; or perhaps this recent episode is only fiction coming true. Additional pathos is lent to Mr. Munroe's death by some stanzas written shortly before his death. Two verses serve to show the bitterness of the man's heart:

Daily men to heaven pray;
Silence is their sole reply.
Why the answer's long delay?
Proof put off until we die!

Generations fresh graves fill,
Night ends day forever more,
All the hopes men cherish still
Have been buried long before.

Bad Blood Between Them.

The ever slaving farmer's wife, her delicate sister in the city, suffer more than they care to tell. The dark rings around the eyes, dizziness, headache, palpitation or rheumatic twidges, betoken a run down system. The blood is poor, and is a bar to the enjoyment of life. Scott's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, strengthens and vitalizes the system, and speedily restores the bloom of health to the cheeks. It cures when all others fail.

Only Best Goods.

Table Silver

Handsome New Year Gifts both sensible and attractive are found in our stock of tableware.

—Pearl Handle Dessert Sets,
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Addressed to Dr. Geo. Burnham, President of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society, will be received up to

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Secretary

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CHOICE PORK SAUSAGES,—3 lb. for 25c,

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Well, my dear if you would only try "Quickcure" the aching would stop at once.

"No matter from what it is caused, yields promptly to one application of "Quickcure."

The pain disappears almost immediately. Inflammation is promptly checked and needless suffering avoided. "Quickcure" may be relied on as a certain cure for toothache. Sold by druggists or

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FOR THE NEW YEAR.

FOR SMOKERS—Make up your mind to buy your Pipes, Tobaccos and Cigars, from TALBOT BROS., the Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough.

FOR ELECTORS—Make it a condition that all election bets on the Mayoralty for the Cigars, must be paid from TALBOT BROS., "A1" stock.

FOR NEW YEAR'S GIFTS—Make a bee-line for TALBOT'S. We did a dandy Xmas business, but have replenished with newest Novelties in Cigar Cases, Pouches, Pipes. "B B B's" Silver Mounted, Smoker's Walking Sticks, Gold and Silver Mounted, &c.

OUR BIG 4 COMBINATION—Four Genuine 10c Cigars for 25c. Take your pick of these—The Rosebery, William Pitt, Duoraven, El Cello, Irving, Dias Garcias and the Chamberlain, the new popular 10c Cigar out.

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Has added to the LeGendre stock of First-Class Dry Goods, bought at 55c on the Dollar, all the balance of the Joseph Rogers (Toronto) Bankrupt Stock of splendid Furs, bought at 40c on the Dollar.

Ladies especially are invited to call and examine our Cheap Furs and Dress Goods.

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The rink is now open for skating forenoons afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies	$2 00
For Gentlemen	3 00
For Girls	1 50
For Youths	2 00
For Boys	1 50

FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each addition 1 member half rates.

Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

JANUARY BULLETIN!

To-day we start our Annual January Clearing Sale of [illegible] and [illegible], consisting of short pieces of superior [illegible], suitable for [illegible] Clothing or Gentlemen's Trousers.

Also all our Fashionable [illegible] WINTER OVERCOATINGS, ETC.

This sale should prove specially interesting to purchasers, because the little lots that linger will be so reduced as to make them go out in short order.

Mercers

"New Woman" will be a stronger woman than the old one. Certainly, fresh air and the right exercise will do much for her. Fresh air is a great restorative, exercise a great nerve tonic if a woman be in condition to take it. A healthy woman can avoid disease. She can avoid the seemingly almost inevitable "weakness" of her sex if she pursues the proper hygienic methods. The same methods will not cure her if she be already sick. Taken under medical direction, in connection with the right medicine, they will help effect a cure. No women who suffers at all from so-called "female weakness" should attempt athletics of any sort. She should first put herself into possession of strong and hearty health by taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. After she is thoroughly well, exercise and diversion will help to keep her well. The cure should come first. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is designed and recommended for only the one thing. It acts directly upon one set of organs. No matter what is the matter with them, it will cure it. It will not cure anything else. It is a wholesome tonic, an invigorating nervine, or nerve-food as well as a healing medicine, and thousands of perfectly well women have found that by taking it regularly during the period of pregnancy, the danger and pain of parturition were much lessened, and in many cases, almost entirely obviated.

In every American household, there should be a copy of Dr. Pierce's great work, "Common Sense Medical Adviser." One copy *free* to any address on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay for customs and mailing *only*. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

AFTER A MONOPOLY.

Suit Commenced at Topeka to Dissolve the Kansas City Live Stock Exchange.

Topeka, Kas., Jan. 1.—Suit was commenced in the United States Circuit Court here yesterday to dissolve the Kansas City Live Stock Exchange. The petition was prepared by United States Attorney W. C. Perry, and was signed by Attorney-General Harmon. The petition charges that the object of the organization is to control the charges for the handling, selling and buying of live stock at the Kansas City stock yards, and that its existence restrains trade, is against public policy, and is a violation of the federal anti-trust laws. The petition alleges that the Live Stock Exchange and the Stock Yards Company, working together and doing business in common, are operating a monopoly in that it is impossible for any other than a member of the exchange to do business in Kansas City markets, and are placing an obstruction and embargo on the marketing of all stock shipped from the Western States to the Kansas City market, which is not consigned to the Kansas City Stock Yards Company, or to the defendants or other members of the exchange, who alone are permitted by said Stock Yards Company to transact business at its yards. An order is asked for dissolving the Live Stock Exchange and enjoining against the enforcement of the rules of the exchange. The application for a temporary injunction in the suit will be heard before Judge Foster of the Federal Court on Jan. 14. This proceeding is the outgrowth of the fight between Groer, Mills & Company and the Kansas City Live Stock Exchange.

THEY WORKED WONDERS.

Two Years of Bladder Torment—Had Attacks of Inflammation—Cured by a Few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Owen Sound, Dec. 28.—(Special)—The people of this town are talking again of another cure credited to Dodd's Kidney Pills. This is the case of Mr. W. Cruse, caretaker of the town buildings, who, when seen, had this to say of the matter:

"For over two years I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease, with occasional acute attacks of inflammation of the bladder.

"Was under doctors' treatment and have been compelled to resort to instrumental relief many times.

"I have taken eighteen boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and am satisfied with results, being perfectly relieved of all suffering."

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand is fair and prices as a rule unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.10, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The feeling was strong in the morning, but this afternoon it had departed. Red and white wheat sold outside at 82c to 83c, and No. 1 hard at 93c, Toronto freight, and at 81c Fort William.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c to 29c outside.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 2 is quoted at 28c to 29c, No. 3 extra at 25c to 26c, and feed at 21c.

Oats—The market is firmer. White sold at 20c on the Midland at 19c west. Mixed nominal at 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices firmer, with sales at 42c north and west, and at 43c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 25c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 27c outside.

Rye—The market is firmer, with sales west at 35c and east at 38c.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 30.—Spring wheat, 7s 0d to 7s 1d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1d to 7s 2d; corn, 2s 10¼d; peas, 4s 5d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 6d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 25s 6d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Wheat off coast quiet, on passage strong and 3d to 9d higher. English country markets partly 1s dearer. Maize on passage firm.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady; futures quiet at 6s 10¼d for Jan., 6s 11¼d for Feb. and 6s 11¾d for March. Maize firm at 2s 9½d for Jan., 2s 9⅝d for Feb., 2s 10d for March and 2s 10¼d for May. Flour, 24s 9d.

Paris—Wheat, 22f 20c for Jan.; flour, 47f 10c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat quiet at 6s 9¼d for Jan., 6s 10¼d for Feb. and 6s 11¼d for March. Maize, 2s 10¼d for Dec., 2s 9⅝d for Jan. and Feb., 2s 10d for March and 2s 10¼d for May. Flour, 24s 9d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage firm. Maize on passage ¼d higher.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 22f 10c for Jan.; flour, 47f 20c for Jan.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentry, Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. Never travel without it. Price 35c.

Tom Flanagan Killed Three Persons in Three Seconds on Thursday Night in Georgia.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 1.—Tom Flanagan, a carpenter, killed three persons last night near Decatur in three seconds. Flanagan boarded with G. W. Allen and wife, who lived in DeKalb County, just beyond the city limits. The Allens were an old couple, both over 70 years of age. They kept a boarding house and had five boarders. At 7 o'clock last night the Allens and their boarders sat down to supper in their dining room. Flanagan was in an adjoining room. He had been drinking, but the family did not know that he was drunk. He was called to or three times and finally he appeared at the door leading from his room into the dining room and without a word, began firing a pistol at the people seated at the table. His first shot struck old Mrs. Allen and she fell over fatally wounded. The next shot hit the aged husband and he dropped to the floor. The boarders sprang from their seats to escape. Just as Miss Ruth Black rose a bullet struck her in the head and she fell dead. The others ran out followed by the remaining bullets in Flanagan's pistol. The old man and his wife died on the floor in a few minutes. The boarders called for help and a posse soon rushed into the house and took Flanagan a prisoner, without resistance on his part. He was too drunk to realize what he had done. When asked why he had committed the crime he said he did not know anything about it. He seemed to be crazy drunk. The marshal of Decatur brought Flanagan into the city to get him away from the scene, as there was talk of hanging him before morning.

THE DEFUNCT STEEL POOL.

A Plan Proposed to Resurrect the Dictator and Control Prices.

Pittsburg, Jan. —The special committee, appointed at the last meeting of the Bessemer Steel Association to figure out a plan by which the defunct pool may be again placed on its feet as the great dictator of prices in the iron and steel world, has completed its report, which will be presented at a meeting of members to be held Monday next. The plan is that the larger concerns shall buy up the allotment of the other and smaller mills, and pay the owners to practically retire from the billet-making business with the exception of pocketing the dividends that they will receive from the concerns that will then make the billets for the whole country. In this respect the billet pool will emulate the methods of the nail pool, but with more hopes of success. The consummation of the project means that the trade in billets and finished products would be confined to the larger producers, or a concentration of production placed in the hands of a few large firms, who will then control production, set the price and share the profits with the idle mill owners.

You can't be well if your blood is impure, but you may have pure blood and good health by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

WHOSE ARE THE LOCKETS?

James Porter Charged With Stealing Them —No Owners Have Yet Been Found.

Windsor, Jan. 1.—James Porter, who claims to be a resident of Detroit, was in the Police Court yesterday, charged with the theft of several gold lockets. One was from Bradley Bros. in this city. He has pawned two others, one in Windsor and the other in London, but no owners have yet been found for them. The lockets are gold and set with diamonds, each being valued at about $40. Porter pleaded guilty and was remanded until Jan. 5, when he will receive sentence. In the meantime his record will be looked into by the police. It is known that he stole a sum of money from a nurse in a Chatham hospital, after she had nursed him through an illness.

ZEHRUNG KILLED HIMSELF.

A Popular Business Man of Lincoln, Neb., Got Tired of Life.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 1.—Ex-State Senator Henry C. Zehrung, at the head of the Standard Glass and Paint Company, one of the most prominent as well as most popular business men in Lincoln, committed suicide by hanging yesterday. He was 54 years old, high in the ranks of Masonry, and was reputed to be wealthy. Originally a Republican, he deserted that party at the last election and was one of the strong supporters of Bryan, of whom he was a near neighbor. On the subject of free silver he was almost a fanatic, and among his intimates it is known he brooded much over its defeat and that of his candidate for the Presidency.

Cattle Men in Consternation.

Perry, Okla., Jan. 1.—The report from Washington that Secretary Francis will soon declare the Wichita, Kiowa and Comanche Indian lands open for settlement has caused consternation among the cattlemen, and they will try to prevent early action. In the meantime, many companies are being formed to secure the best lands.

IT IS ALL TALK.

Yes, but it is Norwood Talk—The Kind That Tells in Norwood.

Talk that tells.
Talk that is endorsed.
Every day talk by people that know.
City talk.
Kidney talk.
Do the kidneys talk?
Well, yes, both loud and long.
You are learning the kidney language.
Backache in kidney language means kidney ache.
Lame back means weak kidneys.
Weak back means weak kidneys.
The kidneys are talking trouble.
Here is some Norwood talk:

Mr. George Taylor, well known in Norwood, has this to say about Doan's Kidney Pills:—

"For a great many years I have been a sufferer from kidney disease. Terrible pain in my side and back made my life a burden. The urine was a dark wine colour, and I was greatly troubled with frequent urination. My sleep was destroyed because of this annoying trouble.

"I have taken scores of medicines, but could get no relief, and thought that I would never be cured. Happily I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills, and got a box at J. C. Moffett's drug store, and have continued their use for one month.

"I am thankful to say as a result that they have fixed me up. I feel like another person. I do not now have to get up at night, and in fact am entirely cured.

"I think they are the grandest medicine ever placed before the public, and I heartily recommend them to all sufferers from kidney disorder of any kind."

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Dear Sirs,—After suffering for two years from acute indigestion I tried B.B.B. I took only three bottles, which made me as well as ever I was. I highly recommend B.B.B. to all dyspeptics.

Mrs. John White, Austin, Man

Xenia, Ohio, Jan. 1.—Shortly after noon to-day an explosion occurred at the Miami Powder Company's works, a few miles north of this city. Abijah Kretzer, married, and Joe Hopping, single, employes of the works, were fatally hurt. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

Hopes to Kill Yellow Jack.

London, Jan. 1.—The Standard will tomorrow print a despatch from Rome saying that Dr. Gaccarelli has discovered the germ of yellow fever and hopes to show how to combat the disease.

Newfoundland Finances.

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 1.—The Government announces that the revenue receipts for the half-year were nearly $360,000, being $55,000 over the receipts during the same period last year.

A MESSAGE TO MEN.

Proving that True Honesty and True Philantrophy Still Exist.

If any man, who is weak, nervous and debilitated, or who is suffering from any of the various troubles resulting from youthful folly, excesses or overwork, will take heart and write to me, I will send him confidentially and free of charge, the plan pursued by which I was completely restored to perfect health and manhood, after years of suffering from Nervous Debility, Loss of Vigor and Organic Weakness.

I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble. Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. Geo. G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich.

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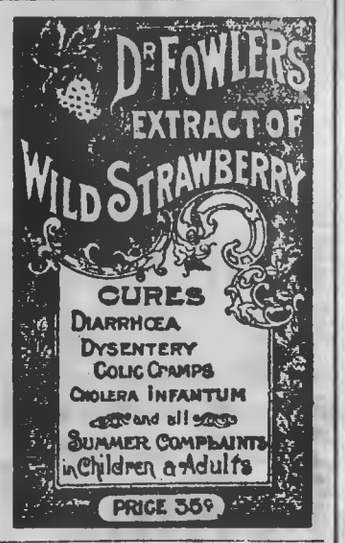

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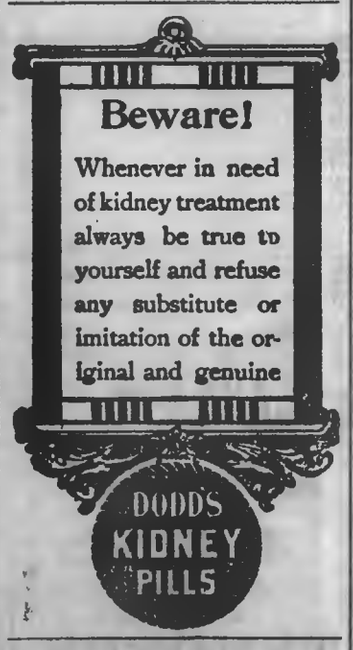
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South American Nervine effected a complete cure.

In their own particular field few men are beter known than the Rev. John Wesley Bell, B.D., and his brother Mr. James A. Bell. The former will be recognized by his thousands of friends all over the country as the popular and able missionary superintendent of the Royal Templars of Temperance. Among the 20,000 members of this order in Ontario his counsel is sought on all sorts of occasions. On the public platform he is one of the strong men of the day, battling against the evils of intemperance. Equally well known is Mr. Bell in other provinces of the Dominion, having been for years a member of the Manitoba Methodist Conference and part of this time was stationed in Winnipeg. His brother, Mr. James A. Bell, is a highly respected resident of Beaverton, where his influence, though perhaps more circumscribed than that of his eminent brother, is none the less effective and productive of good. Of recent years, however, the working ability of Mr. James A. Bell has been sadly marred by severe attacks of nervous headache, accompanied by indigestion. Who can do fit work when this trouble takes hold of them and especially when it becomes chronic, as was, seemingly, the case with Mr. Bell? The trouble reached such intensity that last June he was completely prostrated. In this condition a friend recommended South American Nervine. Ready to try anything and everything, though he thought he had covered the list of proprietary medicines, he secured a bottle of this great discovery. A second bottle of the medicine was taken and the work was done. Employing his own language: "Two bottles of South American Nervine immediately relieved my headaches and have built up my system in a wonderful manner." Let us not deprecate the good our clergymen and social reformers are doing in the world, but how ill-fitted they would be for their work were it not the relief that South American Nervine brings to them when physical ills overtake them, and when the system, as a result of hard, earnest and continuous work, breaks down. Nervine treats the system as the wise reformer treats the evils he is battling against. It strikes at the root of the trouble. All disease comes from disorganization of the nerve centers. This is a scientific fact. Nervine at once works on these nerve centers; gives to them health and vigor; and then there courses through the system strong, healthy, life-maintaining blood, and nerveous troubles of every variety are things of the past.

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Gentlemen,—For the last ten years I had been troubled with kidney disease, being so bad at intervals that I could not lie in bed at night nor stoop to the ground.

I had tried all the remedies I could find without effect, but heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills and procured a box.

I am most happy to say it for my own sake as well as for others that I am perfectly cured after using four boxes.

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A WOMAN BEAUTIFUL.

SHE SUBMITS TO SCOURGING TO ATTAIN THIS DESIRED RESULT.

The Tools With Which It Is Done and the Modus Operandi—The Effects in Detail in a Progressive Sort of Way—What is Accomplished.

They literally beat women in some of the continental cities now—beat them with rattans. And the women submit to it voluntarily. It's the new muscle-beating fad—a fad by which women who are passee, who have be-

SCOURGING A WOMAN WITH RATTANS

come physically played out by late nights and bad food and fast living generally may be rejuvenated, rehabilitated, with color in their pale cheeks and elasticity in their step.

It has just reached this country and the strictly up-to-date society woman is taking her daily muscle beating religiously.

In muscle beating a woman has to go through about the same treatment as criminals of old did in the days when the knout was used.

The patient is undressed and laid face downward on a couch. Then the beating begins. An attendant is armed with an implement consisting of a rubber ball attached to a flexible rattan or whalebone handle, which bends with the force of the blow, and has the elasticity of a coach whip.

With this instrument of torture the beater first brings down the rubber ball on the thick and fleshy muscles of the back. These being the most important muscles treated by the new process, the whipping goes on with enthusiasm until the beater is tired and the beaten ready to offer a bribe for a cessation of treatment.

Leaving for awhile the shoulder muscles, the beater then attacks the lower anatomy of the patient, taking the muscles around the waist and beating a tattoo from side to side, until the red blood is forced to the surface and sent surging through the veins.

Then the hips come in for punishment. The tune of the rubber balls is played with renewed force, for here the blows can be administered as heavily as is compatible with the feelings of the patient, without any fear of the punishment being dangerous. Having hammered the patient's hip muscles into a state of abject submission the attendant then travels along to the thighs and calves, administering such a flagellation with the two light weapons as only confirmed faddists would be willing to submit to.

By this time the muscles of the back have recovered their wonted composure. Having beaten the jaded muscles of the back into life and vigor again, the woman under treatment is then placed on her back, and the muscles of the chest and stomach come in for a rain of blows from the merciless rubber balls.

When the beating is done by an accomplished hand it produces the most beneficial and pleasant results. Ordinary massage treatment is not in it with the drumstick method of muscle beating. There is as much difference between the benefits produced as between those that follow genuine gymnastic exercise and ordinary hand massage.

The impurities that have clogged the system and rendered the patient lan-

BEATING THE BACK.

guid and half-lifeless are beaten into action and forced along to where they can be thrown off. The flabby and almost helpless muscles respond to the energetic hammering of the rubber balls and become hard and useful once more. The blood, the great nourishing factor in the human system, is beaten into activity where it has been sluggish, and the whole system is revived.

Sufferers from feeble muscular power who have tried the new muscle beating fad are unanimous in declaring it to be superior to the old massage treatment in every way, and it is probable that the system of hand massage will soon give place to the flagellating idea.

The implements used are not all made alike. Some have two and three balls attached to the flexible rod, and these balls may be of any size that the patient prefers.

Another flagellating implement consists of a number of hollow rubber tubes attached to a handle, making an implement like a whitewash brush. The treatment with this implement is much severer than with the drumstick muscle beater, as the action is more like a cat-o'-nine-tails thrashing than a gentle hammering.

A Bicycle Girl's Gloves.

Castor gloves for the cold weather bicycle girl are lined with fleece. They come in two shades of gray, in brown and in tan, and are warranted to stand bravely an unusual amount of hard usage.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c. 50c. and $1.00.

AN AUTUMN SONG

The leaf's cavorting o'er the lots,
The goat is on the jig;
The crisp zephyr sets the spots
A changing on the pig,
The price of overcoats is up,
The price of ice is down,
And gilt-edge rapture fills my cup—
She's coming back to town.

The salaries are waxing red,
As ever they can wax,
And to the last rose in the bed
I sigh, "Vobiscum pax!"
Like yonder bat I'd swirl and swerve
Around the statue brown,
Upon the hyperbolic curve—
She's coming back to town.

The woodcock's scooting through the wood,
Untoasted on the fly,
And yonder gem of gobblerhood,
Suggests Olympus high,
And while the moments swiftly wing,
I wear the airy crown,
On which the patent's owned by Spring—
She's coming back to town.

If I am standing on my head,
Or feet I do not know;
My thoughts are poems rosy red,
That like new cider flow,
There's music in the atmosphere
That turns me upside down,
And not a discord can I hear—
She's coming back to town.

MUCH TOO UNANIMOUS.

The Girl's Best Fellows Worried the Old Man.

When the rich but crotchety old man, Humpley, assembled his five daughters in a room the other day, he didn't do a thing but pound the table, swing his arms frantically and roar out this kind of a campaign speech:

"You're about as sleepy and frowsy an aggregation as ever threw domestic regularity off the trolley by coming down late to breakfast. Just take a look at each other and keep right on giggling. You would disappoint my judgment if you didn't giggle.

"I'm here to call a halt! Understand? I'm not running a matrimonial bureau. This is no summer resort. I'm not going to enlarge this house, cut it up into smaller rooms or build a new one. You've got to size up to that, ladies. I'm going to keep right on living here and have some of the comforts of home.

"When I tiptoed in last night there was one girl and some dude on the first stair landing. I dodged into the parlor and there were two more trying to look as though they had met to discuss theosophy. In the sitting room Mame let out a screech and some peaked-shouldered fellow fell over the piano stool trying to sit down. Out in the kitchen I found the cook and a policeman. The coachman was swinging the second girl in the hammock in the back yard, and as I came back looking for a place to sit down and smoke there was a brace of noodles in the sitting-room.

"I scurried to the library, where I felt sure of haven, and there were two couples huddled up in opposite corners. I went to bed hungry, disgusted and without a smoke. I came within an ace of cutting loose and having the house cleared.

"You can't come any King Lear business on me. Understand? I'm going to have reform or there'll be a rough-and-tumble trouble 'round here. Have some system. Arrange a schedule. Leave one or two rooms available for the rest of the family. Have your beaux come in relays instead of being so infernally unanimous. Understand?"—New York World.

The camel is a beast of great strength and endurance. Nothing hurts it until the proverbial "last straw" is added to its burden. The human digestive system is very much like a camel. It is really astonishing how much abuse it will stand. Sometimes, however, something worse than usual will be eaten, and will go through the stomach into the bowels, and then it will stick—that's constipation. Nine-tenths of all human sickness is due to constipation. Some of the simplest symptoms are coated tongue, foul breath, dizziness, heartburn, flatulence, sallowness, distress after eating, headaches and lassitude. A little thing will cause constipation, and a little thing will relieve it. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a certain cure for constipation. They are tiny, sugar-coated granules, mild and natural in their action. There is nothing injurious about them. Sold by druggists.

Address with 31 cents in one-cent stamps, to cover cost of mailing only, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N.Y., and get a free copy of the "People's Common Sense Medical Adviser."

Six Negroes in Danger.

Milan, Tenn., Jan. 1.—Six negroes are under arrest for the murder of Capt. H. P. Miller, proprietor of the Southern Pacific Hotel, whose body was found yesterday in an unused bar room with his head beaten to a pulp. The negroes are heavily guarded, but as soon as any sort of proof is obtained the entire six will probably be lynched and burned, as 2000 people are at fever heat over the affair. Capt. Miller was beaten over the head with brass knuckles and the cash drawer robbed of its contents.

Killed by Coal Gas.

Youngstown, O., Jan. 1.—Early this morning boarders at the home of James Bets, near the Struther Furnace, on returning home from a party, found Bets, his wife and 2-year-old child dead and four boarders unconscious. The latter were carried out into the air and revived. Escaping coal gas was the cause of the asphyxiation.

The Indefatigable Arrives.

Halifax, Dec. 30.—The British warship Indefatigable is reported having arrived at Bermuda yesterday from England. She came to the British North-American station to relieve the man-of-war Mohawk, which returns home.

Mrs. S. says: "I had been suffering from Rheumatic Pains for months. Miller's Compound Iron Pills cured me." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

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The Scorcher and the Maid.

She smiled at me and turned around,
To gaze when I had passed;
With joy I felt that I had found
My affinity at last.

She smiled at me as I shot by,
And gladness filled my breast,
For, of all the maids beneath the sky,
I loved that one the best.

She smiled at me and turned around,
But, later on, alack!
Dejection claimed me, for I found
I'd a mud-streak up my back.

Correctly Stated.

"They say the honeymoon is over when a man's wife asks him for money."

"Well, I shouldn't put it exactly that way."

"How would you put it?"

"I should say that the honeymoon is over when a man forgets to ask his wife how much cash he can have the pleasure of giving her."—Chicago Record.

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No. LXXXIV.

The Two Rabbis.

The Rabbi Nathan, two score year and ten,
Walked blameless through the evil world and then,
Just as the almond blossomed in his hair,
Met a temptation all too strong to bear,
And miserably sinned. So, adding not
Falsehood to guilt, he left his seat and taught
No more among the elders, but went out
From the great congregation girt about
With sackcloth, and with ashes on his head,
Making his gray locks grayer. Long he prayed,
Smiting his breast; then as the book he laid
Open before him for the Bath-Col's choice,
Paused to hear that daughter of a voice,
Behold the royal preacher's words: "A friend
Loveth at all times, yea unto the end;
And for the evil day thy brother lives."
Marvelling, he said: "It is the Lord who gives
Counsel in need. At Echatana dwells
Rabbi Ben Isaac, who all men excels
In righteousness and wisdom, as the trees
Of Lebanon the small weeds that the bees
Bow with their weight. I will arise, and lay
My sins before him."

And he went his way
Barefooted, fasting long, with many prayers;
But even as one who, followed unawares,
Suddenly in the darkness feels a hand
Thrill with its touch his own, and his cheek fanned
By odors subtly sweet, and whispers near
Of words he loathes, yet cannot choose but hear,
So, while the Rabbi journeyed, chanting low
The wail of David's penitential woe,
Before him still the old temptation came,
And mocked him with the motion and the shame
Of such desire that shuddering, he abhorred
Himself, and crying mightily unto the Lord
To free his soul and cast the demon out,
Smote with his staff the blankness round about.
At length, in the low light of a spent day,
The towers of Echatana far away
Rose on the desert's rim; and Nathan faint
And footsore, paused where for some dead saint
The faith of Islam reared a domed tomb,
Saw some one kneeling in the shadow, whom
He greeted kindly: "May the Holy One
Answer thy prayers, O stranger!" Whereupon
The shape stood up with a loud cry, and then,
Clasped in each other's arms, the two gray men
Wept, praising Him whose gracious providence
Made their paths one. But straightway, as the sense
Of his transgression smote him, Nathan bore
Himself away: "O friend beloved, no more
Worthy am I to touch thee, for I came,
Foul from my sins to tell thee all my shame.
Happily thy prayers since naught availeth mine
May purge my soul, and make it white like thine.
Pity me O Ben Isaac, I have sinned!"
Awestruck, Ben Isaac stood. The desert wind
Blew his long mantle backward, laying bare
The mournful secret of his shirt of hair.
"I, too, O friend, if not in act," he said,
"In thought have verily sinned. Hast thou not read,
'Better the eye should see than that desire
Should wander?' Burning with a hidden fire
That tears and fires quench not, I come to thee
For pity and for help as thou to me.
Pray for me, O my friend!" but Nathan cried,
"Pray thou for me, Ben Isaac!"

Side by side
In the low sunshine by the turban-stone
They knelt; each made his brother's woe his own,
Forgetting in the agony and stress
Of pitying love, his claim of selfishness;
Peace for his friend besought, his own became;
His prayers were answered in another's name;
And when at last they rose up to embrace,
Each saw God's pardon in his brother's face!
Long after, when his headstone gathered moss,
Traced on the tayum-maye of Onkelos
In Rabbi Nathan's hand these words were read:
"Hope not the cure of sin till self is dead;
Forget it in love's service and the debt
Thou canst not pay the angels shall forget;
Heaven's gate is shut to him that comes alone;
Save thou a soul, and it shall save thy own!"

—*Whittier.*

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FIVE KILLED TWENTY INJURED.

A Town in Louisiana Almost Blown Off the Face of the Earth by a Cyclone on Saturday.

Shreveport, La., Jan. 3.—A cyclone from the southwest struck and almost literally demolished the town of Mooringport, just north of this city, at 3.45 p.m. yesterday. Over twenty dwellings were blown down and only seven buildings are left intact. Four persons were killed and 20 injured.

The dead are: Willie Goodman, Maud Goodman, Hill Goodman, infant daughter of Mr. Jesse Goodman.

Wounded: Mrs. Jesse Goodman, Alice Goodman, Para Lee Goodman, wife and two daughters of Jesse Goodman; his nephew, Clyde Goodman; Mrs. Effie Morgan and infant baby injured; Mrs. Head, mother of Mrs. Morgan, 68 years old.

All the children killed were Mrs. Head's grandchildren; Mrs. Milan and two children slightly injured; Mrs. Aitkin, hurt in head; Thomas Elgin, arm broken; Thomas Elliott, injured in head; Dr. J. B. Harris, head cut and left side injured; Tom Yeat, head cut; Mrs. Tom Yeat, internally injured; Miss Yeat, aged 14, and Alvin Yeat, 7 years of age, slightly injured; Mrs. Davis, slightly injured; Jordan Robinson, colored, arm badly fractured.

The following houses were destroyed: W. B. Broom's grocery and cotton-seed houses; Main store and residence safe; Fain's saloon; Fuller's residence; Christian's store, warehouse, residence and tenant house; Morgan residence; Milan residence; Frank Ivy's residence; Goodman's residence; F. A. Yeat's residence; Methodist parsonage; C. I. Groom's residence, stable and smokehouse. The only houses left uninjured are: Mrs. C. S. Crom's residence, J. S. Noel's store and residence, Methodist church, Mrs. Caldwell's residence, W. H. Groom's Main-street residence and the depot.

Physicians and a relief corps left here at 6.30 o'clock on a special train, and everything is being done to relieve the wounded. It has been decided to take the wounded to the hospital at daylight in the morning.

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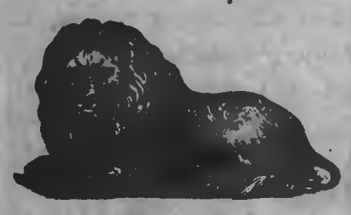

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Toronto, Jan. 5.—A heavy vote was cast in the municipal contest yesterday. Mr. R. J. Fleming defeated Mr. George McMurrich for the Mayoralty by 1604 of a majority. There was a good deal of interest taken in the battle and thousands of men stood for hours around the newspaper offices until a late hour, when the full result was known.

The polling for aldermen in the various wards resulted as follows:

First Ward—John Russell, Thomas Allen, John K. Leslie, James Frame.

Second Ward—John Hallam, F. S. Spence, Daniel Lamb, W. L. Beale.

Third Ward—A. F. Rutter, John Shaw, O. B. Sheppard, Bernard Saunders.

Fourth Ward—W. P. Hubbard, William Burns, James Crane, William Carlyle.

Fifth Ward—R. H. Graham, W. T. R. Preston, F. H. Woods, John Dunn.

Sixth Ward—James Gowanlock, James Scott, J. J. Graham, Dr. Adam Lynd.

Two money bylaws were submitted for the approval of the property owners, and were endorsed by large majorities. The electors were also asked to express their opinion as to the advisability of holding the municipal elections on New Year's Day. By a majority of 10,000 the people declared themselves in favor of the change, and there is little doubt the Legislature will make the necessary amendment to the Municipal Act to allow the City of Toronto to vote on the holiday. The result of the vote upon these questions was as follows:

	$275,000 Bylaw. For Agst	$26,000 Bylaw. For Agst.	Elections on New Year's. For Agst
Ward 1 ..	619 281	538 343	1780 530
Ward 2 ..	1008 444	847 493	2928 914
Ward 3 ..	775 347	697 394	3150 1150
Ward 4 ..	1147 449	970 560	2985 895
Ward 5 ..	849 442	738 557	2980 824
Ward 6 ..	605 323	513 400	1820 635
	4943 2286	4304 2737	15241 4940
Major. ..	2657	1567	10301

BELLEVILLE.

Belleville.—No contest for Mayoralty or for aldermen for Samson or Bleecker Wards. Aldermen: Foster Ward—Jas. Mackie, jr., E. H. Laroch, E. Maylor. Ketcheson Ward—J. H. Startup, Jas. A. Chisholm, Cameron Brown. Baldwin Ward—John Doyle, A. Wallace, A. T. Petrie. Coleman Ward—T. Luscomb, I. O. Frost, S. T. Harris by acclamation. W. H. Lingham retiring this morning. Murney Ward—W. H. Parter, N. B. Falkiner, L. Gills. Public School Trustees: Sampson Ward—F. E. O'Flynn. Baldwin Ward—A. Wensley. Murney Ward—Irvine Diamond.

Belleville, Ont., Jan. 4.—A vote was taken to-day as to whether the citizens were in favor or not of reducing the wards to four, with the following result: For, 849; against, 531; majority for, 318.

BRANTFORD.

Brantford.—Ward 1—A. G. Montgomery, W. Whittaker, W. Hartwell; School Trustee, H. Butterworth. Ward 2—H. Hunter, R. Hall, T. Large; School Trustee, J. Bowes. Ward 3—R. Waddington, H. A. Foulds, C. Duncan. Ward 4—F. Bolton, L. B. Eddy, J. Loney, all by acclamation. Ward 5—D. B. Wood, F. Wilson, R. Robson.

CHATHAM.

Chatham.—Mayor—Henry Smyth. Aldermen: Ward 1—Blight, O'Keefe, Weaver. Ward 2—Mounteer, Phelps, Wanless. Ward 3—Bray, Lewis, McPhee. Ward 4—Carpenter, Liddy, Sutman. Ward 5—Arnold, Smith, Watt. School trustees: Ward 2—Walter. Ward 4—Campbell. Ward 5—Fleming. A bylaw authorising the purchase by the city of an electric light plant was to-day carried by a majority of 352.

GUELPH.

Guelph.—Mayor—Jas. Hewer. Aldermen: St. Patrick's Ward—G. W. Stull, G. Penfold and R. McDonald. St. Andrew's Ward—Hugh Walker, W. F. Clarke and J. J. Mahoney. School Trustees: St. Patrick's Ward—D. E. Rudd. St. Andrew's Ward—George Bruce.

HAMILTON.

Hamilton, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—The story of to-day's election is a short one. It resulted in the defeat of Mayor Tuckett by ex-Ald. E. A. Colquhoun by 808 votes in a total vote of about 6500, something less than 2200 of the average polled during the past three years.

The day opened up wet and nasty, a fact which accounted in a measure for the smallness of the vote, but not altogether. Mr. Tuckett, probably feeling secure in his position, made little or no effort to organize his forces, with the result that many hundreds of his friends and likely supporters remained away from the polls. The election of Mr. Colquhoun is not a surprise. In most quarters it has been generally claimed during the past few days and the people had come to look upon it as a foregone conclusion. Old-time politicians incline to the belief that Mr. Tuckett's failure to open his barrel is responsible for his failure to secure a second term. They argue that a political barrel once opened should be kept open, and, judging by the quality of the men who withheld their votes until the eleventh hour, it would appear that this theory is not so bad.

Mr. Colquhoun and his friends are holding the customary jubilee tonight. The streets are jammed with a noisy, apparently happy, crowd and pandemonium reigns supreme. The greatest clatter, however, is contributed by the small boys with the overgrown horn. The saloons are all complying with the law of the land, and in the absence of the seductive beverage, nothing has occurred to mar the customary good-nature of an election celebration.

In the aldermanic contests Ald. Reid of the First Ward alone falls of those who offered themselves for re-election.

First Ward—Clappison 444, McDonald 486, McKay 153, Reid 379, Watkins 438.

Sixth Ward—Hill 844, Miller 758, McAndrew 600, Phillips 591, Malone 246.

Seventh Ward—Baugh 754, Dixon 838, Fearnside 561, Ross 603, Waters 371.

KINGSTON.

Kingston.—Mayor—J. S. Skinner, by 234 majority. Aldermen: Sydenham Ward—G. H. Allen, James Stewart, James Minnes. Ontario Ward—R H Toye, J B Walkem, Robert Kent, St. Lawrence Ward—Charles Livingston, John McKelvey, Thomas H Johns. Cataraqui Ward—Dr J H Bell, W Robinson, Dr E Ryan. Frontenac Ward—Joseph Tait, W Carson, C W Wright. Victoria Ward—Henry Moores, Thomas Donnelly, H W Richardson. Rideau Ward—Henry Taylor, Christopher Robinson, Robert Elliott. School trustees: Ontario Ward—Dr A F Knight. Frontenac Ward—Thomas Lamont. Rideau Ward—J G Elliott. Victoria Ward—Henry Newman.

Kingston, Jan. 4.—The bylaw granting $17,000 for the purchase of the property of the Midland Fair Association was carried by a large majority.

LONDON.

London.—Mayor—John W Little, 2526 majority. Aldermen: Ward 1—Joseph Johnston, F C Rumball and Charles Taylor. Ward 2—H M Douglas, George Olmstead and S O'Meara. Ward 3—R A Carruthers, S Steveley and W H Winnett. Ward 4—Neil Cooper, E N Hunt and John Turner. Ward 5—R W Bennett, H Dromley, John Nuttalns (all re-elected). Ward 6—W Gerry, J W McCallum and Ed Parnell (all re-elected).

School trustees: Ward 1—C J McCormick. Ward 2—Dr John D Wilson. Ward 3 (one year)—Thomas Evans. Ward 4—W T Strong. Ward 5—Dr W M English.

Six new men are elected to the council of 1897, viz.: Messrs. Joseph Johnston and F. Grumball in No. 1; G. Olmstead in No. 2; S. Steveley in No. 3 and Messrs. E. N. Hunt and John Turner in No. 4. Ald. Pritchard in No. 1 and Alderman Heaman in No. 3 are two old heads defeated.

OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—To-day's municipal elections in Ottawa were the most exciting in the history of the city. Mr. Samuel Bingham, who entered the Mayoralty contest late in the day, by receiving the solid Catholic vote was elected over Mr. Cranneil by a majority of 154. Ex-Ald. Cluff was third. The official returns are as follows: Bingham 2712; Cranneil 2558; Cluff 1869.

The aldermanic elections resulted as follows: Victoria Ward—Masson, Enright, Butler. Dalhousie Ward—Davidson, Hewlett, Foster. Wellington Ward—Campbell, Stewart, Black. Central Ward—Powell, Cook, Wallace. St. George's Ward—Hasley, Rogers, Grant. By Ward—Payment, St. Jean, Gareau. Ottawa Ward—Durocher, Gauthier, White. Rideau Ward—Rogers, Fraser, Donaldson.

STRATFORD.

Stratford.—Mayor—John O'Donoghue. Aldermen: Shakespeare Ward—F McLeod, James Hodd, Henry Pauli. Avon Ward—John Brown, James Stamp, James Vanstone. Hamlet Ward—A A Maver, Thomas Ballantyne, jr., Henry Baker. Falstaff Ward—Dr E H Eidt, J L Bradshaw, William Hepburn. Romeo Ward—John Hogarth, William Gillespie, G F Ingram. Public school trustees: Falstaff Ward—W J Cleland. Romeo Ward—Chris McLennan. Avon Ward—H Y Barker. Shakespeare Ward—Benjamin Leckie. Hamlet Ward—James Gadsby.

ST. CATHARINES.

St. Catharines.—Aldermen: St. Andrew's Ward—A. McEdward, Joseph Voisard, M. Y. Keating. St. George's Ward—J. W. King, M. McCarron, W. H. McCordick. St. Patrick's Ward—Thos. Beattie, D. Robertson, C. G. McDermott.

ST. THOMAS.

St. Thomas.—Ald. Wright was elected Mayor by 385 majority. Aldermen: No. 1 Ward—R. McCully, E. S. Miller. No. 2 Ward—Thomas Meek and C. F. Maxwell. No. 3 Ward—R. H. McConnell, J. S. Robertson. No. 4 Ward—R. Sanders, J. Wallis. No. 5 Ward—P. Meehan, D. McCallum. No. 6 Ward—A. Edwards, A. Lochead.

WINDSOR.

Windsor.—Following are the aldermen elected to-day: Bell, Brian, Carney, Davignon, Shepherd, Dixon, Duck, Connelly, Kilroy, McMurray, Vigneaux, Baxter. Water Commissioner—R. C. Cole.

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LATEST CABLE NEWS

Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick in a London Hospital.

TO BEAR A SURGICAL OPERATION

Sir Edward Clarke Thinks Ireland Has Been Over-Taxed, or at All Events, He Upholds the Report Presented by the Royal Commission—Other Cable News.

London, Jan. 4.—Sir Edward Clarke, M. P., formerly Solicitor-General, today delivered a speech at Plymouth, which place he represents in the House of Commons. In the course of his address he took occasion to refer to the claim of the Irish that they are overtaxed to the amount of about two million pounds yearly, and to their demand that taxation be reduced and restitution made of the excess of taxes collected during the past 40 years or so. After referring to the commission on the financial relations between Great Britain and Ireland, which recently submitted a report favoring the Irish contention, Sir Edward said he could not hesitate to accept the decisions on matters of fact on such a strong commission.

This declaration is noteworthy as being the first from an English Tory in support of the report of the commission. As a body the English Tories are bitterly opposed to the acceptance of the report as final, and during the coming session of Parliament will seek to obtain the appointment of another commission to reinvestigate the question.

HON. G. A KIRKPATRICK

In a London Hospital Awaiting a Surgical Operation

London, Jan. 4.—A representative of the United Associated Presses in London visited the private hospital in which Mr. George A. Kirkpatrick, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, is being treated, and was admitted to the presence of the patient. Lieutenant-Governor Kirkpatrick was found sitting in a comfortable drawing room in the hospital, and appeared to be in a cheerful mood. He is suffering from an internal complaint, and his visit to England was made for the purpose of consulting experts in regard to his disease.

The operation, which, it has been decided, would be necessary to effect a complete cure, will probably be performed on Jan. 11, by which time it is expected Mrs. Kirkpatrick will have arrived. Mr. Kirkpatrick is attended by Sir Charles Tupper, late Canadian High Commissioner in London, in the dual capacity of physician and friend, and also by Mr. Harrington Howard, and others. The operation to be performed will necessitate a complete rest for Mr. Kirkpatrick for some months, but the Lieutenant-Governor is confident of its success, and of his ultimate return to his home perfectly cured of his troubles.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

The Trial of Lady Scott and Others for Libel of Earl Russell Resumed.

London, Jan. 4.—The trial of Lady Selina Scott, John Cockerton and William Aylott, upon charges of criminally libelling Earl Russell, Lady Scott's son-in-law, which has been under adjournment for several weeks in consequence of the illness and subsequent death of Frederick Kast, one of the original defendants, and the illness of Lady Scott herself, was resumed in the Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey, this morning.

Dr. Scott, the chief physician of Holloway Jail, in which institution Kast died from pneumonia on Dec. 11, was called to the witness stand and testified that Sir John Bridge, the Chief Magistrate of the Bow-street Police Court, had visited the hospital of the prison for the purpose of examining Kast, but had refrained from so doing upon learning that, in the opinion of the witness, Kast was not in a condition to undergo an examination.

Several witnesses were called who were on board Lord Russell's yacht when the improper acts alleged to have been committed by His Lordship were said to have occurred. All of these witnesses testified that they saw none of the improprieties which the defendants have declared took place. Some of the witnesses spoke of money having been offered them through the defendant, Cockerton, in consideration of their giving testimony against Earl Russell. Upon cross-examination these witnesses admitted that Cockerton did not directly offer them money, but suggested such an offer by intimating that there was plenty of money on his side of the case.

The Czar Warns the Sultan

London, Jan. 4.—The Daily Telegraph publishes a despatch from Constantinople, saying that the Czar has sent a message to the Sultan recommending him to most seriously consider the remonstrances and advice of the great powers regarding the reforms necessary for the empire, and adding that if he does not do so he will expose himself to the gravest consequences, even foreign intervention. The Czar further says that the Sultan's acceptance of this advice is an indispensable condition to the integrity of his empire and the maintenance of peace.

Routed the Angonis.

London, Jan. 4.—Advices received here from Blantyre, the mission town of British South Africa, announce that the British force sent last month against the Angoni Zulus under Chief Chikusi, who had invaded Southwest Nyassaland and burned a British mission station besides massacring the inhabitants of a number of villages, has routed the Agonis with heavy loss after some sharp fighting. Chief Chikusi was captured and hanged. Five men of the British force were wounded.

Height at Which Meteors Burn.

It is supposed that meteors begin to burn when they are within about 125 miles of the earth, and that combustion is completed and they disappear at from 25 to 50 miles above the earth. When we see a falling star, therefore, we may consider that we have watched it through a flight of about 100 miles before it finally burns out and disappears from view.

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"In September, 1894, I made a misstep and injured my ankle. Very soon afterwards,

A Sore

two inches across formed and in walking to favor it I sprained my ankle. The sore became worse; I could not put my boot on and I thought I should have to give up at *every step*. I could not get any relief and had to stop work. I read of a cure of a similar case by Hood's Sarsaparilla and concluded to try it. Before I had taken all of two bottles the sore had healed and the swelling had gone down. My

Foot

is now well and I have been greatly benefited otherwise. I have increased in weight and am in better health. I cannot say enough in praise of Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. H. BLAKE, So. Berwick, Me.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1897

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Evening Telegram, Toronto, says: "Parts of Wirfrid Laurier's speech at Montreal for strength and nobility of thought and beauty and dignity of language excel the powers of any other orator on the American continent, and equal the best efforts of any living speaker of the Anglo Saxon tongue." And Mr. Laurier is as wise in council and energetic in action as he is eloquent in speech.

THE Montreal Witness has the following to say of Most Rev. Edouard Charles Fabre, Metropolitan of Montreal, Arch bishop of that province: The venerable prelate whose remains are now exposed in St. James Cathedral will be ever remembered by those who had the fortune to know him as a genial personality of strict personal character, yet of kindly disposition, who was never willingly and of his own choice intolerant. He was, we believe, always a total abstainer, and did much to encourage efforts to secure the bettering of our license laws, failing in frankly with suggestions coming from those with whom he was thought to differ and cordially co-operating in the common cause.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

Mr. A. A. Ayer Thinks the Farmers Should be Bonused.

(Montreal Star's Report.)

Mr. A. Ayer, the well known butter and cheese merchant, was next introduced to the commissioners, and stated that he represented an industry through which the farmer got a great part of what he earned. He was interested in knowing how the farmer could get most out of his business. He had been brought up on a farm which he still worked, and he, therefore, had had some practical experience. He understood that one of the reasons for there being a duty on corn, was that there were only one or two counties in Ontario where corn was produced. He thought that there must be some mistake about this. There must be some other reason for the duty. He had never heard of the farmers in these counties selling a great quantity of corn. The Commissioners were no doubt aware that we export $14,000,000 worth of cheese annually, At the present rate we export $2,000,000 worth of butter. We consume five times as much as we export. The selling of these two products becomes a very important matter to the farmer. Cows were now milked far longer than they used to be; in the words of a Dairy Commissioner: "The cow now knows her business." There is nothing so good for cows as corn or oatmeal. It is used very much in the Eastern townships, and large quantities of American corn are brought in.

EVERY CENT OF DUTY

which put on it is so much taken out of the farmer's pocket. He had not gone into the subject deeply enough to have any figures upon it. It would be better to bonus the farmers instead of having them suffer, because they cannot get their corn at lowest prices. Very few of the farmers could raise corn to advantage. They could bring in the American corn cheaper than they could raise it. One of the principal difficulties, in his opinion, which the farmer had to contend with to-day and which the farmer did not seem to realize, was that though he thinks that the price for his products is lower, which is the case the converse was also sometimes true. The farmer forgot that the price of labour was about the same as was paid nearly twenty years ago. The dairy industry is teaching the men who are farming two hundred acres that they should farm only a hundred. They must get out of their farms as much as they can. As for himself, he had always made something out of his farm. Corn comes in as an important factor in the farmers business. Years ago thirty cows would be kept on a two hundred acre farm. Now the same number were kept on one hundred acres. But in order to do this the farmer needed corn, and needs it cheap for he must have a cheap food for his cattle.

Bad Blood Between Them.

The ever slaving farmer's wife, her delicate sister in the city, suffer more than they care to tell. The dark rings around the eyes, dizziness, headache, palpitation or rheumatic twidges, betoken a run down system. The blood is poor, and is a bar to the enjoyment of life. Scott's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, strengthens and vitalizes the system, and speedily restores the bloom of health to the cheeks. It cures when all others fail.

BURNED 200 REBELS.

A Great Victory Gained by the Spanish Forces in the Philippines—1300 Killed.

Madrid, Jan. 4.—The Queen Regent and the Government have sent messages to Gen. Polavieja, Captain-General of the Philippine Islands, congratulating him upon his great victory over the insurgents on the heights of Caracon, Province of Bulacan. In the first engagement the loss of the rebels was 600 killed. The troops captured a large quantity of munitions of war and a factory in which the rebels had been making cartridges.

While the Spaniards were pursuing the fleeing rebels it was suspected that the latter would attempt to lead the troops into an ambuscade in the dense thickets through which the pursuit led. The troops were therefore ordered to set fire to the bushes in many places in order to drive out any rebels who might be lurking in them. The flames spread with great rapidity and it was soon learned that the suspicion of an ambuscade was well founded.

A large number of the insurgents were in hiding in the bushes, evidently waiting for the troops to pass, when they would have attacked them in the rear. Many of the rebels succeeded in making their escape for the time being, but 200 of them perished in the fire. In the meantime other Spanish columns had been hurriedly despatched to outflank the fleeing insurgents, and in this they were successful. The rebels were utterly routed, losing 500 killed. The total insurgent loss was 1300, 200 in excess of the number given in yesterday's despatches. These 200 were without doubt those who were burned to death. The Spanish loss was one officer and 26 privates killed. The victory, which, it is believed, will prove a crushing blow to the insurrection, is hailed everywhere with delight.

Gen. Polavieja has confirmed the sentence of death imposed by a court martial on 11 rebel chiefs, including three priests. They will be shot to-morrow at Manila.

A court martial sitting at Manila has commenced the trial of 18 alleged rebels. The evidence thus far adduced shows that the accused were in correspondence with patrons in Japan who were interested in fomenting and aiding the insurrection. The prosecutor ordered that sentence of death be passed on the whole 18 prisoners. The trial of 80 other men accused of complicity in the revolt is impending, and sentence of death will be asked in the case of each of them. The despatch from Manila states that a great sensation has been caused there by the revelations that have been made by conspirators now under arrest. One of the prisoners has stated that he knew that Japan intended to send a squadron of war ships to the Philippine Islands, and that she would recognize the belligerency of the rebels if all the provinces revolted. This confirms the belief that has been entertained ever since the outbreak of the insurrection, that Japan, which is very anxious to secure possession of the islands, is responsible for much, if not all, of the trouble.

CRUELTY IN CUBA.

Insurgents Sent in Squads to be Picked Off One at a Time by a Sharpshooter.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—A Kansas City special says Thomas Lovelace, second lieutenant of the Soledad, which was wrecked off Central America last October, is here. He said:

"I am convinced Maceo is not dead. He is recovering from wounds. The insurgents will take no aggressive action until his complete recovery.

"In three days at Havana I saw 68 insurgents executed on a sand bar near the ship. They stood the prisoners up in squads of eight or ten, and then one soldier was selected to pick them off one at a time, just as though he were shooting rats.

"The prisoners were in all sorts of attitudes while the shooting was going on. Some were kneeling in prayer, others were standing erect, but none of them showed any signs of fear. The prisoners ranged in age from boys who could not have been over eighteen to grey-headed men. None of the executions lasted long. I saw one squad of the men shot down in about fifteen minutes. At one time I saw three officers of the insurgents executed, and they were allowed a volley from ten soldiers."

He Found Terrible Distress.

New York, Jan. 4.—A special from Havana to The Herald contains an account of its correspondent's observations in the Pinar del Rio Province during his stay of a week at the front with Gen. Weyler. He says he found terrible distress everywhere among the pacificos, many of whom are starving. He declares they sleep in huts and on the ground, and the Spanish furnish their only food. At San Cristoba the misery is appalling. From talks with pacificos the correspondent says he learned that neither Cuban nor Spanish regular troops harm women or children, except through accident, when they get in line of fire.

Weyler Again in Havana.

New York, Jan. 4.—A special to The Journal from Havana says: "General Weyler is back from Pinar del Rio. He was received with a pompous demonstration and immediately drove to the palace. He refused to make any statement regarding the operations in Pinar del Rio, or to say why he has left the field, and whether or not he will return.

The column of Lieut. Aguilera engaged the rebel forces of Aranguen, Raoul, Arango and others, aggregating 2000 men, on the estate of Sacramento, near Gallega, fighting for five hours. The rebels are said to have left 38 on the field. The Government had fourteen privates wounded and lost many horses.

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Just think of having to spend thirty cents for adulterated dyes for your work, that can be done by the Diamond Dyes at a cost of ten cents. You will always be on the wrong side as long as you allow profit-loving merchants to supply you with their poor, weak dyes; it is certainly to their pecuniary benefit, but you are the loser in every way. The all-important question is, "Will you work with dyes of full strength, or will you blindly risk your goods with the kind that have only one-third the colouring power, and that cost as much as the "Diamond I"

Latest in Artificial Legs.

A European experimenter has produced an artificial leg. It as nearly resembles a human member as any that can be devised.

This artificial leg is a curious contrivance of hinges, screws and elastic bands. Extending downward from about what in the human leg is the ankle, to a point midway between the heel and the instep, are two steel rods, placed one in front of the other.

One rests on a sort of roller hinge, and allows the foot to give or bend with each step. The other serves the purpose of bringing the foot back into place after the step is taken. Any lateral movement of these rods is prevented by the sides of the slot through which they move. A screw and a nut at the top of the rod also prevent the rod from turning and thus giving trouble in walking. An artificial heel tendon is placed within the foot, behind the ankle point, and extends loosely through a hole in the leg, where it connects with a nut at about midway up the limb.

The Czar's Blue-Eyed Horses.

The Emperor of Russia has four separate "services" of horses and carriages—the gala set, and the French, English and Russian sets. Each set comprises at least fifty horses. The Russian set accompanies the Emperor wherever he goes, and at Gatchina it is used, together with the English set. The gala and French horses and carriages are housed at St. Petersburg, in the Winter Palace stables.

The Emperor's gala turnout consists of fifty Hanoverian horses. These horses are perfectly white, with blue eyes, and anything more magnificent in the way of trappings than their harness could hardly be conceived.

The state carriages are of the Louis XV. style and the one which carries the sovereign has a large circle of diamonds set inside among the cushions and on the roof. The imperial crown surmounts this state carriage, which is drawn by eight white horses, each led by a postillion dressed in white and gold.—Answers.

A MESSAGE TO MEN.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue business in his own name in future.

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FAVORED FREE PORK

What Lumbermen Said to the Tariff Commission.

THEY BUY UNITED STATES PORK

Because it is Heavier and Answers Their Purposes Better Than Canadian—If Not Free Pork Let Corn Come in Free for Fattening Purposes—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—The Tariff Committee of the Cabinet held a sitting here to-day. Little interest was taken in the proceedings, owing to the municipal elections. Sir Richard Cartwright and Mr. Paterson were not present. The commission was to have commenced business at 10 o'clock, but it was an hour later before any evidence was taken. In the meantime Hon. Mr. Fielding sat at the table awaiting the coming of his colleagues, the first of whom to arrive was the Minister of Marine and Fisheries. At 11 o'clock the Premier, who had been taking a morning walk in company with the Postmaster-General, put in an appearance, whereupon Mr. Fielding announced that hearings would begin.

As the banner industry of the Ottawa Valley, the lumber industry was given precedence. The first witness was the Hon. E. H. Bronson, who came he said, to express his individual opinions as a lumberman rather than the opinions of lumbermen generally. He added, by way of further introduction, that the trade, being mainly an export one, was only affected in individual instances by the tariff. He, however, desired to draw the attention of the commissioners to the matter of pork, which now pays a considerable duty. He would not ask the Government to make any change, though, as he was aware that the duty was imposed to stimulate the production of pork in Canada, and therefore he felt some diffidence about making suggestions upon that point. But if the Government saw its way to assist otherwise in the production of pork by the removal of the duty on corn it might, by thus giving cheaper feed, lower the prices. His only other recommendation would be the removal of duties as far as possible from the necessaries of life.

Mr. Davies enquired what proportion of home-made pork is used in the lumber camps as compared with the imported article.

Mr. Bronson: We use American pork almost exclusively, because we require in the lumber camps a heavier class of pork than is produced in Canada.

Mr. Davies: So that the duty does not increase the consumption of Canadian pork?

Mr. Bronson: Not in the lumber camps. The pork from the United States is heavier and firmer, and we find that it does not waste so much in the cooking.

Mr. Laurier: What is the reason?

Mr. Bronson: It is a firmer pork, owing to the way it is cured and raised, being fed on corn, so that the reduction of the duty on corn would lead to the production of a more suitable class of pork in this country.

Mr. Davies: Then, it is owing to its superior quality that you prefer the United States pork?

Mr. Bronson: I will not say that the Canadian pork is not as sweet and of as good quality, but, being younger, it is not the same in weight and firmness. Anything that would cheapen the cost of living to the laboring man would indirectly benefit the lumber trade, said Mr. Bronson. Then he continued on another topic:

"There is just one other point that I desire to refer to," he said. "A strong effort is being made in the United States to have the duty re-imposed on Canadian lumber. If successful we are aware it will result in strong pressure being brought to bear on the Government here to place an export duty on Canadian logs and pulpwood. I am not prepared to express an opinion on that point just now, because the action of the Government as well as the feeling of the trade would depend, no doubt, upon just what was done in the United States, and the spirit in which it was done. But I would just like to bespeak a hearing in connection with that question when a change does take place, that being the most important question the Government could touch in connection with the lumber industry."

Mr. J. R. Booth was next called upon. He did not propose to add much to Mr. Bronson's remarks in reference to the lumber trade. As a class the lumbermen, he said, have generally accepted what was imposed on them in the way of tariffs, and he had no serious complaint to make in regard to the lumber business. He thought, however, that some things in a general way might be changed. "My idea is," said Mr. Booth, "to foster in every way what is natural to this country and what is not natural to make as free as possible."

And Mr. Booth didn't think it natural to raise pork in this country to compete with that produced in the Western States, where they can raise corn for 15 or 16 cents a bushel. Therefore, he thought, it would be in the interest of a large class and perhaps the most useful, the working class, that the duty to Mr. Booth the question seemed to be: Should the laboring classes be heavily taxed for their meat to help the farmer? The duty on food products was something the farmer could not realize. Being able to raise cattle, sheep and hogs, he did not find the effect of the duty, but the workingman of the towns and cities had to suffer. He did not know, either, that Canadian pork had been any more plentiful since the imposition of the duty. The lumbermen generally buy in two or three carload lots at a time and they found it impossible to get Canadian pork in such large quantities. Besides, it was said Canadian pork did not keep as well in the shanties. As they had never tried Canadian pork in his own lumber camps, he did not know how it was, as to cooking, but the general opinion was that American pork as preferable, as being more economical.

Mr. Davies remarked that he had been told that, notwithstanding the Canadian duty, the price paid for hogs in this country is regulated by the price in Chicago.

Mr. Booth replied that he did not know personally, but from watching the markets he was inclined to think that was so. He noticed that when pork was selling here at 4c and 4 1-2c the price in Chicago was 3c, being about the difference of the duty.

Mr. Davies: You think that it pays thefarmer to raise pork at that price?

Mr. Booth: I have been experimenting in that line at my farm near the city. I raised there about 150 hogs hogs and have satisfied myself that there is no money in raising hogs at the prices mentioned. I did this just to find out how it paid. We kept close count, and I have come to the conclusion that it does not pay. I do not think it is possible in this country to raise pork on a large scale to compete with the United States. I think therefore, that pork ought to be made as free as possible.

The next witness introduced was Mr. R. Reford of Montreal, who desired, he said, to give the commission the benefit of his views as to what the duty should be on certain lines of Canadian products if the United States re-imposed the duty on Canadian lumber. He was aware that the feeling had been expressed that even in such case it would be unwise for the Canadian Government to re-impose the duty on sawlogs. For himself, he did not think that Canadian lumber could be marketed on the other side of the line if the American duty were re-imposed. This was especially true of spruce from the Province of Quebec.

Mr. Davies: Are you seeking their market, or are they seeking your lumber?

Mr. Reford: Both; but with the duty we cannot send it there.

The re-imposition of the duty on sawlogs would be a benefit to Canada, he considered. Our forests are being denuded without profit to this country. "I am told," he said, "that pine lumber has been sold here in Ottawa for $4 per thousand; it was never made for that money." He thought that the timber was better growing in the forests than being thus sacrificed.

Mr. Laurier: Are our lumbermen making a slaughter market of the United States?

Mr. Reford: Well, yes. They produce incidentally a certain quality of lumber that is not saleable in England or in the South American markets. It must be sold and, therefore, it is sold to the United States at a sacrifice.

Mr. Reford believed the movement in the States for the re-imposition of the duty on Canadian lumber would be successful.

At this Mr. Fielding remarked that it would be better to act on the assumption that our American friends are not going to legislate against our interests.

Mr. Reford then tackled the pork question. He thought the duty had done good to the Canadian farmer. For the last year or so his firm supplied their lumber camp with Canadian pork, and the men liked it well. The pork industry is an important one, he said. This he knew, being also a farmer, and he found the fattening of pigs one of the most profitable industries in Canada.

Mr. Reford's suggestions were re-retention of the duty on pork, imposition of an export duty on sawlogs and pulp wood, and enforcement of a limit of size of trees to be cut for sawlogs.

Mr. B. T. A. Bell appeared as the representative of the Ontario Mining Association, of which he is secretary. He wanted a change in the interpretation of the law in regard to the admission of mining machinery. Mr. Bell went fully into the subject, claiming that while the tariff admitted free mining machinery of a class and kind not manufactured in Canada, the latter qualification was so interpreted as to prevent the importation of some of the most essential mining equipment. Mr. Bell said the interest he represented would shortly appear before the Government and ask that all classes of mining machinery and explosives be made free. He briefly impressed upon the commissioners the importance of this step in the interests of the development of the vast mineral resources of Canada.

Chief of Police Powell has inaugurated a new and complete system of keeping criminal records in the Police Department. A record of every transaction in which the police figure, together with a description of those convicted, is to be kept. It is likely that a camera for photographing those convicted will also be added.

To-day was the "Fourth" at the banks. Inquiries at the Banks of British North America, Montreal, La Banque Nationale, Quebec, Commerce and Merchants' Bank of Canada elicited the information that the paper has been well taken up. At some of the banks it was exceedingly well met, at others fairly well.

It is reported that the Newfoundland authorities are to place in the spring a first-class high-speed screw steamer on the route from the western terminus of the Newfoundland Railway to North Sydney. The railway line across Newfoundland has been in process of construction for some time back, and the scheme for shortening the transatlantic voyage may be accomplished next summer.

It is stated that the report that the Government had decided not to repeal the Franchise Act at the next session of Parliament is premature and misleading, as it is the intention of the Government to introduce a bill early during the coming session repealing the present Franchise Act.

The Railway Committee of the Privy Council meets to-morrow.

Mr. Domville, M.P., who accompanied Mr. Blair on his western trip, left for the Maritime Provinces this afternoon.

Solicitor-General Fitzpatrick has gone to England. He sailed from New York on Saturday.

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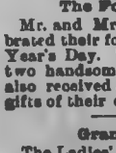

Don't fail to attend the debate and concert to be given by the Catholic Literary Association in their hall, George street, this evening. The subject of discussion is "That the Senate of Canada should be abolished." L. R. Keogh and O. LePlante of town, will represent the affirmative, whilst M. J. Kenny and J. F. Thompson, (son of the late Sir John Thompson) will represent the negative. Admission 25 cents.

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MONDAY'S MUNICIPAL CONTEST.

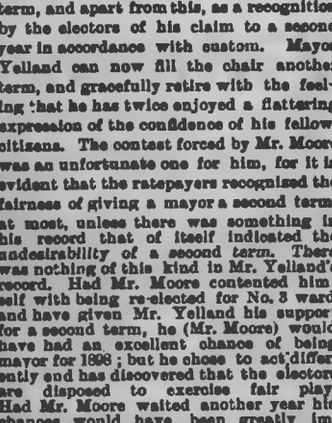
Keenly Contested Mayoralty Election.

MR. WM. YELLAND RE-ELECTED MAYOR.

HIS MAJORITY TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE.

The Vote Polled—A Shaking up in the Council—Eight of the Twelve Members New Men—The Result in Ashburnham—The Township and Village Elections.

Yesterday a very briskly contested struggle for the honour of representing the town as mayor resulted in the re-election of Mr. Wm. Yelland by a majority of 223. While in some respects the contest seemed to be keener than that of last year there were actually fewer votes polled than last year. In 1896 the total number of votes cast in the mayoralty contest was 1991, yesterday there were 1961 ballots marked for mayor—30 fewer than the previous year. Mr. Yelland's majority was somewhat reduced—the decrease being pretty evenly distributed in Nos. one, three and four wards. In No. 2 ward he showed a small gain. The result of the recent election is in every way satisfactory. Mr. Yelland has made a good mayor and has reason to regard his re-election as a vindication of his course during his first term, and apart from this, as a recognition by the electors of his claim to a second year in accordance with custom. Mayor Yelland can now fill the chair another term, and gracefully retire with the feeling that he has twice enjoyed a flattering expression of the confidence of his fellow-citizens. The contest forced by Mr. Moore was an unfortunate one for him, for it is evident that the ratepayers recognized the fairness of giving a mayor a second term, at most, unless there was something in his record that of itself indicated the undesirability of a second term. There was nothing of this kind in Mr. Yelland's record. Had Mr. Moore contented himself with being re-elected for No. 3 ward and have given Mr. Yelland his support for a second term, he (Mr. Moore) would have had an excellent chance of being mayor for 1898; but he chose to act differently and has discovered that the electors are disposed to exercise fair play. Had Mr. Moore waited another year his chances would have been greatly improved. Mr. Yelland would then have had his second term unopposed, and he would not have had the claims arising from custom that he was able to present this year, for while the people of Peterborough are willing to extend fair play to a mayor in regard to a second term, they will not favour a monopoly of the position. Mr. Yelland will now have an opportunity of even bettering his first year's record as mayor, for he will be able to profit by experience of the past year. If he improves on the past the people will indeed have reason to be pleased with the selection of Mr. Wm. Yelland as mayor for 1897.



MAYOR YELLAND.

In the council there has been a decided shaking up, new blood being added in every ward. In No. 2 ward two old members are replaced, and in No. 3 there are three new members. In this ward Mr. J. B. McWilliams entered the field as a new man, and the public confidence in him was shown by his being placed at the head of the poll. That he should poll the largest vote in the town yesterday in this largely Conservative ward, shows that the ratepayers have a proper estimate of their duty as ratepayers, and that, in the selection of municipal representatives, they desire to avail themselves of the best business and administrative talent, entirely irrespective of the political opinions of the possessor of these qualities. In No. 1 Ward Mr. Best, as he did last year, headed the poll, an honour that fell to Mr. A. L. Davis in the second ward, a flattering record for a new man. Mr. Meldrum took the lead in No. 4 Ward. He is a good addition to the new council, with a good business grasp and a good record of past efficiency as a councillor.

Altogether the people have reason to expect good civic government from the present council, which will be confronted with important questions to be dealt with, such as permanent improvements, etc. Much will depend upon the appointment of proper committees for the several requirements of the council. It is always important that we should have a strong street and bridge committee, and especially so when the question of permanent improvements is so prominent, and in view of the prominence that has been given the subject recently an equal importance attaches to the appointment of a strong manufacturers' committee, who will deal wisely with the question of inducing the establishment of new industries in the town, and while liberal treatment is indicated care should be exercised that no expensive sacrifices of the interests of the citizens are involved.

The mayoralty returns were received at Mr. Yelland's committee rooms, in front of which on the street, a great crowd had gathered, enthusiastically cheering the mayor-re-elect. The more enthusiastic spirits had laid hands on Mr. Yelland and wrapped him in the folds of the old flag which had hung out upon the outer walls, indicating the site of the committee rooms. Mr. Yelland briefly addressed for the worship accorded support that had again placed him in the mayor's chair. It would be his study to deserve the confidence that had been reposed in him. The company separated after rousing cheers for Mr. Yelland, for the workingman and for the Queen.

The following are the figures of the voting in town and Ashburnham:—

For Mayor.

	Yelland.	Moore.	Yelland's Maj.	Moore's Maj.
No 1 Ward	288	242	119	
No 2 Ward	211	126		32
No 3 Ward	307	175	62	
No 4 Ward	193	131	62	
	1079	856	246	32

Total majority for Yelland, 223.

For Councillors.

NO. 1 WARD.

H Best	332
N T LaPlante	289
T J Moore	203
O H Robertson	295
Wm Rudkins	226
W H White	256

NO. 2 WARD.

Henry Carveth	27
A L Davis	344
T H G Deane	223
Robt Neill	311
H Phelan	278

NO. 3 WARD.

J H Cobb	275
Adam Dawson	235
J B McWilliams	370
John Sawers	226
Robt Weir	250

NO. 4 WARD.

Thos Brady	147
James Graham	211
Wm Langford	209
W H Meldrum	239
John White	202

Town Council for 1897.

Wm. Yelland, Mayor.

No. 1 Ward—H. Best, N. T. Laplante and C. H. Robertson.

No. 2 Ward—A. L. Davis, T. H. G. Deane and R. Neill.

No 3 Ward—J. H. Cobb, A. Dawson and J.B. McWilliams.

No. 4 Ward—J. Graham, W. H. Meldrum and John White.

Ashburnham.

FOR REEVE.

Frank Adams	235
H Calcutt	157
Majority for Adams	78

FOR COUNCILLORS.

J J Craig	167
W J Johnston	251
A McCarthy	90
H Morgan	212
A Rutherford	210
John Smith	169
Wm Wand	107

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Frank Adams	248
John Agnew	209
Joe Craig	99
Robt. Pollock	221

THE CONTEST FOR THE COUNTY COUNCIL.

The following is the result of the voting for members of the County Council in the divisions were there were contests:

Second Division.

MILBURN'S SCHOOL HOUSE:

Fitzgerald	83
Middleton	227
Forster	30
Crough	4

MADILL'S SCHOOL HOUSE:

Fitzgerald	54
Middleton	54
Forster	15
Crough	3

RAY'S SCHOOL HOUSE:

Fitzgerald	125
Middleton	100
Forster	43
Crough	2

BRIDGENORTH (SMITH No. 2:

Crough	16
Fitzgerald	126
Forster	63
Middleton	112

No. 1 NORTH MONAGHAN:

Crough	17
Fitzgerald	33
Forster	232
Middleton	30

No. 2 NORTH MONAGHAN:

Crough	0
Fitzgerald	19
Forster	161
Middleton	28

YOUNG'S POINT, No. 5:

Crough	17
Fitzgerald	68
Forster	12
Middleton	40

ENNISMORE:

Crough	303
Fitzgerald	61
Middleton	5
Forster	11

TOTALS.

Middleton	597
Fitzgerald	559
Forster	535
Crough	362

Messrs. Middleton and Fitzgerald are therefore elected.

No. 4 Division.

NORWOOD VILLAGE:

Buck	83
Brown	8
Finlay	195
Pierce	143
Joyce	2
Walsh	17

ASPHODEL No. 1:

Buck	76
Brown	3
Finlay	3
Pierce	25
Boyce	2
Walsh	195

ASPHODEL No. 2:

Buck	44
Brown	0
Finlay	25
Pierce	32
Joyce	0
Walsh	120

ASPHODEL No. 3:

Buck	102
Brown	4
Finlay	91
Pierce	78
Joyce	4
Walsh	50

HAVELOCK VILLAGE:

Buck	2
Brown	169
Finlay	5
Pierce	23
Boyce	142
Walsh	20

OLD HAVELOCK:

Buck	22
Brown	67
Finlay	8
Pierce	20
Joyce	54
Walsh	3

BELMONT TOWN HALL:

Buck	6
Brown	123
Finlay	10
Pierce	37
Joyce	57
Walsh	7

ROCKDALE:

Buck	3
Brown	26
Finlay	40
Pierce	42
Joyce	5
Walsh	0

RUBE POINT:

Buck	3
Brown	85
Finlay	11
Pierce	20
Joyce	54
Walsh	1

OAK LAKE, which had 13 votes at the last election remains to be heard from, but the totals so far show as follows:

Buck	406
Brown	221
Finlay	220
Pierce	440
Joyce	241
Walsh	122

No. 5 Division.

DUMMER No. 1:

Casement	28
Crowe	145
Hawthorne	34
Moloney	1
Casement	4
Crowe	23
Hawthorne	22
Moloney	17

DUMMER No. 3:

Casement	28
Crowe	77
Hawthorne	181
Moloney	13

DUMMER 4:

Casement	14
Crowe	114
Hawthorne	108
Moloney	3

LAKEFIELD:

Casement	461
Crowe	17
Hawthorne	12
Moloney	10

PINE GROVE, (DOURO):

Casement	100
Crowe	28
Hawthorne	20
Moloney	38

TORPEY'S HOUSE (DOURO):

Casement	19
Crowe	15
Hawthorne	25
Moloney	156

DOURO No. 3:

Casement	28
Crowe	3
Hawthorne	13
Moloney	195

DOURO No. 4:

Casement	44
Crowe	2
Hawthorne	13
Moloney	89

TOTALS:

Casement	729
Crowe	421
Hawthorne	497
Moloney	542

Messrs. Casement and Moloney are therefore elected.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF 1897.

The Members Elected Under the New Regime.

The county councillors composing the new county council for 1897 for the County of Peterborough, are as follows, representing the several divisions:

NO. 1 DIVISION.

Composed of the Village of Ashburnham and Township of Otonabee, by acclamation. — Wm Anderson, Jonn Burnham

NO. 2 DIVISION.

Composed of the Township of North Monaghan, Smith and Ennismore. — Jas Middleton, G W Fitzgerald

NO. 3 DIVISION.

Composed of the Townships of Galway, Cavendish, Harvey, Burleigh, Anstruther and Chandos, by acclamation. — T G Eastland, Robert Shaw

NO. 4 DIVISION.

Composed of the Villages of Norwood and Havelock, and the Townships of Asphodel and Belmont and Methuen. — John Brown, J B Pearce

NO. 5 DIVISION.

Composed of the Village of Lakefield, and the Townships of Douro and Dummer. — W H Casement, John Moloney

IN THE TOWNSHIPS.

Asphodel Township.

In Asphodel it is a tie for the reeveship between John Fitzpatrick and David Andrews. The vote was as follows:

No. 1 DIVISION:

Andrews	77
Fitzpatrick	77

No. 2 DIVISION:

Andrews	52
Fitzpatrick	60

No. 3 DIVISION:

Andrews	103
Fitzpatrick	95

Douro Township Council.

FOR REEVE.

Jas McCligott	257
J M Walsh	146
	111

FOR COUNCILLORS.

No. 1 WARD:

Jas Jory	
W J Bullock	
Jory's majority	14

No. 2 WARD:

Dennis Moloney	74
M D Sullivan	57
	17

No. 3 WARD:

Jas Condon	65
John Allen	56
	9

No. 4 WARD:

Robert Campbell, by acclamation.

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Dress Goods.

Fancy Tweed Dress Goods, were 35c, reduced to 25c.
All Wool Tweed Dress Goods, were 50c reduced to 30c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were 75c reduced to 59c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were $1, reduced to 85c.
Ladies' Broadcloth Dress Goods, were $1.25, reduced to $1.
10 pieces Plain Coating Dress Goods, were 65c to 75c, reduced to 50c.
6 ends Plain Dress Goods, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
6 ends Plaid Dress Goods, were 40c, reduced to 30c.
8 ends Plaid Dress Goods, were 20c, reduced to 15c.
50 remnants of Black Silks, suitable for skirts and waists, away down in price.
25 remnants of Fancy Silks, suitable for trimmings or waists, away down in price.
All Black Jet Trimmings at 25 per cent off—this is a rare chance.
Steels 5c. set. Hooks and Eyes 1c. a card.
10 shades of Silk Velvets, 75c quality, going at 50c.

Handkerchiefs, Gloves and Hosiery

Our 25c Embroidered Handkerchiefs, reduced to 20c.
75 Coloured Border Lawn Handkerchiefs, were 10c, reduced to 5c.
20 only left of the 10c All Silk Handkerchiefs, reduced to 5c.
10 doz. more Boys' heavy ribbed wool Hose, will go at 25c.
Ladies' heavy ribbed Cashmere Hose, will go at 25c.
25 Felt Gaiters, for ladies, were $1.40, will go at 89c.

Underwear, Corsets and Skirts.

5 heavy Skirts, were $1, will go at 79c.
5 heavy Skirts, were $1.50, will go at $1.29
2 heavy Skirts, were $2.25, will go at $1.79.
Ladies' Combination Suits, were $2.75, will go at $1.99.
Ladies' Combination Suits, were $2, will go at $2.25.
Ladies' All Wool Vests, were 50c, will go at 40c.

Jackets and Capes.

Special Fur-lined Cloaks, were $15 and $18, will go at $10.
Special Ladies' Ulsters, were $10, will go at $5.
Jackets were $3.50, will go at $2.
Jackets were $5, will go at $3.25.
Jackets were $8, will go at $5.50.
Capes were $6, $8, $11, $15, will go at $4, $5.50, $7.80 and $10.

Staple Department.

1000 yds Heavy Cottonade, was 25c, will go at 22c.
500 yds Check Gingham, was 8c, will go at 5c.
Feather Ticking, Flannels and Table Linens at sale prices.
2000 yds Heavy Grey Cotton, 7c quality will go at 5c.

Men's Furnishings

Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
Men's Silk Neck Ties, were 50c, reduced to 35c.
Men's Collars, were 18c, reduced to 10c

Carpets and Housefurnishings.

A clearing must be done in this department to make room for new spring goods 1st February. Everything must go.

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1897.

THE WEEK OF PRAYER.

The First Service Held Last Evening in St. Andrew's Church.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather and the excitement that prevailed owing to election returns there was a large congregation at St. Andrew's church.

Rev. J. G. Potter presided and with him on the platform were Rev. Messrs. Young, Dykeman, Torrance, Bennett and Rogers. Rev. Mr. Dykeman gave an excellent address on "The Church and its Missions" which was appreciated by all present and which gave stimulus to and thought for prayer.

Prayer was asked for the church as an organization, for her office bearers, for her work. The singing was hearty and helpful.

The meetings to-night will be in Mark street Methodist church Ashburnham, when Rev. W. R. Young will preside and Rev. Dr. Torrance will give an address on "Home"; and also in Charlotte street Methodist church, Rev. J. J. Rae will preside Rev. J. G. Potter will give an address. Everybody is invited to come and bring friends.

A CHRISTMAS TREE.

St. Luke's Church Annual Christmas Entertainment for the Sunday School Children.

St. Luke's annual Christmas tree and distribution of prizes was held in the school house last night, which was, notwithstanding the disagreeable weather, filled to the doors with a very happy and harmonious audience.

The programme for the evening fell into three parts. First came some recitations and vocal and instrumental pieces, and a dialogue, all by children of the school, who acquitted themselves in a very creditable manner. Next followed the distribution of prizes, consisting of Bibles, prayer books, hymn books, and story books. The number of prizes was larger than usual, showing that the average of attendance and marks was higher than in previous years.

Lastly the Christmas tree was lit and unveiled amidst shouts of approval. Lt.-Col. Rogers, the Superintendent of the school, apologised for the absence of Santa Claus, who, he understood, owing to the state of the roads, was stuck fast some where near Keene. A thoroughly enjoyable evening was terminated by the singing of the National Anthem.

NICHOLLS' HOSPITAL.

The Monthly Statistics—Movement of Patients.

Appended is the report furnished by the Nicholls Hospital of the patients who were treated in that institution during the month of December :

No. of patients	remaining in Hospital	24
" "	treated	57
"	pay patients	18
"	free "	19
" "	from Peterborough	30
" "	from other places	7
" "	cured	9
" "	improved	3
" "	died	1

Dr. King attending physician for month.

Drs. Halliday, Boucher, Greer, Carmichael, and Scott attending private patients.

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The Annual Returns Concerning the Interments.

Appended will be found the annual returns from the Little Lake Cemetery, showing the interments to be 149 during the year, or 31 less than in 1895. Pneumonia seems to have carried off a large number of those dying, resulting probably from the fact that this disease frequently follows close upon the heels of typhoid fever, of which a light epidemic swept over Peterborough :—

CAUSE OF DEATH.

Pneumonia	13
Consumption	10
Meningitis	9
Heart disease	8
Old age	8
Still born	8
Convulsions	7
Typhoid fever	5
Cancers	4
Croup	4
Accidents	4
Bright's disease	5
Bronchitis	3
Scarlet fever	3
Peritonitis	3
Scirrhus of liver	3
Pulmonary tuberculosis	3
Diphtheria	2
Diarrhœa	2
Inflamation of bowels	2
Inflamation of lungs	2
Apoplexy	2
Cholera Infantum	2
Appendicitis	2
Endocarditis	2
Nephritis	2
Congestion of liver	2
Congestion of brain	2
Infantile debility	2
Drowned	1
Other diseases, one of each	2
	149

AGES OF THOSE INTERRED.

Under 5 years		39
" 10	"	6
" 15	"	5
" 20	"	7
" 25	"	6
" 30	"	5
" 35	"	5
" 40	"	7
" 50	"	14
" 60	"	7
" 70	"	13
" 80	"	16
" 90	"	11
" 95	"	3
		149

SEX.

Males	89
Females	60
	149

RELIGION.

Methodist	69
Church of England	51
Presbyterian	36
Baptist	8
Salvation Army	4
Christian Alliance	1
	149

NATIONALITY.

Born in Canada	94
" England	24
" Ireland	18
" Scotland	8
" United States	3
" Wales	2
	149

PLACE OF RESIDENCE AT TIME OF DEATH.

Town of Peterborough	94
Ashburnham	12
Township of Smith	8
" Otonabee	5
" Douro	5
" North Monaghan	3
Toronto	3
Lakefield	1
Myrtle	1
Hastings	1
Orillia	1
Lindsay	1
Campbellford	1
Hamilton	1
Oakville	1
Minden	1
Omemee	1
Gore's Landing	1
Huntsville	1
Kintyre	1
British Columbia	1
New York	1
Buffalo	1
	149
Interred from other cemeteries	12
Total interments for 1896	161

AUCTION SALE

On Market Square next Saturday—A Family Cutter, little used. —Chas. Stapleton, Auctioneer.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., is in Hamilton to-day.

Mr. Thomas Ferguson returned to McGill University to-day.

Miss Nellie Brault returned home last evening, after spending a pleasant week's visit with friends in Toronto.

Miss Knapman and Miss Lily Knapman, of Hamilton, have come to town to spend the winter with their brother, Mr. J. S. Knapman.

The Port Hope Guide says:—"Mr. R. Mulholland, Peterborough, is in town to-day, a guest of his son, Mr. R. A. Mulholland, Mill street.

Miss Barnett, who is attending the Kingston Ladies' College, has been spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. C. B. McAllister, Charlotte street.

Mr. Geo. Dies, formerly manager of the Peterborough agency for the R. S. Williams Piano Co., was in town yesterday. Mr. Dies is now with the company's agency at London.

OPERA HOUSE TO-NIGHT.

The Musical Farce Comedy "A Pair of Jacks" at the Opera House to-night. Prices, 25, 35 and 50c; first four rows reserved seats 75c. Don't miss this attraction. It is one of the best comedies ever produced.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

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Clearing Sale now going on at Grafton & Co's.

Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Canadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

AN ENJOYABLE EVENING.

The Grand Central the Scene of a Merry Gathering Last Night.

Mr. A. W. Meyers, of the firm of Meyers Bros., left this evening for Toronto, but in a few days intends opening up in Lindsay.

Although Mr. Meyers has only been in Peterborough for a few weeks he has made many warm friends, and last evening, as a proof of this, he was given a royal send-off at the Grand Central Hotel, when several of the professional men of the town, as well as a number of the leading merchants assembled to do honour to Mr. Meyers.

During the course of the evening the guest was presented with a very handsome silver-mounted silk umbrella, after which an appetising banquet was partaken of. The evening was most enjoyably passed with music and songs, and Mr. Meyers' contributions to the programme were greatly appreciated. He is a most accomplished linguist, speaking six distinct languages, including Sanscrit, German, Swedish, French and Norwegian, and having travelled extensively, he is a rare ranconteur.

The evening is one which will not soon be forgotten by those who were privileged in participating, and the guest should indeed feel honoured by the high expressions of esteem for his companionship, which were vouchsafed whilst the toast list was being proposed.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

Trinity's team will probably be down from Toronto next week.

The Toronto Globe says: Peterborough has developed a "star" in young Graham, who played with the Collegiate team last year. He is only 16, but he is as fast as chain lightning and a beautiful stick-handler. According to Vice-President Hopkins, of Peterborough, the Frontenacs have the intermediate and junior series at their mercy. But it will be shown before the season is over that they are not so "many." There are no less than 40 men from which to select Peterborough's three teams, and they are all "shining lights" if report is to be believed. The Peterborough senior team would like to arrange games with any of the local clubs."

"Chewing the rag," the rather inelegant expression used by one of the members of the executive of the O.H.A., was the chief occupation of that august board, says the Toronto Globe, at its session last night, and although the meeting was of some hours duration, very little was done. President Macfadden came all the way from Stratford to attend the gathering, and G. J. Hopkins came up from Peterborough. E. P. Brown, U.C.C.; T. L. Morrison, Wellingtons; D. F. Campbell, Trinity; Secretary A. H. Beaton and Treasurer A. Creelman were the other members in attendance. The only thing of importance done was the rejection of the applications of the Seaforth and Riverside hockey teams for admittance to the association, as their coming in would greatly interfere with the schedule. Some minor changes were made in the schedule.

CURLIANA.

A well attended meeting of Belleville curlers was held for the purpose of organization and other business. The following officers were elected for the year :

Patron—H. Corby, M. P.
Patroness—Mrs. H. Corby.
Vice-President—Thos. Ritchie.
Representative Members—W. H. Biggar, M. P. P., and W. W. Pope.
Chaplain—Rev. D. F. Bogert.
Secretary-Treasurer—T. W. R. McRae.
Committee—E. H. LaRoche, chairman; W. H. Biggar, M. Wright, J. F. Wills, A. Dolan and F. G. Lewis.

THE WHEEL.

The railroad magnates are uncommonly reticient regarding their intention in the baggage matter, and, although they virtually promised to grant certain concessions to the wheelmen when interviewed by the C.W.A. committee in Montreal over two weeks ago, nothing has been received from them since. At that time they said an answer would be forthcoming inside of ten days, but E. R. Ryckman, the chairman of the Rights and Privileges Committee of the C. W. A., and one of the members of the deputation which met the railroad people, has not given up all hope. He thinks that they will come to time this week, and that, the present baggage restriction will be considerably modified. This is not the view that A. F. Webster, Chairman of the Transportation Committee, holds. He knows, from bitter experience, that the railroad officials will entertain delegations seeking privileges with all courtesy, listen to their request, and discuss them, but will not commit themselves in any way, and then dismiss the matter altogether. He thinks that the C.W.A., to obtain their rights, will have to go to law about it, as it is not likely that the railroaders will do away with the charge, considering how short is the time that it has been in force.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the Editor of the Daily Examiner:

SIR—I beg to avail myself of the earliest opportunity of sincerely thanking my supporters in the late municipal contest for their zealous efforts on my behalf and shall ever remember their services with deepest gratitude. I did not seek the office of mayor, the effort to make a change was urged upon me by prominent citizens and their appeal was supported by a most representative requisition. Having accepted the nomination, I joined with them to make the best fight possible, but it was evident that influences which were foreign to the consideration of the proper administration of the town's affairs entered largely into the election and contributed to my defeat. Personally I am content, and I trust the result will prove the wisdom of the selection.

Faithfully yours,
W. H. MOORE.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday :

Jan. 5,—6.30 a. m. ..... 25° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	15°	39° above

Rain fell to the depth of ¼ inch yesterday.

ASPHODEL.

A Retiring Teacher Handsomely Remembered.

At the close of the school term in the Cameron school house boundary of Asphodel and Otonabee, Miss Edith Stewart, the teacher who has occupied the position, retired at the end of the year's service to fit herself for a higher position in the profession. To mark approval of her services a large gathering assembled at the school house to enjoy a social evening. The parents of the section brought baskets, and a most enjoyable repast was provided, and the children were each presented with a bag of candies, etc., to their great delight. Mr. Andrew Cameron, one of the trustees, occupied the chair. A delightful feature of the evening was the presentation to Miss Stewart of a handsome pair of seal gauntlets. Miss Stewart made a most affecting reply, and complimentary remarks appropriate to the occasion were made by the trustees and other ratepayers, all complimenting the retiring teacher upon the satisfactory manner in which she had discharged her duties and wishing her a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In Penetrating Power,

No remedy in the world equals Nerviline—nerve pain cure. Neuralgia and Rheumatism are relieved almost instantly, and the minor aches and pains are cured by a single application. Nerviline—nerve pain cure—is sure to cure.

T. Fitzgerald's Wood and Coal Yard.

All customers kindly leave orders at once and avoid the rush Thursday, as I cannot deliver Christmas Day.

BIRTH

EASTWOOD—At 230 Dublin street, January 4th, 1897, the wife of Mr. V. Eastwood, of a son.

PANTS....

Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $5.00—This is a snap.

Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for - - $3.00

No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.

W. J. GREEN,

No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society, will be held pursuant to statute, in the Council Chamber, on

Wednesday, Jan. 13th, 1897,

at 7.30 o'clock, p.m., for the election of officers and the transaction of other business.

A. H. COBB, Secretary. GEO. BURNHAM, M.D., President.

Peterborough, Jan. 5th, 1897. 2d3

CARD OF THANKS.

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I wish to take this means of heartily thanking those ladies and gentlemen to whose support I owe my election as Mayor of Peterborough for a second term.

I have particularly to thank those who assisted in the organization that so materially assisted in contributing to the result.

I shall endeavour to so discharge the important duties of the position as to as fully as possible justify the confidence the electors have reposed in me, and to impartially administer the affairs of the town in the town's interest.

WM. YELLAND.

Peterborough, June 5th, 1897.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the Electors of Ward No. 1:

I desire to thank all those electors who accorded me their support and votes and helped to elect me as one of the councillors of "the Banner Ward" for 1897. I feel it as no small compliment to be elected as one out of seven in a hard contest, split as it was by the friends of so many candidates.

I feel the responsibility that rests upon me, and it will be my aim to favour such acts as will be for your benefit and the benefit of the town.

I am especially grateful to the ladies of the ward for turning out so well for me, and also to my friends who worked so hard for my election. I have no fault to find with those who did not vote for me, and will feel myself equally bound to consider their interests as if they had voted for me.

Yours respectfully,
NOAH T. LaPLANTE.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the Electors of No. 1 Ward :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :—I take this opportunity of returning my warmest thanks to all those who voted for me for councillor for this ward yesterday. Although not elected, I can congratulate myself and my friends that I came so very close in one of the hardest fought contests that has taken place in the ward for years.

Yours respectfully.
W. H. WHITE.

January 5th, 1897.

Geo. Carton's

TABLE SUPPLY HOUSE.

CHOICE PORK SAUSAGES, 8 lb. for 25c,

Made from selected young Pork, nicely seasoned and very palatable.

Fresh Ribs, Fresh Hocks and Tenderloins, Fresh Oysters, Selects and Standards,

Always on hand. We invite you.

A. G CHAMBERS, MANAGER.

GOOD RESOLUTIONS

FOR THE NEW YEAR.

FOR SMOKERS—Make up your mind to buy your Pipes, Tobaccos and Cigars, from TALBOT BROS., the Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough.

FOR ELECTORS—Make it a condition that all election bets on the Mayoralty for the Cigars, must be paid from TALBOT BROS., "A1" stock.

FOR NEW YEAR'S GIFTS—Make a bee-line for TALBOTS. We did a dandy Xmas business, but have replenished with newest Novelties in Cigar Cases, Pouches, Pipes. "B B B's" Silver Mounted, Smoker's Walking Sticks, Gold and Silver Mounted, &c.

OUR BIG 4 COMBINATION—Four Genuine 10c Cigars for 25c. Take your pick of these—The Roseberry, William Pitt, Dunraven, El Celio, Irving, Dias Garcias and the Chamberlain, the new popular 10c Cigar out.

A NEW MIXTURE—"Creme de la Creme"—finest, mildest, mellowest mixtures in the world.

Wholesale and Retail Tobacconists, 363 George St., Sign of the Indian Queen. **TALBOT BROTHERS**

FURS! FURS! FURS!

W. W. JOHNSTON

Has added to the LeGendre stock of First-Class Dry Goods, bought at 55c on the Dollar, all the balance of the Joseph Rogers (Toronto) Bankrupt Stock of splendid Furs, bought at 40c on the Dollar.

Ladies especially are invited to call and examine our Cheap Furs and Dress Goods.

REMEMBER THE PLACE—

W. W. JOHNSTON

383 George Street. Opposite Market Arcade

SKATES!

Favourite styles—popular prices—including a lot of Spring Skates at less money. See our Hockey Skate with Improved Reinforced Front and Heel, guaranteed against breakage.

HOCKEY CLUB STICKS.

We are right in line with the newest puck-blocking and goal capturing Hockey Sticks of the season. Come and see them, boys.

MICKS & COX

Hunter St., Nearly Opposite the Post Office.

THANKS TO THE ELECTORS.

Fellow Electors of Ward No. One:

I desire to publicly express my sincere thanks to all who voted for me and worked so energetically for my election for Councillor yesterday. When I consider to many of the electors of the Ward I was a comparative stranger—never having taken any active part in public affairs before—I feel that I made a very good run for a first start. I can, therefore, appreciate the efforts put forth in my behalf, both by the Ladies and Gentlemen of this important Ward.

Although beaten, I am not vanquished. At some future time, I may be permitted to again ask the electors for a renewal of the support which they so freely accorded me yesterday.

Respectfully Yours,
THOMAS J. MOORE.

January 5th, 1897.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the Electors of No. 2 Ward :-

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—I beg to offer you my sincerest thanks for your support in the recent municipal contest, for the compliment you have paid me by placing me at the head of the poll.

Yours faithfully,
1d A. L. DAVIS.

Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Holiday trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea :—

Gloves and Handkerchiefs
Chiffon Collars and Neckwear
Veilings and Nettings
Trimmed Hat or Bonnet
Children's Wool Hoods, &c
Cloth for a Mantle
Winter Jackets
Winter Underwear
New Corsets
Lace and Embroidery

No matter what the size of your pocket book may be, we have prices to meet your ideas.

MISSES CAHILL

403 George Street.

Lindsay & Might

Real Estate, Insurance and Employment Office.

Good value in houses, lots and farms to sell, rent or exchange. Insurance in good companies and at low rates.

A Splendid Brick House, Furnace, Bath Double Lot, Stable, Nice Situation. $3600.

Good 2-story Brick House, nine Rooms, Good Garden, Spruce and Maple Trees. $1,250.

Telephone 203. Rents Collected.

OFFICE HOURS—8.30 a. m. to 8 p.m.
Under Market Hall, 328 George Street

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY

CANADIAN-AUSTRALIAN LINE

SPECIAL TRIP

ROUND THE WORLD $560

R. M. S. "AORANGI"

INTENDED TO LEAVE LONDON, ENG.

MARCH 17, 1897

Via Teneriffe, Cape Town, Melbourne, Sydney, New Zealand, Fiji, Hawaii and Vancouver. Tickets good for 12 months. For full particulars apply to

C. B. McPHERSON,
1 King St. E., Tor., or any C. P. Rail way Agent

CONGER'S FAIR

Closing-Out Sale

Going Out of Business!

Goods will be sold at cost and under for a few days. Those who want bargains in Christmas goods :

Enamelledware, Tinware, Glassware, Woodenware, and Stoneware,

And a variety of other goods must come early to secure the best bargains.

Would Sell Stock En Bloc Store Can Be Secured.

Conger's Fair

Peterborough Curling & Skating Rink Co

SKATING TICKETS

SEASON 1896—7.

The rink is now open for skating forenoons afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON :

For Ladies	$2 00
For Gentlemen	3 00
For Girls	1 50
For Youths	2 00
For Boys	1 50

FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each addition under half rates.

Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

grain of ——— will color a ton of wine. A grain of permanganate of potash will redden seven thousand times its weight of water. The most trifling disorder will disarrange every organ of the body and cause eventual disease and death. It is the little ailments neglected that make the big diseases. Most serious diseases have their inception in a disordered digestion and faulty nutrition. This is true of that most deadly of diseases—consumption. It is also true of nervous prostration and exhaustion and also of all forms of wasting disease. Ailments of this description may not only be prevented but cured by a resort to the right remedy.

An unfailing cure for all diseases that have their origin in disorders of the digestion and faulty nutrition is found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures digestive disorders, restores the appetite, invigorates the liver, purifies and enriches the blood, builds healthy flesh and muscle and drives out disease-germs. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption. Thousands have testified to these facts. Druggists who suggest substitutes are dishonest.

Mrs. Ursula Dunham, of Sistersville, Tyler Co., W. Va., writes: "I should have been dead had it not been for your medicine. I was nearly dead when I began taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I had a pain in my side all the time, had but little appetite, and grew very thin. The 'Golden Medical Discovery' promptly cured the pain, restored my appetite, and increased my weight."

Dr. Pierce's wonderful free book, "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," will be sent paper-bound, for thirty-one cents in one-cent stamps to pay the cost of customs and mailing *only*. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N.Y. For handsome, durable cloth covers, beautifully stamped, send 19 cents more (50 cents in all), to pay extra cost for this style of binding.

A MONSTER DEBT.

The Philadelphia & Reading Co. Wipes Off One $60,000,000 Obligation and Assumes Another.

Norristown, Pa., Jan. 2.—An obligation for $60,000,000 was cancelled here to-day when a mortgage given by the Philadelphia and Reading Company on July 1, 1874, for this amount to the Fidelity Safe and Trust Company of Philadelphia, formally recorded in Montgomery County, was marked satisfied by the Trust Company. The obligation was given to secure sixty thousand $1000 general mortgage bonds bearing interest at the rate of four per cent., and payable in 1908. Counsel for the Fidelity Trust Company also placed on record a deed from Osler & Stetson of New York, the purchasers of the Reading Railroad under foreclosure proceedings, to the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company, conveying the property to the new organization. At the same time a mortgage for $3,000,000 from the railroad company to the Central Trust Company of New York was recorded.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Cullings From the Despatches Cut Down to Paragraphs in Order to Economize Space.

British North America took $600,000 worth of lumber from the United States last year.

Freiherr Marschall Von Bieberstein, German Chancellor, is ill with an affection of the stomach.

Canada was Uncle Sam's best customer for cotton goods last year, taking $1,200,000 worth.

A blizzard raged yesterday in Kansas, Missouri and Minnesota, and the temperature is falling rapidly.

Elections took place in France yesterday for the Senate. Moderate Republicans defeated both Radicals and Conservatives.

Last year Canada took $500,000 of books and other printed matter from the United States, being the largest customer except Great Britain, who took $700,000 worth.

The total trade of the United States for 1898 amounted to about $1,625,000,000, of which $832,516,439 was exports and $687,-080,710 imports, a balance in favor of exports of about $245,000,000.

Fire in the heart of Nashville on Saturday destroyed $900,000 worth of property, insured for half that amount. Market-street and the public square were the sections visited.

During the past two days there were 130 new cases of the bubonic plague reported in Bombay and 120 deaths from the disease.

The Spaniards claim to have won an important victory in the Philippine Islands.

Heavy rains in Northern Arkansas and Indian Territory have swollen all the rivers and caused washouts on railways. The rain turned to sleet and snow yesterday. A flood is feared in the Osage Valley of Missouri.

Frank Brockman, a San Francisco politician, shot Marguerite Hollis in the jaw, inflicting a painful wound. Then he placed the muzzle of his revolver in his mouth and blew out his brains. Brockman was crazed from [illegible].

LEND YOUR EARS

To Your Back and Listen to its Talk—A Peterborough Man Tries It.

Did you know the backfound talk;
Tell you why it aches and pains;
Tell you why it's lame and weak;
Warn you of the kidney's ills;
Tell you of Doan's Kidney Pills?
Listen to them when they speak.
Relieve the kidneys, cure the ache.
Bad back, acute pains and kidney ills,
Are quickly cured by Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here is proof of it at home. The testimony of Mr. George N. Graham, the genial host of the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, is as follows:—

He says:—"I have been a great sufferer for some time with pain across the back, extending up between the shoulders, swelling of the limbs, dizziness, loss of appetite, and in fact felt completely broken up.

"I had lost 17 pounds in three months, and thought that I would never get better. I have taken many kinds of patent medicines, and have also been treated by medical men, but did not seem to get any better at all, in fact was constantly growing worse.

"I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertisement and got a box of them at Lynch's drugstore, and by the time I had taken one box noticed a marked change for the better.

"I have taken seven boxes altogether, and am now free from pain; the swelling in the limbs has disappeared, and my appetite is good. In fact, I feel that I am completely cured.

"I can heartily recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to those suffering from any form of kidney trouble. They are the best kidney medicine I have ever used.

Signed, GEO. N. GRAHAM.

For sale by James Lynch, druggist. 168 Hunter Street, Peterborough.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. Never travel without it. Price 35c.

With What He Saw in His Tour of the Pacific Province—Crow's Nest Road Needed.

Toronto, Jan. 4.

The Hon. A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, passed through the city on Saturday night on his way home to Ottawa from the Kootenay, via Chicago. With him was Lieut.-Col. Domville, M.P.

When seen at the Union Station both expressed themselves most enthusiastically as to the resources of British Columbia. Mr. Blair stated that he was tremendously pleased with the country and that its gold and silver mines were simply wonderful.

Col. Domville went even further than his superior, speaking of the Pacific Province's "mountains of wealth." The resources of the Kootenay, the Slocan and other districts, he said, were nothing short of marvelous. The member is so enraptured over the possibilities of the western land that he stated that if he said all he believed his assertions would not be credited, so he would have to tone down his utterances to a plane which his hearers could understand.

Among other statements made by the Colonel was one to the effect that Rossland would be a big city within a year.

Both the Minister and the member were agreed as to the necessity of the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass Railway.

Interviewed at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—(Special.)—Hon. A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, returned to Ottawa to-day after a visit of some weeks' duration in British Columbia. The Minister is greatly impressed with the Pacific Province. Indeed, he says he can hardly find words in which to adequately express his wonder and admiration of all he has seen during his visit to British Columbia. The marvelous mineral wealth of Southern Kootenay had particularly impressed him. He believes that with the railroad development now just commencing and the influx of capital from all quarters of the globe already coming in, British Columbia will go ahead at a rate unprecedented in any other part of the world.

His mission, as Minister of Railways, had been more particularly to look into the needs of the province in the matter of railroad extension, and especially the feasibility of the proposed Crow's Nest Pass Railway. What he saw had convinced him of the necessity of railroad extension. It was in the interest of not only British Columbia but the whole of Canada that this question should be taken up as soon as possible. He feels that the east is as keenly interested in the opening up of British Columbia as are the residents of the province themselves. Whilst in the province the hon. gentleman was asked to lend his countenance and assistance to no less than seven railway projects, having a total of 1840 miles. These are, viz.: Crow's Nest Pass, 380; Coast line from Robson, 460; British Pacific, 480; extension of the E. and N.R.R. to Comox, 60; Nanaimo to Alberni, 60; Rossland to Penticton, 280; other interior railways, 120; grand total in miles 1840. This enormous mileage would, at the rate of $25,000 per mile, amount to no less a sum than $46,000,000.

A January thaw is always more productive of colds and coughs than a January freeze. Then is the time Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is needed and proves so extremely efficacious. Ask your druggist for it, and also for Ayer's Almanac, which is free to all.

Telegraphic Brie s.

Chatham shoe stores have adopted the cash system.

The City Bank of Nora Springs, Iowa, suspended yesterday.

L. W. Abt & Co., wholesale jewelers, of Chicago, failed yesterday.

Tobacco growers had a hearing before the Tariff Commission at Washington yesterday.

The Pope is slightly indisposed.

The Allemania Bank of St. Paul, Minn., has closed its doors.

The body of Richard Cornelius, cashier of the National Farmers' and Planters' Bank of Baltimore, was found yesterday in a pond in Druid Hill Park. The police believe he committed suicide. He was a prominent Methodist.

The Bram trial at Boston will cost the United States Government about $10,000.

George Griffith, a farm laborer, went to the barn on the farm of Mr. James Cartwright, for whom he worked, yesterday, and cut his throat with a blunt pocket-knife, severing the windpipe and gullet. His recovery is doubtful. No reason assigned.

The Lake of the Woods Milling Company has made a contract to ship flour to Australia at the rate of 6000 tons per month. Special flour trams leave Winnipeg three days a week for the Pacific coast, there to be loaded on Canadian Pacific steamers. This trade is likely to prove of vast importance to Manitoba.

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—There is a fair enquiry and prices as a rule unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.20, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market is quiet and firm with limited offerings. Red and white wheat are held at 84c to 85c, respectively, and No. 1 hard is quoted at 96c, Toronto freight, and at 81c, Fort William.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is firm. No. 1 is held at 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c to 26c, and feed 22c.

Oats—The market is unchanged. White sold at 20c on the Midland, at 19c west. Mixed nominal, at 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices firm, with sales at 42c north and west, and at 43c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 23c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 25c to 26c outside.

Rye—The market is firm, with sales outside at 37c.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool Jan. 4.—Spring wheat, 7s 1d to 7s 2d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2d to 7s 3d; corn, 2s 10½d; peas, 4s 5d; pork, 58s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, L.c., heavy, 27s 6d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 25s 6d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 72s.

London—Wheat on passage strong and 6d higher. Maize on passage firm.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; futures, steady at 6s 11¾d for Feb. and 7s 0¾d for March and May. Maize firm at 2s 10d for Feb., 2s 10½d for March and 2s 10½d for April and May.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 6s 11¾d for Jan., 7s 0¾d for Feb., and 7s 1¾d for March and May. Maize steady at 2s 10½d for Feb., 2s 10½d for March, and 2s 11d for May. Flour 24s 9d.

Paris—Close—Wheat 22f 10c for Feb.; flour 46f 90c for Feb.

Don't Wait for the Sick Room.

The experience of physicians and the public proves that taking Scott's Emulsion produces an immediate increase in flesh; it is therefore of the highest value in Wasting Diseases and Consumption.

One Every Night.

One Laxa-Liver Pill taken each night during 30 days will cure Constipation, obstructing Headaches and irregular action of the bowels. Laxa-Liver Pills leave no unpleasant after effect.

A Tragedy in Philadelphia, the Perpetrators of Which are Not at Present Known.

Philadelphia, Jan. 1.—Mrs. Emma Betz, aged 40 years, was shot and killed in the third storey of the house at 1216 North Fourth-street to-day. The police were not informed of the tragedy until an hour and a half after the woman was dead, and they have been unable to learn with certainty who did the shooting. They arrested Mrs. Christian Engle, an old woman, who is mistress of the place, and a man named "Andy" Schmidt, who lived in the house, has disappeared and is being sought by the police.

Mrs. Engle says the Betz woman came in about noon with a strange man as she was going out. When Mrs. Engle returned she found the man gone, she says, and the woman dying from a gunshot wound in the throat. The shooting was done with a gun owned by Schmidt.

AS WELL AS EVER.

A Brickmaker Listens to Reason—Uses Six Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and Tells it.

Brockville, Jan. 4 (Special)—Mr. W. H. Odell, perhaps one of the best known citizens of this town has lately recovered from a long continued and painful kidney ailment. He tells the story of his experience to the correspondent as follows:

"I have suffered for over a year from kidney disease, the pain in my back being so severe that I was unable to stand to my work."

"Noticing the published cures of what Dodd's Kidney Pills were doing for others I concluded to use them."

"Having used only six boxes I can say that I am perfectly cured and well so that I can attend to business as well as ever I could."

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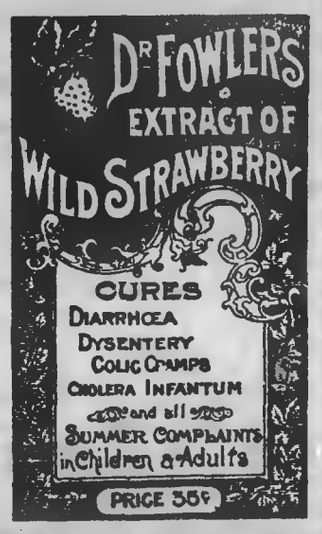

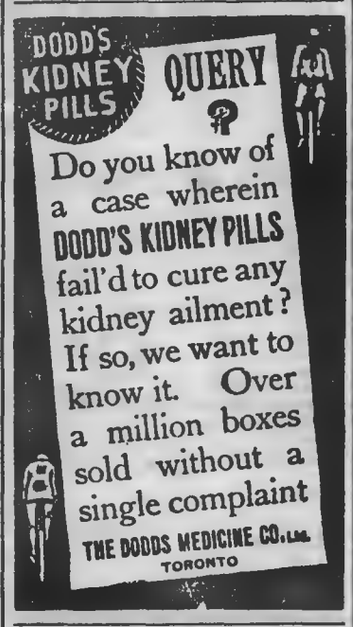
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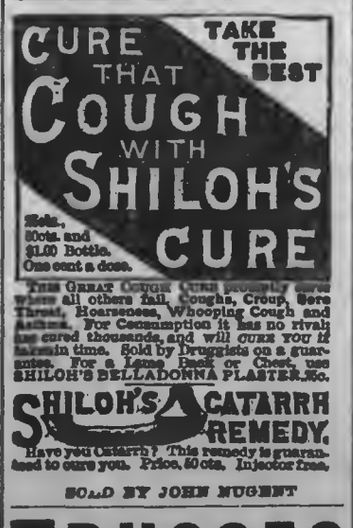
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In one respect the English colony known as the Falkland Islands is the most remarkable portion of the Americas. In spite of the facts that the islands are treeless; that the climate is not only bleak but is so cold as to prevent all kinds of agriculture save only hothouse gardening; that the islands are located where communication with the rest of the world is impeded by natural difficulties, here alone of all the regions of the Americas has man flourished so well that the population has filled the country to a point where a surplus is produced that must emigrate.

According to Mr. R. M. Routledge, formerly a Government official there, who has recently described the present condition of the islands in the Scottish Geographical Magazine, Port William, on a bay in the largest of the Falklands, is a remarkable village. A single street runs along the beach on the south side of the bay. It is a mile and a half long, and has at one end the Government buildings in a field some acres in extent, and at the other a hotel "very fitly named First and Last." The houses are built of wood and corrugated iron. There are three churches—Episcopal, Catholic and Baptist. There are two public schools, one Catholic school and a private school. There are two hotels, while saloons "abound, and from these a good revenue is derived, for beer is largely consumed, and not much blame attaches to the people, for the water is for the most part collected from off the houses after rain."

It is noted that the Episcopal Church is a new structure, built at a cost of $40,000, after a former structure had been destroyed by "what is known as a peat slip, by which a large part of the town was also carried away." Peat is the natural fuel of the islands, but some of the wealthier people of Port Stanley import coal.

Besides Port Stanley, there is another village in the group that is named Darwin. Outside of Port Stanley and Darwin there is neither church nor schoolhouse, nor any other public highway than the sea. The group includes nearly 200 islands, large and small, and the area of land fit for pasture is estimated at 6000 square miles. Every foot of this has been taken up. Most of it is held under lease from the Government. The land is divided into sections of 6000 acres, and anyone can hold as many of these as his inclination and means will permit. Quite a number of islands are held by individuals who live Robinson Crusoe fashion, or at best, a man with his family only on each island. On the larger islands the holdings range from 6000 acres up, and each holder, living alone or his hold-

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ing, is thus well nigh as isolated as if he lived on an island. All travel over the island is by horseback alone. There is not one wheeled vehicle outside of Port Stanley. There being no roads, and the land being divided by wire fences, a traveler, when crossing any island, must needs employ a guide to find the gate.

Of course, since the houses are so far apart, the children of these ranchers get no education save only such as their parents give them, and that is of only the most primitive character. They learn to herd and shear sheep; to pack the wool for market and sell it; to buy supplies at the store (the trade of the island is practically the monopoly of one company), and deposit their surplus money in the Government savings bank. Most of the boys learn, in addition to this, to handle the sloops and small schooners that are found in large numbers there.

All the available land having been occupied, the gradual increase of the population finds no place to occupy. In consequence, the young people go away to the unoccupied lands of Patagonia and Terra del Fuego, taking as an inheritance the surplus sheep of their parents, for the sheep have increased until all the pasture is occupied.

The scenery of the islands is at once barren and picturesque. Grass makes them green, but there is not a tree in the group. Every attempt to cultivate trees, even the rugged beeches of Terra del Fuego, has failed. The surface of the islands is undulating and even rugged, some of the mountains rising 2000 feet above the sea. There are absolutely barren rocks and precipices and gulches. More interesting still there are "rivers of stone"—streams in the mountains whose courses are marked only by the winding banks, filled with broken rock, beneath which the torrents of water run. The water may be heard, as it roars along, but is never seen.

In the mountains there are still to be found wild cattle, and wild fowls in great numbers inhabit the coasts, but the people are not much given to sport.

The climate is also interesting. Snow never falls to a depth of more than an inch, while the fresh water ponds freeze no more than a mere film of ice. On the other hand, the thermometer runs usually from 30 to 50 degrees Fahrenheit, while the wind blows so steadily and so hard that the people of the interior are said to have a gait peculiar to the region—a gait in which they bend to the gale, and tack to windward like a sailing ship. It is nevertheless a healthy region, the death rate being no more than six in a thousand annually, and the appearance of the people is hale, hearty, and rosy-cheeked. In connection with the climate it is worth mentioning that the waters have a chill, peculiarly their own, that is so penetrating that no one has ever plunged into the sea for a bath there and returned to the surface to relate his experiences. At least that is what Mr. Routledge says.

While the people of the ranches live desolate and lonely lives, society at Port Stanley seems to have an attractive life. There is a social club with a reading room and a library, and meetings to hear and discuss papers and essays, but not politics. They have balls twice a month and theatricals and concerts occasionally, everything being done, of course, under the patronage of His Excellency the Governor. They have a rifle team that has been beaten but once. It happened when the British war ship Sirius was in port that for once the wind did not blow, and that was a condition on the range for which the local shots were wholly unprepared.

They have a newspaper, the Weekly Government Gazette.

They have a national guard of 100 men.

They have a police force and magistrate at Port Stanley and life is sometimes lively there when the seamen from some Cape Horn ship get ashore with money to spend at the numerous grog shops.

That the people are intensely loyal scarcely need be said. After Prince Alfred visited the colony some years ago, they were so proud of the fact that they built a monument over the spot where he first placed his sacred foot on the landing dock.

The statistics of population and products are not without interest. Mr. Routledge places the number of inhabitants at 1900 and odd, who occupy the 4,160,000 acres of land. They own 750,000 sheep (round numbers) and in 1894 the colony exported 3,500,000 pounds of wool, valued at £105,000. Besides this, they exported sheep skins worth £16,480, frozen mutton worth nearly £5000, and tallow worth £2000. The thrift of the colony is shown in the fact that the total exports were £131,851, while the imports were but £62,270. The public revenue amounted to £11,958 and public expenses to £12,395. The Governor, Sir Roger Tuckville Goldsworth, K.C., M.G., draws a salary of £1200 and has a lot of fees in addition, but Mr. Frederick Crage-Halket, who has two offices, Secretary and Treasurer, gets only £450 and no fees.

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Queen Amelie's Hobby.

In revisiting Paris after some ten years of absence, Queen Amelie of Portugal shows an evident desire to forgive and forget the affront which was offered to her when the Republic fixed upon her marriage as a fitting occasion for banishing all her family from France, says the London Chronicle. Her Majesty is endeavoring, perhaps, to apply to politics those principles of the healing art to which she has of late devoted herself with so much assiduity. Within a stone's throw of the Palace of Necessitades, at Alcantara, may be seen the "Dispensaria de Sua Majestade la Rainha," where every year some 1500 children are treated for the various ailments and injuries to which their tender years are liable. The Queen and her ladies in waiting are almost daily in the wards, preparing food, administering remedies and bandaging wounds. A similar institution has been started at Operto under her auspices. If royalty must have its hobby, one can hardly conceive a better one than that of Queen Amelie.

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MONDAY'S MUNICIPAL CONTEST.

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Dummer Township Council.

FOR REEVE.

	1	2	3	4	Total
Moore	89	32	66	70	251
Payne	39	39	36	23	135

Majority for Moore 66

FOR DEPUTY-REEVE.

	1	2	3	4	Total
Webster	42	40	56	72	232
Edwards	31	12	82	29	154

Majority for Webster 77

COUNCILLORS ELECTED.

C J Darling 235
W T Crowe 176
N Payne 168

Manitoumore Township Council.

Reeve—Costello.
Councillors—Doris, Flood, Kellin and Scollard.

Havelock Village.

In Havelock Mr. Macaulay has been elected reeve over Joseph Knox. The figures are not yet to hand.

Lakefield Village Council.

FOR REEVE.

F J Lillicrap 121
Dr Burgess 106

Majority for Lillicrap 23

FOR COUNCILLORS.

R H Braden 168
C J Burgess 178
Dr Fraser 179
F J Moore 142
Wm Leonard 81
John Richardson 61

The first four named are elected.

Monaghan Township Council.

No. 1.

FOR REEVE.

Johnston 71
McIntosh 57

Majority for McIntosh 18

FOR COUNCILLOR.

Bradburn 107
Hunter 95
Hall 47
May 99
Madill 60
Yelland 71

No. 2.

FOR REEVE.

McIntosh 61
Johnston 96

Majority for McIntosh 35

FOR COUNCILLORS.

Bradburn 19
Hunter 73
Hall 97
May 22
Madill 73
Yelland 70

TOTALS.

McIntosh 148
Johnston 97
Hunter 168
Madill 133
Yelland 131
Bradburn 126
May 102
Hall 74

Total majority for McIntosh, 68.
Councillors elected—Hunter, Madill, Yelland and Bradburn.

Smith Township Council.

YOUNG'S POINT:

C Boyce 65
Wm Carter 03
Geo E Elliott 39
J Garbutt 55
J Stenson 66

BRIDGENORTH:

Boyce 30
Carter 61
Elliott 111
Garbutt 72
Stenson 86

MILBURN'S SCHOOL HOUSE:

Elliott 141
Garbutt 65
Stenson 147
Boyce 42
Carter 28

MADILL'S SCHOOL HOUSE:

Elliott 31
Garbutt 27
Stenson 31
Boyce 27
Carter 30

RAY'S SCHOOL HOUSE:

Elliott 73
Garbutt 107
Stenson 52
Boyce 70
Carter 31

TOTALS.

Elliott 195
Garbutt 239
Stenson 234
Boyce 234
Carter 126

Messrs. Elliott, Garbutt and Stenson are therefore elected.

DELIVERY OF BAKERS' BREAD.

It Might be Wrapped in Paper First.

Walking along one of our uptown streets the other day a lady noticed the driver of a baker's waggon drop a loaf of bread on on the street. Quick as a flash he picked it up again and flung it into the wagon, and now that lady is wondering if she herself will not have eaten part of the same loaf before this gets into print, says the Montreal Witness.

As a whole, the methods of delivering bread have improved much of late years. The time was when every one had to be satisfied with bread that had been driven around the dirty streets all day uncovered on the top of a wagon. Now the waggons are double decked affairs, all closed in, and at least some of the drivers deliver the bread at the doors in baskets. But is not still more care needed? The driver handles every loaf of bread with the same gloves in which he handles the waggon and the horse, and the combination is anything but a pleasant one to think of. There is surely a remedy.

Why should not each loaf before it leaves the bakery be wrapped in paper. The waxed, or parchment papers seem the nicest, but plain white paper of the cheapest kind, or even the cheapest brown paper would serve the purpose. Will not some of our advanced bakers start the fashion?

HOTEL MEN TO DINE.

The *Bonifaces* of the Midland District Will Fraternize in Belleville on January 22nd.

The following circular, which explains itself, has been handed to the hotelmen of the Midland district:

Belleville, Dec. 30th, 1896.

DEAR SIR,—It has been decided by the committee to hold an annual dinner for the purpose of meeting each other once a year, and at each of these meetings a vote will be taken to decide upon where the dinner will be held the year following. The district for these annual dinners will be from Kingston to Port Hope on the main line of the Grand Trunk; from Port Hope to Lindsay on the Midland, and from Lindsay to Belleville. Hoping that all will approve of the innovation, and feeling confident that you will agree with the committee that this annual meeting and dinner will be of mutual benefit to us all. A favourable reply as early as possible will be appreciated.

The committee extend their compliments for a prosperous and happy New Year.

I remain, my dear sir,
Yours truly,
JOHN F. BAIRD,
Hon. Sec'y.

The dinner will be held at Hotel Quinte, Belleville, on Jan. 22nd, and arrangements have already been completed. It will undoubtedly be one of the most elaborate affairs ever held in this district.

You can't be well if your blood is impure, but you may have pure blood and good health by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

DON'T!

Don't slack up or quit advertising altogether as soon as the holiday season is over. Don't say: "Well, we can't sell goods in the dull season, no matter how hard we try, and advertising is just money thrown away." Your hustling competitor, with no better chance or location than you have, keeps business booming all the time by advertising all the time in the most vigorous way. He has no "dull season," why should you?

The pushing, prompt, persistent men
Who advertise each day,
In every year, can always make
Their advertising pay.

General Grant once said there is a time in every battle when each side thinks it is whipped. He learned by experience that if he kept up the fight until the other side thought it was whipped, he was pretty sure to win. There is something for advertisers to learn from this. If, when they begin to think, advertising does not pay, they would fight a little harder to make it pay, they would be pretty sure to win.

It Makes us Smile to Hear Others Talking About FURS!

When everyone knows that our line is by far the handsomest shown. As for quantity to select from, it is not amiss to say that we have more Fur Garments made up by ourselves and more skins for orders than all the other dealers put together.

ALL HOLIDAY FURS MUST BE SOLD

no matter what the loss. It does not pay to pack goods away. We are not offering the fag end of a bankrupt stock bought last summer; we would not insult the buying intelligence of the people of this community by offering them "Splendid Furs" that are the residue of an old bankrupt stock, the leavings, so to speak, of the good people of a neighbouring city. It might suit some places, but it won't suit Peterborough. Here are a few of our bargains:—

NEW BOX FRONTS.

Grey Lamb Jackets	$30 00 up
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Electric Seal	$50 00 up

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Greenland Seal Capes, 27 inch	$18 00
Greenland Seal Capes, 30 inch	$20 00
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NEW FUR LINED RIPPLE CLOAKS.

Black Outsides, in Hampster linings, Special, at	$25 00

FUR CAPS.

Alaska Seal, $10.00, worth	$15 00
Electric Seal, $3.00, worth	$5 00
German Otter, $3.50, worth	$5.00
Grey Lamb, from $1.25 to	$2 50

And all other goods in proportion.

FAIRWEATHER & CO.

MANUFACTURING FURRIERS.

BENSFORT.

(From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Beers of Peterborough has commenced his duties as teacher of this school for the year 1897.

Malcolm Morrison has taken the contract of lighting the fires and sweeping the school.

Mr. Will Kerr left last Tuesday for the Northwest Territories, where, we understand, he has secured a situation.

An entertainment was given in the hall last Thursday by Messrs. Benson and Williamson. The programme was not as good as expected, although they had a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McAllister, sr., received rather a pleasant surprise on Tuesday evening last. The members of the council and Agricultural Society, of which Mr. McAllister was a member, presented him with a gold-headed cane and chair and Mrs. McAllister with a chair. Suitable addresses were made, after which a hearty supper was partaken off, and a very pleasant evening spent. Mr. McAllister has moved to his place near Peterborough to make room for his son, who was married to Miss Hatherley of Otonabee.

Mr. John Smith has gone to Toronto to have an operation performed on his eyes, over which cataracts were forming.

Mr. Abbie Poe is suffering from a slight indisposition at present, the result of so much exposure to the mercies of the weather in the Northwest.

Mr. Isaac Kerr is laid up with boils on the back of his neck. Mr. Kerr has just recovered from the effects of a very sore hand which he got crushed early in the fall.

Mr. Thos. Dodds, jr., from Toronto University, is spending his holidays with his family.

The weather at this writing is very unseasonable. The flies and mosquitoes are flying around and the roads are as bad as they ever get to be in Benefort.

MOUNT PLEASANT.

From our own Correspondent.

W. T. McLean, of the Institute at Brantford, has been spending his holidays at the parental home in Mount Pleasant.

Mount Pleasant Foresters (Court Primrose) will hold their annual supper on the 20th inst. This will be the great feast of the season, and the entertainment cannot be excelled. All are invited to come and have a grand time.

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Holiday Photographs.

G. R. Whiten, the new photographer of Peterborough, is doing a grand trade since coming here. He is kept very busy. He finishes most of his work on the new Platino finish. There is no better work made in Ontario to-day than is made at Whiten's New Art Studio, on Hunter street west, opposite Oak Hall. His prices are very reasonable. Go and see the quality of his work and be convinced there is none better, and few to equal his work. Give him a trial. dtf

Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 25 and 50c.

Lord Beresford Improving.

London, Jan. 4.—There has been a decided improvement in the condition of Lord William Beresford, who was badly injured while following the hounds at Dorking.

KILLED BY A FRISKY COLT.

The Horrible Death of a Farmer Near Hanover Yesterday.

Hanover, Ont., Jan. 4.—This afternoon Mr. Charles Habermehl, a farmer living about three miles from this place, hitched up a colt to come out to vote. He got into his buggy, and his son put a cross-cut saw on behind. The noise of the saw frightened the colt, and it ran away, throwing him against a post, knocking the upper part of his skull clean off and killing him almost instantly. He leaves a wife and large family.

BARN AND GRAIN BURNED.

Serious Loss to Messrs. James McClintock and J. Lunau, of Ballantrae.

Ballantrae, Ont., Jan. 3.—The large barns on the farm of James McClintock, occupied by J. Lunau, were destroyed by fire Saturday night. Mr. Lunau, while in the barn, left his lantern on a flight of stairs and went to an adjoining room. Returning, he found the floor in flames, which he crossed, escaping with a few slight burns. It is supposed the lantern exploded. Mr. Lunau's loss is heavy, all his implements and about 1000 bushels of grain being burned. Insurance on implements, $300; insurance on barns, unknown.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

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Mountains of Merchandise Receive Their Marching Orders.

Prices Cut Right and Left Regardless of Profit or Value.

The entire stocks of **Clothing, Cloths, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Furnishings,** contained in Gough Bros. Two Mammoth Stores, to go at Panic Prices, at Maker's Prices, at People's Prices.

In every department the sacrifice will be alike Sweeping, peremptory and cracking big values await the bargain hunter.

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Comes at a grand time for buyers. This is our spick-and-span brand new Winter Stock which we expected to have well sold by this time. But the mild weather made buyers think winter was'nt coming at all, leaving us with a stock which we must move out during January to the music of double quick time.

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If every one were to judge of what is good and what is not good in merchandise, a great many dry goods stores would be out of business. Don't always trust the price, it is very often misleading.

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BUSY JANUARY

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January Bargains in Silks,
January Bargains in Dress Goods,
January Bargains in Linings,
January Bargains in Trimmings,
January Bargains in Gloves,
January Bargains in Corsets,
January Bargains in Comforters,
January Bargains in Blankets,
January Bargains in Sheeting,
January Bargains in Towelling,
Etc., Etc.

Home-owners and economical shoppers generally would much sooner buy now at the lower prices, than pay regular prices in April or May. The difference to them is a very material saving.

Special Snaps im MILLINERY.

To close out the season. We mean to have no left over stocks in this department. You have our word for it that until after Stock-taking is over you will have many lucky chances in mid-winter goods. Figure on getting pretty near your own way in prices.

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Some Men

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WISER MEN

Investigate before they buy, and come here to be measured. The result is they are always well dressed, because their clothes are built on honour, made of trustworthy fabrics, and finished by tailors who have their reputation at stake.

Be one of the Wise Men this year.

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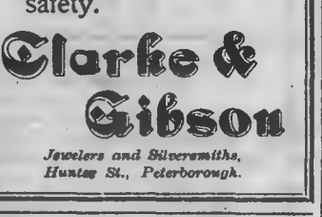

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CANADIAN BUILDING AT BISLEY.

Plans of Montreal Architects Accepted by the D.R.A.—Chances for Canada to Do Business With Scandinavia—Ranger Get Off Lightly—Notes From Canada's Capital.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—The council of the Dominion Rifle Association met to-day to consider the plans for the proposed Canadian building at Bisley, and unanimously selected those sent in by Saxe & Rodden, architects of Montreal. They show the typical Canadian cottage of one and a half storeys in height, of neat appearance, wide verandahs all around, and to be finished in Canadian woods. These plans were the only ones coming within the requirements of the association and the fixed cost of $7500.

Commercial Agent Soncum, at Christiania, Norway, sends a valuable report to the Department of Trade and Commerce. He says that a coal made from peat has been invented there, and is proving a most valuable fuel.

Canadian wood pulp manufacturers will learn with interest that a Norwegian has invented a machine for washing off the bark instead of planing it, thereby affecting a great economy.

American shoes are becoming very popular in Norway. Canadian manufacturers will make a note of this.

Canadian rolled oats are getting a good footing in Scandinavia. The prospects are very good there for all classes of Canadian cereals, as also fresh apples, if free from black spot, and evaporated apples of good quality. Large quantities of butter are now being exported to Norway from the United States. Canadian exporters should be able to find good market there.

The Railway Committee of the Privy Council had a sitting all day, when a large number of applications were disposed of. Mr. D. B. McTavish, Q.C., of Ottawa, appeared for the corporation of Toronto in its application for permission to re-open the mater of the Lansdowne-avenue crossing, which was decided in 1895. The committee decided to hear all parties at the next meeting.

The application of the Hamilton Radial Company to cross the G.T.R. at Burlington was granted, the Electric Company to pay costs.

The London Street Railway Company got permission to cross the G.T.R., C.P.R. and London and Port Stanley in the city of London.

The T., H. and B. road applied for permission to be relieved from the order directing it to be responsible for the crossings over the roads of the Hamilton and Milton Road Company, and asking that the city of Hamilton and the County of Wentworth should bear all expenses in connection with the matter. Mr. Waddell strongly protested on behalf of the Road Company against this concession, Mr. Carscallen appearing for the Railway Company. Decision was reserved.

The Lake Erie and Detroit Railway secured permission for the construction of branch lines at Ridgetown and Blenheim respectively.

David B. Ranger, the liquor-seller, who was prosecuted by Messrs. Hiram Walker & Sons of Walkerville, got off pretty lightly at the Police Court to-day. Two charges were preferred against him of having in his possession a forged trade mark, the property of Messrs. Hiram Walker & Sons, the distillers of Walkerville, and the second charge was of selling goods with a forged trade mark. Ranger pleaded guilty in both cases. Mr. Belcourt, who appeared on Mr. Ranger's behalf, said that as far as he could learn, it was not an uncommon occurrence among the liquor men to reduce the strength of liquor. He pointed out that in this case the bung of the barrel had been taken out and that the seal had been procured to properly replace it. No other whiskey had been added to that which was reduced in strength. Mr. Belcourt contended that there had been no disposition shown by his client to do any underhand work. There was no secret about where the seal had been made, as Pritchard & Andrews of Sparks-street had done the work. When the detectives called upon Mr. Ranger he had made no hesitation in at once giving it up. Mr. Belcourt did not think, under the circumstances, there was any intention of forging the seal. He asked the court to deal as leniently as possible in imposing the fine.

Mr. Latchford, Messrs. Walker & Sons' representative, thought the punishment should be made to fit the crime. The seal on the barrels was a guarantee to the purchaser that the liquor was made by Messrs Walker & Sons.

Magistrate O'Gara, in summing up, said that, in view of what Mr. Belcourt had said, and that the matter would not occur again, also taking into consideration that Mr. Ranger was such an ignorant and simple man, he would impose a fine of $50 in each case. The fine was paid.

The Postmaster-General has received the report of Lieut.-Col. Lazier, of Belleville, who was appointed sometime ago a commissioner to enquire into the charges of political partisanship laid against Mr. Farrow, ex-M.P. of Brussels. The commissioner finds that Mr. Farrow did not take an offensive part in the campaign, and consequently the charges against him will be dismissed. Mr. Farrow will retain his position as postmaster.

AS TO THE TARIFF.

Mr. Eddy of Hull Advocates Protection All Round—Farmers Want the Tariff Revised.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—The Tariff Committee of the Cabinet had another meeting here to-day. Mr. Eddy of Hull and Mr. Kane of Newmarket, Ont., appeared jointly in the interests of woodenware manufacturers. Mr. Eddy advocated an increase in the duty of from 20 to 30 per cent. Mr. Eddy said he sold his goods at the same price in Ontario and throughout the Maritime Provinces. In other words, he obtained in Nova Scotia the amount of the freight less for his goods than in the west. Mr. Eddy would concede that this was "slaughter" in the same sense that American manufacturers were said to slaughter their goods in Canada. The prices in the Maritime Provinces were fixed by the competing American producer.

Mr. Kane remarked that the manufacturer of woodenware was in a worse position now than under the Mack mile regime. True, the protection then was but 1-2 per cent., but as a general thing the raw materials of the trade were free.

Mr. Eddy did not propose to speak for manufacturers of woodenware alone, but for manufacturers generally. He thought they should all be protected. If the Government of the United States placed a protective duty on manufactured goods, why should not the Government of Canada protect its manufacturers to the same degree?

Sir Richard Cartwright wanted to know where the consumer came in.

Mr. Eddy's reply was that the consumer and the farmer were dependent upon the manufacturer, and this he maintained despite Mr. Fielding's endeavor to controvert the position. "What was the condition of the farmers here 20 or 30 years ago?" asked Mr. Eddy.

"Infinitely better off," replied Sir Richard Cartwright, warmly.

Mr. Eddy's rejoinder to this was that around his district at any rate the farmers were poor enough. Continuing, he said he believed in manufacturers being protected and farmers too. He was not one of those who was all for self interest.

Mr. Eddy drew the attention of the commission to the discrepancy between the duty on paper sacks and bags (25 per cent.), and that on envelopes (35 per cent.). This difference of 10 per cent., he urged, should be eliminated by making the duty on paper sacks and bags 35 per cent.

Mr. Eddy went fully into the subject of an export duty on pulpwood, which he strongly favored. We had for the past eight years, he said, been allowing our forests to be denuded and the product taken to the other side, without any value or revenue accruing to the country. So, too, with our sawlogs; they were cut up on the other side and turned into lumber to compete with the Canadian product. Mr. Eddy believed that the Americans were taking about a million cords of pulp wood yearly from Canada, with the result that upon this Canadian material they are building up towns and villages all over the United States. If we have an export duty of $1 a cord, a prohibitory duty, Mr. Eddy admitted it would prevent the export of our raw material and bring capitalists over here, so that we would soon have villages of three, four and five thousand inhabitants each at all the suitable water power locations scattered between here and the Lake of the Woods. When he had put this proposition to Sir John Abbott a few years ago that gentleman's only observation was; "But what will the Americans say?" to which Mr. Eddy had made answer, "What need we care what they say? It is the duty of Canada to look out for herself." Private owners of spruce for six might, Mr. Eddy admitted, kick against such an export duty as he proposed, but it will be better for them in the end. The United States must have the pulpwood to work upon, and in less than four years, they would have their capital invested in this country in the grinding of pulpwood to the extent he had just mentioned.

Mr. Eddy's parting word to the commission was a plea for protection. Although American born, he wanted the Government to look after this young country as sharply as he would if he had the power.

Next were heard delegates representing the North Lanark Farmers' Institute. There were two of them, Messrs. Kossmack and McLean, and both urged tariff reform. The farmers of Carleton County were next heard. Four of them were introduced to the commissioners by H. H. Lang, merchant, of this city. One of them was Mr. McKellar, the late Liberal candidate in the County of Carleton. Mr. McKellar said that an attempt had been made to have a delegation present to represent the farmers of Carleton County on the 24th inst. Members of the Carleton Farmers' Institute met at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. "We discussed the subject," he said, "from that hour until dark, but I am sorry to say that in the end we separated, largely on political lines."

Mr. McKellar, in a deprecatory tone, went on to tell how he himself had urged the meeting to accept the tariff plank of the Liberal convention of 1893 as their representation from the Carleton County farmers to the Ministerial Commission on the tariff, but (and here Mr. McKellar grew more serious still), "I could not get a seconder." He added that they were to have met and talked it over next day, but they did not meet.

As to coal oil, Mr. McKellar had noticed that lately a member of the tariff commission had been through the County of Lambton, and was much impressed with the magnitude of the Petrolea coal oil fields. Mr. McKellar therefore did not know but what, if this Petrolea industry was given an honest product, it should be given protection if it needed it.

To Sir Richard Cartwright he said the average annual consumption of coal oil in the farm house in Carleton would be about 65 gallons. In this he was supported by Mr. McLean, while the four other county farmers agreed that twelve gallons a year was the average consumption in the outlying farm districts. Mr. McKellar concluded his observations with the reassuring statement that, the farmers being loyal, they would cheerfully pay whatever was needed for the public revenue. This latter declaration Mr. Geo. Boyce concurred in. For the rest he was fairly well satisfied with the present tariff conditions, and thought that it would pay farmers to raise a heavier grade of pork for the supply of the lumber camps.

On behalf of the lime and cement manufacturers Mr. Wright pointed out that the industry could not stand any reduction of the present tariff duty of 40 cents a barrel on imported cement.

Mr. G. T. Borrell, president of the Brockville Public Library, asked for the removal of the duty on books, claiming that publishers would be amply protected by the copyright law.

Others who gave testimony were Mr. John Nesbitt, a rich farmer of Carleton County, and Mr. John Conmee, hardware merchant. The latter had little fault to find with the present tariff, but severely condemned the wholesalers' combine. The meeting then adjourned.

To-morrow, being Epiphany, will be a holiday in the public departments.

Hon. R. Harcourt was in town to-day.

Mr. Speaker Edgar is in the city.

Mr. J. K. Kerr, Q.C., was here to-day.

Hon. J. M. Gibson and Major J. J. Mason of Hamilton were here to-day, attending the D.R.A. meeting.

Sir Richard Cartwright and Messrs. Fielding and Mulock have been appointed a sub-committee of the Cabinet to prepare a new superannuation bill.

A CASE OF SELF-HYPNOTISM.

Frank Dougherty Returns to Life While Funeral Services Were Being Held Over Him.

Newport, Del., Jan. 5.—The extraordinary case of Frank Dougherty, the youth who was supposed to have died last Tuesday night, and who returned to life Friday, while funeral services were being held over him, has given doctors in this vicinity a problem to solve. The solution of the case seems to be that the appearance of death was produced by self-hypnotism.

The true history of the case is as follows: The boy is 18 years old, and is a student at Delaware College. He is a big boy for his age and is a deep thinker. A company of hypnotists came to the Opera House at Wilmington in October for a few weeks' stay. The first night they created a sensation by hypnotising a boy and placing him in a window for 48 hours without food or drink.

Attracted by this feat, Dougherty, who is of a scientific mind, went to Wilmington and became one of the subjects of the hypnotists, and since their departure he has been making a deep study of the science of hypnotism. Young Dougherty was an apparently healthy boy, and his sudden death was a great surprise in the neighborhood. He returned home from school, which is seven miles distant, early Monday afternoon, and retired at ten o'clock.

When called at the accustomed hour Tuesday morning, he failed to respond, and then it was that Mrs. Dougherty discovered him apparently dead. His body seemed to be cold, and there was no visible pulsation or palpitation of the heart.

The family doctor, who was called in, after a careful examination, pronounced the boy dead, although at the time he could detect a slight beat near the boy's temples.

The only theory that Doughtery's friends can advance regarding his strange experience is that he fell into a hypnotic sleep by concentrating his attention upon one object.

They say that he frequently expressed a desire for hypnotic sleep, and that he often said it would be produced by concentration of the mind upon one thought or object.

When Dougherty was found in bed the gas was burning and a revolving instrument used by a noted French hypnotist in his seances was found on the floor beside his bed.

Dougherty's friends believe that before he went to bed he placed the instrument with the purpose of causing him to sleep.

With a view to studying the unusual case, several Wilmington doctors came here this morning and drove to the Dougherty home, a mile and a half away. Crowds of people living in the neighboring county also called at the Dougherty house to take a look at the boy, but few gained admittance to the room where the boy was still confined.

Dr. Palmer, who is caring for him, reported this morning that he is improving rapidly, but that he is not yet entirely out of danger. His long sleep has so weakened his nervous system that the doctor says the least excitement may cause a relapse. For this reason he directed that his patient be kept as quiet as possible, and that few persons should be allowed to speak to him.

The parents of the boy declined to discuss the matter, but they did not deny that their son had had the unusual experience of death and return to life in three days.

AFTER A MURDERER.

Detectives From New South Wales in Pursuit of a Man Who is Said to Have Killed Mining Prospectors.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 5.—Detectives McHattie and Conroy arrived here from Sydney last night, and left at once for San Francisco, where they expect to accomplish the arrest of Frank Butler, alias Harwood, who is wanted in New South Wales for a long series of cold-blooded murders.

His plan was to lure to the gold fields prospectors who had a little money, shoot them and bury their bodies; then return to the city to again advertise for a "mate" with a little ready money to go prospecting. The murders of Captain Lee Weller and A. O. T. Preston have been traced to Butler, and he is more than suspected of 12 other similar crimes in the Blue Mountains, N.S.W., and in Western Australia. It has been ascertained that under the name of Weller he sailed from Newcastle for San Francisco Nov. 25, as the guest of the captain on board the ship Swanhilda. She has not yet arrived, and the officers are tolerably sure of their man.

KNIFE STAB IN THE HEART.

A Boy of 14 Was Killed in Indianapolis by Another Lad of 16.

Indianapolis, Jan. 5.—Richard Falk, a 14-year-old son of Dr. Frederick Falk, one of the leading physicians of the city, is dead from a knife stab in the heart, for which Thomas Hanna, jr., the 16-year-old son of Thomas Hanna, ex-Lieutenant-Governor, is responsible. Young Hanna yesterday called to see a sister of young Falk. While he was waiting just inside the door for the girl, who was to take a walk with him, he took out a penknife to sharpen a pencil. The Falk boy asked for it, and, being refused, grabbed for it. In the scuffle that followed the knife blade was sunk into his heart. He died in 45 minutes. It is maintained that the killing was accidental.

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Y.P.S.C.E. NOTES.

Paragraphs of Local Interest to Endeavourers Supplied by the County Union.

WORLD'S CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR PRAYER CHAIN.

(Subject of Prayer for January.)

FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE WORLD.

Pray that the beginning of the new year may witness the beginning of a universal revival of of religion. Pray for a great manifestation of the Holy Spirit throughout the world, and that the unsaved everywhere may be turned to Christ.

A LITTLE LESSON IN THE SCHOOL OF PRAYER.

The whole Christian world on its knees! What a spectacle is this that we behold the first week of the new year! The Spirit of the Master who so fervently prayed for the unity of his followers is yet with the church in power, as we may know by this united and Christlike action. It is a glorious and priceless privilege to share in this mighty community of believing prayer for the unsaved world. Who can measure the joy of being a part of this revolutionary power? Not until we stand in the light of the clearer day shall we know of the miracles of grace wrought because of the commingled prayers that have risen to God on the first days of each new new year. But that we may add our prayers—especially we of the Prayer Chain, whose January topic is practically the same as that appointed for all believers during next week—is a boon for which we should not cease to give God thanks. The immensity of the subject, the overpowering importance of the subject sought, the vital consequences of answer to the supplication, should make our prayers this month of wrestling earnestness and of constant duration.

WITH THE LOCAL UNION.

The local union held their annual New Year's meeting on New Year's morning, in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, between nine and ten o'clock. While the attendance was not large the spirit of the meeting was good. All those who were present received a blessing. Mr. Stanley, president of the local union, presided and Mr. G. W. Mulligan officiated at the piano.

ENDEAVOUR DAY.

The local executive will meet sometime next month to arrange for the celebration of Endeavour Day, which falls on February 2nd. Most of the societies of town called off their regular weekly meeting this week on account of this being the week of prayer.

Many of the societies distributed Christmas cheer among the poor of the town, as has been the custom for years past.

Next week we all look forward to better attendance at our meetings, as the holiday rush is over.

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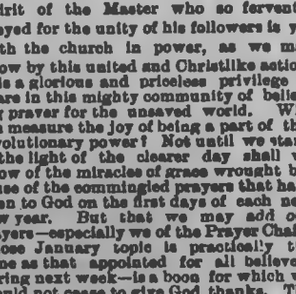

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From Our Own Correspondent.

Did you lose your vote.

Times are looking up in Ashburnham again.

Will Watts will attend the high school in Norwood during the coming term.

Rev. Prof. Badgely, of Toronto, conducted the anniversary services held in the Methodist church on Sunday and Monday last.

The skating rink has been completed and will be opened as soon as possible.

Mr. Henning left for Goderich on Monday.

While driving down the 3rd line a few days ago Mr. E. Bickle's team attempted to run away. They ran about half a mile, when one going each side of a milkstand their career was brought to a sudden close. Securing the services of a local horse trainer Mr. Bickle soon had his outfit in shape again and got home without further mishap.

Owing to the increasing demand for cutters, sleighs, etc., W. J. Doughty has decined to build a wareroom on the lot opposite T. Wilson's shop, having leased the ground from Mr. Wasson. The building will be 30x50, and will be completed in the course of a month or so.

When the rigs were leaving church on Sunday evening the carriages of Messrs. Miles and Rose collided and a broken pole was the result.

Miss Laura Hughes, of Peterborough, was in town on Monday.

The death of Mrs. Mary Ann Crowe occurred on Saturday evening last, after an illness of six weeks, at the age of 78 years. She came to Canada from Cornwall, England, in 1830. Ten children, five boys and five girls, survive her.

PRINCESS DE CHIMAY

Said to Have Had Her Supply of Money Cut Off and to Have Accepted a Music Hall Engagement.

Paris, Jan. 5.—Newspapers here declare that the uncle of the Princess de Caraman de Chimay, who recently eloped with Janos Rigo, a Hungarian Gypsy musician, has stopped her supply of money until her affairs are settled. Her husband, Prince de Caraman de Chimay, has brought an action for divorce at Charleroi, Belgium, and the case promises to be very sensational. The papers add that Rigo and his paramour have accepted an engagement in a music hall in Buda Pest. Rigo, who will play the first violin, will receive a salary of $1000 a month. The Princess will sing and dance, but the salary she will receive is not stated. The pair will prove great attractions in Buda Pest, where much curiosity has been displayed to see them.

DESTRUCTION BY FIRE.

A Barn Burned and Other Property Damaged at Port Colborne.

Port Colborne, Ont., Jan. 5.—A barn, the property of Mr. Samuel Cook, standing in the rear of his residence and adjoining the Roman Catholic Church, was destroyed by fire with all its contents, except one horse, on Sunday afternoon. The stained glass windows of the church were practically ruined, and a building in the rear of Charles Hart's place of business, adjoining, was burned to the ground. The property owned by Jas. Twohey, also close by, suffered considerably. There is no fire department in the village, and but for the work of a volunteer brigade, much of the property contiguous to the burned buildings would have been destroyed. There was no insurance on Cook's property.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Items of Interest Gathered From the Despatches and Boiled Down Into Paragraphs.

Rough weather prevailed yesterday off the Irish coast.

Late reports from Rome state that the Pope is seriously ill.

Both Houses of the Pennsylvania Legislature convened yesterday.

The Mackinaw Railroad has been sold to Senator Calvin S. Bryce for $1,000,000.

William H. Pancoast, M.D., an eminent physician and surgeon of Philadelphia, died yesterday.

Grand Trunk earnings for December showed an increase of $81,604, compared with the same month in 1895.

Edward and John Pettit of Hunter, North Dakota, were caught in the blizzard of Sunday and frozen to death not far from their home.

Railway traffic is impeded in Missouri by the storms. All streams are flooded, and lumber and boat houses have been swept away from St. Louis.

During the year ending with September 191,000,000 fry were hatched and distributed by the fish hatcheries of the United States, at a cost of less than 20 cents per 100.

The Newfoundland Legislature will open on Feb. 11, and it is said a resolution favoring reciprocity with the United States will be introduced as a Government measure.

An application was filed yesterday for a new trial for Thomas W. Bram, who was convicted at Boston of murdering Captain Nash and his wife of the barquentine Herbert Fuller.

Superintendent Annin of the New York State Fish Hatcheries has had men at work catching Labrador whitefish in Canandaigua Lake and taking eggs from them. In one month 13,160,000 eggs were secured from 8827 fish, and 7111 of the fish were returned to the water unharmed.

R. A. Campbell, a Hamilton carpenter, working on the roof of the new Grand Trunk car shops in London, fell 555 feet to the floor yesterday, striking on his face and knees. Two of his teeth were knocked out and he was badly bruised. He struck a beam on the way down, and that saved his life.

Francis J. Kiekkhoffer, late disbursing officer of the State Department at Washington, has been indicted by the grand jury on the charge of embezzling international indemnity funds entrusted to his keeping. Five true bills were returned against him. His total shortage is stated to amount to over $127,000.

Only Reigned Two Days.

Constantinople, Jan. 5.—Bedros Effendi, the Armenian recently appointed sub-Kimakan of Tscharsan, was assassinated two days after his arrival there.

TWEED TOPICS.

Mrs. James Davenport Makes a Statement for the Benefit of Others.

Mrs. Davenport is well-known in Tweed, and this is how she spoke to our representative concerning Doan's Kidney Pills. Said Mrs. Davenport:—

"I have suffered for some years from dizziness puffing under the eyes, pains in the side and back, sleeplessness, poor appetite, and in fact, was in a bad state generally.

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FANCY WAISTS.

Very High Embroidered and Furred Collars.

EMBROIDERY says Le Bon Ton, is lavishly used on evening bodices and quantities of lace. Both black and colored silk or velvet skirts are suitable with the separate waist, but too violent contrasts of color are to be avoided. Marvelously high collars embroidered in jewels and edged with fur and ruffled chiffon are used. The bolero of Russian or duchess lace enhances the richness of this elaborate garment. Besides there are crushed satin girdles, peasant girdles of velvet or beaded or jeweled girdles, which all add a touch of elegance to the bodice.

In neck dressing the variety is enormous, for no matetr how plain the gown, the neck has some kind of fancy finish. The velvet bound ribbon frills sewed on to a band are durable and becoming. Then there are lengths of mull or chiffon with lace edged turrets or Venetian points, plisses of ribbon, mull or silk, and a number of other styles. There are even stock collars made of fur with upstanding pleatings of silk or mousseline.

Collars made of artificial flowers are a fitting finish for an evening gown. Many of them are finished with wide lace.

Collarettes of changeable coq feathers are very stylish to put on either over a waist, jacket or cape. Gray or black ostrich collarettes are softer but not as durable as those of fur.

Bad Blood Between Them.

The ever slaving farmer's wife, her delicate sister in the city, suffer more than they care to tell. The dark rings around the eyes, dizziness, headache, palpitation or rheumatic twidges, betoken a run down system. The blood is poor, and is a bar to the enjoyment of life. Scott's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, strengthens and vitalizes the system, and speedily restores the bloom of health to the cheeks. It cures when all others fail.

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Men's $1.00 Shirts and Drawers.....reduced to 75c
Men's 75c Shirts and Drawers.....reduced to 55c
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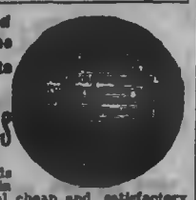

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LATEST CABLE NEWS

Colonial Gentlemen Dined by St. George's Club.

SPEECH BY SIR CHARLES TUPPER

Canadian Loyalty an Impassable Bar to Absorption by the United States—The Pacific Cable Conferees Decide to Recommend That the Cable be Built.

London, Jan. 5.—Sir Charles Tupper, formerly Canadian High Commissioner to Great Britain, and more recently Prime Minister of Canada, which office he resigned on July 8 last; Sir Robert George Wyndham Herbert, who was permanent Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, from 1870 to 1892, and who is now Agent-General for Tasmania, and the Hon. Duncan Gillies, Agent-General for Victoria, were the guests of honor this evening at a banquet given by the St. George's Club of this city. Major-General Sir Owen Burne presided in the absence of Lord Loch, formerly Governor of Cape Colony and Her Majesty's High Commissioner to South Africa. Among those present were Sir Donald Smith, Canadian High Commissioner to Great Britain; A. G. Jones, Sanford Fleming, Major John W. Laurie, M.P., who at one time was a Colonel in the Canadian militia, and Mr. Rufus Pope, a member of the Canadian Parliament.

Gen. Burne, in toasting Sir Charles Tupper, made a lengthy reference to his distinguished career.

In replying to the toast, Sir Charles said that he did not go from London to Canada for the purpose of succeeding Sir Mackenzie Bowell in the Premiership, but that he was summoned by the latter to confer with the government on important public business connected with Canada and the Empire. He had been reluctantly drawn into politics when he thought he had retired from an active political life. The Liberal-Conservative party in Canada had asked him to re-enter the arena.

Referring to the Washington treaty of 1888 respecting the fisheries, which the American Senate refused to ratify, Sir Charles paid a high tribute to the tact and ability of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain. Sir Charles declared that the governing principles of his career had been to preserve British institutions and to promote unity between the different parts of the Empire.

Referring to the situation in Canada Sir Charles said that if the Dominion were isolated it must fall into the lap of the United States. Consolidated, it would remain firmly attached to Great Britain. He greatly admired the United States, but was profoundly convinced that union with Great Britain was the only true security for real liberty to all parties. The United States, he added, desired to absorb Canada. (Cries of "They will never get it.") The Canadian fisheries were the chief attraction for the United States, and the minerals of the Dominion were another. Canada could give the United States the finest harbors in the world, besides bringing that country six hundred miles nearer to Great Britain. He contended that Canada's deep-seated loyalty to Great Britain would always constitute an impassable barrier to absorption.

Sir Charles spoke in praise of Sir Donald Smith, his successor in the Canadian Commissionership, who, he said, was highly esteemed by all the present parties in Canada. His reference to Sir Donald was greeted with cheers.

The St. George's Club, which tendered the banquet, is a social, colonial and cosmopolitan club, and has a membership of about 3000. The clubhouse is at No. 4 Hanover-square.

THE PACIFIC CABLE.

Delegates to the Conference Unanimous in Favor of Its Construction.

London, Jan. 5.—It is stated here today that the Pacific Cable Conference has about completed its labors, nothing now remaining to be done except to sign its report, which will be done at a meeting of the conference a fortnight hence. The proceedings of the conference were secret, but it is stated on good authority that the report will show practical unanimity among the delegates in recommending the construction of a cable, the testimony adduced having shown that the scheme is entirely feasible and that, commercially and politically considered, it is necessary to Great Britain and Australasia and Canada. Some difference of opinion existed as to the relative share of the expense of the construction to be borne by the Mother Country and the colonies, but the matter was adjusted by the delegates agreeing to recommend that instead of carrying out the original proposition regarding the expense, Great Britain should pay a less sum than was first allotted as her share, the colonies making up the difference. Drafts of the report signed by the Canadian and Australian delegates will soon be sent to their respective governments for their approval.

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LADY SCOTT TRIAL.

Mr. Santiano of Harvard Was With Earl Russell and Saw Nothing Wrong.

London, Jan. 4.—The trial of the action brought by Earl Russell against his mother-in-law, Lady Scott, and others, for criminal libel, was resumed in the Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey, this morning.

George Santiano, an instructor in Harvard University, was called to the witness stand and testified that he had met Earl Russell in the United States in 1888, and had visited His Lordship at Winchester in 1887. Witness said he had gone on a cruise with Earl Russell on board the latter's yacht, and had never on that occasion seen any improper act on board the vessel, nor had he ever heard of any complaint on the part of any member of the crew of the yacht that any act of impropriety had occurred.

With the testimony taken to-day, the case for the prosecution was closed and the court adjourned until to-morrow.

BREACH OF PROMISE.

The Action at Edinburgh Against Mr. James M. W. White, Ex-M.P.

Edinburgh, Jan. 5.—The action for breach of promise of marriage, brought against Mr. James M. W. White, formerly member of Parliament for Forfarshire, and a member of the mercantile house of J. F. White & Company of New York, by Miss Grant, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Grant, pastor of St. John's Church, Dundee, was called in the Edinburgh sessions to-day, and adjourned for a month, counsel for Miss Grant informing the court that he was not ready to go on with the case.

WILL GIVE HIM A LOVING CUP.

Mr. Bayard to be Honored by Americans in London—Talk of Queen's Abdication.

London, Jan. 5.—The United Associated Presses' representative in London is informed that the members of the American colony in London have subscribed for a present to the Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, the United States Ambassador to the Court of St. James, consisting of a loving cup, upon which will be displayed a bust or medallion of Mr. Bayard. The design of the cup will be the work of a noted American artist.

The Westminster Gazette this afternoon gives prominence to a report that Queen Victoria has decided to commemorate the longest reign in English history by abdicating in favor of the Prince of Wales.

The Pall Mall Gazette this afternoon referring to the report that Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian Premier, had declined knighthood, says it was offered him for the New Year, and his answer left it so that he can accept the honor at a future date.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Lord Dufferin Accepts Presidency of a Movement for a Cabot Celebration.

London, Jan. 5.—The Marquis of Dufferin has accepted the presidency of a movement, which has been started in Bristol to celebrate the 400th anniversary of the discovery of Newfoundland by John Cabot on June 24, 1497.

Quebec Loan Said to Have Failed.

London, Jan. 5.—All information is refused as to the result of the issue to-day of the city of Quebec conversion loan, invited in the middle of December for £654,480 ($3,272,400), 3 1-2 per cent. registered stock at 96, for the purpose of redeeming and converting outstanding issues of the city of Quebec debentures, bearing interest from 4 1-2 to 6 per cent. It is generally stated in the city, however, that the loan was a failure, owing to the close price asked. It is stated that the loan may possibly work off during the next four months.

Lord Beresford Was Feverish.

London, Jan. 5.—Lord William Beresford, husband of the former Duchess of Marlborough, who was injured by the falling of his horse while riding to hounds a few days ago, is not progressing as favorably towards recovery as could be desired, though he does not appear to have grown weaker. He passed a very restless night and was somewhat feverish this morning.

He is Very Reticent.

London, Jan. 5.—Solicitor Russell, son of Lord Russell of Killowen, Lord Chief Justice of England, and counsel for Edward J. Ivory, alias Edward Bell, the alleged Irish-American dynamiter, is extremely reticent in regard to the line of defence to be pursued in behalf of his client at his coming trial, but emphatically denies the statement that he has advised Ivory to plead guilty.

Bubonic Plague Raging.

Bombay, Jan. 5.—The bubonic plague is raging with much violence at Kurrachee in Sinde, one of the chief seaports of India. The panic caused here by the spread of the disease is increasing daily. The natives continue to flee from the city and all kinds of labor is becoming very scarce.

Mr. Chaplin Badly Hurt.

London, Jan. 5.—Right Hon. Henry Chaplin, M.P., formerly President of the Board of Agriculture, and later President of the Local Government Board, was seriously hurt by being thrown from his horse while fox hunting to-day. Mr. Chaplin is the guest of the Duke of Sutherland at Trentham Hall, Staffordshire. Among the Duke's other guests are the Prince and Princess of Wales.

British Consul at New York.

London, Jan. 5.—The appointment of Mr. Andrew Percy Bennett as British Consul at New York was officially gazetted this evening.

Dr. Shields, an eminent physician of Tennessee, says: "I regard Ayer's Sarsaparilla as the best blood-medicine on earth, and I know of many wonderful cures effected by its use." Physicians all over the land have made similar statements

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"Was under doctors' treatment and have been compelled to resort to instrumental relief many times.

"I have taken eighteen boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and am satisfied with results, being perfectly relieved of all suffering."

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—There is a fair enquiry and prices were steady. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.15, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market is quiet and firm, with limited offerings. Red and white wheat are held at 84c to 85c, respectively, with buyers at 83c. No. 1 hard sold at 97c, Toronto freight, and at 81c, Fort William.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is firm. No. 1 is held at 35c, No. 2 sold at 30c, No. 3 extra at 27c, and feed at 23c.

Oats—The market is unchanged. White sold at 21c on the Midland, at 19½c west. Mixed nominal, at 18½c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices firm, with sales of 5 cars at 42c north and west, and at 43c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 22½c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 25c to 26c outside.

Rye—The market is firm, with sales outside at 36c.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The offerings to-day were about 70 car loads. The demand for cattle was fair, and prices are unchanged. The best exporters bring 3½c to 4c per lb. Bulls for export 3c to 3½c per lb. Butchers' cattle unchanged, with offerings generally of inferior quality; the best sold at 3c to 3½c medium at 2½c; and inferior stock at 2c per lb. Milch cows sell at $25 to $35 each, and calves at $4 to $10 each.

Sheep and lambs in moderate supply and prices steady. Choice sheep sold at 3c per lb. and bucks at 2½c and 2¾c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3½c to 4c per lb.

Hogs continue firm. The best sold at 4c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c to 3½c, lightweights at 3¾c, sows at 2¾c to 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 5.—Spring wheat, 7s ¼d to 7s 2½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2½d to 7s 3½d; corn, 2s 10½d; peas, 4s 6d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 29s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 6d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Wheat off coast, nothing doing; on passage dull. English country markets firm. Maize on passage quiet.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; futures steady at 6s 11½d for Jan.; 7s for Feb., and 7s 0¼d for May. Maize quiet at 2s 10d for Feb.; 2s 10¼d for March, and 2s 10¾d for May.

Paris—Wheat 22f 25c for Feb., and flour 47f 40c for Feb.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat easy at 6s 10½d for Jan., 6s 11¼d for Feb., 7s 0¼d for March and 7s 0½d for May. Maize 2s 10½d for Feb. and March, and 2s 10¾d for April and May. Flour 24s 9d.

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Mr. Statia, the editor of the Streetsville, Ont., Review, gives this unsolicited testimonial under date of Nov. 6, 1895: "Half a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured my daughter of eczema. That was six months ago, and there has since been no reappearance of the disease."

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1897.

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Merit Recognized.

Mr. J. D. Danny, who was a teacher in the South Central school and previously of Mount Pleasant, while at the latter place contributed specimens of school work to the Ontario educational exhibit made at the World's Exposition, Chicago. The secretary of the Mount Pleasant school board received recently the special diploma, commemorative of the assistance of the school in contributing to the success of the Ontario educational exhibit. This diploma is a practical tribute to the cleverness of the pupils and the valuable nature of the instruction imparted by Mr. Danny.

M. L. Henry & Co. to Their Customers.

The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to use our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their accounts without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

THE FINAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND ESTIMATES PRESENTED.

Clearing up the Slate for 1896—Reports Presented and Accounts Passed—Communications Received.

The last meeting of the Board of Education of 1896 was held last night with the following members present: Dr. Burnham, chairman, and Messrs. Ferguson, McBain, Stevenson, Hamilton, Fair, Caldwell, McKee, Bamford, Hill and Hayes.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and referred as follows:

From Miss M. Mark, applying for an increase of salary.—Received.

From the Smead-Dowd Co., asking for remittance of balance of account on the South Central School.—Ordered to be paid.

From the Boiler Inspection Co., reporting the Central School boiler in satisfactory condition—Received.

ACCOUNTS

were received as follows and referred to the Finance Committee:

Ed Sutton	$ 6 05
Times	27 50
Salisbury Bros	25 60
H S Macdonald	25 85
W Stocker	1 00
EXAMINER	6 20
Geo Dainty	1 25
A H Stratton & Co	2 50
" "	83 23
Jos Yelland	40
Adam Hall	7 85
Adam Hall	38 74
Alf Kingscote	50

On motion of Messrs. Hamilton and McBain, the accounts of Mr. Sutton and the Times Printing Co. were ordered to be paid.

THE ACCOUNTS PAID

during the month were as follows:

Miss Ethel Dawson	$ 53 15
T Williams	5 50
Geo Tighe	2 85
C Fessenden	90 00
C Fessenden	10 00
Miss Pratt	55 00

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE

BARNARDO AVENUE SCHOOL.

	On Roll.	Avg. At.
Part I	54	46
Part II	35	32
2nd Book	49	47
3rd Book	49	45
	187	170

SOUTH CENTRAL SCHOOL.

No. on roll	418
Average attendance	380
Kindergarten Department—	
On Roll	64
Average attendance	53

GEORGE STREET SCHOOL.

	On Roll.	Avg. At.
M A Mark	48	37
D J Hall	41	30
A Ames	36	33

MONIES RECEIVED.

Town Treasurer	$ 25 00
Fees, Collegiate Institute	508 80
Public Schools	1 50
Kindergarten	22 70
E Pearse	45 00

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE,

through its chairman, Mr. Ferguson, recommended the payment of the following accounts:

A H Stratton & Co	$43 63
J P Hurley	25 05
K Mark	13
Smead-Dowd Co	1 25

Adopted.

THE SUPERVISION COMMITTEE,

through its chairman, Dr. Caldwell, reported:

That the boundaries for the Sr. III and Jr. IV classes be as follows:—Beginning at the west of the town on McDonnel street, east to Rubidge street; south on Rubidge street to Dalhousie street; east on Dalhousie to the river.

That the changes in limit table proposed by the principals at the last meeting of the Board have mostly been acceded to by the Inspector and committee.

That of the classes placed in the George street school, all the primary classes in first and second books, the third class being divided between the Central and South Central Schools.

That the Inspector proposes to keep a diary in which a summary of his work each day will be recorded and to give a duplicate slip to each teacher at his official visits, so that no misunderstanding may arise in the future regarding the nature of report from Inspector to teacher.

We recommend that these proposals be adopted.

Adopted.

Mr. Ferguson then read the following statement:

General Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of the Peterborough Board of Educa for the Year Ending December 31st, 1896:

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Ontario Bank Dec 31st, 1896	$ 1,123 79
Municipal Assessment	7,000 00
Collegiate Institute rate	7,000 00
Public school rate	16,500 00
Collegiate Institute Government grant	1,296 38
Public School Government grant	1,671 00
Kindergarten, Government grant	66 75
Fees, Collegiate Institute	2,742 00
Fees, Public School	13 80
Fees, Kindergarten	186 29
Fees, Entrance and Teachers' Examinations	370 00
Interest on Nicholls scholarship	90 00
Balance	572 66
Total	$31,034 26

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries, teachers and officers Collegiate Institute	$ 8,577 60
Salaries, teachers and officers of Public schools	14,731 21
Printing and stationery	1,073 69
Wood account	1,284 40
Expense account	922 74
Repairs and furniture	1,895 91
Insurance	167 00
Rent and taxes of the Menzies property	143 91
Nicholls scholarship prizes	90 00
South Ward school building account	2,217 21
Total	$31,034 26

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the Collegiate Institute for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1896:

RECEIPTS.

Bal. in bank Dec. 31, 1895	$ 113 13
Municipal assessment	7,000 00
Government grant	1,296 38
Fees from pupils	2,742 00
Fees, Entrance and teachers' examinations	370 00
Interest Nicholls scholarship	90 00
	$11,613 50

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries, teachers and officers	$ 8,577 60
Proportion printing and stationery	200 00
Proportion wood account	231 13
Proportion expense account	780 14
Rent to Public schools	1,100 00
Nicholls scholarship prizes	90 00
Proportion repairs and furniture for for gymnasium	100 00
Balance in Ontario Bank	374 74
	$11,613 50

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the Public Schools for the year ending Dec. 31, 1896:

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Bank, Dec. 31, 1895	$ 1,810 53
Municipal Assessment	16,500 00
Government grant	1,157 75
Fees from pupils	192 75
Rent from Collegiate Institute	1,100 00
Balance	927 83
	$20,895 80

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries, teachers and officers	$14,731 21
Proportion printing and stationery	772 69
Proportion wood account	923 27
Proportion expense account	173 60
Repairs and furniture	1,723 91
Insurance account	167 00
Rent and taxes Menzie property	143 91
South Ward School building account	2,217 21
	$21,895 80

Balance Sheet of the Board of Education, Dec. 31st, 1896.

	DR.	CR.
Coll Inst account		$374 74
Public School account	$ 927 83	
Ontario Bank		$573 66
Central School Property account	65,611 32	
South Ward Property account	21,327 71	
West Ward Property account	3,613 67	
North Ward Property account	9,291 95	
Real Estate		99,574 25
	$99,461 67	$99,461 67

To the Chairman and Members of the Board of Education:

GENTLEMEN,—In submitting the statement of receipts and expenditures for the past year you will notice that we have a surplus in the Collegiate Institute accounts of $375, the fees being $2,742, about $100 more than any time in the history of the school, and being more than double the amount collected in the year 1890, the amount for that year being $1,345.10. Our demand on the town for the last two years was $7,000 and this year we expect to reduce this amount by $200.

In the Public school account there is a deficit of $927.83, caused mainly by employment of four extra teachers and the renting and fixing up of the Menzie property on George street for school purposes.

I would also draw your attention to the fact that the addition to the South Ward School cost about $1300 over and above the amount of the debenture sold for that purpose, and which amount has been paid out of the current year account. There is also a small increase in the printing and stationery account.

We have now 22 teachers on Public School staff and for the month of November last the number of pupils enrolled was 1498, an average of 47 pupils to each room, so even with the addition of four extra rooms the average in each room has only been reduced about six.

All of which is respectfully submitted,
W. G. FERGUSON,
Chairman.

Estimates for 1897.

Estimate of Receipts and Expenditure of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute for the Year ending Dec. 31, 1897:

EXPENDITURE.

Salary of teachers	$ 8,200 00
Proportion of Secretary-Treasurer's salary	200 00
Janitor's salary	300 00
Proportion of fuel	300 00
Proportion of Printing and Stationery	300 00
Rents to Public schools	1,100 00
Maps, Chemicals, etc	200 00
Incidental expenses	250 00
	$10,850 00

REVENUE.

Balance from 1896	$ 375 50
Government Grant	1,300 00
Fees from pupils	2,475 00
Amount required from Town Treasurer	6,800 00
	$10,950 00

Estimate of Revenue and Expenditure of the Peterborough Public Schools for the year ending Dec. 31, 1897:

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries of teachers	$13,400 00
" officers	1,300 00
" janitors	1,100 00
Proportion of fuel	900 00
Proportion of printing and stationery	700 00
Repairs and furniture	1,300 00
Insurance	150 00
Rent of Menzies school	400 00
Bal. due Ontario Bank, Dec. 31, 1896	950 00
Incidental expenses	200 00
	$20,400 00

REVENUE.

Government grant	$ 1,100 00
Rent for Collegiate Institute	1,100 00
Fees from pupils	200 00
Amount required from Town Treasurer	18,000 00
	$20,400 00

RECAPITULATION.

For Collegiate Institute	$ 6,800 00
For Public Schools	18,000 00
	$24,800 00

SOME RESOLUTIONS.

On motion it was resolved "That pursuant to 57 vic., cap. 50, sec. 5, the municipal council of the town of Peterborough be and they are hereby required to pay to the Treasurer of the Board of Education in monthly instalments the money to be raised for the current expenditure of the Public and High Schools of the town of Peterborough and be paid on the 15th day of each month as follows:—January, $3,000; February, $3,000; March, $3,000; April, $3,000; May, $2,500; June, $2,500; July, $2,000; August, $500; September, $500; October, $1,900; November, $1900; December, $2,000—$24,800.

Moved by Trustees Hamilton and Fair, that the secretary be instructed to apply to the town council to have the property leased by the Board of Education from Mr. Sheppard exempted from taxes owing to occupancy of the same for Public School purposes.—Carried.

Trustees Hill and Bamford moved that one month and twelve days salary be paid Miss Aldridge—twelve days of which she is entitled for services performed during the past session, and she is also entitled to the one month's salary by law, while absent through sickness.—Carried.

Mr. James Stevenson drew the attention of the board to the fact that some of the parents had complained to him about their children being pushed too hard at the schools. He asked that the inspector be instructed to look into the matter. This was more particularly the case in regard to the primary classes.

Dr. Caldwell had also heard complaints.

Inspector Walker stated that, although he was an advocate of home work, the first consideration should be the health of the pupil. Home work was an excellent means of training a pupil. No scholar was too young for home work, but care should, of course, be taken to avoid the imposition of it.

Trustee Hamilton was in accord with the inspector in his views.

The Board then adjourned.

OBITUARY.

Interment of the Late Mrs. Donald McIntyre at Elmvale.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Donald McIntyre took place on New Year's Day from the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Drysdale, of Elmvale, where she had been visiting. On December 26th, 1896, Mrs. McIntyre took a stroke of paralisis, from which she never recovered consciousness. She lingered till the 31st, when she passed peacefully away, in her sixty-second year. Her maiden name was Ann West. She was a resident of Keene nearly all her life and was highly respected by all who knew her. She leaves behind her two sons and two daughters. Mrs. A. Weir, Keene, Mrs. Drysdale, Malcolm and A. A. McIntyre, of town, who have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Best place in town for vellings at Turnbull's.

—Have you tried "Gold Cure" for Asthma. If not call on J. D. Tully and get a sample. 622-1w

—The river drivers are at work in the river between the Hunter street bridge and the dam, recovering about a dozen boom timbers that broke loose and came down from above the Dickson dam. Rather cold for working waist deep in the water.

—Mr. H. Calcutt sent down 150 presents for distribution at the annual Xmas tree entertainment at Hiawatha Methodist church last night. The church was crowded. The Commodore's generosity is still up to "High-water" mark, although the elections are over.

—Stock-taking this month at Turnbull's. All remnants being measured and marked at big reductions.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

A JANUARY WEDDING.

Nuptials of Miss May Heubeck and Mr. Geo. W. Pearse.

Rev. J. G. Potter, pastor of St. Andrew's church, officiated at an interesting ceremony yesterday afternoon, at half past two o'clock, at the residence of Mr. Frederick Heubeck, No. 536 Bethune street, when he united his only daughter, Miss May Heubeck, to Mr. Geo. W. Pearse, formerly of Lindsay, but now a resident of Chicago.

The bride looked most charming in a chic travelling gown of dark green with garniture of velvet and sequins. She carried a handsome bouquet of cream Marechal Neil roses, and was assisted by Misses Emma Sherlock and Bessie Hepwood, both of Lindsay, who were most prettily attired, in costumes of blue and black and heliotrope and black, respectively.

The groom was supported by Mr. David Spence, cousin of the bride.

Only the relatives and most intimate friends of the bride were present at the ceremony. The drawing room, which was the scene of the wedding, looked most attractive, being most tastefully arranged for the occasion with trailing vines of smilax caught up with ribbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearse will spend the next few days in Lindsay, after which they will leave for Battle Creek to stay for a time there before finally taking up their residence in Chicago.

Miss Heubeck has been an active member of St. Andrew's Sunday school and societies, as well as of the choir since girlhood, and her presence will be greatly missed by her associates in church work, who evidenced their esteem for her by overwhelming her with gifts on the day of her wedding.

—50 inch Dress Tweeds on 15c. a yard at Turnbull's.

Grafton's Big Clearing Sale now going in full blast. See the bargains.

Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

Holiday Photographs.

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To the Electors of No. 3 Ward:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—Your kindness in giving me such hearty support on election day places me under a debt gratitude and I desire to heartily thank each and everyone for the interest taken in my election. The large vote received shows that I had the support of all classes and I will do my utmost to advance their interests and trust at the close of the year you will have no reason to regret giving me your votes and influence. Wishing all who voted for or against me, a prosperous year.

I am, yours sincerely
J. B. McWILLIAMS.

Jan. 5th, 1897.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1897.

THE SENATE STILL LIVES.

AN ABLE DEBATE ON THE QUESTION LAST NIGHT.

Messrs Keogh and LePlante Argue Against Messrs. Thompson and Kenny, of Toronto—Many Strong Points Brought out During the Argument.

The rooms of the Catholic Literary Association were crowded to the doors last evening, it being the occasion of the much anticipated deabte on, "Resolved that the Canadian Senate should be abolished."

The affirmative was upheld by Messrs. Keogh and LePlante, of town, whilst the negative was taken by Messrs. Thompson and Kenny, of the Toronto Catholic Literary Union. Particular interest was centered in the debate through the fact that Mr. Thompson is a son of the late Sir John Thompson, Premier of the Dominion of Canada at the time of his lamentable death.

Mr. Keogh opened the debate for the affirmative. He objected to the existence of the Senate on

THE FOLLOWING GROUNDS:

It did not fulfil the ends for which it was created.
It was unnecessary.
It was a needless expense.
It was cumbersome.
It favoured special legislation.
It was a danger to our country.

It was created, Mr. Keogh held, for the purpose of giving equal representation, but this plan had not been carried out. The proportionate number had been changed since Confederation. Ontario and Quebec had now by far the greatest representation.

On the ground of expense, he estimated that the cost of keeping up the Senate figured up to an amount, which was equal to the interest yearly on $5,000,000. It was not, he contended, a good investment.

The predominant party in the House were accustomed to appoint friends to the Senate, and therefore their presence there was no check on the actions of the lower House. Again, Senators being usually men of considerable wealth, they were apt to legislate in their own favour, to the detriment of the poorer classes, exhibiting a tendency to plutocracy.

Mr. Keogh was followed by Mr. Thompson. He contended that the onus was on the affirmative and thought that the Senate was necessary, as the controlling and advising power over the lower chamber. Quite frequently a bill might be passed in the Lower Chamber by

A NARROW MAJORITY,

which would be against the will of the people. By their cool deliberation the Senators could advise a reconsideration of the matter and thus the evil results of too hasty legislation would be avoided.

In her Upper House Canada has what every other civilized nation on earth possesses—two chambers. To have the needed beneficial influence the members should be appointed and not elected to office, as in the former case their conclusions would be reached without bias.

Mr. LePlante followed Mr. Thompson, speaking for the affirmative. He criticized the remarks of the previous speaker as being theoretical and not practically applicable to the facts of the case.

The statement, he held, that other nations possessed two chambers could not be applied to Canada with the same force, her population being as yet very small. He further asserted that all constitutional writers of the present day approved of the abolition of the Senate; that the Senate was not utilised for the purpose created, but rather was only continued for the purpose of giving seats to defeated members and he thought, if possible, this unfortunate state of affairs should be done away with as speedily as possible. If Ontario and other provinces succeeded without a second chamber it was a good and sufficient reason for the Dominion being also able to transmit its business without one.

Mr. Kenny then followed for the negative. He refuted the statement that there were only inferior men in the Senate. It would be unwise for any party to make unpopular appointments. The expense was no doubt great, but justifiable

UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES.

He cited the instance of Canada having framed its constitution on that of England—the most successful country in the world, and held that Canada could not do better than follow in the footsteps of the country from which she derived her existence. The comparison between the provinces of Ontario and the Dominion in reference to the matter, he thought, could not apply, as only local questions came before a provincial house, whereas such mighty matters had to be counselled by the Dominion Parliament that the adjudication of an Upper House was an absolute necessity.

It would be impossible to abolish the Senate without a revolution, as its formation was embodied in the constitution, and in order to do away with the Senate would have to vote itself out of existence, which it was hardly possible would occur.

Mr. Keogh then summed up the arguments of the previous speakers, and refuted Mr. Kenny's statement that a revolution would have to take place before the Senate could be abolished. The power, he held, which created that body could also abolish it.

Mr. D O'Connell, who occupied the chair during the evening, reviewed all the arguments used, picking out the strong points in an able manner. As the result of his criticism he pronounced himself in favour of the negative side of the question.

During the evening the following varied programme was rendered:—

Piano solo.....Miss K Hurley
Vocal solo.....Mrs Geo Ball
Fancy drill....Pupils of the Convent under the [supervision of Miss M Dougherty
Vocal Solo.....Miss K Simons
Quartette..Messrs Brown, Miller, Skitch and [Edgcumbe
Violin solo.....Miss Bell
Vocal solo.....Miss M Dunn
Instrumental duet..Misses McCabe and Butler

LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD.

Great Success of the "First Night" of Miss McCollum's new Setting of This Nursery Legend—A Crush House and Excellent Performance.

A Queen's "drawing room" is the only thing comparable, in the way of crush, to the attendance at St. John's school house last night to witness the presentation of the comedietta or rather operetta—for it was largely musical—of "Little Red Riding Hood" cleverely dramatized, by Miss Alma Frances McCollum. At an early hour every inch of standing space in the school house was occupied and for an hour after, the omnibus shibboleth—"always room for one more," added to the crush. And the interest of the occasion justified the large attendance for the little play was capitally put on and the several performers—stars as well as asteroids—cleverely filled their respective roles. Mr. Max Dennistoun acted as impressario and furnished the necessary explanatory eloquence. The performance was preluded by a spirited Christmas carol, sung in excellent manner by the members of St. John's Mission Band, under whose auspices this Twelfth Night performance was presented.

The following is the cast of characters of the little play:

Little Red Riding Hood.....Alice Firth
Red Riding Hood's Mother.....Eileen Rogers
Grandmother.....Dollie Comstock
Foresters: Hugh, Percy Clark; Dick, Jack Fessenden
Wolf.....Fred Sawers
Fairies: Violet, Geraldine Billington; Daisy, Lillian Dean
Brownie.....Alan Campbell

The stage setting was very good considering the limited capabilities of the platform of the school house room, and was true to what was required. The forest scene was especially effective. The first first scene represented Red Riding Hood's humble home; the second, the forest; the third, "granny's" cottage, and the acts corresponded to the three scenes.

The performance was an immense success from the rise of the curtain to the last—the dread denouement,—when the wolf reaped the reward of wickenness and was overthrown, and virtue was triumphant. Miss Alice Firth, in the title role, "Little Red Riding Hood," performed her part in a very capable manner, and is entitled to much praise. Her presentation of the part indicated considerable matured histrionic ability, quite free from the amateur gaucherie that characterizes new performers. Miss Eileen Rogers, as the mother, acted her part well, and in a very housewifely way. Master Fred Sawers, as the wolf, was well "got up," and exhibited a very appropriate lupine and blood curdling ferocity; Dollie Comstock was a fine "granny," Percy Clark and Jack Fessenden made two stalwart foresters; Lillian Dean and Violet Billington were fairy-like fairies, and Master Alan Campbell did the brownie "up brown." The Fairy and brownie scene was one of the prettiest of the play.

Altogether the performance was a most creditable and enjoyable one. Miss McCollum was most happy in her dramatization of the nursery legend. Not only was it quite above mediocrity in a literary sense, but its adaptation to stage presentation was excellent. The audience present are indebted to her for a decided treat, and the school house extension fund for a handsome addition to the treasury, as well as a stimulation of new interest. Mr. Dennistoun only voiced the feelings of all present when he most cordially thanked her and those who had acted with her.

Quite en regle, the chief performance was followed by a one-act farce, "The Tables Turned," in which the parts were taken, and taken in a capital manner, by the following artists:—

Molly.....Hazel Dean
Jack.....Roy Stone
Punch.....Warren Dean
Judy.....Addie Armstrong
Mr. Prat kins.....Mr F Lount

The excellent evening's entertainment was concluded by the singing of another carol by the girls of the Mission Band.

The excellent singing of the carols, as well as the unusually creditable manner in which the several performers did their work, is due to the indefatigable and effective training given by Miss McCollum, who has not spared any pains to arrive at the extremely satisfactory result, which must be a gratifying reward for the exertions she has made.

She was greatly assisted by Mrs. H. S. Greenwood, who as maitresse des robes, was of the greatest assistance, and by Mrs. Finnemore, who supplied the accompaniments to the carols, as well as other valuable assistance. Mrs. G. A. Smith performed the duties of the orchestra, and the lively music she furnished was greatly appreciated.

A special vote of thanks is due the performers; and all, who assisted in anyway in contributing to the marked financial and histrionic success of Little Red Riding Hood, are gratefully remembered.

So great was the success of the first night that the performance will be repeated next Thursday night in the school house at 7.30 o'clock, when the Sunday school children will be admitted free, and parents and others asked for a small per capita contribution.

HOME OF THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Apartments Selected at Inverlea—The Next Meeting of the Society.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Richard Hall, in company with Col. H. C. Rogers and Mr. Hampden Burnham, representing the Historical Society, visited Inverlea House in the Nicholls Park and selected the rooms on the immediate right and left of the main entrance for the Society's permanent habitation. These apartments, in which the museum and general meeting rooms will be established, are the best of the kind in the Province without a doubt. The fine lofty rooms of the old Judge Dennistoun residence are most suitable in every way.

The museum will be on exhibition before long for the benefit of those who take an interest in such things. The Society is anxious to be of general benefit, and it is certainly a good thing that custodians have been found to take care of the many relics of former days in the County of Peterborough, which would inevitably be lost if not taken in hand. The Society will hold its first general meeting in the County Council Chamber next Saturday evening. The furniture to be used will be, as far as possible, of some historical interest, and will help to give a historical air to the general surroundings. Mr. Hall is anxious that the public should receive the full benefit of the munificent bequest of the late Mrs. Nicholls, and the Historical Society will assist him in so far as it can in carrying out the intention.

THE WEEK OF PRAYER.

Meetings held in the Mark Street and Charlotte Street Methodist Churches Last Night.

Very interesting services were held in the Mark street church, Ashburnham, and the Charlotte street church, last night. In the Charlotte street church there was a large attendance and a deeply impressive service. Many of the laymen and women took part in prayer. The subject was "the Home," which was presented in an address by the Rev. J. G. Potter. Among those present on the platform were Rev. Messrs. J. J. Rae, A. T. Dykeman, Wm. Grant, E. C. Cragg, W. M. Roger and Jas. G. Potter.

In Ashburnham a very appreciative and helpful address on "The Home" was given by Rev. Dr. Torrance. Rev. W. R. Young presided.

There ought to be a large and rousing meeting to-night in the George street Methodist church. Being the regular night for weekly prayer meeting, there will be a union of forces. The Rev. W. H. Young will lead the meeting, and the Rev. J. J. Rae will give an address on "Charitable Institutions."

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 6,—6.30 a.m.....17° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	30°	25° above

PERSONAL.

Miss Mary Grant is visiting friends in Toronto for a few days.

Mr. W. R. Kelly, of Belleville, is the guest of Mrs. Hubbs, Brock street.

Mr. Andrew Scott, of Ashburnham, returned to his studies at the Dental College, Toronto, to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Farrell, of Deseronto, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Britton, Harvey street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Levvy are home from New York on a visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Walton, Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Clemence, of 52 Bonaccord street, town, have returned from spending their Christmas holidays with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. J. J. Turner has returned from Toronto, where she was called by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Price, who is much improved in health.

Mr. Willie Strain, who has been very ill for the past several weeks, is now so low that his physicians despair of being able to save his life. Mr. Strain's many friends in town will regret to learn of these unfortunate facts. He has been with Mr. J. B. Oke for the past several years.

Tore His Flesh in Agony

"I was troubled with blind itching piles for twenty years; was unable to work and tore my flesh in agony. United States and Canadian doctors failed to relieve. Chase's Ointment was a God-send. I am a better man than in twenty years, and am able to work every day." Philip Wallace, blacksmith, Iroquois, Ont. Chase's Ointment cures, piles, eczema, and irritant diseases. All druggists, 60c. per box.

—New Boucle Effects Dress Goods at 35 cents, at Turnbull's.

SPECIAL—Men's Scotch Knit Shirts and Drawers, worth 65c, this week 35c, at Grafton & Co.

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THE FIRE BRIGADE'S ANNUAL MEETING.

THE OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

Statement of Fires Attended During 1896—The Boys had to Turn out Just 31 Times During the Year—Their Efficient Work Has Saved the Town Many Thousands of Dollars.

The annual meeting of Peterborough's crack Fire Brigade took place last evening with a large attendance of members.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Captain.....J Craig
1st Lieut.....J Hayes
2nd Lieut.....W Turner
Secretary.....J H Yelland
Treasurer.....C Rutherford
Janitor.....C Montgomery

The Treasurer's report shows a balance on hand of $39.45.

Appended will be found a statement of the various fires attended during the year by the Brigade:

January 1—E. Welsh's store, Hunter street, floor burnt.
January 17—Mrs. Foy's, No. 1 Ward, Brigade's services not required.
January 22—Mr. Webley, No. 3 Ward, Brigade's services not required.
March 21—Mr. Smith's greenhouse, Paterson street, Brigade's services not required.
March 25—On Elm street, services not required.
April 6—Mr. Donovan's residence, Charlotte street, Brigade's services not required.
April 8—Mr. McKee's residence, Water street, chimney.
April 26—Mr. W. Aldridge's residence, Weller street.
May 11—Mr. Gilchrist's residence, Murray street, services not required.
May 14—Meldrum & McAllister's mill, No. 4 Ward.
May 18—False alarm from No. 1 box.
May 23—Ruins of Meldrum & McAllister's mill.
May 24—False alarm for Dickson Coy's yards.
May 30—Fire at W. B. Kelly's mill, Bridgenorth.
June 3—Miss Rudkin's store; services not required.
June 13—Test alarm in No. 4 ward.
June 20—Mr. Carnegie's residence in Smith.
July 2—Grass on Charlotte street.
July 3—Matthews barns, Ashburnham.
July 23—Canadian General Electric Works.
August 8—Behind the Charlotte rink, services not required.
August 23—Col. Gibson's residence, Park street.
Sept. 15—R. Hall's store; services not required.
September 27—G Schneider's stables, London street.
September 30—Wesley's store, George street.
October 4th—Mr. J. Haggart's residence, Brock street.
October 21—Mrs. P. Kenny's residence, Charlotte street.
October 25—Dickson Coy's big fire.
November 21—Lockington's residence.
December 15—Underwriters' test.
December 27—False alarm.

It will be seen that in all there were 31 fires, to which the brigade turned out. On no occasion could fault be found with the manner in which the boys fell to work and without doubt their zeal has saved the citizens many thousands of dollars. The alacrity with which Peterborough's fire laddies, under their able staff of officers, answer every call upon them, speaks well for the administration of that department. If all the civic servants discharged their duties as faithfully and efficiently as the members of the Fire Brigade, their would be no cause for complaint.

RECEIVED WITH THANKS.

The Committee of Management of the Peterborough Protestant Home gratefully acknowledge the following donations for the month of December: Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, candles and apples; Mr. R. Fife, two baskets of apples; Mr. A. Sime, currant loaf; Mrs. Paton, aprons for women; Mrs. Brown, patch work quilt; Mr. Jas. Best, basket of apples; Mrs. Petrie, goose and two bags potatoes; Mrs. Dr. Burnham, turkey; Mrs. Walsh, plum pudding; Mrs. Jas. Dixon, two bags apples; Mrs. J. G. Hall, candles; Miss Moore, turkey; Mr. Mervin, goose; Miss Nicholls, goose; Miss Rogar, goose, preserves; Rev. V. Clementi, turkey; Mrs. E. B. Edwards, bag of apples; Mrs. Vernon, goose; Mrs. Innes, currant loaf; Mrs. McAllister, cake and jelly; Mr. W. H. Hamilton, turkey, nuts, candies and oranges; Mr. E. F. Mason, grapes, 50 lbs. rolled oats; Mr. J. Crane, oranges; Mr. Jas. Ferguson (Emily), apples; Mrs. T. Bradburn, oranges; a friend, bag of apples; Mrs. T. Lush, currant loaf; Mr. Jas. Edgcumbe, barrel of apples; Mr. Wattam, reading matter.

Five Pointers for those Interested—

No. 1—The best scribbler for the least money at Stratton's Bookstore.
No. 2—The best paper, and more of it, in the exercise books at Stratton's Bookstore.
No. 3—The best scholar's companion for 5 cents at Stratton's Bookstore.
No. 4—The biggest slate for 5 cents, at Stratton's Bookstore.
No. 5—The best value in town in school supplies of all kinds, at the Peterborough Bookstore.

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Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for.. $3.00

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No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society, will be held pursuant to statute, in the Council Chamber, on

Wednesday, Jan. 13th, 1897,

at 7.30 oclock, p.m., for the election of officers and the transaction of other business.

A. H. COBB, Secretary. GEO. BURNHAM, M.D., President.
Peterborough, Jan. 5th, 1897. 2d3

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TABLE SUPPLY HOUSE.

CHOICE PORK SAUSAGES, 8 lb. for 25c,

Made from selected young Pork, nicely seasoned and very palatable.

Fresh Ribs, Fresh Hocks and Tenderlions, Fresh Oysters, Selects and Standards,

Always on hand. We invite you.

A. G. CHAMBERS, MANAGER.

JANUARY BULLETIN!

To-day we start our Annual January Clearing Sale of END LENGTHS and REMNANTS, consisting of short pieces of superior TWEEDS, suitable for Boy's Clothing or Gentlemen's Trousers.

Also all our Fashionable High-Class WINTER GOODS, ETC.

This sale should prove specially interesting to purchasers, because the little lots that linger will be so reduced as to make them go quickly in short order.

Mercer's

CIGARS

TALBOT BROS. CIGARS

Are all well-known brands with a good reputation. We don't handle "Pride-of-the-Gutter" or "Undertaker's Delight," or "Early Yorks." We allow no brands into our stock that the makers allow the quality to run down. OUR BIG 4 COMBINATION is having a great run—4 Ten Cent Bouquet Flavoured Cigars for only a Quarter. Take your pick of any of these:—

The Roseberry, William Pitt, Dunraven, El Cello, Irving, Dias Garcias and the Chamberlain, the new popular 10c Cigar Out. 4 for 25c.

If you think of riding a Bicycle this year, we will have a great big snap for you in the "STEARNS"—the Champion wheel of the crowd.

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough, Sign of the Indian Queen. TALBOT BROS.

FURS! FURS! FURS!

W. W. JOHNSTON

Has added to the LeGendre stock of First-Class Dry Goods, bought at 55c on the Dollar, all the balance of the Joseph Rogers (Toronto) Bankrupt Stock of splendid Furs, bought at 40c on the Dollar.

Ladies especially are invited to call and examine our Cheap Furs and Dress Goods.

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SEASON 1896-7.

The rink is now open for skating forenoons afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies	$3 00
For Gentlemen	3 00
For Girls	1 50
For Youths	2 00
For Boys	1 50

FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each addition number half rates.

Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

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MONEY TO LOAN

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Thousands of women are cast-up dead on the shores of life because of their own ignorance or neglect. No woman can be free from pain, or safe from the ever-threatening breakers of death, who neglects to take proper care of the organs that constitute her womanhood. A woman who neglects her womanly-self will be sickly, nervous, pain-racked and fretful, and approaching maternity will be a menace of the grave. It is easy for a woman to avoid this suffering and danger.

Wise women know that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a marvelous remedy for those troubles that make a woman's life miserable, and fill the period of prospective motherhood with fears. It is the discovery of an eminent and skillful specialist, Dr. R. V. Pierce, for thirty years chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. Over 90,000 women have testified to the almost miraculous action of this wonderful remedy. It works directly on the organs distinctly feminine. It makes them strong and healthy. It cures all weakness and disease. It prepares for wifehood and motherhood. It insures baby's health and makes its advent easy and nearly painless. Druggists sell it. Nothing else is "just as good."

Mrs. G. A. Connor, of Alleghany Spring, Montgomery Co., Va., writes: "My daughter, aged 15 years, had a goitre coming on her neck and it disfigured her very much. I am happy to say that it has disappeared after the use of one bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is in plain English. Contains 1,008 pages and over 300 illustrations. If you want a copy, paper-covered, send 21 one-cent stamps, to cover the cost of customs and mailing *only*, to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. If you prefer cloth cover, send 50 stamps.

SIR JOSEPH HICKSON DEAD.

The Former Manager of the Grand Trunk Succumbs to a General Break-Up.

Montreal, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—The procession continues with alarming regularity. Sir Joseph Hickson, ex-general manager of the Grand Trunk Railway, died at noon to-day, aged 67 years. Sir Joseph was first seized at his office a little more than three weeks ago, and was taken to his home, where medical assistance was called, and the patient was found to be very much run down and was not able to again leave his room. A few days later symptoms which pointed to the possibility of approaching paralysis manifested themselves, and he was compelled to take to his bed. Dr. Craik, dean of the medical faculty of McGill University, was in constant attendance and did all in his power to grapple with the disease, but Sir Joseph sank lower and lower, and at noon yesterday the long-feared change came. The paralytic stroke deprived him not only of the use of his limbs, but even of speech, and he became unconscious, lingering for 24 hours, but recovering neither his reason nor the use of his limbs. The end came quietly, life ebbing away peacefully and without pain.

The remains of Archbishop Fabre were removed to-day from the palace to the Cathedral, Mgr. O'Brien presiding over the levee du corps, and Bishops Sweeney, Langevin, Gravel, Duhamel and Emard also being present.

As Archbishop O'Brien of Halifax passed out of the palace to-day an eminent Sulpician priest, who has just returned from Rome, remarked to your correspondent: "There goes the next Canadian Cardinal."

The news spread like wildfire to-day that Yvette Guilbert, who had been booked by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murphy to appear at the Monument National on Monday, Jan. 18, would not be allowed to sing under any circumstances. The St. Jean Baptiste Society own the hall, and it is in reality controlled by the Seminary of St. Sulpice, which explains why the lady has been shut out. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy have secured the Windsor Hall.

THE WOMEN TOO.

Back Talk Not Man's Monopoly.

Mrs. Jemima Cole, Havelock, told the following wonderful story:—"For a great many years I have suffered from disease of the kidneys. The pains in my back and side were sometimes excruciating.

"My limbs were so swollen that I could scarcely lift my feet from the floor, and I was in great agony nearly all the time. I thought that I would surely die from the pain.

"I have taken dozens of advertised remedies, and got no better during their use. I was also treated by several doctors, but am sorry to say they did me little or no good. In fact they stated that they could do me no good, which made me despair of ever getting better.

"When I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised I sent to W. H. Jeff & Co's. drugstore and got a box thinking I would try them as a last resort.

"The change from the start was very great and now after one month I am free from all pain. The swelling has gone down and I feel quite strong and healthy.

"I was also troubled with rheumatism and neuralgia which have completely disappeared, thanks to the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. In fact I do not think there is a medicine in the world that in such a short time could have taken me from the almost dying condition in which I was to the healthy and vigorous state that I am in now.

"I recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for their wonderful virtues in curing kidney troubles."

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Constipation Cured.

Gents,—I was in very poor health for over four years; the doctor said it was constipation. Not wanting to spend too much cash I got three bottles of B.B.B. and took it regularly, I can certify that I am now in the very best of health and feel very grateful to B.B.B.

ALFRED TEROUX, Montreal, Que.

The Best Cough Cure is Haggart's Pectora Balsam. It heals the lungs and cures cough and colds.

DREAM WITHIN A DREAM.

Story Told by a Broker That Terrified an Attentive Listener.

They were discussing the subject of dreams, says the Detroit Free Press, and the broker, after hearing from most of the others, declined to advance an opinion, but said he would relate a dream he once had, and leave his hearers to draw their own conclusions.

"I was a young man of active habits and anxious to get rich by the shortest possible method consistent with honesty. I found myself in the western part of what is now the State of Washington. I met a rough miner who said he was about to depart for the section where the Blewett gold mines are now being operated, and wanted me to go along. His inducement was that we could realize 50 cents a pan at placer miner, which was a dazzling bonanza.

"I also met a man whom I had known in the East, and he advised against the project, because my proposed partner was under suspicion. He had started out on half a dozen expeditions with some tenderfoot, and always reurned alone, though nothing had been proven against him. But I resisted all opposing advice and went. The third night out we spread our blankets early and laid down, for we were tired, and a storm threatened. It must have been about midnight when I had the most blood-curdling dream. As plainly as I see you gentlemen now I saw that rough miner, who was accustomed to losing men whom he took out, standing over me with a drawn bowie and about to plunge it into my breast.

"I could not scream or move to offer resistance. The very terror of the situation must have awakened me. The cold sweat was pouring from every pore, and it was only when I realized the immediate safety of my position that I could move. Stealthily I moved with my trappings to where my horse was tethered, hastily prepared him for the journey, and soon went galloping over the back trail. I imagined pursuit, but no shots were fired, and my escape was assured."

"Did the man turn out to be a murderer?"

"What man? The whole thing was a dream, I told you. There was a dream within a dream. I was never west of St. Louis in my life."

A Way to Test Your Eyesight,

You may be your own oculist, and in a very practical and simple way. All you need is a stereoscope and a photograph.

That arrangement in which the picture holder slides up and down a flat frame, trombone fashion, is the best sort of stereoscope for the purpose, although any will do, and the photograph that will give the best results is a cabinet size view of some locality, with people in it.

You put the photograph in the holder and focus it just so that you can see the faces clearly. Then close the left eye and look at the picture intently with your right eye, while you count thirty slowly. Now close the right eye and look at the picture with the left eye for the same time. Then open both eyes and stare at the picture without changing the focus.

Something queer will happen. The figures on the one side of the view will seem to move across the view and group themselves with those on the other side, and—this is the point of the experiment—the figures will always move away from the weak eye. Moreover, they move with a very precise relation of speed to the weakness of vision.

If the left eye, for example, is quite weak, the figures will move very quickly across the plane of sight to the right side, while if there is but a slight defect, the movement will be gradual, and so on.

A queer thing about this experiment is that, simple as it seems, it will bring out defects of vison that have never been suspected, and another queer thing is that it will demonstrate the cases in which both eyes are of equal power to be surprisingly exceptional.

A January thaw is always more productive of colds and coughs than a January freeze. Then is the time Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is needed and proves so extremely efficacious. Ask your druggist for it, and also for Ayer's Almanac, which is free to all.

Tit For Tat.

A British sailor being a witness in a murder case, was called to the stand and was asked by the counsel for the Crown whether he was for the plaintiff or defendant.

"Plaintiff or defendant?" said the sailor, scratching his head. "Why, I don't know what you mean by plaintiff or defendant. I come to speak for me friend," pointing to the prisoner.

"You're a pretty fellow for a witness," said the counsel, "not to know what plaintiff or defendant means."

Later in the trial the counsel asked the sailor what part of the ship he was in at the time of the murder.

"Abaft the binnacle, me lord," said the sailor.

"Abaft the binnacle?" replied the barrister. "What part of the ship is that?"

"Ain't you a pretty feller for a counsellor," said the sailor, grinning at the counsel, "not to know what abaft the binnacle is!"

The court laughed.—Harper's Round Table.

A Venomous Bird.

New Guinea is the home of the most wonderful feathered creature known to the student of ornithology—the awful rpir n'doob, or "bird of death." The venom of this bird is more deadly than that of any serpent except the cobra. In fact, no antidote for the bite of the creature is known. A wound from its beak causes excruciating pains in every part of the body, loss of sight, speech and hearing, convulsions, lockjaw and certain death.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Great Feast.

"Did you have plenty of good things to eat on Thanksgiving, Tommy?"

"You bet! I just been orful sick ever since."

You Can be Well

When your blood is pure, rich and nourishing for nerves and muscles. The blood is the vital fluid, and when it is poor, thin and impure you must either suffer from some distressing disease or you will easily fall a victim to sudden changes, exposures, or overwork. Keep your blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla and be well.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best after-dinner pills; assist digestion, cure headache. 25c.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c 50c. and $1.00.

A Brickmaker Listens to Reason—Uses Six Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and Tells it.

Brockville, Jan. 4 (Special)—Mr. W. H. Odell, perhaps one of the best known citizens of this town has lately recovered from a long continued and painful kidney ailment. He tells the story of his experience to the correspondent as follows:

"I have suffered for over a year from kidney disease, the pain in my back being so severe that I was unable to stand to my work."

"Noticing the published cures of what Dodd's Kidney Pills were doing for others I concluded to use them."

"Having used only six boxes I can say that I am perfectly cured and well so that I can attend to business as well as ever I could."

Rain in the Desert.

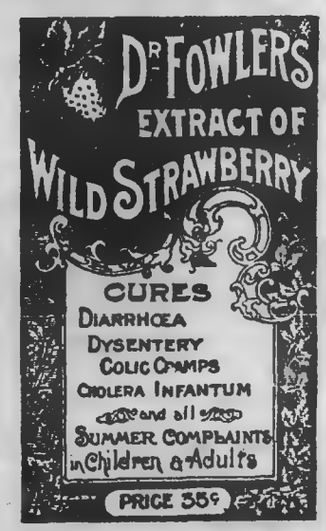
A rainstorm in the Colorado desert is a stranger thing than many of the curious tales which for ages gave Herodotus a unique reputation among historians for mendacity. During a rainstorm in the Colorado desert not a single drop of water touches the earth. The rain can be seen falling from the clouds high above the desert, but when the water reaches the trata of hot, dry air beneath the clouds it is entirely absorbed before falling half the distance to the ground.

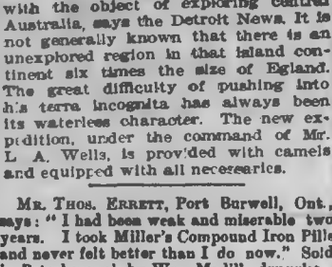
Exploring Australia.

In June last an expedition started with the object of exploring central Australia, says the Detroit News. It is not generally known that there is an unexplored region in that island continent six times the size of England. The great difficulty of pushing into this terra incognita has always been its waterless character. The new expedition, under the command of Mr. L. A. Wells, is provided with camels and equipped with all necessaries.

MR. THOS. ERRETT, Port Burwell, Ont., says: "I had been weak and miserable two years. I took Miller's Compound Iron Pills and never felt better than I do now." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego Cal. says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 399 George Street.





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AFTER TEN YEARS SUFFERING

Two Box Cure

MILVERTON, 8TH JULY, 1895.

Gentlemen.—For the last ten years I had been troubled with kidney disease, being so bad at intervals that I could not lie in bed at night nor stoop to the ground.

I had tried all the remedies I could find without effect, but heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills and procured a box.

I am most happy to say it for my own sake as well as for others that I am perfectly cured after using four boxes.

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THOUGHT PHOTOGRAPHY HAS BECOME THE SCIENTIFIC FAD.

The Results of Experiments of Dr. Baraduc, as Found in His Report to the Academy of Medicine, the Basis—What They Are.

A new fad has seized upon society. Thought photography clubs have been formed with surprising and sometimes startling results. By fixing the gaze upon an undeveloped photographic plate or even holding these plates in the hands, figures of persons and forms of a very extraordinary character have been produced when these plates were developed. The facts in the matter are well substantiated.

This is far and away more interesting than palmistry and crystal-gazing. A brilliant society woman who is up to date in everything, including the latest scientific discoveries, reflected that if Dr. Baraduc, the Parisian electro-therapeutist, could obtain these pictures and astonish the French Academy of Medicine with them, she ought to be able to do the same, since the method was simplicity itself, and the cost not worth considering, nothing more being necessary than a box of plates and from two to a dozen people who were capable of concentrating their thoughts on a given person or subject for a few minutes.

Inviting a few trusted friends, a circle was formed and a box containing four unopened plates placed in the center. The results were astonishing when the plates were developed. She was an amateur photographer herself and did the developing. Luminous pictures made their appearance. On the top plate no distinct form was visible, but in the shadowy outlines various figures and faces could be discerned by a lively imagination. On the next plate, however, there was a well-defined finger shape, across which lay a light figure that might be held to resemble a female. But the really startling result was the pictures which developed themselves on the two middle plates. On these were distinct faces, recognised by members of the circle as perfect pictures of living friends they had held in their thoughts. In one case the photograph was that of a brother who had been lost at sea. All the plates had pictures, but some were positives and others were negatives. Two had to be transformed to a lantern-slide before they could be printed from.

The thing was a success, and now society has a fad that it will not tire of for some time to come.

How is this photography accomplished? Dr. Baraduc's explanation is that every human being has the power of expressing conscious or unconscious thought exteriorly. He believes that a mysterious, impalpable force resides in and emanates from the human body. In the sphere formed about us by this vital emanation our thoughts create forms which the sensitive plate seizes upon and retains. The discovery of the Roentgen rays was a preparation for this statement. Dr. Baraduc has proved his statement in regard to the existence of this luminous radiation by his magnetometers and by photographs, over 300 of which he reproduced in his report read before the Academy of Medicine, "The Photography of Thought." The society women must be well up in this knowledge and know that the magnetometers are small dials marked off with 360 degrees. Over the surface of each dial moves a fine needle as carefully balanced and as free as possible. The dial is protected from all exterior influences by a glass globe. Not a breath of air can move the hands. These, moreover, are of especially prepared copper and are not subject to magnetism.

The investigator points both hands toward the magnetometers and watches what follows. In about two minutes, if he or she is of normal temperature, he sees the needle nearest his left hand move away from zero so far as degree 5. It is repelled. At the same time the needle nearest the right hand is attracted 15 degrees. It moves toward the fingers of the right hand. The existence of the vital force is next demonstrated in a more definite manner. All light is excluded from the parlor or laboratory, and a photographic plate is interposed between the hands and the magnetometers. Under these conditions the nitrate of silver of the plate is incapable, according to all previous experience, of receiving any impression except by actually touching some substance. It would remain intact for an indefinite period. But here Dr. Baraduc's vital force comes into play. When the plates are developed in a bath by the members of the thought-photography club, it is found that the one which was nearest the left hand has received one impression and that which was nearest the right another. It, therefore, seems that the vital force has not only penetrated the glass, but is luminous.

The photograph proves it, and the skeptical may, with the greatest ease, make tests for themselves.

Dr. Baraduc calls the vital force given out on the left side the "expir" and that attracted on the right side the "aspir."

The experiment has been repeated 300 times, and in every case the photographic plate has shown an impression.

The members of the club are instructed that it is to be noted that while the left side exerts only five degrees of force, the right absorbs fifteen. There remains a difference of ten degrees accumulated in the system. This, according to Dr. Baraduc, is psychic force, which can be exerted on external objects by the will.

This brings us to the most important part of the experiments. The magnetometers are taken away and a society man places himself in front of a fresh photographic plate. He extends his hands in the direction of the plate and is requested to think of some one particular thing with all the energy and concentration of mind of which he is capable.

At the end of a period which varies from two minutes to two hours the plate is impressed by a sort of luminous cloud, in which the outlines of certain objects can be discerned. These vary in distinctness, according to the character of the thinker, and can only be expected to appear when he has fixed his mind on some concrete and clearly defined subject.

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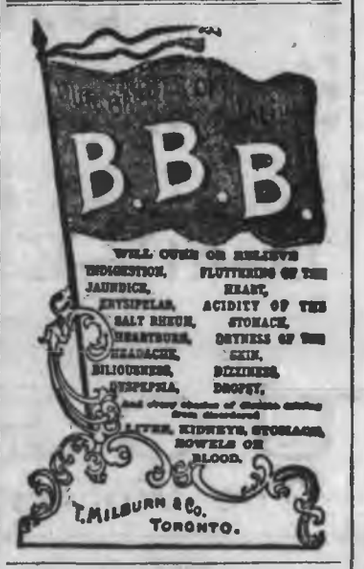

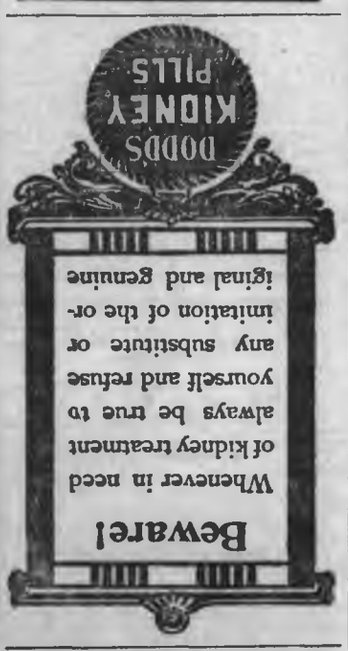
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SUN AND TRAP.

The Peterborough and Ashburnham Gun Club had a practice yesterday afternoon on the Riverside Park range, Ashburnham. The weather being fine some excellent shooting was done, with Capt. R. Tivey in command. The following is the score by innings:—

															Tot'l
Capt. Tivey	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	8
Chas James	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	9
J D Collins	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	10
J Dixon Jewett	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	9
C Collins	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	4
R Kingan	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	6
E Nell	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	9
W B Morris	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	8
F H Ferguson	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	6

So long as the prevailing weather exists the intention of the Gun Club is to hold regular weekly practices on their range, all shootists being welcome.

HOCKEY.

So many clubs in the O. H. A. have sent in red and white as their colours that some change will have to be made when clubs sporting those tints meet, or when two teams play who have colours identical. Secretary Beaton will notify each club at once that before competing it will be necessary for the home team to notify the visiting club of the colours proposed to be worn by the home seven. In case both teams have chosen the same colours the visitors will have to make a change in their uniforms. This forewarning will possibly do away with a difficulty which it would be hard to remedy if the teams came on the ice similarly costumed, with no preparation made for a change of uniform by either team.

The Globe says: The adherents of Peterborough and Stratford think that it is all over but the hurrahing, and are both confident that they will scoop in the championship in the senior division. Queen's, Varsity and T.A.C. will adduce some strong arguments before the season is over, which may cause them to change their views.

Because Peterborough has three teams in the O.H.A. series a slight change has been made in the intermediate and junior series, which does away with having this club travel so much in case they win their first rounds of these respective series. The change made is as follows:

In the first round of the intermediate series, group 4, the play-off between the winners of the Kingston and Peterborough groups will take place on the ice of the latter. This arrangement was made because of the fact that Peterborough with its three teams will have a great deal of travelling before the season is over.

Junior series, second round, under No. IX—Winners of I. play winners of II. on ice of winners of I.

CURLIANA.

A meeting of the Thistle Curling Club will be held this evening to elect skips for the Lindsay competition and for the Lindsay-Peterborough Cup. Every member is requested to be present.

LACROSSE.

The Lacrosse Club wish to thank Mr. G. E. Whiten, photographer, for a most handsome photograph of the club of 1896. The picture is on view in Mr. W. A. Sanderson's store, and is resplendent in a gilt frame. It has been decided that the photo is to be in the possession of the captain of the club each year, so at present Mr. George Lipsett is its proud owner. Needless to say Mr. Whiten's gift is greatly appreciated. The familiar faces of Messrs. W. A. Sanderson, R. J. Fife, James McCabe, Lionel King and Jos. Begley are missed from the group, as they were unable to be present. A new photo is, however, being taken which will include them.

Lacrosse will start in with a big boom next season, as arrangements are already being made to have the opening game with the "Young Capitals," of Ottawa.

—Piece Dress Goods cut down to one length, marked at a bargain to clear at Turnbull's.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

CATTLE, FRUIT, FISH

The Subjects Before the U. S. Tariff Commission.

HIT BY CANADIAN COMPETITION.

Mr. Sherman Opposed to Cattle Duties Because They Shut Out Mexican Live Stock—Wilson Bill Has Killed the Cattle Trade of California, Says Mr. Bowers.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 5.—Before the Ways and Means Committee to-day, cattlemen having interests in grazing in Mexico and Kansas opposed high duties on cattle as injurious to the farmers as well as the cattlemen. Mr. Sherman, representing, he said, two-thirds of the cattle importers from Mexico, also opposed high duties as inimical to the interests of farmers, feeders and dealers. Mr. Sherman thought that the high duties on cattle had been decided upon by Congress to keep out Canadian competition, without thought of Mexican business.

Congressman Curtis of Kansas asked to have restored the duty of $1 a head on all cattle one year old or over, and $2 a head on calves less than one year old. Curtis would have a duty absolutely prohibitory on every agricultural product that can be raised in this country. Kansas would like duties on hay, oats and flaxseed."

Representative Bowers of California declared that the Wilson law had killed the cattle business in California. He then turned his attention to the fruit trade, for which he demanded a high protective tariff. Such a tariff would not increase prices. If given protection California would flood the country with certain grades of fruit and he said $16,000,000 now sent abroad for fruit would be kept at home. Then representatives of the National Grange urged for a bounty on exports of agricultural products. Others asked for specific duties. The representative of the National Hay Association wanted a duty of $4 a ton on that product. He did not refer to the competition from pauper hay, but he told the committee the eastern farmers suffered from Canadian competition. He also asked for a restoration of the McKinley duties on hops, which was 15 cents per pound (it is now 8 cents), and he said that if the American hop growers did not soon receive aid through tariff legislation by having the duty on foreign hops placed at not less than 15 cents per pound they would be driven out of business.

Representatives asked for protective duties on rice and macaroni.

Then pro and con speakers were heard on the salt duties, and C. H. McCue of Boston took up the rights of the United States fishermen. He asked for an increase of 3-4 of a cent per pound in the duty of mackerel, 1-4c on cod and a new clause giving 1 1-2c on skinned and boneless and all other fish. The Dominion authorities, he said, hampered American fishermen in every way possible, denying them all commercial rights and treating them in the most brutal manner.

B. F. De Buts of Boston, representing some sixty firms, claimed that Mr. McCue did not speak for all fishermen. In fact he did not represent more than 15 per cent. of them. He thought the present rate of duty on fish was sufficient and did not want more. American fishermen would not be protected by the increase, he said, as the statistics showed that over 85 per cent. of the men engaged on our fishing vessels were foreigners coming here during the season, and at its end returning to their homes.

S. S. Smith of Boston said Mr. De Buts represented only importers and did not speak for the fishermen.

Representative Moddy of Massachusetts was given permission to file a written reply to Mr. De Buts as far as his statement referred to the fishermen of Massachusetts.

F. W. Kelsey, representing the Florists' Club of New York city, advocated a duty of ten per cent. ad valorem on all trees, shrubs, vines and bulbs.

The committee adjourned until to-morrow morning, when schedule K., raw wool, will be taken up.

MURPHY GETS BACK.

But Seven Men are Still Missing From the Wrecked Commodore.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 5.—Capt. Edward Murphy, the commander of the wrecked filibustering steamer Commodore, and the remainder of those saved from the wreck, arrived in this city from Daytona last night. Seven men are still missing, and are believed to be drowned.

When asked if there was treachery on board, Captain Murphy said last night: "No, I do not think so." It was neglect more than anything else."

Paul Rojo, the Cuban commander, said: "I think the engineer was drunk and neglected his duties."

DON'T!

Don't slack up or quit advertising altogether as soon as the holiday season is over. Don't say: "Well, we can't sell goods in the dull season, no matter how hard we try, and advertising is just money thrown away." Your hustling competitor, with no better chance or location than you have, keeps business booming all the time by advertising all the time in the most vigorous way. He has no "dull season," why should you?

The pushing, prompt, persistent men
Who advertise each day,
In every year, can always make
Their advertising pay.

General Grant once said there is a time in every battle when each side thinks it is whipped. He learned by experience that if he kept up the fight until the other side thought it was whipped, he was pretty sure to win. There is something for advertisers to learn from this. If, when they begin to think, advertising does not pay, they would fight a little harder to make it pay, they would be pretty sure to win.

The Wabash Railway Trains

running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled from end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

Shiloh's Cure

is sold on a guarantee, it cures Incipient Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure Only one cent a dose. 25 cts., 50 cts., and $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 329 George street.

T. Fitzgerald's Wood and Coal Yard.

All customers kindly leave orders at once and avoid the rush Thursday, as I cannot deliver Christmas Day.

Facts About Blue-Eyed Cats.

It is a curious fact that blue-eyed cats are invariably deaf. Mr. J. Harrison Weir, a great authority on the cat, once bought a big, white, blue-eyed beauty, which seemed to be every inch a good cat, except that its vocal organ was of such robust power that her cries drove the household frantic. After some strange experiences the problem was solved by this voiceful specimen being taken home by a kind, old lady, who was herself stone deaf.

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In every department the sacrifice will be alike Sweeping, peremptory and crackling big values await the bargain hunter.

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Comes at a grand time for buyers. This is our spick-and-span brand new Winter Stock which we expected to have well sold by this time. But the mild weather made buyers think winter was'nt coming at all, leaving us with a stock which we must move out during January to the music of double quick time.

We are willing to pay you well to buy now. This ought to be pleasing news to prospective buyers. Just when actual winter weather is likely to set in, and zero weather will create heavy demands for warmer clothing, we sound

The Death-Knell to Profits.

The goods you want at any price you want to pay—forming a two-fold incentive without a parallel in business. Quick Sales is what we want, and that means giving us plenty of business at a time when everybody says there's none to be got.

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no matter what the loss. It does not pay to pack goods away. We are not offering the fag end of a bankrupt stock bought last summer; we would not insult the buying intelligence of the people of this community by offering them "Splendid Furs" that are the residue of an old bankrupt stock, the leavings, so to speak, of the good people of a neighbouring city. It might suit some places, but it won't suit Peterborough. Here are a few of our bargains:—

NEW BOX FRONTS.

Grey Lamb Jackets	$30 00 up
Black Astrachan Jackets	$20 00 up
Persian Lamb Jackets	$75 00 up
Electric Seal	$50 00 up

FULL RIPPLE STYLE.

Greenland Seal Capes, 27 inch	$18 00
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Black Opposum Capes, 27 inch	$15 00
Black Coney Capes, from $10.00 to	$18 00

NEW FUR LINED RIPPLE CLOAKS.

Black Outsides, in Hampster linings, Special, at..	$25 00

FUR CAPS.

Alaska Seal, $10.00, worth	$15 00
Electric Seal, $3.00, worth	$5 00
German Otter, $3.50, worth	$5.00
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And all other goods in proportion.

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MANUFACTURING FURRIERS.

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Addressed to Dr. Geo. Burnham, President of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society, will be received up to

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HOURS—11.30 to 4.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue business in his own name in future.

W. G. FOWLER

Begs to announce to all his old customers and the public generally that he has bought out the business formerly carried on by W. G. FOWLER & CO., and has put in a full and complete stock of

New Groceries, Sugars, Fruits,

And other staple lines. As I intend to carry on a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS in future, I will sell all goods at the CLOSEST CASH PRICES. You can now get the Cheapest Christmas Groceries in town at

W. G. FOWLER'S,
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I take pleasure in returning thanks to my numerous customers for their liberal patronage during the past two years. Having secured from Mr. Geo. Hall the whole of the stables driving Sheds and yard in rear of my premises I am now prepared to give accomodation to twenty teams. MEALS supplied at moderate prices. First class Home-made Bread, Pastry Groceries and Confectionery always in stock.

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This time the prices on all remaining Winter Garments will be cut so deep that there will be no chance for further reductions.

If the signs read aright the great majority of our present holdings in Mantle Coats and Capes will leave the store next week, for values like those quoted here never fail to bring the customers.

Quality!!!

If every one were to judge of what is good and what is not good in merchandise, a great many dry goods stores would be out of business. Don't always trust the price, it is very *often* misleading.

If you are a judge of merchandise, look at the goods first then the price. We are willing that you should try us in that way.

Robt. Fair,

Importer of Dry Goods & Carpets

Sign of the Golden Lion, 258 George Street, Peterborough.

BUSY JANUARY

There is to be no loitering by the way at this store. Close upon our holiday trade comes the activity stimulated by our Special January Values created by lowering the prices on all winter goods.

We know the ladies are interested in buying to the best advantage. They are not so firmly wedded to anyone store that they will not look elsewhere. All we want is a little of their attention—their good judgment will do the rest when they see our—

January Bargains in Silks,
January Bargains in Dress Goods,
January Bargains in Linings,
January Bargains in Trimmings,
January Bargains in Gloves,
January Bargains in Corsets,
January Bargains in Comforters,
January Bargains in Blankets,
January Bargains in Sheeting,
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Etc., Etc.

Home-owners and economical shoppers generally would much sooner buy now at the lower prices, than pay regular prices in April or May. The difference to them is a very material saving.

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To close out the season. We mean to have no left over stocks in this department. You have our word for it that until after Stock-taking is over you will have many lucky chances in mid-winter goods. Figure on getting pretty near your own way in prices.

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Be one of the Wise Men this year.

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Cow Ties, Lanterns, Sleigh Bells, Horse Blankets, Driving Whips, Cutlery and General Hardware.

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Hardware Merchants, Opposite Fortye & Phelan's Old Stand.

We Are Thankful

For a prosperous year and can heartily join in wishing all our customers and friends a bright and happy record for 1897.

We are determined that by selling HIGH GRADE GOODS at LOW PRICES we will merit a continuance of the patronage of the public.

We never allow our stock to run down, and can now show a splendid assortment of Souvenirs and Presentation articles suitable for any and every special occasion.

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Peterborough Business College

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MONDAY, JAN. 4th, 1897

It will be to the advantage of those who purpose attending, either for a Shorthand or Commercial course, to enter at the beginning of the term.

HOURS—Day Lessons, same as Public Schools Evening Lessons, 7 to 9 p.m.

PRINGLE & McCORMA,

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LONG MAY SHE REIGN

The Story of the Queen's Abdication Was Groundless.

HER KNOWLEDGE IS UNIMPAIRED

And Our Gracious Sovereign Will Occupy the Throne During Her Life—The Pacific Cable Commission Favors the Immediate Construction of an All British Line.

London, Jan. 6.—(Julian Ralph's cable to The New York Journal.)—The legend of Queen Victoria's approaching abdication is now quite an old friend. In the Jubilee year many people had quite comfortably fixed this little family arrangement up. It was so natural, so just and so obvious, they said.

Now! the same people are saying the same thing, with the happy consciousness, if they would only admit it, that the Queen is resolved to reign on during the rest of her natural life. The sentimental side of this matter does not count here. If the Prince of Wales was to have had a chance he ought to have had it many years ago, when it was possible to infuse that measure of life and vitality into the forms of royalty which would have delighted the commercial instincts of the nation and gratified the popular liking for display.

Despite her bodily infirmity, which practically reduces her to carriage exercise, the Queen retains unimpaired her knowledge of affairs, her practical common-sense and her sound judgment, and is probably a better monarch than any possible living successor would be. Sentiment apart, her retirement would not be popular, and it certainly would not be practical nor desirable, from a British point of view.

The Prince of Wales carries his sportsmanlike instincts to seeing with resignation his chances of ascending the throne diminishing yearly. He loses nothing in public estimation thereby, and if he doesn't get the greater glory he gets all the solid advantages of his rank.

MUST BE ALL BRITISH.

The Pacific Cable to be Finished in Two Years Will Cost $10,000,000.

London, Jan. 6.—The report of the Pacific Cable Commission was signed this afternoon on behalf of the British, Australian and Canadian Governments, after many months of investigation. The result, which is kept strictly secret for the present, is awaited with keen interest, as the first tangible product of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain's aggressive colonial policy, an important step towards establishing British supremacy in the Pacific and supplying the Empire with trunk line Imperial cables, free from possible foreign interference. It is understood that the report favors laying a cable at the earliest possible moment between Vancouver and Australia under joint subsidies by England, Canada, certain Australian colonies and New Zealand. It must touch none but British territory, leaving Hawaii to be tapped by a branch line.

The Laurier Government made Canadian support absolutely conditional upon the absence of foreign stations, which would destroy the strategic value of the cable to the Empire in case of war.

The Canadian delegate strongly favored the construction and operation of the cable as a joint Government enterprise by an Imperial-Colonial cable trust—England, Canada and Australia—each paying one-third of the cost.

English official opinion, supported by some of the Australasian colonies, backed by strenuous opposition to the existing Eastern Company monopoly, favored a subsidy to an independent company, which course probably will be adopted.

The cable will cost about $10,000,000 to put down, and will be ready within two years. The project now awaits the approval of the Imperial and Colonial Cabinets, and the passage of the necessary votes by the various Legislatures. The only difficulty is expected in Australia, where intercolonial rivalries are certain to create opposition.

The Canadian Gazette says that the report of the Pacific Cable Commission will be signed this week, after which it will be submitted to the legislative bodies of the colonies interested. It is believed that the report of the commission will satisfy the desires for the establishment of a Pacific cable service.

CLARA AND JANOS

The Princess de Chimay Sends a Letter to a Brussels Newspaper.

Brussels, Jan. 6.—The Chimay scandal is now the talk of Europe. The Princess has sent a long letter to a paper here, wherein she said:

"I come from a country where men and women are not more infallible than elsewhere but have the courage of their opinions. If need be Americans brave prejudices, public opinion, stupid talk, falsehood and calumny. I followed the fashion of the matrimonial union of nobility of rank with the nobility of money, noblesse blason et noblesse argent, and I was wrong. Instead of practising duplicity and hypocrisy, I preferred to leave the conjugal roof. My marriage with Rigo is, moreover, a thing now quite settled."

The Princess absolutely denies all interviews emanating from Buda Pest, as well as anecdotes that she tattooed her arm. She declares she never said anything to reporters, and, at the same time, she confirms the statement that she has nothing to reproach the Prince with. The Princess finally pays the highest possible praise to the self-help and progress accomplished in the instruction of the young American girl.

A despatch received here to-day from Buda Pest records there is a rumor that the Princess, for want of money, will appear as a singer at a cafe concert. Rigo has studied the violin at the Brussels Conservatoire, and for two years belonged to the orchestra at the Theatre de la Monnaie."

LADY SCOTT'S CASE.

The Defence Opened in a Detailed Speech by Mr. Walton, M. P.

London, Jan. 6.—To-day's proceedings in the trial of the action of Earl Russell against Lady Scott, his mother-in-law, and others for criminal libel, began with the opening of the case for the defence. John L. Walton, M. P., counsel for Lady Scott, made the opening speech, the court room being crowded with friends of Lady Scott who had assembled to hear her defence. Mr. Walton contended that Lady Scott had not prosecuted Earl Russell, as alleged, but had only interfered in behalf of her daughter, Earl Russell's unhappy wife. Alluding to other defendants, counsel said that Kast, even upon his deathbed, had not shown any sign of wishing to remove a cloud from his conscience by retracting anything that he had previously said.

Mr. Walton continued by criticizing the life which Earl Russell had led, and maintained that Lady Scott was justified in seeking to alter public opinion of him as a husband.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Famine in India Described as the Most Widespread of the Century.

London, Jan. 6.—A Bombay despatch to The Daily Mail reports that all of the leading journals there describe the famine as the most widespread of the present century. It is the general opinion that the Viceroy erra in refusing English aid.

Japan Buys a Warship

London, Jan. 6.—The Times announces that Brazil has sold the cruiser Almirante Barrozo, which has just been built at the Elswick works, to Japan.

The Sultan is Defiant.

London, Jan. 6.—The correspondent of The Times at Constantinople says that diplomacy there credits the palace with inciting the Asiatic provincial Governors to foment demonstrations against the proposed reforms in the provinces.

TRAINING RAILROADERS.

A School Established at Niagara Falls for the Grand Trunk—Notes From the Cataract Town.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—A school for the training of Grand Trunk employes has been formed here. The Westinghouse air brake is receiving the attention of the instructors at present. The method of working the brake and rapid repairs are being studied.

The Grand Trunk Fire Department of this town was greatly surprised when Supt. Broughton presented them with a cash prize and declared they had won the annual race against time, for the southern division.

Corporals E. A. Fischer and E. L. Brown of No. 1 Company, 44th Battalion, left this morning to take a course in the Royal Military College.

The monthly returns of the Customs Department at this place are: Imports $53,888, and exports $18,587. The collections from duties only amount to $7559.77.

The new transfer sheds at the M.C.R. Montrose yards, are still unopened. It was expected they would be opened at the beginning of the year, but nothing in connection with them will be done until traffic, which is now dull, regains sufficiently to make the transferring methods pay the company for their operation.

The town band was around the town almost all last night serenading the successful candidates.

Capt. Carter's patent acetylene gas generator has been pronounced a success, and the Wilson Carbide Gas Company at Merritton, who manufacture the gas, have introduced it in the factory. The generators will all be manufactured at this place, and, as the new gas becomes an article of commerce, a successful industry will be built up. The generator is not only an improvement on the articles now in use, but will be sold considerably cheaper. Capt. Carter said he would be able to place a generator for 15 to 25 lights on the market for about $40. This will enable farmers and others living in isolated residences to hang their houses lighted with a brighter and more cheerful light than is now seen in the town and city mansions.

Mr. C. Patten of Niagara Falls South is at present working on a difficult job across the river. During the past summer he built four large stone foundations for the new steel arch bridge, which will replace the upper Suspension Bridge. Near one of these foundations is the mouth of the big tunnel, and the water, rushing out of the tunnel with such rapidity, runs farther up the stream than was expected. The force of the water carried away a portion of the bank and undermined the bridge foundation. The work now under way is to strengthen the foundation, build a breakwater and blast away a portion of the rock on the lower side of the tunnel, which will cause the water to flow down stream.

A rumor has been freely circulated about here that the Canadian Niagara Power Company have been granted an extension of time, four years being stated as the limit. This is without foundation, as the company or the park officials have heard nothing of it, and furthermore the company only asked for an 18-months' extension to get the work prepared. The rumor however had the effect of disturbing the peace of mind of many real estate holders, and caused ill-feeling against the politicians, who it was presumed had granted the extension. The Canadian Niagara Power Company claim they have good reasons to expect the requested extension and have just paid in the quarter's rental on the option held by them. They are a bona fide company and purpose beginning immediate operations on a rapid development, as soon as a market for 5000 horse-power of electricity can be secured on the Canadian side. Other power sufficient to pay expenses will be exported to the Buffalo market. A portion of the 5000 horse-power will be taken as soon as developed by the Pittsburg Reduction Company, who will operate a branch of the aluminum works on the Canadian side of the river. The Carbide Company will also start a branch of their works on this side. The company is willing to develop the power, but the market is lacking.

One of the candidates for the council in the West Ward, who was defeated by one vote, is dissatisfied and a re-count will be the probable result.

The Niagara Central train broke down again at St. Catharines to-day and, consequently, the scheduled connection at this place was not made this afternoon. The road will be in operation again to-morrow.

The Rosit Hotel had a narrow escape from fire this afternoon. The electric light wires set fire to the wood work in the front hall and the flames were extinguished with difficulty, although very little damage resulted.

Samuel Neale, son of Alderman S. Neale, died of typhoid fever this afternoon, after a short illness.

Alderman Davis banqueted the Mayor and members of the new council last evening.

Trainmaster Cunningham of the G.T.R. was in town to-day.

J. G. Boultbee, Inspector of Customs, was in town to-day.

H. C. Hammond of Toronto and William Hendrie of Hamilton, directors of the electric road, were the guests of Manager Phillips to-day.

Henry Wood, an aged gentleman, residing with his son-in-law, Mr. M. M. Buckley, fell down stairs last night and sustained serious injuries. Mr. Wood has been in delicate health for some time, and this accident may prove dangerous to his life.

SEATON WILL DIE.

Caretaker of the Royal Insurance Building Falls Downstairs This Morning and Fractures His Skull.

Toronto, Jan. 7.

Between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning, while at work in the Royal Insurance Company's building at the corner of Wellington and Yonge-streets, Thomas Seaton, the caretaker, suddenly slipped and fell down the stairway. He was picked up immediately and Dr. Garrett summoned by P. C. Armstrong (44). It was found that the unfortunate man's skull was fractured and little hopes are entertained for his recovery. Mr. Seaton is 68 years of age.

IT WILL BE LIVELY.

The Coming Bye-Election in St. Boniface Will be a Fight of the Church Against the Government.

Winnipeg, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The election in St. Boniface to fill the vacancy in the Legislature, caused by Hon. Mr. Prendergast's retirement, will be a most interesting contest. St. Boniface is exclusively Catholic, but it is alleged that a large element is willing to give the schools settlement a fair trial. J. Ernest Cyr, who spoke at the Laurier banquet in Montreal, will likely be the candidate of this element. He will no doubt be bitterly opposed by the church, but will have the active assistance of the Greenway Government and Hon. Mr. Prendergast's not insignificant following.

Hon. Mr. Fielding sent a wire to-day to Mr. R. L. Richardson, M.P., that the Tariff Commission would visit Winnipeg, though dates could not be fixed just now.

In addition to its heavy flour shipments to Australia the Lake of the Woods Milling Company is shipping there one thousand tons of Manitoba wheat for home grinding.

HARRY HASSARD'S DEATH

It is Thought the Shock of Seeing Mrs. Lucas Fall Brought on Heart Failure.

Toronto, Jan. 7.

Mr. Harry Hassard, a young man of 28 years, who lived with his widowed mother at 45 Camden-street, died suddenly Tuesday night. He entered his home and began to retire about 10 o'clock, and when half undressed fell back on his bed and died three minutes later, before a doctor could be summoned. Mrs. Hassard thought the demise peculiar, and had a post-mortem performed by Drs. Atkins and Little, who pronounced death as the result of heart disease. Mr. Hassard was a most exemplary young man, and his sudden death will be a severe shock to his many friends in the city.

Young Hassard came down Spadina-avenue about the time Mrs. Lucas dropped dead, and it is thought he saw her drop, and that the shock had something to do with his death.

THE FARMERS ARE HIT.

Mr. Bush, M.L.A., is in Financial Trouble and Has Assigned to Sheriff Smart.

Brockville, Jan. 6.—Quite a sensational story was in circulation around town to the effect that Mr. O. Bush, M.L.A., a prominent cheese manufacturer, with headquarters at Kemptville, was not only in financial difficulties, but that he had left for parts unknown. Mr. Bush is about as well known in Brockville as he is in the back country, and the ugly rumors naturally caused somewhat of a surprise among his numerous friends. It has been known for some time past that his financial standing was in rather a shaky condition. He cleared up the story about his disappearance by arriving in town late last evening, and acknowledged being in financial trouble. He was not long in interviewing Sheriff Smart, to whom he made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors.

His liabilities are said to be in the neighborhood of $10,000 or $11,000, with approximate assets of $7000. Mr. Bush was the owner of several large cheese factories, and, though he has always borne the reputation of being a careful business man, his reverses are said to have been brought about by bad speculations on last season's output, all of which he has sold, so that there are no valuable assets from that quarter.

The principal creditors are the farmers who are patrons of Mr. Bush's factories. These will be heavy losers, as Mr. Bush has announced that he cannot pay more than 50 cents on the dollar. A meeting of the creditors is called at the sheriff's office for Friday, the 15th inst.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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Stomach

with severe pains across my shoulders, and great distress. I had violent nausea which would leave me very weak and faint, difficult to get my breath. These spells came oftener and more severe. I did not receive any lasting benefit from physicians, but found such happy effects from a trial of Hood's Sarsaparilla, that I took several bottles and mean to always keep it in the house. I am now able to do all my own work, which for six years I have been unable to do. My husband and son have also been greatly benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla—for pains in the back, and after the grip. I gladly recommend this grand blood medicine." MRS. PETER BURBY, Leominster, Mass.

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Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 1897

INDUSTRIAL EXPANSION.

Some Conservatives and many, perhaps from honest conviction, claim that Liberal triumph in the last general elections would have an effect on industrial enterprise, as blighting as the upas tree. But the reverse has been the case, for steady progress is being made under the new order of things. The London Advertiser has recently given many instances of the confidence which men of money and ability have in the future of the Dominion, and the other day made a further contribution to the list.

In Kingsmill, Essex county, a fruit basket and veneer manufactory will be started early in 1897.

The Wilson Carbide Works Company has been incorporated at St. Catharines with a capital of $200,000.

In Stratford the Shoe Company has increased its capital from $3,000 to $35,000 and will extend its operations.

J. Walshaw, manufacturer of blankets and woollen goods in Bolton, Ont., whose factory was destroyed by fire last summer, informs the Canadian Manufacturer that he is rebuilding on a much larger scale.

The Jordan Willow Beach Harbour Company is being incorporated with a capital stock of $50,000, to construct and operate a harbour at Twenty-Mile Creek, in the township of Louth, Lincoln county, Ontario, to build docks, buildings, etc.

A large pulp mill will be built by Hamlin & Ayers at Lachute, Que.

In Stony Point, Ont., a new flax mill has been resolved on.

A manufactory of bricks will be started in Rossland, B. C.

Robert Lillie, Perth, Ont., is seeking a suitable location in Sudbury, Ont., for building a foundry and machine shop.

The Mount Forest Woollen Mills Co. (limited) has been incorporated.

The Chesley Chair Company has been incorporated with a capital of $30,000.

Ontario tanners are opening up a market for their leather in Antwerp, Belgium.

British capitalists having bought the asbestos mine near Danville, Que., for a large sum, propose to engage a still larger number of hands than is already employed there (some several hundred), and considerably increase the output of 'asbestic.' This is the remarkable plaster (made from the short fibred asbestos) which has the merits of hardness, whiteness, penetrability and noncombustibleness. The "asbestic" made from the short fibered abestos (hitherto regarded as useless) is now proving more useful and valuable than the fine long fibres of that remarkable mineral. The lesson taught is that the metamorphic rocks of the eastern townships can bear plenty of investigation and study yet for economic results.

It is contemplated to turn an old brewery in Brantford into a furniture factory, to employ from 40 to 50 hands.

The Star Iron Company, Beauharnois, Que., who have closed a successful and busy year, are making additions and improvements to their works, and putting on additional hands to overtake orders.

The new car wheel works at Perth, Ont., will soon be ready for operations.

The W. R. Gardner Tool Company, of Brockville, have moved to Sherbrooke, Que., and doubled the capacity of their works, according to the Canadian Manufacturer.

A pulp mill, with a capacity of 100 cords per day, is to be built at Webbwood, in Algoma, Ont.

In addition to these we have a boom in the gold and other mining industries all over the country, enterprises putting millions into active use and outputting many millions of products.

While industries are coming to the front, it is worth Peterborough's while to be alert in attracting to the town more new industries. Our natural water power facilities, our excellent railway facilities indicate the fact that this town is especially fitted to become the home of many more than the many thriving establishments we have now in operation. Those officially charged with looking after the interests of the town will be remiss in their duty if they fail to use every legitimate inducement to attract new manufactories to Peterborough. We firmly believe that a change of Government instead of hindering, will help the industrial development of the country.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Ontario Legislature has been summoned to meet on Wednesday, Feb. 10th, for the despatch of business.

MR. SPEAKER EDGAR has issued his warrant for bye-elections in Brant, vacated by Henry; East Simcoe, vacated by Bennett, and North Ontario, vacated by McGillivray. All these setts were occupied by Conservatives. The election will all take place, it is understood, on the same day, probably some time in the second week in February.

A GREAT sensation has been created throughout France by the action of the Pope in peremptorily instructing his new Nuncio in Paris to discourage and oppose the candidature of any ecclesiastic for the seat in the Legislature left vacant by the death of Bishop d'Hulst, and to indorse and recommend the election of the well-known politician, Etienne Lamy, former Deputy of the Jura Department. This is the first time that the Holy See has ever come out so definitely against the monarchy and in favour of the republic in France.

THE London Daily News (Independent) says: If Mr. Laurier fulfils the promise of his present, he will go down to history as the greatest of great Canadians . . . There is something almost pathetically paradoxical in the fact that out of French Canada should have sprung one who shows, as no other Canadian has shown, with the possible exception of Sir John Thompson, the true grandeur of British strength and firmness and fairness and of Canadian common sense.

Dr. Shields, an eminent physician of Tennessee, says: "I regard Ayer's Sarsaparilla as the best blood-medicine on earth, and I know of many wonderful cures effected by its use." Physicians all over the land have made similar statements

YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

It is more like spring than winter, and one of the villagers states he saw a robin recently.

A number of the young men of Young's Point have formed an athletic club. They have boxing gloves, dumbells and games. On Tuesday nights there is a literary programme, and Saturday nights is devoted to the athletic sports. Mr. F. Barlee, of Lakefield, has been engaged to give instructions with the boxing gloves.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lundy, who have been up on Stony Lake at their cottage since Last May, are spending a few days at the Lake View House. They are going to Toronto for the winter.

Mr. F. Taylor, of Buckhorn, is the guest of the Rev. Mr. Hartley.

New Year's passed off very quietly here on account of no sleighing, although there was very good wheeling.

"Prof." Richard McBride, is spending a few days at the Point.

The Young's Point Dramatic club held a meeting on Thursday night (New Year's eve.) They held a debate, the subject of which was: "Which is Canada or the United States the best country to live in." The negative was taken by Miss Leonard and L. Anglesey; the affirmative by Miss Nellie Young and Will Young. The judges gave a decision in favour of the affirmative. After the debate a short programme was run off. Miss Emma Scollard favoured the audience with a recitation. Mr. Harry Kearney danced an Irish jig, and also gave a vocal solo. Miss Jennie Kearney favoured the club with a violin solo, accompanied by her sister Miss Ida Kearney.

Mr. William Scollard has gone to Orillia for a couple of weeks.

GALWAY.

From Our Own Correspondent.

After a long and painful illness Mrs. Buckley, widow of the late Jas. Buckley, died at her residence, lot 5, con. 13, Galway, just opposite the Roman Catholic church. Her illness extended through many weary months. It was thought at times that deceased would recover, but a few weeks previous to her death she began to sink gradually, and it was then known that the end would soon come. She expired on Dec. 28th, and was removed across the road, only a short distance to the burying ground, in connection with the above named church, on the 30th inst. Her funeral was well attended. Deceased lady was one of Galway's pioneers, who came and settled in the township when it was a dense forest. Her husband predeceased her about ten or twelve years ago.

Miss Emma Long, of Otonabee, is visiting friends here. She will probably remain a few months.

LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

[Supplied by H.P. Kennedy, live stock dealer, 240 George street, Peterborough.]

The past two weeks have been very quiet in live stock circles, as all dealers have had a heavy stock laid in for the holiday trade. At the present there is some sign of improvement. Stock is scarcer in the country, and everything tends to higher prices in the near future for choice stock. Butcher's cattle offer sparingly, that is, the right quality, and are worth from 2 to 3c per lb. live weight. Some of the cattle offering is is impossible to give quotations on them, as if they are sold, it must be at a sacrifice.

Sheep and lamb are firmer, and sell at 2 to 2½ for sheep, and 3 1-4 to 3½ for lambs. Fat hogs are also firmer, selling at $3.75 to $3.90 for choice selections, with heavy hogs and sows still dull at 3 1-4 to 3½. In the dressed meat market hogs are firmer at $4.50 to $4.75. Beef by the quarter, $4.00 to $6.00, and some inferior stock offering as low as 3½ to 3c.

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A Chemical Mixture Composed of Paris Green and Sulphate of Copper Was Used—Northern Spy Trees Yielded Double Quantities—Worms Were Destroyed.

Toronto, Jan. 6.

The process of spraying fruit, and particularly apples, with a chemical mixture of paris green and sulphate of copper, experimented with throughout the province on behalf of the Ontario Government, would appear to have resulted in unqualified success. Mr. W. M. Orr, who has perhaps the finest fruit farm in America at Fruitland, Ont., and who was deputed by the Department of Agriculture to make enquiries as to the effects of the spraying upon the quantity and quality of the fruit yield, has prepared a report, which will be published in a few days.

To illustrate the contents of the report, a few answers to the enquiries of Mr. Orr are worthy of notice

Mr. J. Pay of St. Catharines, for instance, says that his trees have borne fruit for many years, but that last year they gave the first yield fit to pack.

Mr. Robert Granger of Stoney Creek says that the sprayed Northern Spy trees yielded double the crop that the unsprayed ones did.

Capt. Henderson of Burlington states that his sprayed fruit is entirely free from worms, while the unsprayed yield is by no means so.

Mr. Mumm of Drumbo has also had this year his first crop of clean snow-apples in six years. His sprayed trees yielded 40 per cent. more fruit, which was as well larger and 50 per cent. cleaner than the unsprayed crop.

Mr. James Vanatter of St. George, Ont., makes perhaps the most conclusive statement. Of his sprayed snow-apples, he claims, 95 per cent are clean, while of his unsprayed apples but 4 per cent. are free from blemish.

Mr. J. M. Robertson of Galt and Mr. Jacob B. Shantz, Waterloo, speak in a similar manner.

Many well-known fruit growers in the eastern part of the province speak in like terms of the satisfaction which the spraying process has given them, and, as the cost for a large orchard does not exceed 5 cents per tree, it will be seen that it must prove, when its use becomes general, a boon to the country.

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The Cabinet Talked for Three Hours Yesterday.

PROJECTS FOR LARGE EXPANSION

Efforts Will be Made to Secure Business With South America, South Africa and Italy—Speaker's Warrants Issued for Bye-Elections—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The Cabinet had a three-hours' sitting this afternoon, at which, it is said, the question of extending Canadian trade was under consideration. It is admitted that Mr. J. S. Larke has done good work as Trade Commissioner in Australia, and it is now proposed to take steps to develop as much as possible trade with South Africa, South American and Mediterranean ports. Some years ago Mr. Simeon Jones of New Brunswick visited South America, and made a valuable report respecting the opening up of trade with the different countries of the southern continent, but no steps were taken towards carrying out his suggestions beyond the West Indian trade. The present Government will endeavor to secure for Canada a share of the trade in the localities named.

There has been considerable talk in the city to-day respecting the hitch which occurred at Archbishop Fabre's funeral yesterday as to precedence of Federal and Provincial Ministers. In the table of precedence laid down by Her Majesty the Dominion Ministers rank away ahead of Provincial Ministers, but a high authority states that at the function yesterday the Imperial order would not apply. The funeral was a function under the auspices of the Catholic Church, and as it was not a State affair the authorities of the church could do just as they pleased in the matter. The same gentleman pointed out the curious fact that according to the precedence table, Sir Richard Cartwright and Mr. Scott, who are seniors to the Premier as Privy Councillors, are entitled to take precedence over Mr. Laurier at State functions, although the rule laid down by Her Majesty has, by custom, been violated as regards the First Minister for years at State gatherings in Canada. If these funeral yesterday had been under the charge of the Government, as was the interment of Sir John Thompson, no such question as that which arose could have occurred.

This was a holiday in the public buildings, being the feast of the Epiphany. All the departmental buildings were closed, as well as the Printing Bureau. In the latter case it is somewhat of a hardship upon the employees, who are Protestants, as they are compelled to lay off simply on account of the religious views of the Roman Catholics, and the pay of all the men is docked. There seems to be a growing feeling, even among Roman Catholics, to abolish these holidays, and retain them simply as holy days.

In this connection a good story is told of Mr. E. B. Eddy, the well-known manufacturer of Hull. Mr. Eddy was waited upon by a deputation of his workmen, who informed him that they wanted a holiday next day, as it was All Saints' Day, and the rules of their church required that it should be observed. Mr. Eddy replied "All right," and next day the works were shut down. Some time after the delegation waited upon Mr. Eddy again, and informed him that the next day was also a holiday. "What is it this time?" Mr. Eddy is credited with asking. "Oh, it is St. Peter and St. Paul's Day," was the reply. Then, it is said, Mr. Eddy remarked: "Why in thunder couldn't Peter and Paul take their holiday at the same time as all the other saints without requiring a special day, and inconveniencing business men?"

Report does not say whether the men got their holiday or not. However, it illustrates one of the inconveniences which public men in this section have to contend with.

Dr. Wakeham, Canada's representative on the International Fisheries Commission, has returned to Ottawa, having completed his duties as Canadian Commissioner. The reports of the American Commissioner, Mr. Rathbun, and himself, have been handed to their respective Governments. The commissioners were appointed in 1893 for the purpose of reporting jointly or separately on (1) the prevention of destructive methods of fishing in the territorial and contiguous waters of the United States and Canada respectively, and also in the waters outside the territorial limits of either country; (2) the prevention of the polluting and obstruction of such contiguous waters to the detriment of fisheries and navigation and (3) the protection and preservation of the fisheries in the waters aforesaid, and the means by which the same may be enforced and observed in such waters by the inhabitants of both countries; and (4) on the subject of restocking and replenishing such contiguous waters with fish ova, and the means by which fish life may be therein preserved and increased. There is no disagreement between the two commissioners, their report being a joint one. It will now be the duty of the Governments of Great Britain and the United States to give effect by convention or treaty to the recommendations of the commissioners. It is expected that there will be an immediate exchange of views by the two Governments, to be followed by a treaty and such legislation as may be deemed necessary. So far as the inland waters are concerned, as the Governments of the several States have control of the fisheries, all that the Federal Government at Washington can do will be to endeavor to influence them to adopt legislation similar to that which Canada will pass.

During their peregrinations, which have extended from the Atlantic to the Pacific, the commissioners gathered a vast amount of evidence and they also came across some strange theories. Thus, for instance, on the Great Lakes some American fishermen were found who believed that the three-mile limit extended to the inland waters. This false theory was corrected by the commissioners. The boundary line is pretty sharply marked through the Great Lakes, and the jurisdiction of either country extends to it.

A writ was served on Mr. John O'Meara, ex-Reeve of Hintonburg, today, at the instance of Mr. Andrew Holland, claiming $5000 damages. The action arose from a statement made by Mr. O'Meara during the recent election campaign to the effect that Mr. Holland had perjured himself in the Sparks v. Corporation of Hintonburg case. There will be three other suits brought against Mr. O'Meara, as it is the intention of Messrs. Sparks, Reid and Newton to also take action.

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Mr. Speaker Edgar has issued his warrant for the writs in South Brant, East Simcoe and North Ontario. These seats are vacant through the unseating in the courts of Messrs. Henry and Bennett and the resignation of Mr. McGillivray. The three elections will be simultaneous, probably in the first week in February. The writs for West Prince, P. E. I., and Champlain, vacant through the unseating of Messrs. Hackett and Marcotte, will be issued as soon as the usual formalities have been complied with.

Out of the 40,000 stand of Lee-Enfield ordered by the Dominion Government some 33,000 have been delivered in Canada. Major Perley of the headquarters' staff, a high authority on rifle shooting, is to lecture next week on the new weapon. Gen. Gascoigne will preside.

Senator George A. Cox and Mr. Robert Jaffray of Toronto were in town to-day and had interviews with Mr. Blair and other Ministers.

It is the intention of the Council of the D. R. A. to push the construction of the Disley building as rapidly as possible, in order that it may be completed in time for occupancy next July.

The doctors who resigned from the staff of the County Protestant Hospital talk about establishing another institution.

Since Capt. Douglas went east as a commissioner to enquire into the charges of alleged partisanship in the Maritime Provinces among members of the outside service, considerable matter has been forwarded by him to the Department of Marine and Fisheries.

Hon. Dr. Borden has gone to Nova Scotia on a business trip.

The Premier and Hon. J. I. Tarte are in Quebec to-day.

Although to-day is a departmental holiday, those of the Ministers who are in the Capital, attended their offices and received a number of callers.

Mr. S. H. Janes of Toronto is reported to be after the Lieut.-Governorship of Ontario. He was in the Capital yesterday.

Mr. Hugh Ryan, contractor, is in town.

Prof. Robertson, Dominion Agricultural and Dairy Commissioner, left for Brockville this morning, accompanied by Mr. Fletcher, to be present at the dairymen's convention.

George W. Dawson, ex-M. P., of Addington, has been appointed organizer for the Eastern Ontario Liberal Association, with headquarters at Ottawa.

Ex-Ald. McGuire, one of the defeated candidates in Dalhousie Ward, has applied for a recount. He was only five votes behind the third successful candidate.

Chief Postoffice Inspector Sweetnam is in town.

Peter Kennell, an inmate of the county jail, died suddenly this morning.

HON. G. A. KIRKPATRICK.

The Condition of the Lieut.-Governor of Ontario is Serious—A Companion Patient With Dr. Jameson.

Montreal, Jan. 6.—(Star Special.)—Lieut.-Governor Kirkpatrick, who is lying seriously ill in a private hospital in the West End, has a companion patient in the person of Dr. Jameson, the Transvaal raider, who is also being treated. The Lieut.-Governor's wife has been cabled for. This was done in view of a proposed and serious operation for a complaint from which Sir John Abbott suffered. It is useless to disguise that His Honor's condition is quite serious.

TWEED TOPICS.

Mrs. James Davenport Makes a Statement for the Benefit of Others.

Mrs. Davenport is well-known in Tweed, and this is how she spoke to our representative concerning Doan's Kidney Pills. Said Mrs. Davenport:—

"I have suffered for some years from dizziness puffing under the eyes, pains in the side and back, sleeplessness, poor appetite, and in fact, was in a bad state generally.

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Bishop Sullivan of Toronto Preached the Sermon at Quebec.

Quebec, Jan. 6.—The consecration of Bishop Thornloe took place at the English Cathedral at 11 o'clock this morning. The church was filled to its utmost capacity with clergy and laity from all parts of the Province. The following bishops were present at the consecration: The Lord Bishop of Montreal, the Lord Bishop of Nova Scotia, the Lord Bishop of Ottawa, the Lord Bishop of Fredericton, Bishop Sullivan, the Ven. Archdeacon Mills, the Ven. Archdeacon Evans; Rev. Mr. Baylis, secretary of the House of Bishops; Ven. Archdeacon Roe; the Rev. Mr. Boydell, representative of Algoma; Principal Adams, the Rev. Prof. Alnatt; the Rev. Dr. Dumbell, newly appointed rector of Sherbrooke in place of Bishop-elect Thornloe, and the Rev. Prof. Wilkinson. The ceremony commenced with a procession, and the collect for the Epiphany by Bishop Sullivan and the Bishop of Nova Scotia. The sermon was preached by Bishop Sullivan, late of Algoma. The sermon was a masterpiece of sacred eloquence.

MCKINLEY AT THE THROTTLE.

Started a Salt Train at Silver Springs From His Home in Canton

Silver Springs, N.Y., Jan. 6.—One hundred and sixty cars loaded with 5,450,000 pounds of salt left here to-day consigned to New England firms. The throttle of the engine on the first section was opened, and the train started by a unique electrical contrivance operated by wire from President-elect McKinley at his home in Canton at 7 o'clock this morning. Mr. McKinley touched a button in his library, 300 miles away, the current leaped over the special wire into the engine cab, and the throttle opened. The train was the Worcester salt special, bearing a consignment of orders to New England which had been given contingent upon President McKinley's election.

CATARRH

Mrs. Dobell, of London, Ont., Cured for 25 Cents

Doctors Could Help, but Couldn't Cure—Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure Released the Prisoner, and To-day She is as Well as Ever—She Says it is a Great Remedy

"Yes, I am Mrs. Dobell," said a comely, pleasant-faced woman at her home on Horton street to a News reporter to-day, "and I will very gladly tell you what you want to know. About three years ago my husband was very ill, and I had frequently occasion to rise in the night and go for a doctor or to the druggist. In my hurry I often neglected to properly clothe myself, and contracted several heavy colds, which turned at last to chronic catarrh. I tried doctors, who helped me, but did not cure me, and several special catarrh medicines. I was relieved but not cured. I was suffering intolerably when Mr. Shuff recommended me to try **CHASE'S CATARRH CURE**, and it began at once to help, and in about two months had entirely cured me. I cannot speak too highly of this remarkable medicine, and cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers from catarrh." The blower included is a great help to sufferers.

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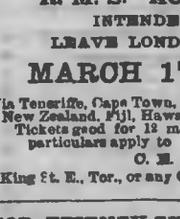

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New Year's Kid Gloves
New Year's Lined Mitts
New Year's Dress Shirts
New Year's Collars and Cuffs
New Year's Fine Underwear

We do as well for the YOUTHS and BOYS as we do for the Men. We go in this week for Lower Prices than ever as we want to sell the whole of our Holiday Stock this week. We are thankful for the confidence and continued patronage of the public, and take this opportunity of wishing all the Compliments of the Season.

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Successor to C. B. Routley.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers in the DAILY EXAMINER to ensure a prompt change of their advertisement, will please hand in their copy the evening previous to the date the "ad." should appear.

Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Suitable.

What more suitable for a Holiday present than one of China Hall's lovely $10.00 dinner sets?

The Taxes.

As the collector of taxes has been notified to return his roll by February 1st, he expects all unpaid taxes to be in by the 15th of this month.

The Light Went Out.

Owing to a couple of accidents to the boiler in the gas house, last night, the supply was cut off, but the majority of the consummers were warned in time to make provision to meet the emergency.

Grand Flower Social.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the C.L.A. will hold their annual Flower Social on Wednesday evening, January 13th, in the Catholic Association rooms. Butcher's orchestra in attendance. Also cards and games. Tickets including supper, 50 cents. 9d

Again to the Front.

We have now got over the holiday rush and are prepared to give our undivided attention to your special requirements in all the best lines of groceries and provisions, wishing you all a prosperous New Year. E. Brown & Co., 294 George street.

Special Notice.

All members of Court Little John, No. 92, C.O.F., are requested to be present at our next meeting, Monday, Jan. 11th inst., and bring their wives or lady friends with them. Business—installation of officers and a social evening to be spent. By order of Committee. 4d5

Little Red Riding Hood.

There were so many who were unable to see the presentation of the operatta, "Little Red Riding Hood" in St. John's School House Tuesday evening, on account of the large attendance, that it will be repeated again this evening. The proceeds will be applied to the Sunday School extension fund.

The Carnivals.

Court Peterborough, Canadian Order of Foresters, met last night and installed the newly elected officers. Afterwards refreshments were served. During the evening it was resolved to push forward and arrange all preliminaries for the series of carnivals which are to be given under the Court's auspices in the rink this winter.

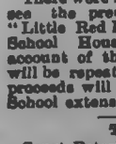
Millbrook Without Light.

At the meeting of the Millbrook council the other evening, the Electric Light Co. were notified that their services were no longer required. Thus after enjoying electric light for a little over a year the town will again be in darkness. This move is owing to the very poor service the company has been given the town.—Port Hope Times.

Monday Night's Play.

"Joshua Simpkins," a story of New England farm life, will be seen at Bradburn's Opera House, Monday night, Jan. 11th. It is said to abound in novel features, wonderful mechanical effects, excellent singing and dancing and plenty of refined, wholesome fun, and brings to light in the third act a real saw mill in operation, which is claimed to be the greatest realistic stage effect ever produced. Between the acts a high class orchestra renders some excellent music, and also aids in the introduction of many pleasing, singing and dancing specialties during the progress of the play. Seats now on sale. Prices 25c, 35c and 50c.

Sale of Fine Furs.



W. S. Johnston's great sale of *Ladies' fine Furs* is creating quite a storm amongst our local furriers—and no wonder when they are brought to compete against the name of Joseph Rogers, Toronto, as the manufacturer. The public well know the reliability of this house, which up to the date of failure was considered Toronto's leading fur house. Every garment is up to date in style and Mr. Johnston is certainly giving the ladies a splendid opportunity of securing Joseph Roger's furs at prices away below even the ordinary furrier.

AUCTION SALE

On Market Square next Saturday—A Family Cutter, little used. —Chas Stapleton, Auctioneer.

A HARVEY FARMER BECOMES MENTALLY DERANGED.

Mr. Harry Nesbitt's Mind Gives Way and he is Placed Under Arrest.

High County Constable G. Cochrane and Constable Moore had an unpleasant duty to perform yesterday, when they drove out ten miles beyond Buckhorn, in Harvey township to execute a warrant for the arrest of Mr. Harry Nesbitt on a charge of being insane and dangerous to be at large.

About fifteen of the neighbours have been watching Mr. Nesbitt closely for the last few days, as it was feared he might harm his wife or children and the constables arrived just in the nick of time, for as they entered the gate Nesbitt exhibited signs of becoming violent, and had ejected the neighbours from the house by force. The last man had just been flung out when the constables entered the house.

County Constable Cochrane was instantly recognised and collared, but Constable Moore and a couple of others, entered immediately behind him, and Nesbitt was quickly tied hand and foot.

The struggles of the prisoner to obtain release, and the tears of his wife and children was a very sad scene, and one which will not be soon forgotten by those who witnessed it.

Mr. Nesbitt was brought in to the gaol to await medical examination, and during the long ride he never ceased talking for an instant, giving undoubted signs of his mind being unsettled.

The prisoner is a well-to-do farmer in Harvey and ran for the office of councillor in the recent election. He has been in poor health for some time but only gave signs of mental derangement on the Sunday before the election. The family has the most sincere sympathy of the entire neighbourhood in their great misfortune.

Mr. Nesbitt has been remanded until the 13th instant.

THREE MONTHS IN GAOL.

For an Infraction of the Game Laws in the North.

James Johnston, of the north country, is locked up in the county goal for three months, or until he can raise a fine of $20 and costs, imposed by Game Warden Smith some time ago on a charge of allowing his hounds to run at large during the close season for deer in the vicinity of the mica mines.

The game Warden caught Johnston, it seems, in the act of infringing the game laws as stated above, and imposed the fine, but Johnston neglected to pay up and threatened to shoot the first man who attempted to collect the fine. The game warden gave High County Constable Cochrane the warrant for his arrest, at the same time telling him that he was being awarded the high honour of being the first man Johnston would have to use as a target. As stated last week Constable Cochrane ran his man down in Norwood. The costs now amount to about $40, so that the prisoner will doubtless have to serve out the three months in gaol.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The Local Legislature opens February 10th.

—Where are Peterborough's amateur minstrels this year.

—It is almost time to talk up the annual curlers' excursion to Toronto.

—The first meeting of the new county council will be held on January 26th.

—Owing to the week of prayer the Y. M.C.A. Bible class will not meet to-night.

—The rink is again open for skaters. The curlers were able to use the ice last night.

—With so many hockey clubs in the vicinity, Peterborough should have a lot of good games this season.

—The first meeting of the new town council will be held on the morning of the 15th, according to statute.

—Have you tried "Gold Cure" for Asthma. If not call on J D. Tully and get a sample. 6d2-1w

—The annual meeting of the Board of Health will be held in the town clerk's office to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—A few cases of la grippe have been reported during the week, and in every instance in the full semblance of its former self. There seems to be some infallibility about grip.

—The first solar eclipse of this year occurs on the first day of February, but it will be invisible in Canada. Another is set down for the 29th July, partly visible here.

—The warden of the counties, under the new Act, holds his seat for one year only, but he is eligible for re-election the second year. County councillors hold peaceable possession for two years.

—A Mr. Cutler took ill in Morristown, N.J., the other day, and Dr. McBurney proceeded to operate for appendicitis. On opening the abdominal cavity the doctor discovered that nature had forestalled him and that Cutler had no appendix to extirpate. People in Morristown are thinking deeply about this.

—It is puzzling to the minds of the iron clad weather prophets to know what has become of the extremely severe weather which threatened this province during the month of December. Bare fields, clear of even a fleck of snow, and an entire absence of frost for several days the beginning of January, is looked upon as an occurrence that is remarkable for Ontario.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Mutilated Coins.

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M. L. Henry & Co. to Their Customers.

The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to use our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their accounts without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

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No. 3—The best scholar's companion for 5 cents at Stratton's Bookstore.

No. 4—The biggest slate for 5 cents, at Stratton's Bookstore.

No. 5—The best value in town in school supplies of all kinds, at the Peterborough Bookstore.

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SCRAP IN THE SOUTH END.

A Deadly Warfare in Full Swing—Some Hairpulling.

There lives in the south end two sisters. One lives with a private family, cooks the meals, washes the clothes and perambulates the baby. The other resides with a family not so private, but her little pastimes are about the same as her sister's.

When not otherwise employed these two sisters, curly headed and comely, turn themselves loose in "sassiety" giddy whirl and let 'er whirl, too. They are favourites, and by the same token will remain favourites for some time.

For ways that are dark and tricks that are vain, the South End matrons are peculiar. The matrons took umbrage or something of the sort at the popularity of the sisters, and pretty soon there were wise headshakings, knowing nods and quiet tips being passed around that all was not well in the south end. Dame rumour went so far as to say that one of the sisters was not just as she should be. The other, who lived with the private family, got wind of it and started out on the warpath. There were a number of back yard interviews and she and the neighbours stood on their back lawns, over by the ash barrel, and "sassed back" till all was blue. It was by long odds the tallest and breeziest chinning match the south end ever witnessed. The girl was bent on finding out where the slanderous story originated. One of the ladies, whom she interviewed upon this vital point, rather pointedly informed her her that "she could take a fine tooth comb and rake h—l over and not find who started it." There was a lot more choice English aired and finally a hand to hand hair pulling contest ensued in the summer kitchen of the lady interviewed. No one was seriously injured and the cruel war is still on and promises to outlive the Cuban insurrection.

BATTALION NOTES.

Five of the Boys Off for the Military School.

That the 57th intends to maintain its name as a crack regiment is shown by the fact that every year a contingent of the members go up to Toronto and take a course at the Stanley barracks to perfect themselves in drill and be fitted to take higher positions in the ranks.

On Tuesday morning last five of the members left to take a three months course, viz: Corporal Pratt, Private's Craig, Haws and Ringer, and Bugler Galley. The Peterborough boys will doubtless reflect credit on the local corps by the stand which they will take in their examinations at the end of the term.

PERSONAL.

Mr. A.A. McDonald was in Belleville yesterday.

Mr. Will Connors has returned from a visit in Lindsay.

Mrs. D. A. Shaw and daughter are visiting friends in Barrie.

Mr. Clark Greenaway, of Port Britain, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Harry Phelan and Mr. Thos. Fortye are in Ottawa on a business trip.

Mr. Lionel King left last night for Ann Arbor University, Michigan, after a holiday of several weeks.

Miss Burns, of Belleville, is spending a few days in town as the guest of Mrs. Jas. Dixon, Smith street.

Miss Lizzie Meagher has been the guest for the last few days of her sister, Mrs. Jos. McGinty in Lindsay.

Mrs. Jas. Whyte, of Peterborough, is visiting friends in Campbellford, and will remain there a few weeks.

Miss Agnes O'Connor, of Lindsay, is visiting her brother, Mr. L. V. O'Connor, of the local legal firm of O'Connel & O'Connor.

The Toronto Granites are in Lindsay this afternoon. Messrs. Flavelle, McLennan, Needler and Little will skip the Lindsay rinks against them.

The many friends of Rev. Father Lynch, of Port Hope, were glad to see him in town to-day, and have an opportunity of wishing him the compliments of the season.

Miss Hattie Cahill, daughter of Mr. Thos. Cahill, has been appointed to succeed Miss Ryan, resigned, as teacher of the junior department in the Murray street Separate School.

The Lindsay Post says: Miss Josie Morrow of Peterborough, who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien, of Melbourne street, south ward, returned home last evening.

It has been decided to send a rink from Lindsay to take part in the international bonspiel at Toronto on Thursday of next week. Messrs. Flavelle, McWillan, Needler and Millar compose the rink.

SELWYN LITERARY SOCIETY.

Programme Presented at the Regular Meeting.

The Selwyn Literary Society met as usual in the Temperance Hall, on Dec. 30th. The President occupied the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted, after which the following programme was rendered:

Critic's report.....Miss Middleton
Instrumental music.....Miss Rosborough
Dialogue.....Mrs A Mollmoyle and Geo B [Nicholls
Debate....Messrs Tindal and Walton: Messrs [Manning and Tremnum
Song.....Mr Succe
Reading.....Miss A Bell
Instrumental music...Messrs Moore and Clifford
Reading—"History of our Times"....W Tindal
Paper.....Editor

Mr. Herb. Pearson was appointed critic for the next meeting, which will be held on Jan. 8th.

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SABBATH SCHOOL CONVENTION.

It Will be Held in Lakefield Presbyterian Church on Jan. 12th.

Following is the programme of the Sabbath School Convention to be held in Lakefield Presbyterian church, Tuesday afternoon and evening, Jan. 12th, opening at 2 o'clock:

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2.00—Service of Song and Devotional Exercises. Led by Rev A. C. Reeves, B.A.
2.15—President's Address.
2.30—Appointment of Nomination Committee.
2.35—Reports from Schools. Secretaries are requested to send in written reports.
Singing: "All Hail the Power, etc."
3.00—Conference: "How can we retain the senior scholars in our Sabbath Schools." Led by Mr J Snooks.
Singing: "Take my life and let it be."
3.20—Paper: "A bird's eye view of the lessons of 1897." By Rev. G. R. Clare.
4.00—Conference on above.
Singing: "Rescue the Perishing."
4.15—Address to children. Rev. T. J. Edmison, B.D.
Collection.
4.45—Report of Nominating Committee and introduction of new Officers.
Closing.

EVENING SESSION.

7.15—Devotional Exercises, led by Rev. A. C. Reeves, B.A.
7.20—Address, "Influences producing fruitful work in the Sabbath school, by Rev. J.G. Potter, of St. Andrews.
Singing, "Lord, I hear of showers of blessing."
8.05—Address, "The Text Book of the Sabbath School," by Rev. A. T. Dykeman, of the Murray street Baptist church.
Collection.
8.40—Question Drawer, by Rev. C. E. MacLeod, of Gilmour Memorial church.

Let every participant be on time. Let each school appoint delegates. Bring your note books and use them.

T. H. BENSON, Secretary-Treasurer. A. NORTHEY, President.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

Rev. J. J. Rae Speaks from the George Street Church Pulpit.

A large audience assembled at the George street Methodist church last night, and a very encouraging meeting was held.

Rev. W. R. Young presided, and associated with him were Rev. Messrs. Torrance, Dykeman, Rae and Potter. The Rev. J. J. Rae introduced the subject for prayer, viz., "Charitable Institutions," in a manner that enlisted the sympathies and the hearty interest of all in the great work that is being carried on all over the land for the good of our fellow men. These institutions, he claimed, formed a true expression of the Christ within us.

The service was thoroughly enjoyed by all, and a deeper interest in the proposed County House of Industry ought to be a practical result.

The meetings have increased in interest each night, so that at to-night's service a profitable and inspiring time should be spent. The Rev. W. R. Young will introduce the subject for prayer, viz., "Educational Institutions." Rev. Dr. Torrance will preside.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 7.—6.30 a.m.....16° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 1897.

A CHEESE MANUFACTURER ASSIGNS.

A despatch from Brockville states that Mr. O. Bush, M.P.P., a prominent cheese manufacturer, with headquarters at Kemptville, who it was reported had not only got into financial difficulties, but had left for parts unknown, settled speculation by suddenly returning and making an assignment. His liabilities are placed at $11,000 and assets at $7,000. He owned several large factories, but lost heavily by speculation in last season's output. Farmers—patrons of his factories—are the chief creditors.

MILLBROOK.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The municipal elections for Millbrook resulted as follows:—Reeve, W.S. Pickup; Councillors, R. W. Clarke, John Clarke, Thomas Gilliott and S. Bateson; School Trustees—Dr. Turner, T. B. Collins and L. E. Needham.

The commissioners elected for Division No. 3, of East Durham, comprising the north of Hope, south of Cavan and Millbrook, are Alex Ferguson and Thomas Donaldson.

For Division No. 3, comprising the north of Cavan and the township of Manvers—J. J. Preston and S. E. Ferguson.

The first carnival of the season here will be held on Friday evening.

The "at home" given in the Methodist church on New Year's night proved to be a grand success. Miss Ethel Richardson rendered two solos which were greatly liked by the audience.

Master Fred Tully, of Peterborough, spent a few days in town the guest of his cousin, Walter Hetherington.

Miss Annie Wood, who has been spending her holidays at home, returned to Toronto to assume her duties.

Mr. J. A. Woodhouse, of Port Hope, was in town on Monday.

Mr. L. F. Clarry returned to Toronto on Monday.

Miss Lillie Burton is in Barrie visiting friends.

Mr. Geo. Dean, who has been in town for a week or more, returned to Agincourt on Saturday.

Mr. John Pendrie, of Rochester, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Pendrie, King street.

Messrs. Walter Coombe and Geo. Burnham have bought out the general store of Mr. William Lang, having taken possession on January 1st.

The concert to be given on the evening of Jan. 14th, under the auspices of the Hockey club, promises to be one of the best of the season. Besides the very best local talent some good outside talent will also make their appearance for the first time before a Millbrook audience.

Rev. Mr. Phelps exchanged pulpits with the Rev. Mr. Rae, of Peterborough, on Sunday last.

SPECIAL—Men's Scotch Knit Shirts and Drawers, worth 65c, this week 35c, at Grafton & Co.

Salvation Army Notes.

Captain and Mrs. Rowe, who had been in charge of the Salvation Army in Uxbridge, were transferred to Gravenhurst recently, and on the Sunday previous to his departure the captain submitted a financial statement, showing his supporters how their money had been expended during his six months term. Capt. Rowe and wife received free house, fuel and lighting (the two latter items costing $6.31) and $25.00 as salary. Any donations of food for the "officers' mess" were entered at a valuation and formed part of the munificent salary of $25.00. After existing on a salary of $1 per week Capt. Rowe and wife had not a cent left to defray their expenses to their next charge, and had to canvass the town for subscriptions to raise the amount. This does not speak well for Army management at headquarters.

Furniture by Private Sale.

The handsome furniture and contents of Mr. P. Henry's residence, No. 218 Charlotte Charlotte street, opposite Charlotte street Methodist church, is open for purchase by private sale—either in part or en bloc. Parties can view the furniture on and after Monday, January 11th, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 9 p.m., for one week. The furniture is all new and modern in design, having received comparatively little wear, and is well worthy the attention of housekeepers wishing to make additions to their furniture, or those about to start housekeeping. 6d5

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

At a meeting of the Thistles held last night, Messrs. Ray and Rutherford were elected skips to play in the double rink competition at the Lindsay bonspiel. Skips Kells, Ferguson and LeBrun will represent the Thistles in the annual matches of the Lindsay-Peterborough competition.

The Kendry Cup matches began last night, the result of the games played being as followed:

Thistles.		*Granites.*
G Giroux,		E H Stone,
W H Meredith,		R H Fortye,
A St A Smith,		G E Whiten,
John McClelland, sk. 21		G W Hatton, sk 16
O B Shortly,		W H Hill,
Jr Greer,		F J Rogers,
W J Thompson,		R Stevenson,
J McKee, sk..... 7		R M Donaldson, sk.. 25

A scratch match was played among the Thistles with the following result:

Herb Hall,	R Kerr,
Alf Terrill,	J Amos,
G Fitzgerald,	H Snowden,
D Bellegham, sk....16	A Blade sk.....v....11

In the Kendry cup series the following skips are drawn to play off to-night:

Thistles.		*Granites.*
W G Ferguson	vs.	E B Edwards
S Ray	vs.	T P Atrill

FRIDAY.

E H Kells	vs.	D W Dumble
R B McKee	vs.	W D Parker

SATURDAY.

T Rutherford	vs.	Dr Boucher
G J Hopkins	vs.	Geo Edmison

The following draws will have to be worked in during the afternoon:

D Bellesham	vs.	Judge Weller
H LeBrun	vs.	Harry Allen
Sam Clegg	vs.	R S Davidson
J B Penhapd	vs.	J Consal

The Ontario Tankard Group composed of Lakefield, Bobcaygeon, Lindsay, Orillia, and Peterborough Thistles, has been ordered to play off the draw in Lindsay by Umpire J. A. Vance, of Millbrook. A strong but ineffectual effort was made to induce the umpire to have the draw played played off here, where the ice is always true. Lindsay, however, had the biggest pull, Orilla and Bobcaygeon both preferring to go there.

The first match Lindsay-Peterborough competition will probably be played off on Tuesday next when three of the Thistle rinks go to Lindsay to play and three Granite rinks play against three Lindsay rinks here. The Granites have not selected their skips yet.

HOCKEY.

A meeting of the Executive of the Peterborough Hockey Club is called for this evening at the rink parlours.

Queen's has won the senior championship twice in the last six years, but has been in the finals no less than five times, as shown in the appended table:—

1891—Ottawa beat Queen's	4-1
1892—Ottawa beat O-goods Hall	10-4
1895—Ottawa beat Queen's	6-3
1894—Osgoode Hall beat Queen's	5-2
1895 Queen's beat Trinity	17-3
1896—Queen's beat Stratford	12-3

The Peterborough Collegiate Institute hockey team goes over to Lindsay for a friendly game with the Collegiates of that place on Friday evening next.

Kingston undoubtedly hasn't had any more ice lately than Peterborough as the Whig says:—"If a spell of cold weather does not come along very soon the hockey players will have to jump into the league matches without any previous practice. The first round is set down for the 15th inst. Ice in the Kingston skating rink will be good enough to-night for the Frontenac hockey team to have a practice. The boys will have to do some fine hustling to get into shape before the league matches are called on."

ICE TROTTING.

Belleville will give a two days' trotting meeting on the ice on January 21st and 22nd and the programme has been arranged as follows:

First Day—Named race, $75; 2.30 class, $100.

Second Day—3 minute class, $100; free for all, $200.

The following officials were appointed:

Subscription Committee—H. Corby, M. P., Geo. N. Leavens, J. V. Jenkins, W. H. Biggar, M. P. P.

Managing Committee—James Ketcheson, Dr. Dolan, S. Curry, Dr. Quackenbush, Jas. A. Roy, Jas. McGuire, W. Clark, Geo. I. Thomas, T. H. Purdy, J. C. Lake.

Treasurer—Geo. N. Leavens.

Secretary—John F. Baird.

O'CONNOR.

Mr. J. H. Taylor's Acknowledgment.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—Having enjoyed the honour of being a teacher of an adult class in the Sabbath school for a period of six or seven years, and during that time having been remembered twice by the class, and once or twice by individual members thereof in a very tangible manner, the last having been presented to me at the close of teaching. I wish to thank any who in any way contributed to make me feel that my work was appreciated.

This new year what solemn thoughts force themselves upon the mind. How many have attended for a time and then ceased to attend. How gladly would we welcome back any. Perhaps I was to blame. Some who attended for a time have passed away. Have I been faithful.

What a privilege to be a teacher! How many hours we dwell upon the lesson which we likely would not do but for the Sabbath school. How many beauties we see in the sacred page we likely would miss but for the Sabbath school. The sweetest hours of my life appear to have been while dwelling upon the sacred page or sitting under the preached word. I have said nothing about omissions and mistakes, I have felt them at times keenly enough without repeating here. That we may spend this year better than ever before, and at last meet in our Father's house through the merits of Him who said: "I go to prepare a place for you," is the sincere prayer of

J. H. TAYLOR,
Keene.

Jan. 4th, 1897.

HARVEY.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Miss Aggie Crowe, who was home spending Xmas with her parents, has returned to Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Bickle, of Bowmanville, are here visiting Mrs. Bickle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Crowe.

The school question is once more a thing of the past. At the annual meeting, last Wednesday, W. Beatty, the retiring trustee, was again re-elected.

Mr. J. S. Cairnduff is at present suffering severely with inflammation in one of his eyes. It is to be hoped that he will soon be well again.

Mr. R. Gerrard is here visiting some of his old friends. He is looking well.

There is to be a basket social on the 15th in aid of the Presbyterian mission here.

On Friday night about forty young people gathered at Mr. R. Richmond's and spent a jolly night to the strains of the violin.

A. Wilson drowned a horse yesterday morning whilst crossing to the north side.

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LAKEFIELD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Rev. John McEwen occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening.

Mr. Albert Hamilton of Peterborough, spent New Year's Day in the village.

Mr. N. Nelson and wife, who have been visiting their parents here for the past two weeks, returned to their home in Essex on Monday.

Miss Dafoe of Norwood has been visiting friends here.

Mr. T. W. Stevenson of Norwich is visiting friends in the village.

Mr. R. Q. Dench was called suddenly to to Toronto, owing to the illness and death of his brother-in-law, Mr. Thos. Leeds.

Miss Mann of Bridgenorth is the guest of Mrs. Paul.

Rev. George Warren is in Toronto this week attending a clerical conference.

Mr. Jas. Humphreys of Griswold, Manitoba, is the guest of Mr. T. Gordon.

Mr. Geo. B. Hilliard will shortly remove to the Bowker residence after it has been suitably repaired.

School re-opened Monday with the same staff of teachers as last year.

The following are the results of the promotion examinations held in December:

Tablet to Junior I—Irene Munro, Grace Baldson, Rose Moore, Sherman Hill, Filibo Sabatino, Reginald Pierson, Marshal McIlmoyl, Willis Quinn, Wm. Graham, Gordon Bullock, Maud Leahy, Stella Roseborough, Bertha Podger, Elsie Millage.

Junior I to Senior I—Jack Patterson, Anderson Isbister, Arthur Marduff, Wilbert White, Joseph Morin, Maggie Hynes, John Charlton, Beatrice Gordon, Cora Hunter, Rodger, Fraser, Lucy Hutchings.

Senior I to Junior Part II—Mary Robson, Stanley Simpson, Eva Robinson, Mina Edwards, Elmo Evans, Willie Kennealy, Fred Brown, Jas. Watson, Eddie Millage, Hector Hunter, Eva Little, Eva Jory.

Junior Pt. II. to Senior Pt. I—Chas. McDonald, Albert White, Clarence Wright, Bertha White, Eddie Shannon, Hazel Hendren, Blanche Sellens, Elmir Johnston, Susie Dunn, (Frank Grylls will be examined on return to school.)

Senior Pt. II. to II.—Gladys Murduff, Lizzie Richardson, Lottie Godfrey, Alice Wilson, Ethel Richardson, Florence Noyes, Allan Smith, Wellie Crawford, Janet Charlton, Charlie Crawford, Mary Coughlin.

Junior II. to Senior II—S. Cook, O Martin, C. Bullock, L. Murduff, S. Edwards, W. Hurl, A. Hunter, R. Crawford, C. Stinson, T. Jewell.

Senior II. to Junior III—Violet Crawford Mary Foley, Harry Simpson, Joe Carveth, Rowena Scrimger, Ethel Watson, Joe Kennealy, Maurice Hynes, Hall Roseborough, Ethel Jackman, Ada Badcock.

Junior III to Intermediate III—Rollie Northcott, Bruce Ridpath, Ethel Murduff, Willie Foley, Howard Bullock, Ralph Edmison, Michael Quigley, Ella Moore, Josey Forsythe, Thomas Isbister.

Intermediate III to Senior III.—May Nicholls, Ella Patterson, Louise Bell, Willie Gordon, Leo Quinn, Allan Dunford, Charlie Blomfield, Lorne Mason, Alex Edmison.

Senior III to Junior IV.—Hattie Thompson, Ernie Baledon, Wesley Leonard, George White, Bert Hatton, Morley Sellens, Mabel McDonald, Reggie Hunter.

Junior IV to Senior IV.—Olive Hutton, Maggie Kennealey, Reggie Blomfield, H. Stubbs, Ethel Davis.

R. Graham & Son are offering special reductions on on overcoats, ulsters, ladies' jackets, robes, blankets, dress goods, etc.

An interesting programme has been prepared for the Sabbath school convention, to b held in the Presbyterian church on the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, January 21th.

At the last regular meeting of Exeter Lodge, No. 89, S. O. E., the following officers were elected:

Bro G A Bickell	P P
" Arthur Wood	W P
" C J Burgis	V P
" Rev Geo Warren	Chap
" W F Waldron	Treas
" R Q Dench	Sec
" J B Kelly	T
" A J Jory	1st Guide
" Wm Dunford	2nd "
" N J Jory	3rd "
" G W Hill	4th "
" Fred Abbott	5th "
" Wm Edwards	6th "
" Wm Cox	O G
" Thos Dunford	Caretaker
" Dr J R Fraser	Lodge Physician
" R J Jory, P P	Trustees
" G A Bickell	
" J E Kelly	Auditors
" J W Ridpath	
" R Q Dench	Delegate to G L

The regular meeting of Court Lakefield will be held this (Thursday) evening, at which the installation of officers will take place.

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OMEMEE.

(From an Own Correspondent.)

The health of the citizens is good.

The village is now quiet again after the departure of the holiday visitors, which were unusually numerous.

The cantata, "Story of the Star," rendered by the Presbyterian Sunday school teachers and scholars on New Year's night, gave great satisfaction. The decorations of the church by Mr. and Mrs. Hunt were excellent.

Emily township—Reeve—R. Boates, defeating Adams by 8 votes. Deputy Reeve—J. J. Mitchell, Emily, by acclamation. Councillors—Scully, Fee and Kennedy.

Village—Reeve—T. Stephenson, defeating Parsons by 40 votes. Councillors—Stephenson, Beasty and two yet to be nominated.

School trustees—Dr. Thompson, J. McCrea, T. Laidley, J. J. Lang, J. J. Lamb and Jas. Johnston. There was considerable excitement over the elections.

Mr. J. A. Tully and Mrs. Tully of Peterborough, spent New Years here.

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A TOUGH PLACE.

Owen Sound is Getting to be a Very Bad Town.

The Owen Sound Times says: "A deplorable case was ventilated in the police court this week, when a couple of young girls, aged fourteen and fifteen years respectively, were sentenced to a year each in the Industrial Refuge for Girls, Toronto. They were arrested in the post office while intoxicated, and the Children's Aid Society took hold of the matter, with the above result. A terrible condition of affairs has existed in Owen Sound for some time, many boys and girls scarcely in their teens being scandalously dissolute, in most cases as the result of criminal negligence and indifference on the part of parents."

CANADIAN HOME JOURNAL.

The January number of the Canadian Home Journal contains many bright things of interest to women. Among them the latest fashions in evening dresses, as worn by the leaders of society in Toronto; a chapter on palmistry; notes of pictures, music and books, the stage and the household, all by well-known writers; Talks with People we Meet, by Faith Fenton, the editor, is especially interesting. "Faith that Removes Mountains," by Clifford Smith, and a number of other stories by favourite authors, appear in this number.

Subscription price, $1 a year. The EXAMINER and the Canadian Home Journal for 1897 for $1.50.

Eccentricities In Palaces.

The King of Siam, who, according to late reports, has had a palace constructed which he can submerge in the sea at will and so live under water whenever he chooses, is not the only monarch who has indulged in eccentricities of this sort.

For instance, history has preserved the memory of the ice palace built by the Russian Empress Anne, who punished several of her dainty courtiers by compelling them to pass the night in this great chamber of state, where they were almost frozen to death.

The Czar Paul, ancestor of the present Emperor of Russia, constructed a room formed entirely of huge mirrors, where he spent hours walking to and fro in full uniform—a singular taste for the ugliest man in Russia.

One of the native princes of Java cooled his palace by making a stream fall in a cascade over the gateway, and the Indian despot Tippo Sahib placed beside his dinner table a life size figure of a tiger devouring an English officer, the roar of the beast and the shrieks of the victim being imitated by hidden machinery.—Harper's Young People.

Others have found health, vigor and vitality in Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it surely has power to help you also. Why not try it?

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

Have You Seen it?

The little store around the corner south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 426 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—MRS. APPLEBY. dw

That hacking cough can be quickly cured by Hagard's Pectoral Balsam. Price 25c.

To the Municipal Electors of

WARD NO. 1.

I desire to thank the ladies and gentlemen of No. 1 Ward who, with their votes and influence elected me as Councillor for 1897. The result of the voting was very gratifying to me, as the large vote polled in my favour is due to the voluntary and energetic work of my supporters, I shall endeavour to show my appreciation of the confidence bestowed upon me by a faithful and honest discharge of the duties devolving upon me.

Yours faithfully,

CHARLES B. ROBERTSON,

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TENDERS

Addressed to Dr. Geo. Burnham, President of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society, will be received up to

SATURDAY, January 9th, 1897,

—FOR THE—

Caretaking, Planting and Management of the Court House Park.

(For the Season of 1897.)

A. H. COBB,
Secretary.

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HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society, will be held pursuant to statute, in the Council Chamber, on

Wednesday, Jan. 13th, 1897,

at 7.30 o'clock, p.m., for the election of officers and the transaction of other business.

A. H. COBB, Secretary. GEO. BURNHAM, M.D., President.

Peterborough, Jan. 5th 1897. 2d3

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FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS IN EACH CAN

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Are all well-known brands with a good reputation. We don't handle "Pride-of-the-Gutter" or "Undertaker's Delight," or "Early Yorks." We allow no brands into our stock that the makers allow the quality to run down. OUR BIG 4 COMBINATION is having a great run—4 Ten Cent Bouquet Flavoured Cigars for only a Quarter. Take your pick of any of these:—

The Roseberry, William Pitt, Dunraven, El Cello, Irving, Dias Garcias and the Chamberlain, the new popular 10c Cigar Out. 4 for 25c.

If you think of riding a Bicycle this year, we will have a great big snap for you in the "STEARNS"—the Champion wheel of the crowd.

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Will have a special sale of Dress Goods of the D. O. LeGendre Stock

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Included in the sale is a nice lot of those New Wrapperettes, the most fashionable goods in the market for Ladies Wrappers, which will be sold at 10c per yard, usually sold at 15c.

There is a splendid stock of Black and Coloured All Wool Dress Goods, in all the different Fabrics.

Also received Two Thousand Dollars worth of Furs, the balance of the Bankrupt Stock of the noted furrier Joseph Rogers, Toronto. These goods are not intended to be placed in competition with the fag end of the Lugedin and other stocks lately brought to town by a local furrier. All are invited to call and see our stock.

NOTE THE PLACE, 323 George St., Opposite Market Arcade.

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Favourite styles—popular prices—including a lot of Spring Skates at less money. See our Hockey Skate with Improved Reinforced Front and Heel, guaranteed against breakage.

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The rink is now open for skating forenoons afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies	$2 00
For Gentlemen	2 00
For Girls	1 50
For Youths	2 00
For Boys	1 50

FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates; each addition al member half rates.

Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

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point where he has to inject the deadly extracts of opium under the skin in order to get rest and sleep, the grave is not far distant. The time to take care of health is before it is utterly and irretrievably gone. The man who works on and on, utterly heedless of health and too busy to occasionally take a little necessary medicine, is committing suicide as surely as if he turned a pistol on his heart. When a man dies by little degrees. First a little indigestion and a little neglect. Then loss of appetite. The bowels get clogged and the blood receives poisons instead of healthy nutriment. Old, inert tissues in flesh, muscle, nerve and brain are not replaced by new. The whole body gets stale. The very sleeping-room of a man in this condition is filled in the morning with unwholesome odors as if it had been occupied by a decomposing corpse. It has been occupied by a man half-dead. The poisoned brain refuses to sleep and hates to work. Then comes the resort to the hypodermic injection of morphine and—speedy death.

All this may be prevented by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It corrects all disorders of the digestion, makes assimilation perfect, fills the blood with the vital elements that make new tissue, builds healthy flesh, firm muscles, strong nerves and active brain cells. It drives out impurities and disease. Thousands of men in all walks of life have testified to its wonderful merits.

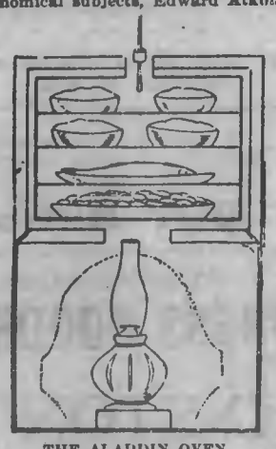
It's an insult to your intelligence for a dealer to attempt to palm off upon you a *substitute* for this world-famed medicine. You *know* what you want. It's his business to *need that need.* When he urges some *substitute* he's thinking of the larger profit he'll make—not of your welfare. Shun all such dishonest dealers.

The man or woman who is regular as clockwork is seldom troubled with disease or mental or bodily lassitude. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a safe, sure, speedy and permanent cure for constipation. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative, and two a mild cathartic. They never gripe. You will have reason to regret it if you let a dishonest druggists induce you to take a substitute.

THE ALADDIN OVEN.

Even Chuck Roasts Made Tender and Appetizing by Its Use.

A well-known writer on financial and economical subjects, Edward Atkinson,



THE ALADDIN OVEN.

has been striving for years to teach the people that they can make of an ordinary box an oven which will cook meats and other food much better and more cheaply than is done with a stove. He calls his apparatus the Aladdin oven. He derived his theory from the Norwegian cooking box, says the American Agriculturist. The principle of the Aladdin oven is that heat may be conveyed by a lamp to the inside of a box so as to cook food. The box should be made of incombustible, non-heat-conducting material. It should be lined with metal. A given temperature can be maintained for any length of time; herein is the secret of this method of cooking. An inner oven made of sheet metal, with shelves, and in other ways corresponding to the common oven, should be placed in the outer box, as shown in the accompanying illustration. There is no opening between the lamp and this inner oven, the heat circulating around the outside, and the products of combustion escaping by way of the same opening through which the heat passes. When the heat is kept at 300 degrees to 350 degrees Fahrenheit, no offensive odors are generated and no injury is done to the food. Meats, fish, vegetables, custards, etc., may all be cooked in the same oven at the same time without either imparting any flavor to the other or losing any of its own special flavor or juices.

One of the chief recommendations of the Aladdin oven is its economy. Cheap cuts of meat can be made tender and appetizing. Mr. Atkinson states that a piece of beef, commonly known as the chuck roast, costing 10 cents per pound, or the shoulder, costing 5 cents per pound, put into this box and allowed to remain three hours, will be taken out as tender and nutritious as the best tenderloin, and of the most excellent flavor. Food cooked in this slow oven is far more nutritious than when done in a range, as the juices are preserved. Food can be put into the oven at night, the lamp being then lighted. In the morning the cooked food is taken out, ready for consumption, without waste. This apparatus can be made at home, or the so-called Standard oven, with its complete equipment, can be bought for $30.

THEY WORKED WONDERS.

Two Years of Bladder Torment—Hec Attacks of Inflammation—Cured by a Few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Owen Sound, Dec. 28.—(Special)—The people of this town are talking again of another cure credited to Dodd's Kidney Pills. This is the case of Mr. W. Cruse, caretaker of the town buildings, who, when seen, had this to say of the matter:

"For over two years I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease, with occasional acute attacks of inflammation of the bladder.

"Was under doctors' treatment and have been compelled to resort to instrumental relief many times.

"I have taken eighteen boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and am satisfied with results, being perfectly relieved of all suffering."

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer 'Saved my Life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels Price 75c. Sold by John Nugent 399 George Street.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Its Value in the Household Illustrated by a Few Examples

One pint of fine salt mixed with two pints of wood ashes and mixed with water will mend cracks in stoves. When clinkers accumulate in the grate, throw in a handful of salt, let stand a few minutes and they will be easily removed.

A teaspoonful added to the water in which cut flowers are placed will preserve them for a considerable time, and a little rubber on the griddles before greasing will prevent cakes from sticking. Damp salt will remove the discoloration caused by tea on cups and saucers; if sprinkled immediately over any spot where something has boiled over on the stove, there will be no odor, and the spot will be easily cleaned. A tablespoonful put in a kerosene lamp will make the oil give a brighter light, and a small pinch added to the starch will prevent it sticking to the irons. If your ingrain carpet looks dingy sprinkle a little salt over it and let it lie for at least five minutes, then sweep it thoroughly, and you will be surprised to see how much brighter it will look.

One of the best things for cleaning brass is salt dissolved in vinegar Cotton fabrics are less likely to fade if allowed to lie for a short time in a strong solution of salt and water.

Sprinkle damp salt around where there are moths and they will speedily take their departure.

If a small pinch is added to the whites of eggs they will froth quickly.

Small doses given at short intervals will stop hemorrhage of the lungs; for stings or bites of any kind of insects apply it damp and bind tightly; for neuralgia or severe pains in the stomach, fill a muslin bag, heat it and lay it against the aching place.

If the throat is very sore, wring a cloth out of cold salt water and bind it around the neck, covering with a dry towel; a weak solution gargled will also help the throat. A sponge bath in salt water will arrest night sweats, and if used cold is one of the best solutions for restoring firmness of the flesh; bathe the face upward and then wipe dry. One-half a teaspoonful dissolved in water will almost instantly relieve dyspepsia, or cure colic in a grown person.

Two teaspoonfuls in about a half pint of tepid water will act as an emetic, or if snuffed up the nostrils will relieve a cold in the head or catarrh.

Salt should be eaten with nuts to aid digestion.—Home Queen.

A January thaw is always more productive of colds and coughs than a January freeze. Then is the time Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is needed and proves so extremely efficacious. Ask your druggist for it, and also for Ayer's Almanac, which is free to all.

QUAKER MARRIAGE CEREMONY.

How Members of the Society of Friends Wed Each Other.

A young man and woman in this city, belonging to the Society of Friends, who have certified their intention of marriage at the City Hall, are having to undergo the regular form which the society imposes by waiting for the approval of the monthly meeting before they can be married, says the Worcester (Mass.) Gazette. The first stage in the proceedings is for them both to appear at the monthly meeting of the society, which is the only time that any business is done, and make known their intention. They both stand up before the meeting, and the man says: "With divine permission and Friends' approbation, I declare my intention to take this woman (and he calls her name) to be my wife," and then they sit down. But the sanction of the society for the marriage requires more than this formality. It is never granted unless both parties are Friends, and so if one of the young people is out of the fold they have to be married without the formal approval of the society.

When the approval is secured the couple marry themselves. The ceremony is appointed by the society to take place at some regular meeting, or else at one specially appointed. In the latter case it may be at a house where any one of the society has the right to be present. But the most interesting ceremony is that which takes place in the regular assembly of the society at the meeting house. Anyone who has been to a Quaker service knows the fashion of the meeting house, with its high seats in front, facing the rest of the meeting. The elders usually sit there, but when a couple of young people are going to get married they have to occupy this conspicuous place, and have to stand up bravely, without minister or elder, and marry themselves.

An old Quaker minister, who said he had seen six couples stand up in this way before the congregation, was asked why the young people had to do it alone, and he said it was a matter that did not concern an intermediate person, but rested between themselves and God. Then he described how the young man would stand up in that high-perched place in the meeting house along with his bride and, taking her hand, say: "In the presence of God and this assembly, I take thee, A. B., to be my wife, promising to be unto thee an affectionate and loving husband until the hand of the Lord by death shall separate us." The bride then speaks in a similar fashion.

At the end of this ceremony a minister prays or speaks, and then, when there is a pause and the spirit moves no one else, the meeting is adjourned. At the close of the meeting the marriage certificate, which is made of parchment, is brought forward, and anyone can sign it. A special law sanctions this marriage ceremony. This document, which amounts to the legal sanction of the marriage, is greatly prized among the descendants of Friends, so much so that the children often have similar marriage certificates made for themselves, though they may have been married outside of the society.

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Of the great sales attained and great cures accomplished by Hood's Sarsaparilla is quickly told. It purifies and enriches the blood, tones the stomach and gives strength and vigor. Disease cannot enter the system fortified by the rich, red blood which comes by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, indigestion, biliousness. All druggist. 25c

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Dear Sirs,—After suffering for two years from acute indigestion I tried B.B.B. I took only three bottles, which made me as well as ever I was. I highly recommend B.B.B. to all dyspeptics.

Mrs. John White, Austin, Man

Brickmaker Listens to Reason—Uses Six Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and Tells it.

Brockville, Jan. 4 (Special)—Mr. W. H. Odell, perhaps one of the best known citizens of this town has lately recovered from a long continued and painful kidney ailment. He tells the story of his experience to the correspondent as follows:

"I have suffered for over a year from kidney disease, the pain in my back being so severe that I was unable to stand to my work."

"Noticing the published cures of what Dodd's Kidney Pills were doing for others I concluded to use them."

"Having used only six boxes I can say that I am perfectly cured and well so that I can attend to business as well as ever I could."

Mr. Thos. Errett, Port Burwell, Ont., says: "I had been weak and miserable two years. I took Miller's Compound Iron Pills and never felt better than I do now." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego Cal. says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 399 George Street.

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Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the Bowels, Kidneys and Liver, carrying off gradually, without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the secretions; at the same time Correcting Acidity of the Stomach, curing Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness and General Debility; all these and many other similar complaints yield to the happy influence of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

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	12
Total given during year 1897,	$19,500

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Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper—that portion containing the wording "SUNLIGHT SOAP." These (called "Coupons") are to be sent enclosed with a sheet of paper on which the competitor has written his or her full name and address, and the number of Coupons sent in, postage paid, to Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto, marked on the Postal Wrapper (top left-hand corner) with the NUMBER of the DISTRICT Competitor lives in.

SEND THIS TOP PORTION

No. of District	Name of District
1	Western Ontario, consisting of Counties York, Simcoe & all Counties W. and S. of these
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3	Province of Quebec
4	Province of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the 5 districts, prizes will be awarded as follows:

The 2 competitors who send in the largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Bicycle, value $100.

The 3 competitors who send in the next largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Gold Watch, value $25.

2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employes of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

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Very Handsome BRASS BANQUET LAMPS —AND— Library Lamps —AT— W. A. SANDERSON'S

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LOUIS XVIII. IS THE MODE OF THE SEASON.

Beds, Chimney Pieces, Dressing Tables, Corners and Sofas Are to Be Elaborately Draped This Winter—Also the Windows.

Draperies are distinctly the most important of all features in the new autumnal decorations for houses, both small and great, says the Chicago Record. Draperies, too, in the exact definition of that word—not falling portieres and perhaps simple lambrequins at the doors, mantel shelves and windows, but yards and yards of fringed, embroidered and variously decorated fabric, looped and gathered wherever an opportunity offers.

This winter not only the chimney pieces, but the mirror above it, the doors and beds, the corner divans and dressing tables are all literally and completely dressed, for all of this is in strict compliance with the period of a Bourbon king whose fashions we have never imitated before. This time it is his majesty, Louis XVIII., who has become the mode and the style of decoration he employed is happily almost

WINDOW DRAPERY.

distinct from any Louis one revived before in Paris and imported for our American homes.

Apparently the decorators who served by special appointment to the XVIIIth Louis not only advocated draperies wherever they were possible, but a great abundance and variety of materials used in combination. Velvet is nearly always the foundation hanging and upon this at a single door or window as many as three or four different types of silk, brocaded, or muslin goods are looped on over it.

The looping upon all occasions is made to fall from rosette knots, and uniquely enough quantities of fringes, feathers and ribbons are utilized to complete the effect of great elaboration. For example, here is a doorway showing how peacock plumes are being adopted for interior adornment, because the peafowl in some way is closely connected with the Bourbons of one century. This door itself is framed first in carving that imitates the joints of Japanese bamboo. This is all richly gilded, and from the top fall two curtains of the thickest red satin, brocaded all over in big yellow and peacock-blue figures.

Upon these hangs the lambrequin of Aubusson velvet in brilliant tone of peacock green, with blue and yellow designs on it, and then from a bow-knot above the door frame is looped a scarf of the loveliest soft yellow Japanese silk, edged with yellow silk fringe. Over the door is fastened a pyramid of peacock feathers and below that the iridescent soft breast plumage of the same bird, set in two oriental fan frames. Carved rosettes of gilded wood and yellow satin ribbons serve to catch the silk drapery of either side of the door, and, though all this blaze of color may sound bewildering and in bad taste, the actual results are wonderful and truly beautiful.

Naturally, an entrance or window, frilled, flowered and feathered in this style, costs the householder considerable, but as cheaply as one can buy inexpensive Louis XVI. wall papers and chintzes, just as the frugal but progressive woman can do over her own pretty rooms in charming machine-made Aubusson tapestries, damasked cottons and Bauvais velours, with jute fringes, that deceive the eye and last as long as the genuine velvets and satin brocades.

As might be expected, the latter are very costly, for all the Louis XVIII. draperies are of most fantastic weave, and it is safe to say that interest was aroused in them by their very extensive use in Bernhardt's revival of "La Dame aux Camelias." Throughout the velvet, satins and silks, and even in the tapestry upholstery, deep-rose and the varying tones of peacock-green and blue predominate. Now

DIVAN DRAPERY.

where a bed is to be draped a scalloped lambrequin of velvet or velours must first be set on plain about the canopy top. At every corner large puffy cabbage knots of satin or silk are fastened, with what are called jabot falls, depending from them, and their wide fringed loopings of silk festooned from point to point. Inside both lambrequins and curtains are nearly always lined with thin rose silk, and on wall-hangings considerable use is made of the thick silk cord and heavy fringy tassels.

Big, conventionalized roses, arrows, piercing double hearts, tasseled trumpets and braids of variegated morning glories are the favorite designs woven in these decorative goods of the first half of the century—all of them a great relief from medallions, wreaths, fleur-de-lis and miniature ovals of the eighteenth century periods, so done to death in the last five years.

The really most striking effect secured from this rage for swathing everything in folds and flutes of some goods or other is that most of the gilt and ormulu is blotted out of sight. In bedrooms even the tables are diligently petticoated and the mirrors carefully curtained by a long gracefully festooned scarf, on three sides; but these bedroom draperies are done in flowered French cottons. They are not so crisp as chintz, nor have quite so much body; therefore they fall easily into festooned valances for the bed,

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The Funnel Trick.

Jerry Lynch has finally learned the funnel trick. He took it in two doses—one on one evening and the other the next. The senator sauntered up to the Bohemian Club the other day and saw two or three of the younger members attempting a new feat, and he watched them with interest. One of them stuck a funnel in the top of his trousers, threw his head back, placed a fifty-cent piece on his forehead and tried to drop it in the funnel by slowly lowering his head. After all had failed Jerry insisted on trying it, though all had tried to dissuade him from attempting a feat too difficult for them. The funnel was placed in the waistband of his trousers and he threw back his head to receive the coin on his expansive brow. At that juncture a pitcher of ice water was emptied into the funnel, and by the time Jerry got through dancing the jokers had vanished. The senator's temper improved with dry raiment and the next night at the club he started in to show a couple of friends the funnel trick.

"It's this way," he explained, "you put the funnel in the top of your pantaloons, so, then throw your head back, so and— wow!"

Again Jerry was forced to change his raiment, and he is not showing people what he knows about the funnel trick.—San Francisco News Letter.

The sick man knocking at the door of health gets in if he knocks the right way, and, stays out if he doesn't. There are thousands of ways of getting sick, but only one way to get well. Do whatever you will, if you do not put your digestion in good order, and make your blood rich and pure, you will not get well. Rich, pure blood is the only thing that can bring perfect health. Constipation is a disease of the blood. A large part of all diseases are traceable directly to impurities in the blood, and can be cured by eliminating them with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The first thing it does is to put the whole digestive system into perfect order. It stimulates the appetite, excites a copious secretion of the digestive fluids and promotes assimilation. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be, kills them and forces them out of the system. The "Golden Medical Discovery" has been used with unvarying success for over 30 years.

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What to Say About the Baby.

One is always expected to say something when looking for the first time on a new baby, and, as it is neither kind nor safe to tell the truth and say that the little, red, podgy creature doesn't look like anything, an English magazine gives a list of unpatented and uncopyrighted remarks to be used on such occasions:—

"Isn't he sweet? He looks like you!"

"I think he is going to look like his father."

"Hasn't he dear little fingers? Do let me see his dear little toes!"

"Isn't he large?"

"Isn't he a tiny darling?"

"How bright he seems!"

"Did you ever see such a sea little mouth?"

"Isn't he just too sweet for anything?"

"The dear little darling! I never saw so young a baby look so intelligent!"

"Do, please, let me hold him just a minute!"

Any and all of these remarks are warranted to give satisfaction, just as they have been giving satisfaction from time immemorial until the present day.

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Curious Storage of Hay.

An English traveler through Kashmir found in practice there a novel method of putting fodder up for winter use. The country lies in a valley among the Himalayas. The chief industry of the people consists in raising fine wool, and in making this into fabrics which have carried the name of the country all over the world.

A curious custom in some places is that of hanging quantities of hay up among the branches of trees. Why it was done was more than I could guess, till my guide informed me that in winter the snow lies five and six yards in depth, and that the supplies of hay, which now look as if they were meant for camelopards, are then easily reached by the flocks of sheep which abound there.

Scrofula is a word you don't quite understand, but if you talk with your doctor, he will tell you that it is generally believed to be due to the same cause which gives rise to Consumption. It appears mostly in those who are fat-starved and thin, usually in early life. A course of treatment of Scott's Emulsion with the Hypophosites wherever Scrofula manifests itself, will prevent the development of the disease. Let us send you a book. Free.

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The great discoverer of this medicine was possessed of the knowledge that the seat of all disease is the nerve centres, situated at the base of the brain. In this belief he had the best scientists and medical men of the world occupying exactly the same premises. Indeed, the ordinary layman recognised this principle long ago. Everyone knows that let disease or injury affect this part of the human system and death is almost certain. Injure the spinal cord, which is the medium of these nerve centres, and paralysis is sure to follow.

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NORWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Maggie Nelson is home after having travelled for about two months.

Mr. Geo. Elmhirst is visiting at Mr. Eaton's.

Mr. Geo. Rose left for College on Saturday.

The Misses Bark returned to Toronto, where they have been teaching.

Mr. Wm. Gebbie, who has been attending school in the United States and who has been visiting friends here, left for home on Monday.

Messrs. McGillivray, of Whitby, and Rutherford, of Toronto, spent New Year's at W. E. Roxburgh's.

Mr. Keifer is visiting his brother, the worthy editor of the Register.

Miss B. J. Roxburgh left on Sunday for her school in Keene.

Mr. F. D. Roxburgh returned to Toronto on Tuesday last, where he intends to finish his year at Knox College.

A week of prayer is being held here in which the clergy of all the churches are taking part. On Monday the meeting was addressed by Rev. Mr. McCamus in the Presbyterian church. On Tuesday evening the meeting was held in the Methodist church; on Wednesday evening in the Baptist; on Thursday evening in the Methodist; on Friday evening in the Presbyterian. Rev. Mr. Pierce was not able to attend these meetings until Wednesday evening on account of previous engagements.

On Thursday, the 31st of Dec., the annual meeting of the N.C.C.C. was held here and the following officers were elected:—

Hon. President—Mr. Eaton.
Commodore—F. Ruthford.
Vice-Commodore—Dr. Hall.
Sec.-Treas.—J. E. Roxburgh.
Purser—T. Wigmore.
Steward—D. Booth.

The High School opened on Monday morning with a large number of new pupils. Miss Campbell and Miss Garratt arrived on Tuesday.

The formal opening of the rink was held on New Year's night, and as there was a large number of people on the ice it shows how well it is appreciated. In the races D. Fraser won the mile race quite easily, and R. Pierce got the trophy in the half mile race, as all the others dropped out after the first couple of rounds.

The Norwood Canoe and Cruising Club held their annual "At Home" in the Oddfellows' hall on New Year's evening. Shortly after 8.30 o'clock the guests began to arrive and soon the comfortable hall presented a gay appearance. The lady members of the club looked charming in their evening dresses, the hon. presidents and their better halves lend dignity and propriety to the occasion, while the canoeists themselves were active in their efforts to entertain their friends. Crokinole, pedro and other games were indulged in, but the feature of the evening was the supper which was served at 12 o'clock. In many merry couples the guests seated themselves around the tables, and with campers' appetites did full justice to the good things provided. A programme was then rendered, in the course of which old Stony Lake songs were sung with old time vigor. Most of the entertainment was derived from toasts which were proposed and replied to by members of the club. The Queen received her regular homage, then the hon. Presidents were landed in complimentary terms. These were followed in turn by toasts to the club, and last, but not least, to the guests and ladies. On the last were showered floral eloquence. The speeches were given in good form and a pleasant evening closed with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

Those present from a distance were Misses E. G. Brown, Annie Patterson, Ella Christie and Mary Erskine, Peterborough; Misses Laura and Jean Fowlds and Messrs. W. Fowlds and J. Fraser, Hastings; Misses Sutherland and Brook, and Mr. F. Spence, Toronto; Miss Allie Sherin, Lakefield; Miss Blezard and the Misses Miller, Keene, and Miss M. Anderson and Mr. McGillivray, Whitby.

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NORMAL SCHOOLS.

List of Successful Candidates at the Recent Professional Examinations at Toronto and Ottawa

Toronto, Jan. 7.

The following is a list of the successful candidates at the recent second-class examinations held at Ottawa and Toronto Normal schools:

Ottawa Normal School—Pass candidates: Messrs. Allen, Anderson, Benson, Black, Border, Breckenridge, Clow, Countryman, Day, DePencier, Hagan, Jervis, Jones, Keegan, King, Luscombe, Mackay, Main, Monkman, Monsinger, McArthur, McMillan, O'Connor, Prentice, Richardson, Robertson, Shaver, Sheets, Southard, Thibaudeau, Wallace, Wason, Whyte; Misses E J Berry, R Berry, Bridgeman, F Carter A Carter, Casey, Cheney, Cronyn, Cross, Daverne, Doak, Donaldson, Ellis, Evans, Feehan, Finlay, Frost, Gundry, Hamilton, Hannah, Hayes, Hilliard, Holmes, Hunter, Kelly, J Lindsay, L Lindsay, Macpherson, Muir, McGillis, Nurse, O'Brien, Perry, Read, Rose Scott, Sherwood, Staples, L Stevens, Summers, Thompson, Todd, Tolhurst, Weir, Willets, Wright. Honor candidates: Messrs. Cooper, Dunbar, Faw, Fischer, Ford, Hickey, Kerfoot, Munro; Misses Kenney, Mariatte, Robertson, H Stevens. Medallist: Miss Harriet M. Stevens.

Toronto Normal School—Pass candidates: Messrs. Amoss, Barnes, Brown, Campbell, Chant, Clement, Coombs, Corbett, Cornell, Curtis, Edwards, Fleming, Foster, Garbutt, A Johnston, W Johnston, Kelly, Kidd, Knight, Moore, Munns, Profelt, Service, Shepherd, Spotton, Strachan, Mitchner; Misses Anderson, Archer, Armstrong, Backhouse, Baker, Barker, Barlow, Beattie, W Beynon, Birch, Brewster, Caslard, Campbell, Christie, R Causgrove, D Causgrove, Cullen, Dainty, Dale, M Davidson, W Davidson, Dickson, Douglass, Ferguson, Gibson, Glenn, C Gray, M Gray, Hagerman, Hamilton, Howson, Jeckell, Kaempf, Kelly, Kerr, King, Laing, Lanphier, Little, Longhurst, Melville, Morgan, Murdock, Macdonell, McDonald, McEwan, McKinnon, Nugent, Patterson, Reed, Robinson, Ryan, Shaver, Skelton, E Smith, N Smith, Sprentall, Sword, Tier, Trusler, Welland, Wilson, Whyard, Small, Henderson. Honor candidates: Messrs. Bernath, Cameron, Douglas, Euler, Farewell, Hendrick, Morden, Rennie, Rush, Sanderson, Jno G Taylor, Jas G Taylor, Torrie, Turnbull. Misses J Beynon, Carlyle, Mrs Clipperton, Connon, Dodson, Eagle, Goodland, Horner, Milliken, MacNish, McLaurin, McMonies, Parson, Rigsby, Smibert. Medallist: Mr Myron L Rush.

HAVE THEY FIXED IT?

Report That Nat Boyd Will Confess Bribery by Agents, Vacate and Run Again in Macdonald.

Winnipeg, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—A Portage la Prairie despatch says proceedings in the Macdonald election trial tomorrow will be brief, and that the party leaders have effected arrangements, which were consummated in Winnipeg on Dec. 26. Mr Boyd will confess to bribery by agents and relinquish his claim to the seat, thus saving considerable costs to the petitioners, and in return much of the evidence against the deputy returning officers will be suppressed at the preliminary hearing of the cases, so that none will be sent up for trial. The Conservatives, however, are somewhat suspicious that this will not be carried out on the part of the Liberals, as there seems to be a desire to prosecute the criminal charges against the deputies.

There is considerable indignation among the more patriotic that a few should assume to control the constituency. It is said that both Dr. Rutherford and Mr. Boyd will be again nominated as candidates and that Joe Martin will also run.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

A Lot of News Gathered From the Despatches and Condensed Into Paragraphs to Save Space.

The Pope was much improved in health yesterday.

Nova Scotia Legislature is summoned to meet Jan. 27.

Cecil Rhodes left Capetown for England yesterday, and was given a great send-off.

The Miners' Federation of Great Britain has declared for the nationalization of mines, land and railways.

Herbert Matthews, architect, of London, was married yesterday at Sarnia to Miss Bertha Madu Collins of that town.

Sir Donald Smith has written a letter to English papers advising intending emigrants to come to Canada.

On Sunday night the residence of Thos. Phelan of London was robbed of a gold watch, $63 in cash and a gold ring.

The Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Convention opened at Brockville yesterday, with a large attendance of leading dairymen.

At Beaverton yesterday, the Liberal convention nominated Mr. Duncan Graham for the bye-election made necessary by the resignation of Major McGillivray.

The wool growers were heard by the U.S. Tariff Commission at Washington yesterday, andall denounced the free wool clause of the Wilson Bill.

President Kruger of the Boer Republic is reported to be very angry at the attention shown to Cecil Rhodes, whom he blames for all the troubles.

The steamer B. H. Pike has returned to St. Louis with 90 woodchoppers gathered from tree tops, who were driven up the trees by the flood.

The Hamburg-American Line steamer Fuerst Bismarck, while outward-bound from Hamburg for New York, ran aground at Blankenese, on the River Elbe, yesterday.

George Underwood and David Livingstone, for stealing a crock of butter, were sentenced yesterday at London, the former to two years in Kingston and the latter to six months in the Central Prison.

Mrs. Gladstone yesterday unveiled a memorial window to Armenian martyrs in Hawarden Church. Mr. Gladstone made a speech, hoping that the career of wickedness of the great assassin, the Sultan, would be short-lived.

Abraham Cohen, late of Chatham, Ont., has been arrested at Buffalo charged with attempting to defraud Burns & Lewis, Edward A. Small and S. N. & C. E. Sterling, London merchants, from who he bought goods.

Capt. George Jones of St. John, N.B., was yesterday at St. Matthew's Church, Quebec, married to Mabel, daughter of Lieut.-Col. White of the 8th Battalion. The marriage was a military one, the groom and the bride's father wearing their regimentals. Mr. Laurier and the elite of Quebec society attended.

Grant Bramble of Sleepy Eye, Minn., inventor of the wonderful rotary engine, has sold the right to manufacture for the United States to an English syndicate for $2,100,000. He had previously sold the right for England and Europe for $4,000,000, and still controls the right for Canada and Mexico.

Herbert Spencer's Picture.

London, Jan. 6.—In response to a letter signed by over 30 noblemen and gentlemen eminent in literature, science and art, including Mr. Gladstone, Herbert Spencer has consented that a fund shall be opened to paint his portrait for the nation. Hubert Herkomer, B. A., has been chosen as the artist.

Karl's Clover Root.

the great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures Constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 399 George street.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand is limited, with buyers holding off. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.10, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market is quiet, with the feeling somewhat unsettled, owing to lower prices in Britain and the States. Red and white wheat are held at 84c, with buyers at 81 to 82c. No. 1 hard sold at 90c, Toronto freight, and at 79c Fort William.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is firm. No 1 is held at 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 27c, and feed at 23c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices about steady. White sold at 20½c on the Midland, at 19 to 19½c west. Mixed nominal at 18½c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices firm, with sales of 5 cars at 42½c north and west, and at 43c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 22½c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 25c to 26c outside.

Rye—The market is firm, with sales outside at 36c.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 6.—Spring wheat, 7s 1d to 7s 2d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2½d to 7s 3½d; corn, 2s 10½d; peas, 4s 0d; pork, 48s 0d; lard, 20s 9d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 26s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 6d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast quiet and steady; on passage dull. English country markets steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady; futures steady at 6s 10¼d for Jan., 6s 11¼d for Feb., 7s 0¼d for March and 7s 0¼d for May. Maize steady at 2s 10d for Jan., 2s 10¼d for Feb. and March and 2s 10¾d for April and May.

Paris—Wheat 22f 35c for Feb.; flour 47f 40c for Feb.

London—Close—Wheat off coast steady. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat easy at 22f 45c for Feb.; flour easy at 47f 25c for Feb.

Liverpool—Wheat futures quiet at 6s 10¼d for Jan., 6s 11¼d for Feb. and 7s 0¼d for March and May. Maize steady at 2s 10¼d for Feb., 2s 10¼d for March and 2s 10¾d for April and May. Flour 24s 9d.

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An Important Find by a Brockville Jeweller.

Mr. Joseph Lane, the well-known jeweller of Brockville, says: "For some years I have suffered with severe pains in my back and sides and flashes of heat between my shoulders. I had a tired, wornout feeling.

"The numerous medicines that I took gave me very little relief. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills I thought I would try a box, and got one at Curry's drugstore.

"After the first two or three doses I felt much relieved, and the longer I took them the greater the change for the better in my condition. I am much better in every respect and recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to all sufferers from kidney trouble as the best remedy I know of."

Sold by James Lynch, druggist, 168 Hunter street, Peterborough.

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When everyone knows that our line is by far the handsomest shown. As for quantity to select from, it is not amiss to say that we have more fur garments made up by ourselves and more skins for orders than all the other dealers put together.

ALL HOLIDAY FURS MUST BE SOLD

no matter what the loss. It does not pay to pack goods away. We are not offering the fag end of a bankrupt stock bought last summer; we would not insult the buying intelligence of the people of this community by offering them "Splendid Furs" that are the residue of an old bankrupt stock, the leavings, so to speak, of the good people of a neighbouring city. It might suit some places, but it won't suit Peterborough. Here are a few of our bargains:—

NEW BOX FRONTS.

Grey Lamb Jackets	$30 00 up
Black Astrachan Jackets	$20 00 up
Persian Lamb Jackets	$75 00 up
Electric Seal	$50 00 up

FULL RIPPLE STYLE.

Greenland Seal Capes, 27 inch	$18 00
Greenland Seal Capes, 30 inch	$20 00
Black Opposum Capes, 27 inch	$15 00
Black Coney Capes, from	$10.00 to $18 00

NEW FUR LINED RIPPLE CLOAKS.

Black Outsides, in Hampster linings, Special, at	$25 00

FUR CAPS.

Alaska Seal, $10.00, worth	$15 00
Electric Seal, $3.00, worth	$5 00
German Otter, $3.50, worth	$5.00
Grey Lamb, from $1 25 to	$2 50

And all other goods in proportion.

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Call on us for anything you want in Real Estate in town or country.

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Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of W. G. Fowler & Co., Grocers, was dissolved on the 15th December, instant, by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid by the 1st day of January, 1897, to Mr. W. G. Fowler, who will continue business in his own name in future.

W. G. FOWLER

Begs to announce to all his old customers and the public generally that he has bought out the business formerly carried on by W. G. FOWLER & CO., and has put in a full and complete stock of

New Groceries, Sugars, Fruits,

And other staple lines. As I intend to carry on a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS in future, I will sell all goods at the CLOSEST CASH PRICES. You can now get the Cheapest Christmas Groceries in town at

W. G. FOWLER'S,

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Come and get samples. Consult our Dress-Making Department. It's a chance for the cheapest, stylish Gown you ever had.

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This time the prices on all remaining Winter Garments will be cut so deep that there will be no chance for further reductions.

If the signs read aright the great majority of our present holdings in Mantle Coats and Capes will leave the store next week, for values like those quoted here never fail to bring the customers.

Quality!!!

If every one were to judge of what is good and what is not good in merchandise, a great many dry goods stores would be out of business. Don't always trust the price, it is very often misleading.

If you are a judge of merchandise, look at the goods first then the price. We are willing that you should try us in that way.

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There is to be no loitering by the way at this store. Close upon our holiday trade comes the activity stimulated by our Special January Values created by lowering the prices on all winter goods.

We know the ladies are interested in buying to the best advantage. They are not so firmly wedded to anyone store that they will not look elsewhere. All we want is a little of their attention—their good judgment will do the rest when they see our—

January Bargains in Silks,
January Bargains in Dress Goods,
January Bargains in Linings,
January Bargains in Trimmings,
January Bargains in Gloves,
January Bargains in Corsets,
January Bargains in Comforters,
January Bargains in Blankets,
January Bargains in Sheeting,
January Bargains in Towelling,
Etc., Etc.

Home-owners and economical shoppers generally would much sooner buy now at the lower prices, than pay regular prices in April or May. The difference to them is a very material saving.

Special Snaps im MILLINERY.

To close out the season. We mean to have no left over stocks in this department. You have our word for it that until after Stock-taking is over you will have many lucky chances in mid-winter goods. Figure on getting pretty near your own way in prices.

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SERVANT WANTED—GOOD GENERAL Servant wanted at once. Apply with reference to MRS. COX, 19 Scott St. 325

WANTED—A SET OF SECOND-HAND Bob-sleighs. Apply at G. WALTER GREEN'S PUMP FACTORY, Dickson's Race-way, Ashburnham, or address Post Office box 161 Peterborough P. O. dtf

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HOUSE TO LET—163 WATER STREET; 7 rooms; city water. Apply to ADAM HALL. dtf

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TO RENT IMMEDIATELY—HOUSE NO. 211 Barnardo Avenue; nearly opposite the North Ward School. Apply at 437 George Street. dtf

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Commence the New Year by being a little more particular about your Clothes.

Some Men

Buy Clothes like they take an emetic—shut their eyes and down it goes. Then they expect everything to turn out all right. Anything seems good enough for them, as long as it looks well—until some day the colour begins to fade, the buttons begin to drop off, seams begin to rip, linings give out—then they know the difference.

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Investigate before they buy, and come here to be measured. The result is they are always well dressed, because their clothes are built on honour, made of trustworthy fabrics, and finished by tailors who have their reputation at stake.

Be one of the Wise Men this year.

P. S.—As we want the cash that's locked up in our ledger, we will be thankful for an early settlement of Overdue Accounts.

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SEASON 1896—7.

The rink is now open for skating for encons afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

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For Girls	1 50
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FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each addition a member half rates.

Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

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Old Jewelry.

If you have any old or discarded Jewelry, we can convert it into any new design you wish. Having secured the services of an expert

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We are in a position to execute skilfully any designs from Gold, Silver or other Metals.

All work done on the premises, where we assume full responsibility for its safety.

Clarke & Gibson

Jewelers and Silversmiths, Hunter St., Peterborough.

WE HAVE BEEN DOING THE STOVE TRADE OF THE TOWN AND COUNTRY THIS WINTER; NOW WE WANT TO TALK

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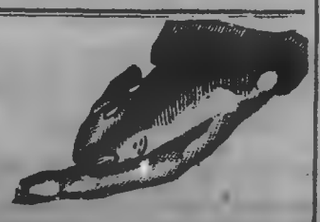

We take pleasure in POINTING you to our superior stock of

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Cow Ties, Lanterns, Sleigh Bells, Horse Blankets, Driving Whips, Cutlery and General Hardware.

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Hardware Merchants, Opposite Fortye & Phelan's Old Stand.

We Are Thankful

For a prosperous year and can heartily join in wishing all our customers and friends a bright and happy record for 1897.

We are determined that by selling HIGH GRADE GOODS at LOW PRICES we will merit a continuance of the patronage of the public.

We never allow our stock to run down, and can now show a splendid assortment of Souvenirs and Presentation articles suitable for any and every special occasion.

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391 George St., Importing Jeweller.

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OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

THURSDAY, MARCH 4

Said to be the Date for the Meeting of Parliament.

THE SOO CANAL STAFF LAID OFF

Conscience Money From a Lady Parcel Post Arrangements for Australian Points—Minister of Militia Preparing a Pension Scheme—Postal Wants of Rossland.

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Thursday, March 4, is now suggested as the most probable date for the pening of Parliament. This will allow the Cabinet about eight weeks in which to get the legislative program of the session in order—not any too long a period for the serious work involved in the process. Legislation is promised on several important subjects, such as the franchise, the civil service and the tariff. The latter, of course, will demand the most attention and take longer time to get in shape for legislation, so that the investigating proceedings of the commission will have to be brought to a close before many days. In this connection it is given out that after sitting at Guelph next Tuesday the Ministers will proceed to the Maritime Provinces, where hearings will take place at two centres only, Halifax and St. John. It is not likely the commissioners will be able to give Manitoba a hearing at all.

All the staff of the Canadian Sault Canal, with the exception of Superintendent Boyd, have been laid off. Those discharged include Mr. Montague, mechanical superintendent and brother of Dr. Montague; the electrician, two clerks and one watchman. At the department no information can be obtained as to the reasons which led to these dismissals.

It is not often that money is received by the Customs Department over such a circuitous route as that by which a remittance of one dollar reached the controller to-day. It was conscience money representing the amount of duty which an Ottawa lady considered she owed the country on some little purchases she made in Chicago last year for friends in the Capital. She therefore forwarded a dollar with explanations to the Canadian Customs official of the Wabash Railway in Chicago, by whom it was duly transmitted to the department here. The conscientious sender may rest assured that her remittance has reached the proper quarter, and is now safe in the Government strong box on the hill.

The Tariff Commission meets to-morrow in Brockville, and in Guelph on Tuesday. The principal object of selecting these points is to give an opportunity to the agricultural classes to give their testimony. These two meetings will close the work of the commission in Ontario. Sir Richard Cartwright left for Brockville to-night.

The Postoffice Department has issued a notice stating that parcels for the Australian colonies of Queensland, Victoria and South Australia may in future be forwarded to Vancouver to be included in the parcel mail made up by that office for Sydney, New South Wales. The rate of postage for parcels for Queensland, Victoria and South Australia, sent via Vancouver and Sydney, will be the same as that on parcels for New South Wales, 24 cents per pound or fraction of a pound, up to eleven pounds.

Lieut.-Col. Borden, Minister of Militia, is at work on a scheme of pensions for the officers and men of the permanent corps, and members of headquarters and district staffs. These parties maintain that at present the system is unjust, that they spend their lives in the performance of duties that unfit them for anything else, and that when their usefulness is gone they are turned out to starve. Hitherto it has been the custom to make retired officers an allowance of two years' pay, and the Minister is now in consultation with insurance experts with the view to devising a plan by which these allowances may become the nucleus of a fund for the purchase of annuities.

Ministers here refuse to say anything about the report of the Pacific Cable Commissioners, which has been signed in England, but it is understood to give the cost of construction and to recommend that the work be done by Britain and the different colonies interested. An estimate of what the Mother Country and the colonies should each pay towards the scheme is also given. The provisions of the report will not be made known until such time as it has been received by the different Governments who are interested.

Owing to pressure of official duties and the near approach of Parliament, Mr. Laurier has been obliged to decline a pressing invitation extended to him by the Boston Merchants' Association to speak at a banquet to be given in that city on the 15th inst. It is the intention, however, of the Premier to take a short holiday before the work of the session begins, and he proposes at the end of the month to visit some of the principal cities of the New England States, and will probably extend his trip as far as Washington.

Complaints have been made to the Fisheries Department that in many of the most valuable fishing grounds so-called sportsmen have been making much larger catches than legitimate sport calls for. For instance, 100 salmon or bass have been taken by some *sportsmen day after day, and those* not required for their own use are subsequently sold. It is difficult to see how such a practice as this can be termed sport. It is conceded that something must be done to put a stop to unreasonable abuses of the kind, and it is suggested that there be a limit placed on the number of fish that can be taken per diem by sportsmen.

The arrangements in regard to a new hall between E. B. Butterworth and the Masonic fraternity of the city are off. Mr. Butterworth was to have erected a building on Sparks-street, five stories in height, the fourth and fifth stories to be occupied as Masonic quarters. Owing to the stringency of the city fire bylaws, Mr. Butterworth finds that he cannot furnish the rooms at the rent stipulated; in consequence, the craft will be compelled to seek other quarters.

Mr. D. M. Armstrong of the Toronto postoffice, was sent to Rossland, B.C., by Mr. Mulock to enquire into the mail service there, which was not giving general satisfaction, is in Ottawa making his report to the Postmaster-General.

The Minister of Marine and Fisheries has decided that net fishing shall be prohibited in West Lake, Prince Edward County, Ontario. Representations were made that the lake, which is quite a resort for anglers, had recently been so depleted of its fish by reason of extensive netting that it threatened to be entirely fished out in a couple of years.

Hon. Thomas Greenway, Premier of Manitoba, arrived in Ottawa to-day from Toronto. Mr. Greenway will remain a couple of days in the Capital before proceeding to Winnipeg. Mr. Greenway was unable to say on what date the Manitoba Legislature would likely meet.

Mr. Burnett, M. P., and Mr. Fredenburg, the Liberal candidate in South Leeds, had an interview with the Controller of Customs and other members of the Government to-day.

Mr. Harry Furniss, the well-known artist of Punch, delivered one of his entertainments here to-night to a very large audience. Their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Aberdeen were present.

The contract for the construction of the electric cars for the Quebec Electric Railway has been awarded to the Ottawa Car Company. Thirty cars will be required.

POOR JENNIE GREY!

A Midland Girl Whose Death is Believed to Have Resulted From a Dose of Strychnine

Collingwood, Jan. 7.—Last night some boys who were playing on Cedar-street, between Third and Fourth, found a young woman walking backward and forward and piteously crying. When first spoken to by one of the lads, she would not reply, but in a few minutes asked them to keep her from falling. A son of Mr. R. Conn, who was present, noticed that the woman was sick and he asked the driver of a laundry wagon to convey her to a physician's office. He took her to Dr. Aylesworth's office. Dr. Arthur was called in, but the physicians could not save the woman's life. She died a few minutes after reaching the office. The body was afterwards removed to the undertaking warerooms of H. F. Trott & Son, and Coroner Stephen was notified, but decided not to hold an inquest. The body was identified by a number of people as that of Jennie Campbell, an employe of the Queen's Hotel. They, however, were mistaken, as a letter found under a pillow in the Toronto House proved the deceased to be Jennie Grey of Midland. The deceased was employed by Mr. Cook last summer, but had been away until a few days ago. On Tuesday night she remained at the Toronto House. In the note, which was addressed to Sadie, she said: "If you do not see me alive again, you will find two dollars in my pocket, which you can send to my mother to buy a pair of boots or dress for Belle. Thank your mother for me. Jennie Grey."

Another note, which was found on Cedar-street, admitted taking strychnine. On searching her clothes $2 was found, also a letter from a young man in town to herself. An orange, which is said to contain poison, was found near the place where she spoke to the boys. The young woman was apparently about to become a mother. The body was sent to Midland this afternoon.

The New York Central earned gross for December, $3,038,167, a decrease of $382,670; for three months ended Dec. 31, $11,668,564; decrease $738,352; and from July 1, to Dec. 31, $22,058,483; decrease of $1,050,898.

Hon. Mr. Mr. Laurier addressed his constituents in the Drill Hall at Quebec last night on the school question. He defended the settlement, and said he would as long as he lived fight for civil liberty and clerical non-interference in matters political. A resolution approving of the Government's policy was adopted.

HERE IS A MYSTERY.

A Brantford Young Man Takes His Own Life.

HIS NAME WAS FRED MELLISH.

He Rented a Room and After Occupying It a Day Shot Himself. Was Dead When Found—Left a Letter Saying He Was Tired of Life—Had Plenty of Money.

Toronto, Jan. 8.

Fred Mellish, a young man whose home is in Brantford, shot and killed himself some time yesterday afternoon in his bedroom at the residence of Daniel L. Cowle, 69 Sumach-street.

There is a mystery surrounding the cause of the man's self-destruction. He came here from Brantford last Tuesday in response to a letter from his brother Alfred W. Mellish, *who is foreman for O. A. Barthelmes & Co.*, and resides at 447 Marion-street west, Parkdale.

A World man saw this brother last night and, although he seemed to be aware of a reason for his brother's rash act, he did not care to say what it was. All he cared to say in response to the reporter's question was that the young man "had troubles of his own." At present Mr. Mellish did not care to tell the reporter what these troubles were, but he says that there is no woman in the case, as far as he knows, but that the recent loss of a good situation had considerable to do with it. Regarding the cause of deceased's visit to Toronto, Mr. Mellish said it had nothing whatever to do with his brother's death. "He came in response to a letter *from me regarding* an insurance matter we wanted him to take a share in," said Mr. Mellish.

When deceased arrived here on Tuesday he went to his brother's house on Marion-street, where he stayed until yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Mellish did not care to be questioned concerning the matter and it was with some difficulty the above information was got from him.

Deceased was the son of Mr. Mellish, the well-known book and stationery man of Brantford. His step-mother and sister reside there. He has three brothers, Alfred W. and Frank, who reside in Toronto, and George, who formerly lived here.

The story of the man's suicide, as told by Mr. Daniel L. Cowle, *at whose house* the tragedy occurred, is substantially as follows:

Mellish only rented the room on Wednesday evening. He went to Mr. Cowle's house, accompanied by his brother Frank, at about 8.30, saw the room, said it suited him, and that he would take possession right away. His brother remained talking with him for half an hour or so, and then went home. The young man apparently retired soon afterwards, as everything was quiet after the brother left. Yesterday morning Mellish got up at about 10 o'clock and went out, returning at about 11. At noon a daughter of Mr. Cowle's saw him reading or writing.

During the afternoon he closed his door and nothing more was seen of him. Soon after 7 o'clock last night Mrs. Cowle wanted to get some children's clothes that had been left in the room, so she went upstairs and knocked at the door. Receiving no reply, she tried the knob, but the door was apparently locked on the inside. She broke it open and found it had been locked by a patent fastener, which Mellish had apparently carried with him. Mellish lay on his side on the bed when Mrs. Cowle broke into the room, and he looked so strange that the woman called her husband, who at once saw the man was dead. He was lying on his left side on the bed and in his right hand, which rested on his thigh, was a small silver-plated revolver, with one chamber empty. A small hole just under the temple, which was slightly covered with blood, showed where the ball had entered.

Mr. Cowle called in a policeman at once and Coroner Greig was sent for. When the Coroner arrived the man's effects were examined. In his pockets were found $448 in bills in three separate wads of $53, $125 and $265; an English sovereign, some small change, a watch and chain and ring, apparently a woman's wedding ring. He carried three pocketbooks, which contained, besides the money, some photographs and papers.

In one was a letter which said that he was tired of life, that even his own friends had deceived him, and that when they received the letter, he would be no more. He directed that his landlady be recompensed for any trouble his death in her house might incur and asked that his body be cremated. No report of a revolver had been heard by the occupants of the house, but the man had been dead some time when found.

After the body had been examined by the coroner, Inspector Brackenreid of No. 4 Police Division ordered its removal to Ingram's undertaking establishment in Queen-street east.

Deceased was a very handsome young fellow about 25 years of age, and a printer by trade. He wore a dark mustache and was about six feet tall and well built.

His relatives in Brantford were notified by telegram of the occurrence.

A warrant has been issued for an inquest.

HIS CHARRED REMAINS.

Edward Fenton Tried to Save His Cattle and Lost His Life by Fire.

Corbetton, Jan. 7.—Edward Fenton, a young farmer 25 years old, lost his life near here yesterday morning in an endeavor to rescue his stock from a burning barn. He, with his aged parents, whom he supported, lived on what is known as the Hunter farm. About 2.30 o'clock neighbors noticed smoke issuing from the large barn at the rear of the house. They raised the alarm and Fenton rushed to liberate the three horses and five head of cattle confined in the building. He got the horses out, but as the cows were chained to their stalls, it was with great difficulty that he could loose them. Once he was overcome with smoke and had to desist for a time. A second attempt, however, cost him his life. The loft above fell upon him, and when the embers cooled his charred remains were found among those of the cattle. The fire was of incendiary origin. Not long ago Fenton purchased the Gooderham farm, known in the locality as the Model Farm, and intended moving there in the spring.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

News Notes Culled From the Despatches and Boiled Down to Paragraphs for Lack of Space.

J. H. Johnston & Co., dealers in jewelry, watches and silverware, at 17 Union-square, New York, have assigned. Liabilities $219,800; assets $202,700.

Governor Pingree of Michigan, in his address at the opening of the Legislature, advocated a two-cents-a-mile railway rate, denounced combinations, and urged state control of stock and bond issues.

The Daily Telegraph of Kalamazoo, Mich., published by a son of Mr. Dingley, chairman of Ways and Means Committee, says Congressman Dingley will not accept a position in the McKinley Cabinet.

Mothers

Anxiously watch declining health of their daughters. So many are cut off by consumption in early years that there is real cause for anxiety. In the early stages, when not beyond the reach of medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla will restore the quality and quantity of the blood and thus give good health. Read the following letter:

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1897.

POULTRY AND EGGS.

At the last meeting of the Farmers' Institute in Peterborough one of the delegates spoke on poultry raising and showed how profitable an annex it was to general farming. There is plenty of surplus stuff on the farm that can be fed profitably to poultry, which would otherwise be wasted. In the mere matter of eggs there is a tremendnous demand in Great Britain. That country consumes annually nearly one hundred and twenty million dozens. Last year Canada shipped a little over two million dozens, showing what an opening there is for eggs in Johnny Bull's larder. By paying more attention to poultry raising another profitable market can be opened. But to get a grip on the English market, which is hard to do, we must supply what that market demands and send them what it demands. We must take the greatest pains, as we have done in the cheese trade, and we shall have as good a market for butter and eggs in Great Britain as we now have for cheese. In the matter of eggs there are certain precautions to be used, and in this connection a letter of Mr. E. Morgan, of Delhi, Norfolk county, to the St. Thomas Journal is to the point: "As you are no doubt aware we have only one market in which to dispose of our surplus stock, i.e. that the British Isles, and in order to be able to compete in those markets which are open to the whole world, we must first produce the quality desired, viz: Eggs that will average up 1½ lbs. to the dozen; secondly the eggs must be clean and have a bright appearance. This can easily be done by keeping clean straw in the nests. Eggs should be gathered daily, and kept in a cool, dry room, not in a cellar, which is worst of all places. They should be marketed at least once each week, and storekeepers should exercise more care in buying in, and hand back all dirty, chipped and small eggs, or buy them as seconds, which they are. This may seem hard but it is not, as the dealer is paying for them all they are worth. Why is it wrong to cull eggs any more than it is to cull grain, or any other article of commerce? It is the only fair way to do business and the only way to raise the standard. We must produce what people want or lose their trade. The only complaints I have had this last season from Britain is that our eggs are too small, are not kept clean, and have not a good appearance. These defects we must remedy if we are to make a success. The poultry business is one of the best paying businesses the farm has, if it is given the care and attention it should have. There is no reason why hens should not lay all winter when fresh eggs bring a good price, but in order to do this warm houses, food, light, etc., must be furnished. When it is considered that I paid out in 1896 over $24,300 in cash for eggs, and I know that there has been shipped from the Delhi station over two thousand five hundred dollars worth of turkeys, to say nothing of the poultry canned and shipped in other ways, which will total altogether over $30,000, we have reason to be proud of our market. This output of eggs can be largely increased if properly looked after. You look after and house your cows, sheep, etc.; why not your poultry?

DOUBTFUL ELECTION METHODS.

Mr. N. Boyd, the Conservative member for Macdonald, in the Northwest, it seems achieved success by very crooked methods. The trials of the parties concerned in his election continue to be exciting and show that there was considerable tampering with the ballots. In some cases the ballots in the box exceed in number the names of those on the poll book. Freebora, a canvasser for Boyd testifies that he received a bunch of 30 blank ballots from a man named Brown. Ten of these he gave to Saunders, a deputy returning officer, with instructions as to how to substitute them in the box for Rutherford and Braithwaite ballots. On the night of the election, Saunders gave witness the nine ballots exhibited in court, marked for the defeated candidate, and said there was one spoiled ballot, which had been destroyed. Another deputy has admitted stuffing a ballot box with six bogus Boyd ballots.

GOOD ROADS LOGIC.

THE Canadian Wheelman puts it pithily thus: "The farmer who wants to buy a good farm, and who is willing to pay a good price for it, also wants good roads leading to it. Therefore, the farmer who wants to sell a good farm, and who wants to gets a good price for it, must see that the roads leading to it are good." Farmers, as well as others, are wakening to the importance of good roads, and are beginning to realise that money, even liberally spent, to secure good highways is a paying investment. And the people are beginning to think on the subject, and to see the mistakes of the past. One radical and costly mistake in both country roads and town streets is the too great width of the driveway. Wide driveways cost more to construct, are much more expensive to maintain, and less satisfactory in every way, than narrow ones. A wagon way of 21 or 22 feet in a town residential street is as good for every practical purpose as a forty foot roadway. It costs less to construct and is more easily kept in repair.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THERE are 16,091 miles of railway in Canada.

THE total imports into Peterborough in 1895 amounted to $338,464, and the exports to $414,480.

THERE have been expended on the canals of Canada to June 30th, 1895, $77,119,319. Up to that date there has been expended on the Trent Valley Canal, $1,145,804.

IN Ontario the convictions for drunkenness in 1894 was 3,267, as against 4,694 in 1884, a decided decrease. In Quebec in 1894 the convictions were 4,212, as against 1,624 in 1884—a decided increase.

IN 1895 Canada exported cheese to Great Britain of the value of $15,086.22. The value of the horses exported to the some country was $6,791,615; sheep $755,506; sheep, $1,253,399; wheat, $7,256,246.

THE estimated amount of coal in the mines of Nova Scotia is placed at seven thousand million tons. At the present rate of mining—two and a quarter million tons per year, these deposits will last 3,121 years.

THEY WORKED WONDERS.

Two Years of Bladder Torment—Had Attacks of Inflammation—Cured by a Few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Owen Sound, Dec. 28.—(Special)—The people of this town are talking again of another cure credited to Dodd's Kidney Pills. This is the case of Mr. W. Cruse, caretaker of the town buildings, who, when seen, had this to say of the matter:

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THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand is fair and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.10, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market is quiet, with the feeling irregular. Red and white wheat are held at 84c, with buyers at 82 to 83c. No. 1 hard sold at 96c, Toronto freight, and at 79c Fort William. A 5000 bushel lot of No. 2 hard sold at 90c, Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 1 is held at 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 26c, and feed at 22c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are heavy. White sold at 19c west, and mixed at 17½ to 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices firm, with sales at 42½c north and west and at 43c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is dull, with new yellow offering at 22½c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 28c to 28c outside.

Rye—The market is firm, with sales outside at 36 to 37c.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 7.—Spring wheat, 7s 1d to 7s 2d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2½d to 7s 3½d; corn, 3s 10½d; peas, 4s 6d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 20s 9d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 26s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 24c 0d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 51s 6d.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast steady and on passage 3d lower. English country markets easy.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 6s 9½d for Jan., 6s 10¾d for Feb. and 6s 11½d for March and May. Maize steady at 2s 9¾d for Jan., 2s 10d for Feb., 2s 10¼d for March and 2s 10½d for April and May.

Paris—Wheat 22f 25c for Feb. Flour 47f 50c for Feb.

London—Close—Wheat on passage steady. Maize on passage steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat 22f 25c for Feb.; flour dull at 47f for Feb.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat easy at 6s 9¾d for Jan., 6s 10¾d for Feb., 6s 11d for March and 6s 11¼d for May. Maize quiet at 2s 9¾d for Jan., 2s 10d for Feb. and March, and 2s 10¼d for April. Flour 24s 6d.

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The U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals Decides That Gas Piped From Canada is Free of Duty.

New York, Jan. 7.—By a decision of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals handed down to-day natural gas is declared to be a mineral for all the purposes of the statutes and customs laws of the United States. The court affirms the decision of the United States Circuit Court of this district, which affirmed a decision of the Board of General Appraisers, declaring that gas piped from Sherkston, Canada, into Buffalo was not subject to duty, as it comes within the definition of crude materials.

Sealskins are Down.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 7.—Until the result of the second big sealskin sale in London is known, few if any of the fleet remaining in port will start for the hunting grounds, as the owners are determined to take no more long chances. The sale takes place on the 18th, when 3000 skins will be offered, and unless an improvement is had on the Lampson prices upwards of 25 Victoria schooners will not go out.

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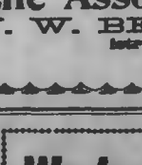

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BRITAIN PROSPERS.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach Says So at Bristol.

A VERY LARGE INCREASE IN TRADE

Exports and Imports Heavier in 1896 Than in 1895—Lady Scott Admits Having Libeled Earl Russell—Matters Looking Better in India—Other Cable News.

London, Jan. 7.—Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer, addressed his constituents at Bristol to-night. He said that the prosperity of the country in 1896 even exceeded that of the preceding year, the value of imports showing an increase of twenty-five million pounds, while the exports increased in value fourteen million pounds. He had reason to anticipate a fair revenue, and declared that the surplus would be beyond what was generally expected. He foresaw that Ireland would be a powerful claimant on the surplus, and he did not intend to discuss the difficult question of the financial relations between that country and Great Britain until Parliament met. He did not wonder that the Irish, in the face of the report of the Finance Committee, were demanding consideration, but there was no subject which required to be approached with a more judicial mind and which was further apart from sentiment. Sir Michael deprecated the unworthy charges that Great Britain had plundered the Irish taxpayers. The whole matter was one for reason and argument. He regretted that the Irishmen had seized part of the Blue book on the subject and had overlooked five different reports therein qualifying the same, besides contrary reports by two royal commissioners. The question must be dealt with in a spirit of justice to the United Kingdom, not to Ireland nor England alone.

THINGS ARE LOOKING BETTER.

Rains Have Done Much Good in India, But Still Relief is Needed.

Calcutta, Jan. 7.—At a meeting of the Council to-day Sir John Woodburn, the revenue member, said that the timely rains in November and December had saved India from the greatest calamity of the century, so widespread and severe was the drought, but a large area sown, with the assistance of the November rains, had been greatly benefited by further rains last week, and an addition to the food stocks was expected in April. In spite of this, he continued, the present situation was very grave. Nearly 750,000 persons were already in receipt of relief, and in the task of providing for these enormous numbers the Government was giving unstinted help in men and money.

The Viceroy, the Earl of Elgin, endorsed the statement of Sir John Woodburn, and said it was what the Government was awaiting in order to enable it to give better effect to the proposals which it would now gladly receive. In regard to the obligations of the Government, the Viceroy emphatically declared that it had and can have nothing to do with an appeal to private charity, nor could private charity be allowed to interfere with its own duties. These were clear and the Government was determined to fulfil them. The funds were ample and it should never be said that the full resources of the Empire had not been used for relieving the distress.

LADY SCOTT OWNED UP.

Caused a Profound Sensation by Pleading Guilty of Libeling Her Son-in-Law.

London, Jan. 7.—The spectators who crowded the Old Bailey Court room this morning to watch the proceedings for criminal libel brought by Earl Russell against Lady Scott, his mother-in-law, John Cockerton and William Aylott, were treated to a genuine surprise. Immediately after the court was called to order, Solicitor Walton arose and announced to the court that, under the advice of counsel, the defendants withdrew their plea of justification in uttering the libels complained of by Earl Russel, and pleaded guilty, as charged. The announcement created a profound sensation.

When Mr. Walton had ceased speaking the judge announced that a recess would be taken, and the prisoners were removed from the room and the court cleared. When the sitting was resumed the prisoners were brought in. Lady Scott was in a highly excited condition, but Aylott and Cockerton maintained an air of unconcern.

Mr. Walton addressed the court, saying that he had consulted with his client, Lady Scott, who had left herself entirely in his hands. As His Lordship, the Judge, had ruled that Kast, who died in Holloway jail on Dec. 11, was the principal witness in the case of the defence, as well as a defendant, he said the plea of justification must be withdrawn.

The jury then rendered a formal verdict of guilty in the case of each of the defendants, and the court announced that sentences would be imposed on them to-morrow.

The case is a sequel to the difficulties which have existed between Earl Russell and his wife for a number of years. In 1891 Countess Russell, formerly Miss Mabel Scott, daughter of Lady Scott, brought suit against her husband for divorce, and in her complaint made accusations against him of the most shocking character, accusing him not only of cruelty, but of crimes of a most revolting nature. Countess Russell was not successful in proving her charges, her suit suffering a complete breakdown, and she was condemned to pay the costs of the action, amounting to over £5000.

Earl Russell then secured a judicial separation from his wife, but about two years ago the Countess sued for a restoration of conjugal rights, and was again defeated.

This suit was followed by an action brought by H. A. Roberts, master of Bath College, and one of Earl Russel's Oxford friends, against Countess Russell, claiming damages for libel in having testified in the divorce action that certain immoral relations had existed between Roberts and her husband. The result of the suit was that Roberts secured a verdict for £3000.

Lady Scott was arrested on Oct. 10 last upon a charge of criminal libel brought by Earl Russell, and next day John Cockerton, an engineer, and Frederick Kast, a groom, were arrested in connection with the case. William Aylott was also wanted, but he fled to Algiers to escape arrest. Later, however, he returned and surrendered himself for trial. The acts of which the defendants had accused Earl Russell were said to have been committed on board the Earl's yacht, upon which Cockerton, Kast and Aylott were employed.

On Nov. 30 Kast was taken ill with pneumonia, and died in Holloway jail on Dec. 11, Lady Scott having in the meantime been ill also. The trial of the case was resumed on Jan. 4.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

The Boer Government Wants John Bull to Whack Up About $2,000,000.

Johannesburg, Jan 7.—The Johannesburg Standard announces this morning that the Government has completed its bill against the British Government, demanding indemnity for the Jameson raid, and is about to forward it to London. The amount of the Boer claims, the paper says, is under £2,000,000.

Yankee Girl Weds a Turk.

Paris, Jan. 7.—The marriage of Miss Edith Lyman Collins of New York to Rechid Bey (Count Czaykowski), an attache of the Turkish Embassy at Rome, took place in this city at 1 o'clock this afternoon in the Church of St. Germain L'Auxerois, near the Louvre. The porch and main aisle of the church were covered with carpet, and the edifice was filled by a large and fashionable company of guests. The interior of the church was profusely decorated with palms and flowers, white chrysanthemums, etc. The bride walked to the altar on the arm of her father, Clarence L. Collins of New York. Miss Collins wore a white satin robe, with a train three yards in length.

NORTH ONTARIO.

Mr. Angus McLeod of Bracebridge the Unanimous Choice of the Conservative Convention.

Beaverton, Ont., Jan. 7.—The Liberal-Conservative convention of North Ontario met in Alexandria Hall here to-day for the purpose of selecting a candidate for said riding for the House of Commons. Dr. Gillespie of Cannington, president of the association, was in the chair, with Mr. Walsh, "the old veteran secretary" of Sunderland, in his place as usual. Upwards of 200 delegates, coming from all sections of the riding, were present. The names brought before the convention were as follows: A. McLeod, P. McCrae, A. A. Mahaffy, Dr. Gillespie, N. F. Paterson, Q. C.; A. Hunt, W. Hoyle, Charles and William Junkin, William Gibbs, George Proctor, A. J. Reid, Hugh Wilson, William Bell, Thomas Treleaven. With short addresses all retired with the exception of Mr. Angus McLeod of Bracebridge, who was made the unanimous choice of the convention by the hearty singing of "He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

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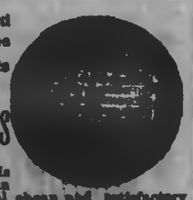

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For ten days longer, still more Sweeping Clearing Sale prices will be continued until stock-taking is fully completed.

Mr. Routley will be found at the office in the store during the next few weeks to settle his outstanding accounts and wind up his business affairs.

Respectfully soliciting a continuance of your esteemed patronage.

C. F. KUTZBACH,
Successor to C. B. Routley.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers in the DAILY EXAMINER to ensure a prompt change of their advertisement, will please hand in their copy the evening previous to the date the "ad." should appear.

Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

No. 4 Company, Attention!

Capt. Lech requests all members of No. 4 Company to return at once to him every article of their military kit.

Meeting of Creditors.

At a meeting of the creditors of Mr. Robt. Hall, drygoods merchant, yesterday an offer of a composition at 40 cents on the $ was accepted.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Grand Flower Social.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the C.L.A. will hold their annual Flower Social on Wednesday evening, January 13th, in the Catholic Association rooms. Butcher's orchestra in attendance. Also cards and games. Tickets including supper, 50 cents. 9d

Again to the Front.

We have now got over the holiday rush and are prepared to give our undivided attention to your special requirements in all the best lines of groceries and provisions, wishing you all a prosperous New Year. E. BROWN & Co., 294 George street.

Special Notice.

All members of Court Little John, No. 92, C.O.F., are requested to be present at our next meeting, Monday, Jan. 11th inst., and bring their wives or lady friends with them. Business—installation of officers and a social evening to be spent. By order of Committee. 4d5

New Chromatic Calendar.

We have received from the Peterborough Hardware Co. a copy of the Winchester Repeating Arms Co's new calendar for 1897. The hanger is quite an attractive design in chromatic effects, depicting two hunting scenes, "An Interrupted Dinner" and "A Chance Shot," in both of which the repeating rifles of the company are getting in some good work.

Stole a Plate.

On the night of Jan. 7th some person or persons broke open the show case at the entrance to Mr. Whiten's photo studio, No. 158 Hunter street, and stole a photograph of J. G. Gaudaur, champion oarsman of the world. Mr. Whiten will give a reward for the apprehension and conviction of the thief or thieves.

Little Red Riding Hood.

This tidy little operatta was repeated at St. John's school house last night, with even greater success that on Tuesday night. The house was again crowded and all were more than delighted with the bright and piquant entertainment provided. Miss McCollum is deservedly receiving compliments for her clever dramatization of the nursery tale, and those taking part are to be warmly commended for the spirit with which they profited by her instruction in presenting their parts so admirably. A handsome sum was realised for the Sunday school fund. The fame of this entertainment has gone abroad and an earnest request for its presentation at Lakefield is under consideration.

M. L. Henry & Co. to Their Customers.

The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to see our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their accounts without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

WAGES CASES

Against Messrs. Corry & Laverdure Trent Valley Canal Contractors.

Several wages cases were brought in the police court this morning against Messrs. Corry & Laverdure. The men, it appears, were paid at the rate of ten cents an hour when twelve and a half had been promised.

Mr. Laverdure was present and acknowledged the correctness of one account, but paid the other under protest.

A large number of cases against the same firm have been in court lately.

The magistrate in adjudicating on the cases remarked that it would probably cause less trouble if the men waited a day or two after being discharged and endeavoured to arrange a settlement with the firm, without bringing the case into the police court as soon as they could get to the magistrate. At the same time he also thought that before discharging a man the firm should endeavour to have his account in such a shape as to be able to pay him immediately if possible.

JOINT INSTALLATION.

Peterborough and Otonabee Lodges of Independent Oddfellows.

Bro. W. J. Patterson, D. D. G. M., assisted by Bros. Wm. Cowle, P. G., R. F. Morrow, P. G., T. M. McFadden, P. G., and James McGill, P. G., installed the newly elected officers of Peterborough and Otonabee Lodges, I. O. O. F., last evening as follows:

Peterborough.		*Otonabee.*
R M Scott	J P G	Wm Quinn
Geo W Bennett	N G	J W Miller
Geo Gilbert	V G	Harry Morgan
A J Johnston	Treas	H Meredith
W King	War	D Jewett
M W Matchett	Con	Frank Wise
A Davidson	O G	Sam Sharpe
Wm Barrie	I G	B Roberts
A McFarlane	R S	Jas A Tully
W J Green	P S	M Mowry, P G
Jos Kidd	R S N G	A Rutherford
John White	L S N G	R M Roy, Jr
F McFadden	R S V G	Wm Patterson
H Fife	L S V G	D Rummings
F Perry	R S S	Wm Robinson
Rev J J Rae	Chap	John Emmerson
Wm Hill	Pianist	W F Green
Dr Clarke	Physicians	Dr R W Bell

COMMITTEES.

The committees for Peterborough Lodge are as follows:

Finance—Bros. Matchett, McOrea and Cowie.
Property—Bros. Kingscotte, Hooper and King.
Sick—Bros. Scott, Bennett, Gilbert, Matchett, Perry, Barrie and Fanning.

The Finance Committee for Otonabee Lodge is:—Jas A McGill, P. G., D. G. Armstrong, P G, and Fred Might.

LADY LANSDOWNE'S OFFICERS.

They Were Installed Last Evening in Their Respective Chairs by Brother Curtis.

The following officers of Lady Lansdowne, Daughters of England, having been duly elected were installed last evening by Bro. Curtis:

Sister Harris	W P President
" Stock	W W President
" Redhouse	W V President
" Taylor	Secretary
" Babin	Treasurer
" Rose	Asst Secretary
" Coveney	Chaplain
Bro Dr Pigeon	Physician
" Boothe	1st Guide
" Cummings	2nd Guide
" Foster	3rd Guide
" Jones	4th Guide
" Gibson	Inner Guard
Bro Taylor	Outer Guard
Sister Barlow	Organist

Trustees—Bro. Curtis and Sister Downing.
Auditors—Bro. Curtis and Sisters Rose and Swain.
Grand Lodge Delegate—Sister Tovey; alternative delegate, Sister Stock.

THE WANDERING WILLIES.

A Hundred Less Accommodated in 1896 Than in 1895.

Constable Adams had tabulated the number of tramps who have been accommodated in the police cells during the year and finds that there were 335 who applied for and received lodgings, as compared with 453 for the year 1895.

The decrease of 117 is attributable, probably to the fact that for some time after the row at Heaps' Cut the Magistrate was more than unusually severe with the gentry of the road. There were also several other affairs in which the tramps were concerned, and in which they received heavy sentence. All this had the effect of clearing the neighbourhood of their undesired presence for some time.

PERSONAL

Mr. Robert Missen, formerly of the Port Hope Lacrosse Club, was in town yesterday on business.

Messrs. Reggie Turner and Fred Logan are attending the Millbrook carnival this evening in costume.

Miss Lizzie Fallis, of Cavan, has been visiting at the residence of Mr. A. J. Edwards, of the C. P. R. day staff.

Mr. Bert Thompson is making Peterborough his headquarters for a day or two and is being welcomed back to town by his many friends.

Hon. Wm. Harty has written to the Department of Public Works to the effect that the treatment which he received in New York has resulted in a great improvement in his health. He will leave shortly for a visit to Ottawa, and will be in Toronto before the session begins.

The Millbrook Reporter says.—Rev. J. J. Rae, of Peterborough, delighted the large congregation who turned out to hear him in the Methodist church on Sunday last. Mr. Rae is one of the most earnest and pleasing speakers in the conference and is rapidly advancing to prominence.

Mr. J. A. Campbell, of Port Hope, who was the representative sent from that town to the annual meeting of the Midland Colts held here last month, is leaving to take up his residence in New York city. Mr. Campbell's occasional presence in Peterborough will be greatly missed.

Dr. Chamberlain, Provincial Inspector of Prisons, Asylums and Hospitals, is in town to-day on official business. He looked over the several institutions in town coming within his inspectorate, and reports them all well conducted, well kept, and the public interests well looked after.

See Grafton & Co's Underwear all at bargains.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Double Wedding.

A double wedding took place at the Methodist parsonage, Norwood, on Wednesday, of last week, the contracting parties being Mr. Jas. Albert Lawrence, of Marmora, and Miss Sophrona Munro, of Methuen, and Mr. Sheldon Walbridge and Miss Lavina Munro, also of Methuen. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. A. McCamus.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

The hockey match with Trinity University, which was to have taken place on Tuesday next, has been declared off, as Mr. G. J. Hopkins received a telegram cancelling the game yesterday. As the seniors are badly in need of something better than a practice to get them into shape, arrangements will be made to take the members down to Norwood early in the week for a match.

A scratch team has been made up to give the Lindsay Collegiates a game in that town to-night. All the boys are aspirants for places in the first and second Peterboroughs, and doubtless they will give a good account of themselves. The team is composed as follows: goal, Wasson; point, R. Thorne; cover point, A. Hollingshead; forwards B. Belleghem, C. Graham, W. Crossley and H. King. Jockey Hopkins will go along with the boys, who will also be accompanied by a number of friends.

The Executive Committee of the Peterboroughs met last night in the rink parlours for the purpose of making such arrangements as to prevent the overcrowding of the hockey ice, as is frequently the case. The following provisional schedule was drawn up, to go into effect on Monday night next, allotting the players to the following nights:

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays—R. Davidson, W. Phelan, Chris. Graham, F. LeFevre, W. J. Montgomery, S. Adams, E. Wasson, A. Hollingshead, B. Belleghem, F. Dixon, R. Thorne, W. Crossley, P. Rubidge and E. Grubbe.

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays—King, Watt, Borland, McNee, MacGachan, Rickey, Thompson, Morrow, Logan, Fife, Kenner, Stinson, Hopkins and such of the first mentioned group as the captain sees fit to select. This arrangement is only provisional and players may be transferred at the direction of the Executive. Three or four more playing members could be accommodated on the ice. All members who have not paid for their tickets are requested to do so before the new schedule goes into effect.

Last night there were eighteen players on the ice, and the checking was entirely too close for good practice.

The senior team will not put its strongest seven on the ice in the first match against the Royal Military College team, and a few of the best men will be given the intermediates and juniors to help them through with their first games.

Mr. "Bob" Missen, of Port Hope, was in town last night and was around with his old lacrosse friends. "Bob" says Port Hope has a pretty "nifty" hockey team this winter. What's the matter with sending the intermediates down to give them a game?

At the re-organisation meeting of the Keene hockey club, the following officers were elected: R. McCamus, hon. pres.; F. Burnham, pres.; A. Walsh, vice-pres.; J. McCarthy, secretary; J. McIntyre, captain; Dr. Shaw, general manager; C. Fife, W. Brown, B. Dickson and F. Quinn, committee.

CURLIANA.

The curlers got word last night from Mr. J. D. Flavelle, of Lindsay, that Monday would be the most convenient day to play off the first match of the year in the Lindsay-Peterborough competition.

The curlers are making up for lost time and the three rinks are going both afternoon and evening. Yesterday the following scratch games were played:

A J Gough,		F J Rogers,	
J D Baptie,		R H Fortye,	
Ed Brown,		G E Whiten,	
H LeBrun, skip	10	G W Hatton, skip	13
J McCaig,		W S Wattam,	
C Fessenden,		W H Meredith,	
H R H Kenner,		Bert Thompson,	
J Jeffries, skip	9	J S Knapman, skip	7
Geo Brown,		Finnemore,	
C LeGros,		Alf Terril,	
D Belleghem, sk	10	C Rutherford, sk	10
R H D Hall,		Finnemore,	
F McNee,		W Manson,	
Geo Morrow,		J Jeffries,	
Geo Edmison, sk	15	Dr Bouchier	17

The matches in the Kendry Cup series resulted as follows:

Thistles.	*Granites.*
Herb Hall,	R Waddel,
C N Brown,	G Giroux,
D Davidson,	G M Roger,
W G Ferguson, sk..14	E B Edwards, sk.....12
W E Loch,	F J Rogers,
J D Baptie,	R Fair,
J Stanger,	W Salisbury,
S Ray, sk.....15	T P Attrill, sk.....14

The following matches in the Kendry Cup series are drawn for to-night:

R H Kells.....vs.....D W Dumble
R B McKee.....vs.....W D Parker

A meeting of the Granite Club is called for to-morrow evening in the rink parlours at eight o'clock sharp. All members are requested to be in attendance.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Good ice at the rink.

—An assault case was dismissed in the police court this morning.

—Farmers are praying for sleighing in order that they may fulfil their wood contracts.

—The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held on the afternoon of the 15th inst.

—Have you tried "Gold Cure" for Asthma. If not call on J D. Tully and get a sample. 6d2-1w

—Lindsay will have a civic holiday on February 2nd—the date of the curlers' excursion to Niagara Falls.

—On a charge of being drunk and disorderly a citizen was fined two and dollars by Magistrate Dumble this morning.

—Dwight L. Moody, Sam Jones, Francis Murphy and Archbishop Martinelli are all trying to overcome the sins of Boston. Boston must begin to feel like a modern Nineveh.

—Tuesday night, Jan. 12th, a grand boxing entertainment will be given in Bradburn's Opera House. Jem Mace, John F. Scholes, Dick Collier, Lew Morris and other noted pugilists will take part. This will be the greatest exhibition of the manly art ever given in Peterborough. Prices are only 25, 35 and 50c. Seats now on sale.

—The management of the Riverside Park open air skating rink has added a portable steam flooder to its equipment. Manager Young states that the rink will be flooded each evening at 10 o'clock, giving those who patronize open air skating good, keen ice each day, while the skating season lasts. The ice at present is in excellent condition, and was reflooded this morning in order to make good skating over the entire acre.

—On Monday night next Joshua Simpkins, the funniest of all rural plays, will be seen at Bradburn's Opera House. The singing and dancing is all good, and the thrilling saw mill scene is something marvellous. A grand concert will be given at noon, corner of George and Simcoe streets. Come and hear the Joshua Simpkins' wonderful Farmer Band. Prices 25, 35 and 50c.

AUCTION SALE

On Market Square next Saturday—A Family Cutter, little used. —Chas. Stapleton, Auctioneer.

A MARRIAGE OF TRUST.

All Available Assets Absorbed by the License Fee—Nothing Left for the Minister.

The blissfully uncertain and problematical felicity of the matrimonial estate might be easily accounted for if we could only know the multiform conditions, material and moral, that influence those taking part in this game of chance. "Love in a cottage" sounds very romantic, but the prosaic element, represented by bread and butter, must be reckoned with. Many would be found to confidently predict failure from a marriage under the following conditions. Not long ago a minister was called upon to celebrate marriage in a home at a long distance—in a pedestrian sense—from his residence. He walked down to the house and found, when the bridal pair had taken their position, that the marriage license had not been procured. Of course this necessitated a stay of proceedings; and there was no other course open to the minister than to accompany the pair up town to an issuer of marriage licenses and procure the essential document. Then another long trudge back to the house, and the solemn ceremony was duly celebrated. When the formality, of considerable material interest to the officiating minister, came to be observed, it was found that the bridegroom had expended all his worldly possessions in payment of the two-dollar fee for his license, and the minister was compelled to accept the situation—he could not undo the marriage and did not like to propose to the issuer of the license a "divvy" of his fee. However he had what was better than money—the consciousness of having made two hearts happy. If they could in simple trust face the future and the naturally accumulating responsibilities of matrimony, without a cent in their pockets, they doubtless reasoned that the minister might trust them for the marriage fee. He had to trust them anyway and he thinks, from some of his past experiences in this direction, he will have ample opportunity for the development of the virtue of faith and charity, if not of hope.

Men's and Boys' Sealette Caps, with peak, worth 75c, now 50c, at Grafton & Co.

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—Standard Authors and Poets at cost.
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—Photograph Frames at prices never heard of.
—Purses and Pocket Books—a very fine line to be sacrificed.
—Work Boxes and Jewel Cases at your own price.
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25 lovely Night Gowns, worth 75c, to go at..... 45c
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25 White Skirts, worth 75c, to go at..... 40c
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75 pair Ladies' Cotton Drawers, worth 40c, to go at..... 25c
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All our White and Grey Cottons at special prices during this White Goods Special Sale.

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Hall Gilchrist & Co
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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1897.

COMPLIMENTARY REFERENCE

To Peterborough's New Inspector, and to Mr. Pakenham, Formerly of Town.

The following minutes were passed at the last meeting of the Brockville Board of Education in reference to Mr. Pakenham and Mr. Walker, respectively, in both of whom Peterborough is interested:

The committee of school management reported as follows:

That pursuant to the direction of the board a minute in reference to Mr. Pakenham and Mr. Walker, respectively, should be prepared, your committee has prepared such and report thereon as follows:

That Mr. Wm. Pakenham became head master of the Brockville Collegiate Institute immediately after the Easter holidays in 1894. His engagement commenced at a time when matters were in such a state as to render his work extremely difficult, and to call for the exercise of high qualities as a disciplinarian and teacher. He proved that he possessed these qualities, and by the due exercise of them, he has brought our institute to a stage of success greater than it had ever before attained and one most satisfactory to all concerned.

Mr. Pakenham's success in the discharge of his duties has been such that great regret has been felt at his asking to be allowed to resign in order to accept a better position offered to him by the honourable Minister of Education. Nor is such regret limited to this cause only. Mr. Pakenham as a citizen has won esteem and good will, and the best wishes of the trustees and our people generally follow him and his esteemed wife to their new home.

That Mr. Duncan Walker became mathematical master in the Collegiate Institute, Brockville, after the summer holidays in 1894, and held the position until the Christmas holidays of 1896, when he resigned, having been offered the position of inspector of schools for Peterborough, Ontario, and having accepted the same.

Mr. Walker, during his engagement to the Board, proved himself to be an excellent disciplinarian, and was faithful, painstaking and successful as a teacher. He gained the respect and good-will of his fellow-teachers, the trustees and the citizens generally, and the Board, while pleased at Mr. Walker having obtained promotion, much regret losing his services.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. GILMOUR,
Chairman school management committee.

Brockville, 5th Jan., 1897.

Moved by W. A. Gilmour, seconded by Jas. A. Hutcheson, that the report of the committee of school management be and is hereby received and adopted. That the minutes in reference to Messrs. Pakenham and Walker respectively be entered in full in the minutes of the Board, and that a certified copy thereof, as far as concerns himself, be furnished to each of these gentlemen.—Carried.

ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.

The Church of Christ Scientist—The Programme Presented.

The third anniversary under the auspices of the First Church of Christ Scientist, was held Wednesday evening in the Sons of England Hall. There was a good attendance and the occasion was in every way enjoyable. The chair was occupied by Mr. J. C. Parker, Reader, (pastor) of the church, who introduced the following programme:

Hymn 181, "The Light of the World"....
Scripture, Mark xvi, Science and Health, page 214
Silent prayer, followed by Lord's Prayer....
Chairman's address....
Chorus, "The New Song"....
Duet, "I will Follow Thee"....Mrs Case and Miss Payne
Recitation, "The Life Boat"....Ira Goodfellow
Solo....Miss Young
Instrumental duet..Misses Wescott and Payne
Recitation....Miss Breese
Tableau, "Rock of Ages"....Miss Lula Seward
Recitation....Viana Page
Chorus, "Marching on"....Seven little girls
Solo....Mrs Case
Reading....Miss Payne
Duet, "The Reapers"....Mr and Mrs Case
Instrumental solo....Miss Fraser
Chorus, "Who is on the Lord's side?"
Reading....Mrs Parker
Tableau, "Three Little Maids from School"....Misses Payne and Miss Wescott
Doxology....

In the interval between the first and second parts of the programme refreshments were served and candies distributed to the children.

JANUARY BULLETIN!

To-day we start our Annual January Clearing Sale of ODD LENGTHS and REMNANTS, consisting of short pieces of superior TWEEDS, suitable for Boy's Clothing or Gentlemen's Trousers.

Also all our Fashionable High-Class WINTER GOODS, ETC.

This sale should prove specially interesting to purchasers, because the little lots that linger will be so reduced as to make them go out in short order.

Mercer's

"POLITICS AND MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS."

To the Editor of the Daily Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—In last evening's issue of the Review, I notice a communication from a "Conservative" upon "Politics and Municipal Elections," in which he advocates that all candidates for councillors in Peterborough and elsewhere should be supported from the standpoint that they are good Conservatives, and should be nominated with the sole object in view of distributing all offices of emolument from pathmaster up, amongst their own friends and supporters, and he states that the Conservatives party are greatly to blame for not adhering more strictly to this line of policy. He complains that they have been cajoled right and left by the Grits, who are accused of endeavouring to introduce politics into municipal elections when ever opportunity arises. I may say for the benefit of the Review newspaper and the "Conservative" who devotes his time to scribbling this kind of rubbish, that myself and hundreds of others are disgusted with the party and the leaders of the party in Peterborough for their miserable cringing to everything in the shape of spoil, and sacrificing principle upon every occasion for the advantage of some of their friends or supporters who may happen to be needy. I have been a reader of the Review for a great many years, and no homily need be read that organ upon its servility to party, for it is because it has been pulled through the mire by the leaders of the party that it finds itself and the party in the position they are in.

The council of Peterborough has been managed for many years by a Conservative majority, and they have no particular record to be proud of to look back upon. It is true that they have secured all the municipal appointments for Conservatives with the exception of an assessor, and what more could they procure for them without putting their hands directly into the treasury, and taking the common funds of the people, both Liberals and Conservatives? If a "Conservative" will take the trouble to look up those whose taxes are remitted, he will find that nine out of ten are Conservatives, that the business of the town has not been conducted upon a principle of what is right, but it has been conducted in a truckling manner to every party interest rather than on the ground of the public welfare, and even in the last municipal mayoralty contest, wherever an opportunity was afforded of appealing to a man upon his Conservative principles to vote for Mr. Moore, it was done, and I know it was done. I took no interest in the mayoralty contest excepting to cast my vote for Mr. Yelland, for the simple reason that he was not being given fair play in not being allowed a second term. He ran a contest which Mr. Moore refused to run when asked last year. He won and was entitled to a second term. I do not even think he was a fit man for the position, but of the two he had the virtue of honesty to commend him to my support. I had no feeling against Mr. Moore. I personally do not think that either Mr. Moore or Mr. Yelland are the men that should have been selected, but of the two evils I chose the lesser. For my part I would be very glad to see a Liberal council, or any council, having only the welfare at heart of the town where I have my own interests. I would be very much delighted to see the people rise above any party feeling whatever, and elect a man who is fit for the position, and who will administer our affairs in the best interests of all the people. Whether it be a Liberal or Conservative council I care not, neither do the majority of the ratepayers. A "Conservative" need not go to Archie McKellar for rubbish of this kind he need only go to Sir Charles Tupper's speech in Toronto very recently in which he again stultified himself by advocating policy instead of principle and the sooner the Review newspaper and a "Conservative" learn to fully realize the fact that there are electors who vote for principle and not party, they will probably more fully realize the duty that a citizen owes to a community.

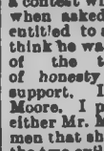
I am a Conservative, and, thank God, a Conservative of the old school, when it was below the dignity of a great historical party to spend their energies in capturing a poundkeepership or a pathmastership. A continuance of the policy advocated by "A Conservative" will give the finishing touch to the blow that has been given the party by the tactics that have been pursued the last few years.

I have always been, and hope to always be, a Conservative, but I never will stoop to the level of peanut politics in my efforts to advance Conservative principles.

Yours truly,
"CONSERVATIVE."

Jan. 8th, 1897.

Furniture by Private Sale.



The handsome furniture and contents of Mr. P. Henry's residence, No. 318 Charlotte Charlotte street, opposite Charlotte street Methodist church, is open for purchase by private sale—either in part or en bloc. Parties can view the furniture on and after Monday, January 11th, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 9 p.m., for one week. The furniture is all new and modern in design, having received comparatively little wear, and is well worthy the attention of housekeepers wishing to make additions to their furniture, or those about to start housekeeping. 6d5

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ORGANIZATION MEETING.

THE SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD ELECTS OFFICERS.

The Standing Committees and Chairmen Appointed for the Year—The Financial Statement for 1896—Other Business.

The members of the Separate School Board met last night for organization.

Messrs. Sheehy, Doris, Kylie and Quinlan filed the necessary declarations. The other members of the Board were also present, viz:—Messrs. Goselin, McGrath, Lynch and Hickey.

OFFICERS APPOINTED.

For chairman of the board—Mr. M. H. Quinlan was nominated by Mr. Sheehy, seconded by Mr. McGrath. The re-election of Mr. Quinlan was made unanimous. The newly elected chairman sincerely thanked the members for his re-election.

For secretary-treasurer—Mr. John Corkery was nominated by Mr. Goselin, seconded by Mr. McGrath. The motion was adopted.

For local superintendent—The Ven. Archdeacon Casey was re-appointed to the position on motion of Messrs. McGrath and Lynch.

For High School trustee—On motion of Mr. McGrath, seconded by Mr. Goselin, Mr. L. M. Hayes was re-elected representative on the High School board.

Auditors.—Messrs. Lynch and Carveth were appointed auditors on motion of Mr. McGrath, seconded by Mr. Hickey.

THE STANDING COMMITTEES.

Messrs. Goselin, McGrath, Lynch and Hickey were named a committee to strike the standing committees, reporting as follows:

Finance—Messrs. Lynch, Sheehy and McGrath.

School Management — Messrs. Sheehy, Doris and Kylie.

Property—Messrs. McGrath, Hickey and Goselin.

The first named on each committee to be chairman thereof.

On motion of Messrs. Hickey and McGrath, the report was adopted.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and two special meetings were read and confirmed.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the Board for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1896:

RECEIPTS.

Balance from 1895	$ 413 87
Township taxes, 1895	415 00
Town taxes, 1896	3,760 00
Provincial treasurer	420 50
Miscellaneous	4 50
	$ 5,003 87

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries	$ 3,271 00
Fuel	436 52
Repairs	227 78
School supplies	136 41
Buildings	46 77
Insurance	77 80
Interest	52 00
Water	10 00
Furniture	92 07
Printing and stationery	18 70
Elections	9 00
Miscellaneous	45 90
Balance in bank	577 82
	$ 5,003 87

On motion of Mr. McGrath, seconded by Mr. Doris, the report was received and referred to the Auditors.

ACCOUNTS

were presented as follows and referred to the Finance Committee:

Walter Stocker	$ 1 00
Review Printing Co	2 25

The following accounts, paid since last meeting of the Board, were confirmed:

M O'Donnel	$ 5 00
M O'Brien	45

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and disposed of as follows:

From Miss H. M. Cahill, accepting appointment as teacher of the junior department of the Murray street school—Received.

From Miss Deanard, asking for same salary as obtained by Miss Ryan, her predecessor—Received.

From the several teachers asking for supplies for the schools—Received and referred to the Property Committee.

On motion of Mr. Lynch, seconded by Mr. Doris, Miss Deanard was allowed a salary at the rate of $300 for the balance of the school term.—Carried.

On motion of Mr. Sheehy, seconded by Mr. McGrath, the Property Committee be instructed to ask for tenders for a supply of wood for the several schools.—Carried.

From Miss Ryan, tendering her resignation as teacher in the Central school.—Received.

Moved by Mr. McGrath, seconded by Mr. Lynch, that in accepting the resignation of Miss Ryan, for the past eight years the first assistant teacher in the Central school, this board desires to place on record its high appreciation of her services as one of the teaching staff, having always found her to be a capable and painstaking member of her profession, and one who took a decided interest in the advancement of her pupils and of the school.—Carried.

The Board then adjourned.

After the adjournment of the board Mr. Quinlan, the chairman, invited the members to partake of an oyster supper, which was served in Welsh's restaurant, Hunter street.

DEATH OF MR. JOHN BISSETT.

A Former Resident of Dummer Dies in Cleveland.

Mr. John Bissett, a former resident of Dummer, died at his home in Cleveland, Ohio, after a few days illness, on Dec. 27th, in his eighty sixth year.

Mr. Bissett was well known in the county, being one of the early settlers. He was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, and came to Canada in 1838, settling near Warsaw in the township of Dummer. Here he lived for thirty-three years, taking an active interest in all the affairs of the township. He married in 1842, Sarah McMillan, a native of Glasgow, Scotland. In 1871 he removed with his wife and family to the city of Cleveland, where he has since resided. He leaves a son and three daughters—Mrs. W. McKnight, and Misses Anna L. and Lizzie E. Bissett, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Dr. J. A. Bissett, of Kansas City. The late Mrs. Chas. Nicoll was also a daughter of the deceased.

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DIVINITY GRADUATES GATHER.

Local Clergy Attend a Theological Conference in Toronto.

The first annual gathering of graduates and under-graduates in Divinity of Trinity University, Toronto, began yesterday. Amongst the local clergy present are Rev. H. Symonds, of St. Lukes; Ven. Archdeacon Allan, Millbrook; Rev. Rural Dean Allan, Millbrook; Rev. G. Warren, Lakefield; Rev. C. B. Kenrick, Port Hope; Rev. W. L. Baynes Reed, Keene.

The Ven. Archdeacon Allan, of Millbrook, was elected chairman.

After the transaction of various matters of business, the Rev. George Warren, of Lakefield, read a most interesting and valuable paper on "The Ethical Teachings of our Lord Jesus Christ." He pointed out that increased activity and knowledge of the present day called for earnest study of ethics. The scholar, however, must be merged in the disciple, and we must learn the vital principles of Christian activity from the living teacher. The summum bonum of the Gospel teaching was emancipation of the soul, the restoration of life and the construction and perpetuation of a society. Moral movement towards perfect righteousness was a characteristic of the ethics. The only way to carry out the true principles of Christian ethics is to become filled with the spirit of Christ, and seek to follow Him in singleness of affection, in reverence, humility and love. This can only be attained by prayer and self-denial.

A number of other most interesting papers were read.

In the evening the question of establishing a bishopric in Japan was earnestly considered, and the Trinity men will probably endorse the proposition.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

Rev. W. R. Young Occupied the Pulpit of St. Paul's Church Last Evening.

St. Paul's church was comfortably filled last night at the service in connection with the week of prayer. The Rev. Dr. Torrance presided and Rev. Messrs. Rae, Dykeman, Cragg, Mayor Yelland and Mr. Gilchrist assisted in the exercises of the evening. The Rev. W. R. Young, B. A., gave a thoughtful dissertation on "Educational Institutions." He remarked that as Canadians we might well be proud of our educational system, from the kindergarten to the most prominent university. There were three facts worthy of consideration. 1. Mental culture is essential to the prosperity and progress of a country. 2. Moral education gives value to mental culture. 3. To the Christian church to-day is given, and laid upon her the responsibility of the proper mental and moral culture of our children. We should pray that our educational institutions might be permeated by a religious influence (1) through the lives of the teachers—men and women of unblemished characters—possessing graces and qualities worthy of imitation. (2) From the proper position given the Bible in our schools (3) by the Christian church throwing her protecting ægis around our institutions. The meeting throughout was intensely interesting.

THE CLOSING SERVICE.

The closing service is always the most solemn. The meetings throughout the week have been beneficial to all, who have taken advantage of them, and to-night's meeting in the Murray street Baptist church will be of special interest to every Christian. Evangelist W. M. Roger will address the meeting on Social Reform, touching upon temperance and purity. The Rev. A. T. Dykeman will preside. Let there be a full house, and let all seek a fuller blessing.—COM.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 8,—6.30 a.m.....22° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	21°	16° above

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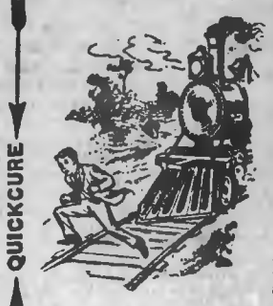

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"Lily, I couldn't help it. I tell you I was hard up. A fellow must have money. You women don't know anything about the temptations and necessities of the world!"

"But, Charley," she faltered, "do you know how this same world, as you phrase it, looks at the deed you have just committed? It is forgery! That a Wayland should come to this!"

"Dared!" he echoed, recklessly: "It was but a stroke of the pen, after all, and old Glencross would be a paltrier miser than I take him to be if he makes a fuss about a matter of $500."

"It is the right and the justice of the thing," cried Lilias, almost frantically "If we could pay him in any way; but I have sold everything that remains of our former wealth. Last night I sat up until midnight sewing, to have a little money to pay the rent. I have not a jewel left, nor a trinket!"

"O, bother, Lill. If old Glencross cuts up rough, it is only taking a trip across the water. I know lots of ship captains that would stow me away under their holds any moonlight night."

After he had gone, Lilias sat down to try and realize the new situation in which she and her brother were placed. All now dependent upon the spirit in which Paulus Glencross should receive this new encroachment upon his purse and patience.

Lily had never seen this distant relation, yet she had formed an opinion of him in her inmost mind, and whenever she thought of Mr. Glencross the image of a hook-nosed man, yellow-skinned and cadaverous, suggested itself to her mental eye.

"But he must be human, at least," throught Lily, in the agony of her distress. "If I go to him myself and tell him just what poor Charley's necessities were, and how good-hearted he really is, in spite of all his faults and thoughtlessness—if I say frankly that I will stay and work for him as a servant girl might work in the kitchen, until I have discharged the horrible debt, surely, O surely he cannot have the heart to refuse."

Two days from the evening in which she had bidden goodby to her handsome, reckless brother, she stepped from the cars at the New York depot.

A little inquiry sufficed to bring her to the street where Mr. Glencross resided—a stately avenue, lined on either side with palaces, the like of which Lily had never seen.

As Lilias sat on the silken sofa waiting with a throbbing heart for the appearance of her unknown cousin, the thought stole into her mind that he was not so much of a miser after all; and then came a sick sort of misgiving that her mission was all in vain.

"For surely," she thought, glancing tremulously round the elegant apartment, "he will not want any one to make bread or look after the kitchen expenditures! I wish—O, I wish, that I was safe at home again!"

The thought had scarcely framed itself in her mind when a door was opened, and a tall, handsome man, scarcely 30 years of age, entered.

"I—I beg your pardon, sir," faltered Lilias, all in a flutter, but I wished to see Mr. Glencross."

"I am Mr. Glencross!"

"I am Lilias Wayland," she answered, in a tone that was scarcely audible.

"Wayland!" A shadow, faint, yet distinctly perceptible, spread over his face at that word, and Lilias saw it with a failing heart. She remembered only poor Charley and her own sickening idea of debt, disgrace and ruin; and sinking on her knees at his feet she sobbed out her pitiful story.

"He is so young," she wailed, "so young, surely you will not refuse to give him another chance. I will work and toil for you until the $500 are every cent paid. I will be a servant, a seamstress—what you please."

"I will take the matter into consideration," said Mr. Glencross, gravely, yet not without a certain gleam of amusement in the corners of his mouth at the idea of that pretty, slender creature rendering to him the equivalent of the $500.

"And now, cousin Lilias—for I believe that we can claim relationship, although it is somwhat distant—I shall insist upon you as my guest. Let me send for my mother!"

Mrs. Glencross, a stately old lady, welcomed Lilias with a smiling hospitality, which belonged to the ancient regime, and almost before she knew it, the girl found herself chatting innocently away to her hostess, as if she had lived all her life in the sunshine of that pleasant smile.

When Lilias wrote her happy letter home that night, Mr. Glencross added a pleasant postscript, and Charley Wayland knew that his season of peril was over.

Lily had been nearly a month the guest of the stately old lady, when one day Paulas, coming suddenly into the drawing room, found her sitting all alone, with tear drops glittering on her peachy cheek.

"Why, Lily, what is the matter?"

"Nothing, Paulus"—they had grown to be good friends by this time—"only I have been dreaming very pleasantly, and the time of waking has come at last."

"You mysterious little sphinx, what on earth do you mean?"

"The $500, Paulus—they are yet to be paid. No—don't interrupt me. I must pay you; and there is no other way for me than to seek a situation as governess or instructress in some seminary. So, Paplus, I have written an advertisement, and if you will be so kind as to take it down to the office of some of the daily papers—"

"Lily, this is all nonsense. If you want to pay me, you can."

"But, Paulus, you know I have nothing in all the world!"

"You have yourself—to me the most precious gift the aforesaid world contains."

"O, Paulus," she faltered, "I never dreamed of so much happiness!"

And so Lilias Wayland's indebtedness was settled most satisfactorily.—New York News.

Life's Little Ironies.

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The poverty-stricken writer turned a beseeching eye toward the stern face of his landlady and assured her that he would settle before long.

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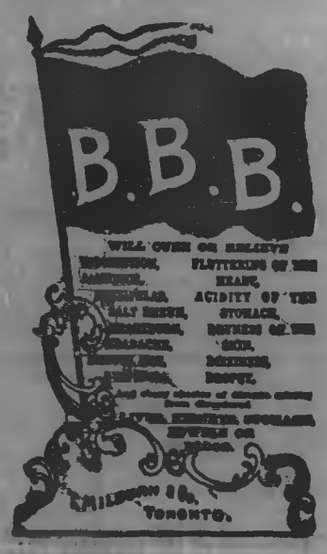

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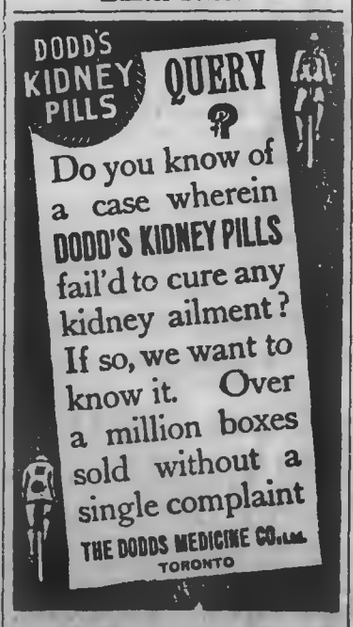
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The knowledge of the use of stains and varnishes and how to polish and clean furniture is invaluable to an economical housekeeper, who can easily, with the help of an intelligent maid, keep her house clean and bright and freshen it up when need be, without calling in the aid of an expensive workman. Formerly stains were confined to the colors nearly resembling natural woods, but of late colors are used—greens, blues, reds and yellow—which partake in no sense of the nature of paint, but are stains pure and simple, showing the grain of the wood.

The most fashionable stain at present for cottage furniture is green, not a sage green, but good, old-fashioned regular green, which when rubbed well into the pores of the wood and then polished is really beautiful. The two transparent colors, Prussian blue and raw sienna, make, when mixed together, an excellent green, or if a brighter tint is desired, gamboge and Prussian blue. A very little of the latter goes a great way, as it is altogether the most powerful color known and completely overcomes any other pigment if mixed in equal proportions. In staining, it should be borne in mind that it is not paint, but stain, and that a very little should be used, a pound being sufficient to stain a whole set of furniture.

To get a good color the wood must be light. Oak, yellow or white pine, maple, any of these are suitable, and the more grained the better, the more effect of bird's-eye maple, the heavy markings of oak and the picturesque knot so often seen in yellow pine, all coming out particularly well through the translucent color.

The best way to apply stain and bring out the grain of the wood is to put it on quite thick and then rub it off with a linen or cotton rag, and it is absolutely necessary that the wood should be in its natural condition without paint or varnish. By sending a special order to the manufacturers it is easy to get sets of furniture without either; but if it is an open piece that is to be renovated it must be thoroughly scraped. After staining, a coat of hard oil finish may be applied as a filler, and then, after it is dry, it should be rubbed all over with the prepared beeswax that comes in cans for floors, and then rubbed with a flannel cloth until it is quite shiny and bright. After the wax is rubbed on it should be allowed to harden before polishing it. Prussian blue alone makes a very pretty peacock blue stain, raw sienna a yellow or orange, according to the amount of color used, crimson lake a lovely red, burnt sienna an almost exact imitation of new mahogany. All these are what are called transparent colors, and are, therefore, especially adapted for stains; but even opaque colors, if put on thin enough to show the grain in the wood, produce sometimes very pretty effects. White on certain woods has a milky opalescent coloring that is very harmonious with delicate chintzes. Light blue, canary yellow, apple green and pink all may be used on woodwork as stains if applied in the way that house painters call "priming"—that is, one coat of paint put on so thin that it shows the markings of the wood beneath. Georgia pine looks particularly w[illegible] when treated in this way.

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THE QUEEN'S ESCAPES.

Seven Different Attempts Have Been Made on Her Majesty's Life.

A singular fact about Queen Victoria is that she has not only always enjoyed exceptionally good health, and that even at her present advanced age she is unusually strong and well, but that she has had more hairbreadth escapes than any other sovereign in history. No fewer than seven attempts have been made on her life, and there have been many occasions when the Queen has seemed to be face to face with death.

Hyde Park was the scene of the first attempt on the Queen's life, which was made by a youth of 17, who, on the 10th of July, 1840, fired at Her Majesty with a pistol. The Prince Consort, to whom the Queen had been married a few months before, happily saw the youth in time to draw his wife down beside him, so that the ball passed over her head. The mad youth was for some time confined in Bedlam, and was afterward allowed to go to Australia.

Only two years passed away before the second attempt, when, almost on the same spot, a man named Francis fired at the Queen as she was again driving with the Prince. The shot missed, and Francis was sentenced to death for high treason, the sentence being afterward commuted to transportation for life by desire of the Queen.

Strange [illegible]ough, on the very day [illegible]'s clemency became known a hunchback named Bean, a mere youth, made another attempt to injure the Queen. He was transported for seven years.

A bricklayer was the next seeker after notoriety. He fired at the Queen as she rode in her carriage, on July 9, 1849, but his pistol missed, and he was sentenced to seven years' transportation.

Less than a year after this, as Her Majesty was returning from a visit to the deathbed of her uncle, the Duke of Cambridge, an ex-captain of Hussars rushed forward and struck her on the face with a small stick. The blow caused a wound, but the Queen was not seriously hurt.

It was 1872 before another attack was made. In the early part of that year a boy ran up to the Queen with a pistol and a petition. He was arested before he could fire, however, and was declared insane. Ten years later a madman, named Robert Maclean, aimed a pistol and shot at the Queen as she entered her carriage at Windsor Railway station.

On many other occasions the Queen has been within an ace of death. When a child, six months old, she was at Sidmouth, on the Devonshire coast, when a boy shooting sparrows accidentally discharged his gun at the window of the nursery in which the Princess was playing. The shots passed close to the baby's head, but did not, fortunately, do any harm.

When Queen Victoria was 4 years old her life was saved by an Irish soldier who happened to be passing when the royal carriage was overturned. But for the soldier's intervention the carriage would have fallen on the Queen. Half a century passed away before the soldier knew whose life he had saved.

A yachting excursion was the occasion of an alarming accident when the Queen was a girl of 15. The young Princess stood on a yacht watching a storm that had suddenly arisen, when the topmast became dangerous. The pilot quickly conveyed the Princess to a safe place, and the next minute the mast fell with a heavy crash on the spot where the royal passenger had been standing.

Twenty-one years ago, when the Queen was crossing to Gosport from Osborne, there was a fatal collision with the royal yacht, in which three persons perished. But once more her life was preserved.

On many other occasions the Queen has been in great danger, such as when, in August, 1851, Her Majesty was in a railway accident, and when, soon after her accession, the horses attached to her carriage bolted. On each of these occasions the Queen's self-possession has been remarkable.

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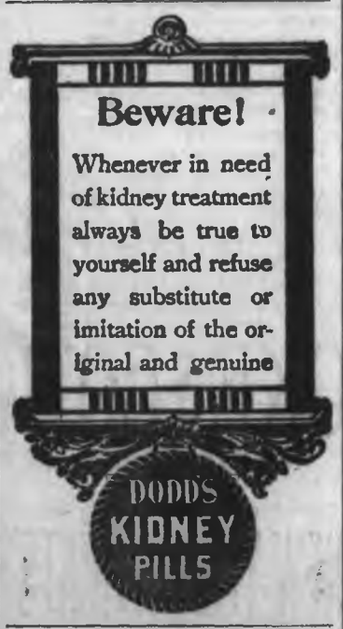
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License Inspector West Peterborough

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OVER 100 CHARGES OF BRIBERY.

Bill of Particulars Filed Against Hugh John Macdonald—Mr. Boyd Admits Bribery by Agents.

Winnipeg, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—The bill of particulars on which the petition to unseat Hon. Hugh John Macdonald is based was filed to-day. It contains over one hundred charges of bribery by agents, but there are no personal charges against Mr. Macdonald. Several of Winnipeg's most prominent citizens, including J. H. Brock, Thomas Kelly, D. D. Wood, T. H. Gilmour, W. H. Hastings, E. L. Drewry, William Georgeson, Daniel Sprague, Frank Fairchild and Dr. Englis are charged with wrongful acts in Hugh John's interests. It will take a month to hear evidence on all the charges. The Tribune, Liberal organ, publishes to-night the complete bill of particulars, which occupies two pages.

It is stated to-night that Hon. Hugh John Macdonald will resign the seat for Winnipeg, and announce himself as a candidate for re-election. There is now little doubt that Mr. Martin will be the Liberal candidate. Another battle royal may be looked for soon.

In the election trial for the Macdonald constituency to-day proceedings were brought to an abrupt termination by the addmission on the part of counsel for Mr. Boyd, the member-elect, of bribery by agents. The judges then declared the election void, pending judgment by the Ottawa Supreme Court on the appeal respecting preliminary objections. If the judgment at Ottawa favors Mr. Boyd he will retain the seat, as all the petition proceedings will fail.

BURIED AT MIDNIGHT

Wm Absconder Dunham of New York, Who Was Killed in a Gold Mine in British Columbia.

New York, Jan. 7.—Secretly and under an assumed name the body of Oscar M. Dunham, the absconding president of the Cassell Publishing Company, was brought to this city a few days ago and buried in Greenwood Cemetery.

Mr. Dunham's death near Vancouver was as tragic as the end of his business career in this city, when, three years ago, he was suddenly discovered to have nearly wrecked the concern of which he was president by his operations in Wall-street. To avoid arrest he fled the city, and since then has been a fugitive, living nearly all the time in the mining districts of British Columbia.

For years Mr. Dunham had been a prominent figure in business circles in this city. When the Cassell Publishing Company was organized he was made president and took $140,000 of the capital stock of $350,000. He did not have the money with which to pay for the stock, but raised it on notes, which he had discounted by various brokers.

The company soon became a paying investment, but before this had come about Dunham's notes had fallen due. He did not have the money to meet them, and gave other notes of the company signed by him as president in exchange for the personal paper.

Then, in the hope of redeeming this paper when it came due, Mr. Dunham began speculating in Wall-street. He lost, and to cover his losses he gave more paper of the firm. The failure of the Cordage Trust was a final blow, and in June, 1893, he left his home, taking with him, it is thought, only a few thousand dollars. It was found that paper to the amount of $168,500, bearing the name of the firm, was outstanding, but that from none of it had the firm received any money.

It is now known that Dunham at once changed his name after reaching Canada, and, after a short stay in the Eastern Provinces, went West. For a time he was in Banff. Then, going from Banff to Vancouver, he sought employment in some of the mines which were being opened in the British territory.

He finally prospected for himself, the tracts he selected showing that they contained valuable veins of ore, and for some years he employed a force of several men. Large masses of valuable ore were in sight, and fortune seemed again about to smile on Mr. Dunham, when death came upon him. One day early in December he was superintending the hoisting of some machinery, when the cable holding a huge iron beam gave way, and the mass of metal fell, striking Mr. Dunham and pinning him to the earth.

One of his legs had to be amputated, but blood poisoning set in. Then when he was told that he must die he revealed his real name, and asked that his wife, who was living in Reading, Pa., be sent for. Mrs. Dunham was notified at once, but before she could reach Vancouver her husband was dead and his body had been buried. Mr. Dunham's life had been heavily insured, and to obtain the money it was necessary to have the body exhumed and identified. This was done, and then the remains were shipped to this city.

The body was taken from the train direct to the cemetery, the only services being held at the grave. Besides the widow, Mr. Dunham leaves six daughters, three of whom are married. His mother, who is now more than 70 years old, also survives him.

Members of Mr. Dunham's family would not discuss the details of his death last night, although they admitted that he had met his death in a mine in British Columbia.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

Egg, Stove or Chestnut.....$5 50 per ton
No. 2 Nut..... 4 50 "
Anthroxolite..... 3 50 "
Pea..... 3 50 "

Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 320 Charlotte street. Telephone 365.

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At A. Clegg's!—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

ANOTHER MANDEMENT.

Ecclesiastical Thunder Expected From the Pulpits o. Quebec Next Sunday.

Montreal, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—It is understood that the ecclesiastical thunder will fall from a thousand pulpits on Sunday next, and that the settlement of the Manitoba school question, as entered into between the Ottawa and Manitoba Governments, will be emphatically condemned, as being at variance with the judgment of the Queen's Privy Council and a cowardly sacrifice of Roman Catholic interests in the Prairie Province. The condemnation will come in the shape of a mandement signed by every archbishop and bishop in the Province of Quebec, the signature of Rev. Mr. Bourgault, Vicar-General and Administrator, being affixed for the Diocese of Montreal. It is also said that this episcopal document will be accompanied by a letter written by Mgr. Fabre a few weeks before his death, in which the prelate concurs in the views of his episcopal confreres in the matter of the Manitoba schools.

La Patrie and other French Liberal newspapers, as well as their supporters, declare that the episcopacy is divided on this question, and that, although a mandement will be forthcoming on Sunday next, it will lack the signatures of Mgr. Emard of Valleyfield, Mgr. Larocque of Sherbrooke and another bishop, whose name has not transpired. This, however, is a vain hope, as your correspondent has it upon the authority of Mgr. Begin himself and another bishop, that the entire episcopacy is thoroughly united on this question. There is, however, some little difference of opinion among the hierarchy as to the advisability of censuring public newspapers, and this fact may possibly prevent any further episcopal utterance on the subject of the public press. It is quite probable that Mgr. Emard and one or two of the other prelates are against condemning La Patrie, Le Cultivateur and Le Signal, but there is no authority for the statement that these bishops will not follow their confreres in the general bombardment of Sunday next.

Mr. Charles M. Hays, General Manager of the Grand Trunk system, intimates that if the city would grant the company the land, the general offices might be removed from Point St. Charles to a more convenient place in the city.

CRUELTY IN CUBA.

Spaniards Charged With Butchering Defenceless People—Hacked Them to Death With Machetes.

New York, Jan. 7.—A World special from Key West, Fla., says: Reports of many murders committed almost daily in Guanabacoa, only six miles from the centre of Havana, continue to come in.

A letter received last night from a leader of the Cuban Junta in Havana says the half has not been told. Sixteen bodies, those of ten men, four lads and two girls, were discovered on Sunday, according to this correspondent, in a ravine not more than a mile from Guanabacoa. In several cases the bodies were nearly nude. All these persons have been killed by the machete and their bodies were horribly hacked. In some cases the trunks alone remained, head, arms and legs being cut off. In one case the upper part of the body was shockingly disfigured through pure devilry. The arms and legs of others were cut off only, as if the victims were killed by inches, so to speak. Some Cubans went out at midnight and buried the remains.

These facts are known in Guanabacoa, but friends and relatives dare not say a word about the atrocities, knowing that a breath of suspicion would bring down the vengeance of the Spanish commandant, who is called "Weyler's assistant butcher."

More than 40 men, girls and boys are missing from this suburb, and their families have given up hope of ever seeing them alive. It is the common impression that the commandant will be assassinated, if opportunity offers, as his barbarity has infuriated those whom he has bereaved.

The Herald's Havana correspondent says: Yesterday afternoon Gen. Lee called on Gen. Weyler with Senator-elect Money, and Gen. Weyler assured him that he could guarantee very shortly the practical pacification of Pinar del Rio, Havana, Matanzas and Santa Clara Provinces. Surely if he can do that he will not be removed.

It is becoming apparent that Mr. Money is here with the knowledge of the Committee on Foreign Relations, which wants facts, and yet could not come in an official way. I learn that money was much impressed the other day with what he learned in the country. He was informed that the insurgents were well armed and splendidly mounted in Havana Province, and he was impressed with the fact that even with their base of supplies cut off they might live on indefinitely on the exhaustless supply of edible roots, fruits, etc.

Delegate Palma of the Cuban Junta gave out the following statement last evening: "I have received a letter from Gen. Jose Lacret, who is in charge of the Matanzas Province and who the Spaniards claim was killed several weeks ago. Gen Lacret writes me that everything is prospering in his province and that the Cubans have started two newspapers, which shows that they are not always fighting. He further states that he is expecting Gen. Gomez in his province and is making preparations to receive him. He reports everything within the Cuban line to be prospering."

A despatch to The Herald from Havana says: The Diario De La Marina says the Three Friends' last expedition shows the bad faith in the United States, inasmuch as she was allowed to sail after Minister De Lome protested against her being set frte. The paper believes there will be an entente cordiale and a commercial agreement between Spain and the United States, and then claims for damages on both sides will be in order.

DON'T!

Don't slack up or quit advertising altogether as soon as the holiday season is over. Don't say: "Well, we can't sell goods in the dull season, no matter how hard we try, and advertising is just money thrown away." Your hustling competitor, with no better chance or location than you have, keeps business booming all the time by advertising all the time in the most vigorous way. He has no "dull season," why should you?

The pushing, prompt, persistent men
Who advertise each day,
In every year, can always make
Their advertising pay.

General Grant once said there is a time in every battle when each side thinks it is whipped. He learned by experience that if he kept up the fight until the other side thought it was whipped, he was pretty sure to win. There is something for advertisers to learn from this. If, when they begin to think, advertising does not pay, they would fight a little harder to make it pay, they would be pretty sure to win.

Dr. Lowe, Pleasant Worm Syrup removes worms of all kinds from children or adults.

A Wise Office Boy.

There comes to the office boy a time when he begins to worry about the affairs of the concern that employs him.

He is a creature of extremes. He is either whistling like a hysterical calliope or he answers only in gruff monosyllables. He is either rushing with cyclonic swiftness or lagging with feet of lead. His attire suddenly varies from the most negligo to rigid fashionableness. It is not surprising that this creature of moods should at some point in his career emerge from serene apathy concerning the affairs of the establishment into a condition of brain-wrecking solicitude.

"I can't help thinkin' about it," the young man of 14 or 15 was saying; "they ain't running the affairs of dis place right."

"You can't do nothin' ter make it different.

"Im tinkin' very emphatic about gettin an' interview with de boss an' givin' him some tips on how ter run de biz."

"Wot's de use o' kickin'. Yon ain't paid fur thinkin'."

"Dat shows yer short-sightedness. Ain't I got no interests ter perteet?"

"Youse ain't no stockholder."

"Jes' de same it makes me nervous ter see de way dis t'ing is allowed ter go 'long. An' I'm goin' ter go before de prez o' dis here company an' tell 'im a lot fur its good."

"Wot's dematter wit' mindin' yer own affairs an' enjoyin' life?"

"I ain't no flyanthropist, but I can't set by an' watch things go ter ruin. Spozen I go on in silence an' let de boss wreck de hull concern?"

"Spozen ya doss."

"Well, den what becomes o' my tree dollars an' a half a week?"—Washington Star.

Bad Blood Between Them.

The ever slaving farmer's wife, her delicate sister in the city, suffer more than they care to tell. The dark rings around the eyes, dizziness, headache, palpitation or rheumatic twidges, betoken a run down system. The blood is poor, and is a bar to the enjoyment of life. Scott's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, strengthens and vitalizes the system, and speedily restores the bloom of health to the cheeks. It cures when all others fail.

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WILL BE MADE INSIDE MEMBERS

And Have a Permanent Head at the Capital—Hon. W. D. Hoard on a Visit to Ottawa—A Funny Incident With the Funny Artist of London Punch.

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—(Special.)—The Postmaster-General has in contemplation a radical change affecting railway mail clerks. It is proposed to constitute them members of the inside service of the Postoffice Department with a permanent head at Ottawa. This alteration in their status is regarded as more in consonance with the responsibility of their position than that which they now occupy. D. M. Armstrong of the Toronto division is spoken of as head of the new branch.

Chief Inspector Sweetnam and Mr. Armstrong have been here consulting with Mr. Mulock about the details of organization.

Hon. W. D. Hoard, ex-Governor of Wisconsin, is in the city, the guest for a few days of Prof. Robertson, Agricultural Commissioner. Mr. Hoard occupies in the States the position in regard to dairying that Prof. Robertson does in Canada, being the best known authority in the country. Mr. Hoard's name has been mentioned as the coming Minister of Agriculture in the new McKinley Ministry. He has been a frequent visitor in Canada. The occasion of his last visit here was when he attended the great agricultural conferences in the Maritime Provinces three years ago, with the Governor-General and Countess of Aberdeen. Mr. Hoard is also a newspaper man, and, while earnestly loyal to his own country, has published many articles in his paper speaking in the highest terms of Canadian opportunities and Canadian agriculture. Much of the Abraham Lincoln type is Mr. Hoard. Among those who know him best he is spoken of as the best story-teller on the continent.

A deputation from the United Counties of Northumberland and Durham waited upon Mr. Blair to-day and solicited Government action in the matter of an obstruction to the Trent River, which, it is claimed, has outlived its usefulness as an aid to lumbering. The request of the deputation was supported by voluminous petitions to the same effect, which was that this dam be removed, thereby rendering useful for agricultural purposes an area of some 30,000 acres at present inundated by the waters of the River Trent, which are retained by the dam in question. This work was constructed over fifty years ago as part of the plan of a Trent Valley canal system, and has since been chiefly useful to the Gilmours, Rathbuns and others lumbering in the country drained by the Trent River. The deputation, however, pointed out to the Minister that the dam is no longer a requisite in this respect, as the timber areas which the Trent River served are practically exhausted, while, if the Trent Valley Canal scheme is not to be prosecuted to completion, neither will the dam be of any further use as an aid to navigation. On these grounds, therefore, they submitted that the entire structure, which is rapidly falling into decay, should be removed forthwith and the acreage now under water restored to cultivation. The subject was fully discussed and at the close of the interview Hon. Mr. Blair promised that after a consultation with the departmental engineers an answer would be returned without delay.

The spokesmen of the deputation were Mr. J. B. McColl, member of the United Counties Council; Dr. Wade, warden; William McCallum, Reeve of Hope; Hugh Ross, Reeve of Haldimand; J. J. Preston, Reeve of Manvers; A. M. Mackimm, Reeve of Brighton; E. Terrill and D. C. Stewart, also of Brighton; A. M. Lovitt and J. H. Brenton, Reeves of Murray; C. West, Reeve of Seymour; J. H. Douglas, W. R. Mather, D. J. Lynch, W. W. Farley and William Anderson. A section of the deputation are seeking the dismissal of the superintendent of the Murray Canal, whom, they claim, has acted as a most violent partisan. They charge malversation, favoring those of the Tory persuasion in matters of business. There is also a largely signed petition in favor of the retention of the superintendent's services, and both these will go before the Minister for his consideration.

To funny men funny experiences often happen in a most unexpected manner. Such was the case with Harry Furniss, who gave his entertainment here last night and spent to-day making sketches of Ottawa and its surroundings. Previous to leaving his hotel this morning a card was handed to him by the bell boy of the Russell. It was that of one of the leading Presbyterian clergymen of Ottawa. "Show him up," said the man of Punch, and the bell boy obeyed the order. The cleric entered the parlor, and was greeted with great affability by Mr. Furniss, and asked to seat himself. This the visitor did. He made himself comfortable in the arm chair, clasped his hands, and then opened the conversation. "I must thank you, doctor," he remarked to Mr. Furniss, "for your treat of last evening." The funny man of Punch could not understand the title of doctor, but, with a pleased look, replied: "I am much obliged for your kind words." Then the clergyman continued: "Yes, you are doing a grand work for Christianity, and deserve our sincere thanks." By this time it had dawned upon Harry that there was a mistake somewhere. He replied: "Well, I can't say there was much Christianity about it." The clergyman arose aghast. He ejaculated: "Are you not Dr. Munhall?" "No," was the reply, "I am Harry Furniss," whereupon the clergyman retired precipitously. He was desirous of seeing Dr. Munhall, an American revivalist, who is holding meetings here, but who had got into the wrong room by mistake. The incident is the talk of the town to-night.

Chief Veterinary Inspector McEachren was here to-day after a short visit to the ranching districts of the Territories. He says that, while the outlook for ranchmen at one time was very discouraging, owing to the deep snow and low temperature, and the don't whether it was possible that the herds could feed, meaning inevitable losses, as a matter of fact scarcely any cattle had died north of Old Man's River. During his visit the weather was such as is only seen in the Northwest, bright sunshine, a clear sky, and so mild that a fur coat was quite out of place and gloves superfluous. There was no snow excepting in the coulees and among the brush and twigs. The prairie grass in the light of the evening sun was green for miles around. He drove through bunches of cattle on the way, aggregating about a thousand head, and it was difficult to believe that they have been exposed to any hardships. Looking to the south and southwest, towards Pincher Creek, snow was still deep on the ranges, but even there he believed it would be found that the losses will be far below what has been reported. Asked as to the feeling amongst ranchmen with respect to the abolition of quarantine regulations, Dr. McEachren said that, while some of the ranchmen in the Northwest and British Columbia were afraid removal of the quarantine would injuriously affect their business by allowing a too free importation of American cattle from the south, those ranchmen who were engaged in raising thoroughbred and high grade cattle were strongly in favor of the removal of the quarantine, as they believe it would open for them a good and remunerative market for high-class cattle in the United States. While, therefore, there was some difference of opinion, he thought a majority of ranchers were well pleased and satisfied with the action taken by Mr. Fisher in Washington. Speaking for himself as a ranchman, D. McEachren reiterated the opinion already expressed, that he thought the removal of quarantine detention would be an advantage rather than a disadvantage to ranching in the Northwest.

The Interior Department is receiving inquiries from the United States regarding immigration, indicating that there will be a movement towards Canada on the part of many families when spring comes. The letters come generally from Michigan and the Northwestern States, and include both Americans and Canadians who went across the line and are now glad to return.

British Columbia sealers consider their chances of making any profit during the coming season extremely slim. They are discouraged over last year's failure and the stringent regulations framed to keep them from making even a means of livelihood. The attempt to form a combination among the vessel-owners has fallen through.

Mr. Windsor, of the firm of Malcolm & Windsor of Stevenson, B.C., had an interview to-day with the Commissioner of Fisheries on the subject of salmon regulations. The firm of which Mr. Windsor is a member is one of the largest canning concerns on the coast.

The Minister of Marine and Fisheries has ordered an investigation into the complaints made by Indians on Georgina Island as to the fishery regulations concerning Lake Simcoe, with which they are very much dissatisfied at present.

The Government Tariff Commission will conclude its itinerary with the following sittings: Quebec, Monday 18th; Halifax, 21st and 22nd; St. John, 25th and 26th.

Hon. Messrs. Haggart and Montague left this afternoon for British Columbia. They go to Rossland to look into the mining boom there.

His Excellency the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberdeen have promised to be present at a charity ball to be given in the Victoria Rifles Armoury, Montreal, on Wednesday, the 27th inst., in aid of the funds of the Maternity Hospital.

Hon. Clifford Sifton and Premier Greenway of Manitoba had a conference this morning. The latter will remain here a couple of days longer before proceeding west.

Hon. J. I. Tarte is back in town.

Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, has gone to Kingston to attend the Dairymen's Convention.

Among the political visitors in the Capital are Messrs. W. J. Poupore, M. P., Henri Bourassa, M.P., Mr. Burritt, M.P.

Concerning the statement that the Pacific Cable Conference has come to a final agreement in London, it appears that Canada is not committed to any expenditure.

WORRY KILLED HIM.

Donald Stephenson Dies in East Toronto Village.

ONCE WARDEN OF YORK COUNTY.

Everybody Liked and Trusted Him—Business Trouble Came and He Fled to the United States—Returned Secretly 18 Months Ago and Died of Grief Yesterday.

Toronto, Jan. 8.

A career as full of mystery and romance as any that appear in the exciting pages of the tales of Jules Verne came to a close yesterday in the village of East Toronto. The actor in this instance, however, was sphere of action in the moon or the heart of Africa, but a Scarboro man by birth, no citizen of the Old World who had his and one whose deeds were witnessed daily by the residents of the city and those of its eastern suburb. Donald Stephenson had the qualities which enable a man to rise with rapidity in his chosen sphere. He was tall, well made, with the appearance of a man who is born to command. He had an off-hand manner that put you at ease at once, a sleepless eye for business and a personal magnetism that made all women love him and men eager to do his bidding.

It was not strange, therefore, when he came to East Toronto, in 1884, to start a lumber business that he at once played the leading part in its destinies. Through his efforts, East Toronto, in 1888, became a village, and he its first reeve. Waterworks were brought in, streets laid out and lighted, the thoroughfares to the city placed in first-class condition and the suburb connected with the city by a car line. This position of reeve, held six years in succession, brought a seat in the County Council, and in 1894 Mr. Stephenson was elected to the Wardenship. The lumber business had in the meantime gone ahead with bounds. The real estate boom was on and the reeve invested heavily. When the wind began to escape from the balloon, the village speculator found he had too much ballast aboard and looked around him for assistance.

Not only were there numbers in East Toronto and Scarboro who were willing, but dozens of day laborers and servant girls rushed forward and actually forced their earnings on the reeve, and such was their faith in him that they took no security but his word. Among those was a servant girl living on the Danforth-road, who withdrew a legacy of $1000 from a city bank and laid it at his feet to employ it as he willed. Then came the elevation to the Wardenship and a big dinner to 200 guests at Victoria Park in commemoration. This was late in the fall.

A few weeks later it began to be whispered that things were not going well with the Warden, and then, one fine morning, it leaked out that the official head of the county had vanished from East Toronto and cleared out for the States. The investigation into the business affairs revealed that, with all his gifts, the Warden was no bookkeeper, in fact had kept no books at all, and the thousands of dollars handled had been jotted down nowhere but upon slips of paper carried in the Warden's pocket and lost as soon as made. Of course there was much wailing and angry talk, but the hundreds of creditors had to content themselves with the proportion received by the Danforth-road servant girl, who got $40 as her share.

For 18 months there were no tidings, but one morning about that time a paragraph in The World stated that the ex-Warden had been seen in Front-street in this city. Some people called it a reporter's yarn, and again the matter dropped. When Donald Stephenson left, his wife and daughters stayed behind and, to keep up their big residence, Mrs. Stephenson took in boarders. Some eight or ten professional and business men were furnished cosy rooms and had board equal to the best.

Yesterday morning the hostess came down to breakfast, looking thoroughly depressed, but declared there was nothing serious the matter with her health. At noon, however, the repeated appearance of a doctor and much hurrying here and there, while the landlady herself directed all efforts, aroused curiosity, and finally, with a flood of tears, Mrs. Stephenson announced to the astonishment of all that the ex-Warden, after being under her care within the house for the 18 months past, lay just dead upstairs. The doctor corroborated this, and said that death was due to heart failure brought on by mental misery. That this is correct is borne out by the late Warden's troubled appearance. Originally stout, and broad-shouldered, he had become mere skin and bones, and the glossy black of his head and beard, which surrounded a pinched and sunken face, are now as white as snow. The funeral of this no longer leader of men, taken off at 62 years of age, will take place probably to Highland Creek on Monday.

THIRTEEN MEN DEAD.

Among Them Was a Brave Englishman, Who Lost His Life in Trying to Save Others.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 8.—Details of the burning to death of thirteen men in the Santa Gertiduds mine at Pacahuca, State of Hidalgo, Mexico, Dec. 31, have been received here.

The night shift was about to go off duty, and a number of the men had already reached the cage, when a terrific explosion occurred in one of the drifts. Several men who were between the fire and the cage ran up, and others could be heard shouting for help. Ned Richards, an Englishman, called two companions to his assistance and ran back, braving the smoke and flames, and saved a Mexican who was fainting in the drift. They dragged him to the cage and then, a number of others running up, it was thought that all were accounted for, and the men all went to the top. The roaring of the fire could be heard in the lower levels, and a great volume of smoke began to fill the shaft. The foreman procured his book and checked off the names of the men. All answered to their names except eleven. Then, in face of the danger, Richards offered to be one to go below again and get the missing men. Three Mexicans volunteered to accompany him. They jumped into the cage and were lowered down. Two of them went to their death—Richards and an unknown Mexican.

The four men, when they reached the level where the fire was raging, got out and made a quick search for the missing men, but the fire, feeding on gas and released by the explosion, filled the empty spaces and forced the men back to the cage. Richards made a gallant atempt to penetrate into one of the drifts, and was overcome by gas and smoke. He failed to return, and the unknown Mexican went after him. He found the Englishman unconscious and dragged him to the cage, but was in turn overcome. The others gave the signal and were hoisted up. Richards and the Mexican died within a few minutes after being raised to the surface.

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Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 1897.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE total municipal bonded debt of Ontario is $49,734,587, or an average of $25 68 per head of population.

IN 1895, Canada exported to Great Britain cheese to the value of $14,220,505; wheat, $5,339,085; sheep, $1,253,399; cattle, $6,979,615; eggs, $524,577.

THE statistics published by the Ontario Bureau of Industries, shows that Ontario is more fertile or better farmed than any of the older States of the American Union, and that Manitoba is more fertile than any of the prairie States. The estimate is based on the yield of barley and wheat per acre.

THE Mail and Empire is carrying the Christmas spirit of peace and good will to extremes. It is very kindly suggesting detailed subjects for cartoons to the Globe. This is a good deal like carrying coals to Newcastle. So long as the Mail and Empire follows its present policy of manufacturing party opinion, so long will the follies into which it is leading its party furnish "night work" for the cartoonist, without dearth. The Globe and its cartoons are all right. The latter may cut deep, but remove the cause and the effect will cease.

THOUGH the bicycle has not yet extinguished the horse, yet in Ontario it has had some effect in decreasing the number of this class of horses that would compete with the wheel as a means of travel or pleasure. In 1892 the number of working horses in Ontario was 358,008, and in 1895 the number was 423,673, an increase of 65,005. In 1892 there were 220,291 other horses, used for driving, pleasure, etc., and in 1896 the number was 151,867. While the working horses in the province had increased by over 65,000, pleasure and driving horses had decreased 68,414. Still in spite of this increase, the horse will still hold his position as man's noblest four footed friend, and there will probably always be a paying market for good horses.

MR. SIFTON, Minister of the Interior has not long been installed in office, but he has set energetically to work to minister to the chief want of our great interior, the Northwest—population. He has turned his back on the effete and unproductive methods employed in the past to induce settlement of our untenated acres. The old system of advertising the country by means of lectures and lime-light views is condemned, and a personal canvas of those in the old country who are likely to become successful settlers is advocated. The same plan is urged for dealing with those farmers who are inclined to move from the provinces to the States so that they may be induced to go to the Northwest if they are discouraged in the east. The Globe in referring to the subject says:—"Immigration agents should be familiar with conditions in Ontario and the eastern provinces. Such knowledge could be used to advantage among those whose standing and tastes would incline them toward the older and more settled districts. Migration from one province to another is not the business of the Federal Government; but it is a lamentable fact that many farmers who grow dissatisfied in the older provinces remove to the Western States while better opportunities are open to them in the Canadian Northwest. Something should be done to direct this migration towards our own country."

THE details of the disastrous destruction by fire of the convent at Roberval, Quebec, shows that the seven unfortunate sisters that perished in the flames, met a fate that was in keeping with the lives of self-sacrifice and devotion they lived—they died the death of heroines. Many with a less lofty standard of devotion and duty than they, may be inclined to blame the nuns, after they were safely out of the burning building, for returning to save costly and cherished ornaments of the convent chapel, but they cannot blame the four heroic sisters who when their companions failed to return, with the hope of rescuing them, rushed into the blinding smoke of the burning building, which demanded the whole seven lives. While we all deplore from the bottom of our hearts the sad fate of those sisters, we must all admire the heroism displayed, but we need not wonder at it, for it is but of a piece with the spirit of self-sacrifice for religion and humanity that has distinguished these noble women from the earliest history. While our finite human understandings fail to comprehend the workings of the divine Providence that permits such disasters as those referred to, yet when we reflect that the Christian religion is founded upon the sublimest of sacrifices, we can feel assured that some wise and great purpose is to be served by a calamity that, to human seeming, has no redeeming feature. From the ashes of martyrs the tree of truth has risen in stately proportions.

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand is limited, and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—Offerings of Ontario wheat are a little more liberal, and prices are easier. White sold outside to-day at 83c, and red at 82c. Holders are asking 90c, Toronto freight for No. 1 hard, but buyers hold off It is quoted at 79c, Fort William.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 1 is held at 33c, No. 2 at 28 to 30c, No. 3 extra at 24 to 25c, and feed at 22c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are steady. White sold at 19c west, and mixed at 17½c to 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices firm, with sales at 42½c north and west and at 43½c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow selling at 22½c to 23c, outside. Old yellow is quoted at 25c to 26c outside.

Rye—The market is easier, with sales outside at 36c.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The market was less active to-day, with receipts of only 35 car loads. These were however, sufficient for the demand. Export cattle sell at 3¾ to 3¾c, and bulls at 3 to 3¼c per pound. Butchers' cattle continue dull, with offerings generally of inferior quality. Prime sold at 3 to 3¼c per pound, medium at 2½ to 2¾c, and inferior qualities at 1¾ to 2¼c. Milch cows sell at $25 to $35 each, and calves at $4 to $7 each.

Sheep and lambs in moderate supply and prices steady. Choice sheep sold at 3 to 3½c per lb., and bucks at 2½ and 2¾c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3½c to 4¼c per lb., according to quality.

Hogs are firmer, with good demand. The best sold at 4½ to 4¼c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c, lightweights at 4c, cows at 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 8.—Spring wheat, 7s 1d to 7s 2d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 3¼d to 7s 3½d; corn, 2s 10¼d; peas, 4s 6½d; pork, 49s 9d; lard, 20s 9d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 26s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 24c 0d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 51s 6d.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast steady; on passage firm and partly 3d to 6d higher. English country markets firm. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 6s 9¼d for Jan., 6s 10¼d for Feb., 6s 11d for March and 6s 11¼d for May. Maize dull at 2s 9⅝d for Jan., 2s 10d for Feb. and March, 2s 10¼d for April, and 2s 10½d for May. Flour 24s 9d.

Paris—Wheat 22f 35c for Feb. Flour 47f 85c for Feb.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures steady at 6s 9⅝d for Jan., 6s 9½d for Feb., 6s 10¼d for March and 6s 10½d for May. Maize quiet at 2s 9⅝d for Jan., 2s 10d for Feb. and March, and 2s 10½d for May. Flour 24s 9d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage steadier. Maize quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 22f 40c for Feb. Flour firm at 47f 60c for Feb.

Philosophy.

Mr. Grigsby—My dear, do you think it's quite right for Lucy to go so much with that wild young Mr. Stivers?

Mrs. Grigsby—There's no cause for any worry. Lucy is more than 4 years old. Let me tell you, though, you should say something to Tom about that Dingleberry girl.

Mr. Grigsby—But, my dear, Tom is more than 4 years old.

Mrs. Grigsby—Tush! No man is more than 4 years old where a designing girl is concerned.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Good Time.

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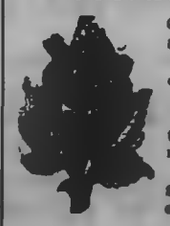

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She Tells Something of the Hard Work Necessary to Make a Successful Artist—Many Break Down Under the Strain—An Interesting Chat With a Telegraph Reporter.

From the Quebec Telegraph.

Those who have attended the performances at the Academy of Music this week, will readily concede that Miss Zelma Rawlston is one of the brightest soubrettes on the stage. She is a clever musician and a charming singer, and as an impersonator shows a talent considerably above the average. She has winning ways, a mischievious twinkle in her eye, and a captivating manner. Her magnetism for drawing large audiences is not alone confined to the stage, as she is possessed of a character which is pleasing to come in contact with. It is full of good nature, amiable qualities, and a charm that endears her to all who have been so fortunate as to have made her acquaintance. A telegraph representative had the pleasure of an interview with Miss Rawlston, which resulted in a biographical sketch of her life being published in these columns on Saturday. During the course of the interview Miss Rawlston let out a secret, which she consented to allow the Telegraph to make public. For many years she has devoted the best part of her time to study, sometimes practising at the piano alone for 10 hours a day. It is not therefore astonishing, that under a strain of this kind, she began to feel the effects upon her nervous constitution. She is of a robust build, and apparently strong physique, and stood the strain without interrupting her studies, until she had perfected that which she desired to accomplish. Like many other artists who have gone before, she completed her work, graduated with the highest honours, and prepared to enter upon her stage career. The reaction of over study and long hours soon began to tell upon her, and although it did not interfere with her climbing the ladder of fame as an actress, she very soon became cognisant of the fact that she was suffering from a strain on the nerves which threatened sooner or later to result seriously to her health. Her sufferings did not interfere with her engagements, but prevented her from participating in pleasure of any kind. The nervousness increased to such an extent that she became a victim to insomnia, and slowly her digestive powers gave out and she was fast becoming a chronic sufferer from nervous debility. After trying many remedies and prescriptions, she one day read an advertisement in one of the daily papers, referring to the complete recovery of a similar case as her own with the aid of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She had tried so many patent medicines that she almost despaired of trying any more. Something seemed to influence her to test this preparation, and she ventured to purchase one box of the pills. Before she had used half of them she began to feel an immediate improvement in her condition, and by the time she had used two or three boxes she was a different woman entirely, and to-day there are few actresses who display a better example of perfect health than our representative found Miss Rawlston in when he called upon her last week. The subject was suggested by our reporter seeing a box of Pink Pills in Miss Rawlston's possession. "I always carry them with me," she said, "and would not be a day without them; although I do not take them regularly, I find them a very beneficial stimulus for one in our profession. If the assertion of the benefit which these pills have worked upon me will do the public any good, I am perfectly willing that my name should be mentioned, and that the facts should be given to the public."

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AN INQUEST HELD AT COLLINGWOOD

The Girl Blamed William Simmons for Her Troubles, and in Her Dying Agony Cried "Oh, the Villain! "Oh, the Villain!"—Jurors Found a Verdict of Suicide.

Collingwood, Jan. 8.—An inquest was held here to-day into the case of Jennie Grey of Midland, who suicided on Wednesday evening. The court room was crowded. A jury was empanelled by Dr. Stephen, coroner, and the evidence of William Conn, Fred Sullivan, J. Sullivan, Charles Willison, Dr. G. M. Aylesworth, W. J. Douglass, druggist, was taken, which detailed the story of Miss Grey's death as told yesterday. The doctor believed the girl died from strychnine poisoning, and stated that she was enciente.

Mr. J. Sullivan told of assisting the girl into the wagon, and of her sufferings. All she would say in answer to questions was, "Oh, the villain! Oh, the villain!" Asked the cause of her trouble, she answered, "William Simmons."

Sarah Cooke, sworn, said: On June 1 Jennie Grey came to our place off the 6 o'clock train and stayed until after tea. In the evening she went out, but came back between 8 and 9. I asked if she had seen the party she wanted to. She said no. She went out at 10 o'clock to stay for the night. She said she was going home on Saturday at 4 p.m. She called on Saturday to say good-bye. I asked if she had seen her brother, and she said no, but she wished she could see Will Simmons. I asked her if he was the cause of her trouble. She said yes. She said good-bye and went off to the train. About 5 o'clock she was back, and I said, "Didn't you go?" and she said "No, I missed my train." She stayed until after tea and went out. On Sunday she went out and said she saw William Simmons with a Bible under his arm going to church. She called him and said she wanted to see him. She told me that she had heard man speak brutally to women, but she had not heard a man speak to a woman as he spoke to her. She told him she was going home on Monday, and he asked her to stay and meet him on Monday night, where she had met him before. She went and waited an hour and a half, but he did not appear on Monday evening. On Tuesday she went to his house to see him. She stayed at our place Tuesday night. On Wednesday she said she would go to the station to see if he was going away. She came back and about 5.30 p.m. she asked for a lead pencil and went up to her room. She came down about five minutes to 6, and went out with a small parcel under her arm. I found a note under her pillow:

"To Sadie: If I don't come back alive the $2 in my pocket send to mother to buy Belle a pair of boots or rubbers, and thank your mother for keeping me, and I hope that she will never want. There is a stamp in the pocket. So good-bye, from your loving friend. Miss J. Grey."

Wesley McDermid, clerk in the drug store of W. J. Douglas, said: "On Wednesday Jane Grey came to the store and asked for five cents' worth of strychnine. I got it for her and had her sign the register—(register produced. Gave her ten grains. She said it was for rats.

William Simmons said he had known deceased since August, 1896, and had had improper intimacy with her.

A Juryman: Did she intimate to you on Sunday night that she would make away with herself if you did not attend to her?

Witness: I did not.

Juryman: What conversation did take place between you and deceased on Sunday evening?

Witness: She said, "I am in trouble and you are to blame." I said, "Time will tell, and if I am I will look after the child."

While this witness was giving his evidence he was hissed by the large audience which had gathered.

Chief Lewis, explained how he obtained the letter which was picked up at the feet of teh deceased.

Margaret Bayley, sworn, said: On Wednesday I went out and saw Jane Grey walking up and down, crying very bitterly. I went across sto her and asked her what she was crying about. She said she was in trouble and had taken poison and would I help her up to Mr. Cook's. She started to walk and fell. I did not recognize her voice. I did not know her before Wednesday evening.

John Simmons, sworn, said: On Wednesday night I called at my mother's house. My mother told me about a woman calling the night before. I said, "We must have this stopped." I went out to the front of the house and saw the woman there. I went to my own house. On the way down she stopped me and asked me if my brother was in. I told her that he was not. She said, "I want to see him." I told her that she could not see him. She said, "I will break every window in the house." I told her she could not stop there. She told me that she was on the highway and that I could not remove her. I went out and searched for the chief of police. On my return I was informed that a woman had been picked up dead.

The jury retired at 6.30 p.m. and at 8.55 brought in a verdict "That the said Jane Grey came to her death by taking strychnine, administered by her own hand, while in a state of mental agitation. We moreover find from the evidence given that the cause of the said Jane Grey having taken poison was by reason of the treatment and gross neglect of William Simmons, and would further recommend that the law governing the sale of poison be more rigidly enforced."

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Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

—Zephyr and Berlin Wools in all shades at Turnbull's.

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License Commissioners.

Messrs. Wm. Moher, Douro; James Drummond, Keene, and Robt. Wilson, Norwood, have been appointed License Commissioners for East Peterborough.

Fortnightly Club Meeting.

The adjourned meeting of the Fortnightly Club will be held on Monday night next, when a paper will be read by Mr. A. C. McCallum on "Ancient Engineering," and will be the basis of the discussion.

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The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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Sunday school anniversary exercises will be held in the George street Methodist church to-morrow. The services will be taken by Rev. J. P. Wilson, B.A., of Oshawa.

Grand Flower Social.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the C.L.A. will hold their annual Flower Social on Wednesday evening, January 13th, in the Catholic Association rooms. Butcher's orchestra in attendance. Also cards and games. Tickets including supper, 50 cents. 9d

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Bear in mind that we have a very limited supply of Sunday at Home and Leisure Hour—latest editions. If you wish to secure a copy at half price, namely $.100, come at once to the Peterborough Book Store, or telephone No. 295, and we will send you a copy. Girls' Own, "Our Darlings," $1.00, for 25c, are just about closed out—the price sells them. You cannot get better, cheaper or more interesting reading for less money. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

A Fine Piece of Engrossing.

The EXAMINER has been favoured with a view of a beautifully engrossed copy of the address presented to Mr. John Moloney on the occasion of the termination of his long term as representative of Douro in the County Council. This is the work of Mr. W. Pringle of the Peterborough Business College. The chirography as well as the originality of the method of giving prominence to the important words of the address, is certainly of the highest order, and reflect the highest credit upon the perfection of Mr. Pringle's penmanship.

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Mrs. James Kendry was genuinely surprised last evening when her entire Sunday school class filed into her rooms at the Oriental Hotel for the purpose of making a presentation. Mrs. B. A. Hamilton read the following address, which explains the object of the visit:

Dear Mrs. Kendry.

We, the members of your Sunday school class, cannot allow the holiday season to pass without in some way expressing to you our appreciation of the services you have so cheerfully and faithfully rendered. The interest you have taken in the class, the careful preparation you have always made of the lessons, the clear and loving manner in which you have presented the truth, and the anxiety always shown that each member might be made better, have endeared you to us and won for you our love and esteem. We desire to assure you that your efforts have been highly appreciated, and that we have been assisted to a clear and better understanding of the sacred Word by your faithful instruction. When sickness prevented your attendance, we sympathized with you and prayed for your recovery and your return to the class room was hailed with gladness and thankfulness. Our earnest hope is that you may be permitted to continue your work and that you will be able upon the year which we have entered to see greater results from your labours. We ask you to accept this small gift as a token of our esteem, assuring you that neither words nor gifts can express our appreciation of your services.

Signed on behalf of the class,

MRS. B. A. HAMILTON.
LILLIE EDGAR.
NELLIE WOOD.
EVA GOLDIE.

The gift consisted of a very handsome and useful writing desk and was presented on behalf of the class by Miss Lillie Edgar.

Mrs. Kendry acknowledged the gift and kindly sentiments expressed in the address, after which the members of the class remained and spent a social hour with their teacher.

MISS DENNISTOUN'S WEDDING.

Further Particulars Concerning it in the Ladies' Pictorial.

The Ladies' Pictorial for December publishes the portrait of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Kirkpatrick and the following particulars concerning their recent marriage:—

"On the 16th inst., at St. Peter's church, Cranley Gardens, by the Rev. Alexander Kirkpatrick, canon of Ely cathedral, Captain George Macauley Kirkpatrick, R. E., eldest son of Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, Canada, to Miss Mary Lydia Dennistoun, third daughter of the late James Frederick Dennistoun, Q. C., of Castlenock, Peterborough, Canada. The bride was attired in a lovely gown of pearl white satin duchesse, the skirt being perfectly plain. The bodice was artistically draped with soft folds drawn up on the left side, finished with an Empire bow of chiffon, with long ends falling to the hem of the skirt, held at the bottom with tufts of orange flowers and myrtle. The bow was also caught to the bodice with a trail of the blossoms, this falling on the sleeves, and the high collar-band and yoke were of drawn chiffon, the Medici collar, in transparent drawn chiffon, giving a soft effect. The transparent sleeves of chiffon were ruched and finished at the wrist with ruffles of of the same, three pretty frills, edged with narrow frillings of chiffon, falling gracefully from the shoulders. The bride also carried a handsome bouquet of choice white flowers. The bridesmaids were the Misses Annie and Louisa Dennistoun, sisters of the bride, who wore gowns of white poplin, with trimmings of cherry-coloured velvet and white chiffon, and large white felt picture hats with white ostrich feathers, cherry velvet and bands of mink. They carried bouquets of white hyacinths and chrysanthemums, tied with cherry-colored ribbons, and wore pearl and enamel brooches, the gifts of the bridegroom. Captain Cartwright, R E., acted as best man, and after the ceremony a reception was held at 23 Queensbury place by Mrs. Dennistoun, the bride's mother, the happy pair leaving later on the honeymoon."

HOCKEY MATCH.

The Juniors Win From the Lindsay Collegiates.

A scratch hockey team went to Lindsay yesterday and enjoyed a friendly game with the Collegiate Institute team of that town, winning the match by the score of 11 goals to 8.

In the first half the Peterborough boys scored seven goals to their opponents' two but apparently couldn't stand success, and went to pieces for a time in the second half.

Harry King is stated to have played a star game on the forward line.

The team which went over was composed as follows: Wasson, goal; Thorne, point; Hollingshead, (Capt.) coverpoint; Graham, King, Belleghem and Crossley, forwards.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer. Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 9,—6.30 a. m.....15° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	20°	18° above

PILES CURED IN 3 TO 6 NIGHTS.

Dr. Agnew's Ointment will cure all cases of itching piles in from three to six nights. One application brings comfort. For blind and bleeding piles it is peerless. Also cures Tetter, Salt Rheum, Eczema, Barbers' Itch and all eruptions of the skin. 35 cents. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

—Piece Dress Goods cut down to one length, marked at a bargain to clear at Turnbull's.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Better To-day Than Yesterday.

Edward Atkinson, the Economist, says that 20 per cent. of the business of the country is of such a nature that it must be done whether the times are good or bad. The man who slows down or closes up simply leaves his competitor that much more business. He who stops advertising withdraws himself from the channels of trade, and no one who is really in business should be asked to pay any attention to his croaking about hard times, but should make a better effort to-day than he did yesterday.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

—50 inch Dress Tweeds on 15c. a yard at Turnbull's.

OSGOODE HALL NOTES.

Henderson vs. Henderson.

Mr. Justice MacMahon delivered judgment in this somewhat celebrated case at Osgoode Hall on Thursday last. The judgment is in favour of the plaintiffs and finds that they are entitled to the possession of the lands in question as Executors of the will of the late David Henderson, deceased. A declaration of absolute title in the plaintiffs, as against the defendant and all other persons, will be embodied in the formal judgment.

The action was tried at the recent non-jury sittings at Peterborough when judgment was reserved to enable the judge to peruse the evidence given at the formal trial with the above result.

The parties reside in Otonabee, and this action is the outcome of a former action brought in the year 1895 by the Plaintiffs, Messrs. David and John Henderson, against Mrs. Annie Henderson, to recover possession of the same land. Mrs. Henderson claimed to be the owner by virtue of the Statute of Limitations, she and her husband, the late Robert Henderson, having been permitted to reside on the farm and get their living out of it, paying the surplus profits in each year to the late David Henderson, who was the true owner. Mrs. Henderson also set up, but failed to prove, a verbal agreement alleged to have been made between her husband and his father.

After hearing all the evidence Mr. Justice Street, presiding judge, delivered judgment immediately, finding in favour of the plaintiffs on all the questions raised, and the defendant was ordered to deliver up possession of the farm to them. From this judgment the defendant appealed to a Divisional Court composed of three judges, the result being that Mr. Justice Meredith, one of the three, entirely agreed with Judge Street, and gave judgment in favour of the plaintiffs. The other two Judges, Mr. Justice Ferguson and Mr. Justice Robertson, also agreed that no agreement had been made between the late Robert Henderson and his father with respect to the ownership of the land, but the Judges held that the defendant had acquired title by length of possession and the statutes of limitations applied. The majority of this Court being against the plaintiffs, the judgment of Mr. Justice Street was set aside. The plaintiffs then appealed to the Court of Appeal for Ontario, the highest court in the Province and composed of four judges. The appeal was heard in March last and judgment was delivered on the 30th June following, when the Court of Appeal unanimously reversed the judgments of Mr. Justice Ferguson and Mr. Justice Robertson, and restored the judgment of Mr. Justice Street, finding that the plaintiffs were entitled to the ownership and possession of the farm.

Mrs. Henderson was again ordered to deliver up possession, and she moved off the farm but left her daughter, a child of ten or eleven years, in possession, and a claim was then set up on behalf of the daughter, against whom the present action was brought. Several offers of settlement were made by the plaintiffs, both before and during the litigation, but none were accepted. By the judgment just delivered the plaintiffs are declared to be the absolute owners of the farm, as executors of the late David Henderson. Hall & Hayes for plaintiff; E. B. Edwards for defendant.

ST. JOHN'S MISSION.

The Sunday School Children's Annual Treat.

The children of St. John's Mission Sunday school had their annual treat last night, of candies and good things.

Rev. Mr. Armitage occupied the chair, and the following most interesting programme was presented:

Carol	Boys Choir of St. John's
Recitation	Emma Scott
Song	Bessie and Martha Jones
Recitation	Electa Strong
Song	Rose Mulholland
Reading	Fred Roy
Recitation	Louisa Lacheur
Song	Daisy Sawers
Drill—Tableau (Japanese)	eight girls
Song	May Adams
Recitation	Lizzie Lacheur
Recitation	Olive Shambo
Reading	Mr Akey
Song	Eight Girls
Dialogue	Three Girls
Recitation	Flossy Brewer
Song	Clarence Staunton, Bert Cranfield, Willie Bullin and H Sawers
Recitation	Ellen Taylor
Recitation	May Bullen
Song	Florence Martin
Recitation	Maud Wilkins
Tableau	Three Little Girls
Song	Gerald Rackham and H Sawers
Recitation	Hattie Andrews
Song	Gertie McMillan and Bessie Jones
Recitation	John Lilleo
Song	M and L Bullen
Carol	Choir and Guild
Song	Croyland Yokome
Drill	Eight Small Girls
Tableau	"Good Night"

ST. ANDREW'S SUNDAY SCHOOL.

At a Meeting Last Night Teachers and Officers Were Elected.

St. Andrew's Sunday school teachers and officers held their annual meeting last night, with Mr. G. W. Mulligan in the chair. The following officers and teachers were elected for the year:

Mr. G. W. Mulligan—Superintendent.
Mr. F. W. Gladman—Assistant Superintendent.
Mr. R. J. McWilliams—Librarian.
Miss Rae and Mr. Waldon—Assistant Librarians.
Mr. Alex. Waddell—Secretary-Treasurer.
Mr. P. Kerr—Assistant Secretary-Treasurer.
Mr. Adam Gillespie—Secretary Bible Class.
Mrs. Jones—Organist.
Miss Gladman and Miss Fowler—Assistant Organists.

The same teachers were elected with the addition of Miss Tuly, Miss Anderson and Miss Edmison.

—Turnbull is selling Men's and Boys' Scalette Caps at 60c. each.

M. L. Henry & Co. to Their Customers.

The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to use our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their accounts without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

Ask your grocer for
Windsor Salt
For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Rev. A. T. Dykeman will address the young men's meeting in Y.M.C.A. hall to-morrow afternoon at 4.15.

—Have you tried "Gold Cure" for Asthma. If not call on J D. Tully and get a sample. 6d2-1w

—Stock-taking this month at Turnbull's. All remnants being measured and marked at big reductions.

—Remember the meeting of the Historical Society to-night in the county council chamber, Court House, at 7.30 o'clock to complete organization. A full attendance is requested.

—Jem Mace, the retired champion pugilist of the world, assisted by John F. Scholes, Dick Collin, Lew Morris and other noted boxers and athletes, will give a grand entertainment in Bradburn's opera house next Tuesday night. A good night's sport is expected. Prices 25, 35 and 50c.

—Next Monday night the great comedy-drama, "Joshua Simpkins," with special scenery and mechanical effects, will be the attraction at Bradburn's opera house. Come and hear the famous orchestra, as it alone is well worth the price of admission. At noon a street parade with free open air concert will take place. Come and see the farmers. Prices, 25, 35 and 50c. Seats now on sale.

PERSONAL.

Miss Millie Thorne, of Lindsay, is visiting in town for a few weeks.

Mr. P. J. Burke, of Water street, has left town and has taken up his residence in Hiawatha for the winter.

Mr. I. S. Levvy and wife, of New York City, are in town the guests of Mrs. Levvy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Walton.

Mr. Robert Fair left to-day for New York to make his purchases in spring dress goods. By going to the metropolis Mr. Fair ensures his patrons getting the very latest designs in American patterns.

In Penetrating Power,

No remedy in the world equals Nerviline—nerve pain cure. Neuralgia and Rheumatism are relieved almost instantly, and the minor aches and pains are cured by a single aplication. Nerviline—nerve pain cure—is sure to cure.

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Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

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FULL DRESS SUITS Satin Lined and up-to-date, Only **$29.50.**

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—AT THE—
Peterborough Business College
—RE-OPEN—
MONDAY, JAN. 4th, 1897

It will be to the advantage of those who purpose attending, either for a Shorthand or Commercial course, to enter at the beginning of the term.

HOURS—Day Lessons, same as Public Schools Evening Lessons, 7 to 9 p.m.

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A Microscope with joint to incline to any angle.

With rack and pinion adjustment.

Also fine adjustment draw tube.

2 Eye-pieces, 2 object Glasses.

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Everything Ready!

SATURDAY, we start the machinery in motion for the biggest January **DISCOUNT SALE** in the history of the Peterborough Bookstore. Everything is in readiness for keen buyers. No matter how big the crowds, no matter how small the purchase, the stock must be reduced in BOOKS, STATIONERY and FANCY GOODS, and we are prepared to make the discounts equal to from 20 to 40 per cent. on Regular Prices. Get here as soon as you can and don't hurry away. We take no chances in carrying over goods to another season. We offer them NOW—THIS MONTH—at prices that will appeal to the interest of any buyer of good goods. Every department is brimful of cracking values for every day of this January Discount Sale:—

—Bibles—biggest value ever offered.
—Books of all kinds.
—Sunday School Libraries.
—Standard Authors and Poets at cost.
—Photograph Albums.
—Photograph Frames at prices never heard of.
—Purses and Pocket Books—a very fine line to be sacrificed.
—Work Boxes and Jewel Cases at your own price.
—Writing Portfolios (a very fine line).
—Shopping Bags.
—Scrap Books and Music Rolls.
—Hair Brushes and Combs.
—Our Darlings, $1 for 25c.
—Leisure Hour, $2 for $1.
—Sunday at Home, $2 for $1.
—Girl's Own Annual, $2 for $1.25.
—Holiday Books.
—Miscellaneous Books.
—Works of Fiction.
—Photo Frames and Cases.
—Hand Painted and Porcelain Art.
—Onyx Tables and Vases.
—Work Boxes and Jewel Cases.
—Toilet and Shaving Sets.
—Fine Pocket Cutlery.
—Card and Ash Trays.
—Fancy Goods and Novelties.
—Dolls of all kinds.
—Bargains in Games.

We could give you a larger list but our space is limited. Don't let this sale escape your memory. Our determination is to make it worth your while to buy now.

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With ready cash we have purchased a lot of White Goods at a little more than half of what they cost to manufacture and although rather early for selling these goods, we think the prices we offer these lines at will clear them in a couple of days.

The goods are now to hand and it is a chance not likely to occur again.

Sale Opens MONDAY Morning, at Nine O'clock.

CORSET COVERS.

6 only, worth 25c to 30c, to go at	10c
15 only, worth 40c, to go at	25c
15 only, worth 65c, to go at	40c

CHEMISES.

5 only, worth 30c, to go at	20c
3 only, worth 50c, to go at	35c

NIGHT GOWNS.

25 lovely Night Gowns, worth 75c, to go at	45c
15 latest pattern Night Gowns, worth $1.25, to go at	75c
10 nicely trimmed Night Gowns, worth $1, to go at	60c

WHITE SKIRTS.

25 White Skirts, worth 75c, to go at	40c
35 White Skirts, worth 90c, to go at	55c
25 White Skirts, worth $1 to $1.25, to go at	75c
10 White Skirts, worth $1.50, to go at	$1 00

LADIES' DRAWERS.

75 pair Ladies' Cotton Drawers, worth 40c, to go at	25c
25 pair Ladies' Cotton Drawers, worth 65c, to go at	40c
25 pair Ladies' Cotton Drawers, worth 90c, to go at	50c

WHITE COTTONS.

All our White and Grey Cottons at special prices during this White Goods Special Sale.

WHITE LAWNS AND MUSLINS.

All our stock of Lawns and Muslins at clearing prices.

This offering of White Goods although a little out of season will mean a great saving. You can't make up the goods at anything like the price.

All WINTER GOODS going at slaughter prices at our Great Stock-Taking Sale.

Monday Morning at 9 o'clock the SPECIAL SALE of WHITE GOODS Begins.

Hall Gilchrist & Co
130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

BRADBURN'S OPERA HOUSE
ONE NIGHT ONLY
MONDAY, JAN. 11th.
MR. T. T. ROOK
In the Successful Comedy Drama,
'JOSHUA SIMPKINS.'
Most all laughs. Special scenery and Mechanical effects; singing and dancing; thrilling saw mill scene. Hear the famous Joshua Simpkins Orchestra.
Band Parade and Descriptive Concert at corner of George and Simcoe sts., at noon. Look out for the farmers. Seat sale opens at Ormond & Walsh's Drug store.
PRICES—50c, 35c and 25c.

OPERA HOUSE.
TUESDAY, JAN. 12th.
Grand Athletic Entertainment!
JEM MACE vs. J. F. SCHOLES
Dick Collier, Middle-weight of England, Jack Manley, of Philadelphia, Lou Morris, light-weight of England. F. F. Richardson and an unknown will wrestle best 2 in 3, catch as catch can, and a host of other attractions.
PRICES—25c, 35c and 50c.
Seats now on sale.

Daily Examiner.
SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 1897.

EXPLANATORY.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—I have been informed that Mr. Moore construes a reference in my letter of yesterday on "Politics and Municipal Elections," into a reflection upon his personal honesty. I wish to say that Mr. Moore is entirely mistaken. I had no such intention. Personally I respect Mr. Moore very much, and as to my opinion of his honesty, if he passed me his word, I should rely upon it as confidently as upon that of any citizen I know. My only reference as to the relative honesty of Mr. Yelland and Mr. Moore, was intended in an academic and impersonal sense, also to imply that Mr. Yelland was the more outspoken and more easily understood. I spoke of both as candidates and not as citizens, and have heard, so far, of no person who thinks I intended to cast the slightest doubt upon Mr. Moore's personal or professional honesty. I am not much accustomed to writing, and may have failed to express myself clearly, but I assure Mr. Moore that I intended to cast no reflection as to his personal honesty and hope that he will consider my explanation satisfactory.

Yours very truly,
"CONSERVATIVE."

January 9th.

BOOK CHAT.

Mr. William Watson has just published another volume of poems, The Year of Shame. As the poems deal wholly with the attitude of Europe and England towards the Armenians, they will doubtless have a decided effect on their readers and, let us hope, on the Armenian Question.

It is now possible for a man with an ordinary income to possess Browning's Poems. Haughton, Mifflin & Co. have a beautiful one-volume edition of Browning, and Smith, Elder & Co. have just issued a one-volume edition on India paper.

The Academy quotes the following as being instances of actual orders for books from the firm of Simpkins, Marshall & Co.

BOOK REQUIRED.	TITLE AS ORDERED.
Murray's Handbook of Algiers and Tunis.	Murray's Handbook to Algebra and Tunics.
Across Russian Snows.	Across the Russiann's Nose.
Aristotle's Masterpiece.	Harry Stockle's Masterpiece.
Bog, Myrtle and Peat.	Boy, Muscle and the Peas.
Play Actress, by Crockett.	Play Actress and Cricket.
Pseudonym Library.	In the Pandemonium Library.

Charles Austin Bates, the well-known ad-smith, threatens to publish a paper to be called Charles Austin Bates' criticisms. "I want a paper of my own," he says, "in which I can use just as many capital 'I's' as I feel like using." A certain Canadian statesman, just now out of a situation, might be induced to become co-editor.

Ian Maclaren is selling as well as ever, so the F. H. Revell Co. say. His Cure of Souls, the Yale lectures on preaching is well worth reading, not only by preachers, but by the general church-going public. A series of articles designed to complement The Mind of the Master is now running in the Expositor and will likely be published next fall. Some of his critics may then find him to be more sound in his orthodoxy than they have been giving him credit for.

BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH.

For 25 Years, Says Mrs. J. D. Stoddard, of Ashbury, Park, N.J., and Two Bottles of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart Restored the Lost Treasure.

For twenty-five years I have been a great sufferer from heart disease, palpitation dizziness, and severe headaches. I saw Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart advertised, and determined to try it. Two bottles have done wonders for me. The dizziness and palpitation are gone, the headaches have disappeared. I never cease telling my friends the wonderful benefit this great cure has been to me, and I cheerfully recommend it any and everywhere. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

$3.50 $3.50
This is our Special Price for Fashionably Cut, Well Trimmed and Hand-Tailored Trousers
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During our Annual January Inventory Taking Sale now on. Excellent Remnants for Boy's Suits.
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MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

SUBMITTED TO THE BOARD OF HEALTH YESTERDAY.

The Sanitary Condition of the Town Improving Yearly—The Death Rate Last Year was Seventeen per Thousand.

The last meeting of the Board of Health of the year of 1896 was held yesterday afternoon, with Mr. B. Shortly in the chair and the following members present: Dr. Burnham, Henry Denne and R. Innis.

Dr. Clarke, medical health officer, presented his report, as follows:

To the Chairman and Members of the Peterborough Board of Health:

GENTLEMEN,—In presenting my report for the year of 1896, I am glad to record a moderate death rate and a very low percentage of mortality from infectious disease. No deaths from diphtheria occur ed throughout the year, a statement I have been unable to make in any annual report since the Board of Health was first inaugurated. Death from other infectious diseases were moderate. Sanitary work was well attended to by the citizens of town. With the exception of a rather larger number of cases mild typhoid, or typho malarial, fewer than has occurred for some years, the sanitary condition of the town has been good.

SLAUGHTER HOUSES.

No complaints have been made during the year as regards slaughtering, except an occasional one in reference to the Matthews pork packing establishment. Frequent inspections have been made and we have always found that every effort had been made to keep down the nuisance. The introduction of a new and improved deodorizing apparatus has to a large extent done away with the offensive odors formerly complained off. Pigs are not fed on the premises except in case of an urgency.

REMOVAL OF GARBAGE AND EXCRETA.

This, as in late years has been pretty thoroughly attended to. Very few complaints were made regarding deposits, and cases of disease traceable to that cause were very rare.

PURITY OF WATER

Many samples have been sent in for analysing and the results have shown, as might be expected, that the greater care taken in the vicinity, the purer the water supply. However, it occasionally happens that a well is found to be impure, after repeated analyses and no source of contamination can be seen in those cases the only explanation is that some underground current is the source of impurity. A few years ago when floods took place in London, Ontario, fire engines and hose were used to empty cellars, and it was found that in some cases there was a direct communication between them and wells 300 feet distant. Where this occurs the only remedy is the introduction of water from the pumoing station, which has always been found good.

ICE.

I made several analyses of ice supplied to the public and found it always pure. The lake water is becoming constantly purer on account of drainage from the town being carried off by the main sewer, and the stoppage of sawdust deposits. The Little Lake will in future be a convenient and trustworthy source of ice for the town.

MILK SUPPLY.

Fewer complaints were made during the year than before, as to impurities in milk supplied by dealers. Watering is carried on to some extent, and I would again advise a thorough system of milk inspection as is done in large cities.

SEWERAGE.

The work done on the sewers during the past year is matter for great congratulation. This cannot fail to be of immense benefit to the health of the town, and it is to be hoped that the work will be extended and connections made as rapidly as possible. This will prevent the construction of cess-pools—one of the worst evils, from a sanitary point of view, in a thickly inhabited town.

DEATH RATE.

The death rate for 1896 was almost exactly 17 per thousand. This, though not as low as in some previous years, is a very good showing. As I have said before, it is considered by high sanitary authorities as a rate to be aimed at. Any rate much below this must be followed by a reaction.

DEATH CERTIFICATES.

By a recent enactment of the Ontario Legislature all death certificates must be countersigned by the Medical Health Officer. The object is undoubtedly to give him a more complete idea of the sanitary condition of a municipality than formerly, cases of infectious diseases being usually reported, but not deaths therefrom.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

As nearly as can be ascertained 67 cases of typhoid or typhoid-malaria fever and 26 cases of scarlet fever occurred throughout the year. These were mostly mild, sanitary work having done much to mitigate the severity of all classes of infectious disease. Only two deaths resulted from scarlet fever and six from typhoid. The greatest difficulty in obtaining accurate information regarding these cases is that it is sometimes impossible to draw the line between scarlet fever and a simple rash or between typhoid and continued fevers. Authorities differ and much must be left to the discretion of the medical attendant or the Health Officer.

CONSUMPTION.

I think something ought to be said about the mortality from this disease which is now classed among the infectious diseases. Seventeen deaths occurred in town from this disease during 1896. This is a very large mortality and the matter ought to be considered seriously by Boards of Health throughout the Province, with a view to pressing on the legislature the importance of appropriate measures for checking the disease. It must be remembered that consumption is not always hereditary. It is easily acquired and may often be prevented by proper measures.

Many complaints have been sent in to your officers, which we have endeavoured to attend to as far as possible. Altogether the year has been a satisfactory one, and it is to be hoped that the low ratio from infectious disease may be maintained.

I am, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
J. CLARKE, M.D.,
Medical Health Officer.

SANITORY REPORT FOR 1896.

Geo. I. Rossel, Sanitary Inspector, presented the following report for the year:

No. of notices served	634
No. of yards and closets examined	2,246
No. of yards cleaned	1,552
No. of manure heaps removed	20
No. of dead animals buried	26

On motion of Dr. Burnham and Mr. Denne, the report of the Medical Health Officer and Sanitary Inspector were adopted as the report of the Board, and as such, ordered to be forwarded to the Provincial Board of Health.

The matter of the closer inspection of bakeries was brought up by Dr. Burnham, who urged the personal inspection of the men employed in baking, as disease might easily emanate from a man thus employed who was consumptive.

Other matters of minor importance were discussed, after which the Board adjourned.

Tore His Flesh in Agony

"I was troubled with blind itching piles for twenty years; was unable to work and tore my flesh in agony. United States and Canadian doctors failed to relieve. Chase's Ointment was a God-send. I am a better man than in twenty years, and am able to work every day." Philip Wallace, blacksmith, Iroquois, Ont. Chase's Ointment cures, piles, eczema, and irritant diseases. All druggists, 60c. per box.

Have You Seen it?

The little store around the corner! south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 426 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—Mrs. APPLEBY. dw

TOWN COUNCIL COMMITTEES.

On Monday night next the practically inaugural meeting of the town council will be held, and it is in one particular respect, the most important meeting of the year. At this meeting the standing committees for the year will be struck, and upon the efficiency of these committees will depend, to a very large extent, the efficiency for the council's work for the coming year. The chairman of these committees are, in reality, the mayor's cabinet, and it is to these committees that the people look for the originating and guiding of the civic matters that are to be dealt with.

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The Finance Committee is an important committee in providing funds for the expenditures under the several other committees.

The Charity Committee is another important committee, requiring a broad spirit in the chairman and members, that will deal generously with the claims that are made upon them, while at the same time prudently distributing the funds of the town to relieve distress—or in providing employment, in which direction it is almost impossible to err on the side of liberality, so long as even approximate value is received for the labour employed.

The Fire, Water and Light, the License and Supervision of Police Committees, and the Court of Revision have all important functions to perform.

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A committee whose selection should have the minutest care and deliberation, is the Street and Bridge Committee, which has control of the chief spending department of the town. Especially is wisdom needed of the members in view of the probability of a start being made in the construction of permanent pavements and sidewalks. It is essential to future success that a right beginning be made and the very best system adopted. We have learned by costly experience the wisdom of keeping our streets in good condition and there is a popular demand that what money shall hereafter be spent upon our streets shall, as far as possible, not be wasted in makeshift work, but on work that will last, and be the cheaper in the end. It is very necessary, in addition to having the committee composed of men of broad views and practical, well balanced minds, that the chairman should be a man of resource, and of sufficient leisure to enable him to give the large attention to the duties of the office that the public interests demand. He should be practical in experience, independent and impartial, with a strength of character to take the course that is right and not be swayed from a proper course when once decided upon and approved, by personal or sectional influences. Sauviter in modo, fortiter in re, should be his motto.

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Perhaps at the present time the most important of the committees is the Manufacturers' Committee. This committee in the past has been regarded as a somewhat ornamental one, and there is reason for this feeling. Last year's committee has not, we believe, held a meeting. But this year there will have to be a change, and the committee will find its work cut out for it.

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There is a feeling of no little intensity, especially among those who have considered the situation, of the necessity of adding to the manufacturing industries of the town. We hold already a prominent position, but if the town is to grow and advance as we all wish it to do, we must look to manufacturing as the basis of such growth and advancement. We have all the conditions to successfully follow out the indications of our needs in this direction. Our central situation in the province, our unsurpassed railway facilities and water power, are factors of prime importance. We have a considerable sum remaining of the special fund set apart to assist in attracting manufacturing industries to the town, and what we most need is the men so take advantage of the conditions and to give them practical effect. For this reason it is of the very first importance that the greatest care should be taken in selecting the Manufacturers' Committee and in placing at its head a practical, shrewd, as well as cautious, and prudent chairman. There is a revival in industrial activity throughout the country and many concerns are seeking for the best place to establish their factories. We can show that Peterborough is the place, but we need careful, prompt and energetic action on the part of our representatives; and our responsible representatives in this connection are the members of the Manufacturers' Committee. The council in making its selections should have in view the appointment of only the best men for positions on this very important committee.

MIRACLES TO-DAY.

Wm. H. White of Portuguese Cove Racked by the Tortures of Rheumatism, is Quickly Relieved and Permanently Cured by the Great South American Rheumatic Cure.

"I was a martyr to acute rheumatism for years. All the known remedies and best doctors were given a trial, but nothing ever gave me any permanent relief until I obtained your great South American Rheumatic Cure. It has done so much for me that I gladly give my testimony, that other sufferers from the agonies of rheumatism may take my advice and try this great remedy. I am satisfied that it will cure them as it has me." Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

New Furniture.

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG, 427 George street.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

The Services Last Night Were Held in the Murray Street Baptist Church.

Murray street Baptist church was filled to its utmost capacity last night. Being the closing meeting of the week, special importance was attached to all that was said and done.

Rev. A. T. Dykeman presided and many of the clergymen and laymen took part in the various exercises of the evening. The Rev. W. M. Roger gave a very practical and profitable address on "Social Reform." Many Christians are discouraged and conscious of inability, yet our great encouragement is that God is with us as we work with Him. When we see the wicked exalted and the righteous abased we are often led to think that the world is turned upside down; but we see a band of disciples being sent forth as sheep among wolves with the command "Go ye into all the world and disciple all nations;" and we hear it said of them, "These men turn the world upside down," but we are glad to say it is the right side up. There are times of progress as well as times of reverse, and our inspiration is that the word of God is for the healing of the nations. We may be few among the world's millions, but many an illustration proves that God can overcome great evils by the fidelity of the few. What is the remedy for social reform? Surely not fine theories that some men have dreamed of—not the beautiful and plausible hopes that men have written for the heart and brain of the weary labourer. The rose bush as presented in "Looking Backward" so situated with adverse surroundings, would be different if given a better chance. Yet men forget the words of Christ—"Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all things shall be added unto you," and as the word of God, "Behold I make all things new . . . . a new world wherein dwelleth righteousness." For this we need to pray.

Special reference was then made to the great evil of intemperance, and the speaker pleaded with all present to do all they could in the coming plebiscite to sustain the efforts of godly men and women, who through much personal sacrifice and frequent discomforture had still continued under the guidance of God to battle for the right with manifest triumph.

—Fulloloth, best quality, at 40c. a yard at Turnbull's.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

Furniture by Private Sale.

The handsome furniture and contents of Mr. P. Henry's residence, No. 318 Charlotte street, opposite Charlotte street Methodist church, is open for purchase by private sale—either in part or en bloc. Parties can view the furniture on and after Monday, January 11th, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 9 p.m., for one week. The furniture is all new and modern in design, having received comparatively little wear, and is well worthy the attention of housekeepers wishing to make additions to their furniture, or those about to start housekeeping. 6d5

Men's and Boys' Sealette Caps, with peak, worth 75c, now 50c, at Grafton & Co.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PUURSUANT to R. S. O. Chap, 110, Sec. 38, that all persons having claims against the estate of William Fox, late of the Township of Asphodel, in the County of Peterborough, Farmer, deceased, who died on 7th of December, 1896, are hereby required to deliver on or before the 15th day of February, A. D. 1897, to William Armstrong Scriton, of the Town of Peterborough, Ontario, Solicitor, Administrator of the property of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

And notice is hereby given that after the said 15th day of February, 1897, the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the administrator shall then have notice, and that the said admistrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not have received notice as above.

STRATTON & HALL,
Solicitors, Peterborough, Ont.
Peterborough, Jan. 8th, 1897. 1d-4w2

ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the
WEST PETERBOROUGH
AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
WILL BE HELD ON
Wednesday, the 20th Jan., 1886,
in the Town Council Chamber, Peterborough, at One o'clock p.m. for the purpose of the election of officers for the coming year, and the transaction of any other business that may be brought before the meeting. All interested are notified to be present.

GEO. E. ELLIOTT, President. W. J. GREEN, Secretary.

PANTS....
Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $6.00—This is a snap.
Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for . . $3.00
No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.
W. J. GREEN,
No. 165 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

Lindsay & Might
Real Estate, Insurance and Employment Office.
Good value in houses, lots and farms to sell, rent or exchange. Insurance in good companies and at low rates.
A Splendid Brick House, Furnace, Bath Double Lot, Stable, Nice Situation. $2600.
Good 2-story Brick House, nine Rooms, Good Garden, Spruce and Maple Trees. $1,350.
Telephone 203. Rents Collected.
OFFICE HOURS—8.30 a. m. to 6 p.m
Under Market Hall, 326 George Stree

CIGARS
TALBOT BROS. CIGARS
Are all well-known brands with a good reputation. We don't handle "Pride-of-the-Gutter" or "Undertaker's Delight," or "Early Yorks." We allow no brands into our stock that the makers allow the quality to run down. OUR BIG 4 COMBINATION is having a great run—4 Ten Cent Bouquet Flavoured Cigars for only a Quarter. Take your pick of any of these:—
The Roseberry, William Pitt, Dunraven, El Cello, Irving, Dias Garcias and the Chamberlain, the new popular 10c Cigar Out. 4 for 25c.
If you think of riding a Bicycle this year, we will have a great big snap for you in the "STEARNS"—the Champion wheel of the crowd.
The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough, Sign Indian Queen. TALBOT BROS.

A Golden Opportunity
For Every Woman in the Dominion
Such is our great Dissolution Sale. The remarkable bargains to be found here at every turn are the result of our determination to cut prices down without consideration of value, in order to turn as much of our stock as possible into cash by January 1st. At that date our senior partner will retire from the business, and we must have as much cash as possible in order to make the required settlement. Every woman in Toronto should visit our store during this sale. Every woman in Toronto should purchase before January 1st. But that doesn't preclude women outside of the city from obtaining our goods at these remarkably low figures. Our Mail Order Department is open to them, and quick and accurate service will be given to them. Money refunded to all who are not satisfied in every particular. 6.4.4. 96
J. SUTCLIFFE & SONS
182-184 YONGE STREET
6-8 QUEEN STREET - - TORONTO

THE HOUSEKEEPER'S CHANCE.
We Wan't Your Gold and Will Pay You Well For It.
These . . TEAS Will Please You
The prices will make you happy. We're selling lots of goods below the market these days. In order to unload a big stock of Teas we will sell for the next 30 days at wholesale prices:—

50c Tea at 35c per lb.	Soaps at 6 Bars for 25c.
40c Tea at 30c per lb.	Canned Salmon (a1) 10c can
30c Tea at 22½c per lb.	Corn, Tomatoes,
25c Tea at 20c per lb.	Beans, Peas,
or 2 lbs. for 35c.	4 cans either, 25c.

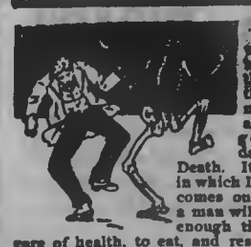
These prices are cash and cash only. The goods are all fresh and fine stock. Just as long as water runs down hill will we continue to keep our wheel in the stream.
THOS. BRADY Corner Brock and George Streets.
N. B.—Outstanding accounts must be paid, as we require a large sum within the next thirty days. Brady's need is the housekeeper's opportunity.

DRESS GOODS! DRESS GOODS!
W. W. JOHNSTON
Will have a special sale of Dress Goods of the D. O. LeGendre Stock
Commencing SATURDAY, January 9th.
Included in the sale is a nice lot of those New Wrapperettes, the most fashionable goods in the market for Ladies Wrappers, which will be sold at 10c per yard, usually sold at 15c.
There is a splendid stock of Black and Coloured All Wool Dress Goods, in all the different Fabrics.
Also received Two Thousand Dollars worth of Furs, the balance of the Bankrupt Stock of the noted furrier Joseph Rogers, Toronto. These goods are not intended to be placed in competition with the rag end of the Lugadin and other stocks lately brought to town by a local furrier. All are invited to call and see our stock.
NOTE THE PLACE, 323 George St., Opposite Market Arcade.
W. W. JOHNSTON.

SKATES!
Favourite styles—popular prices—including a lot of Spring Skates at less money. See our Hockey Skate with Improved Reinforced Front and Heel, guaranteed against breakage.
HOCKEY CLUB STICKS.
We are right in line with the newest puck-blocking and goal capturing Hockey Sticks of the season. Come and see them, boys.
MICKS & COX
Hunter St., Nearly Opposite the Post Office.

JAMES C. BURNHAM
BARRISTER, &c., &c.
London and Canadian Chambers, 103 Bay Street, Toronto.
MONEY TO LOAN
In the County of Peterborough and surrounding district at 5 % on Gilt Edge Securities.

P. N. CORSETS
Are made with special reference to the needs of Canada's daughters. Fits you like a glove and you like to wear it. Sold by R. FAIR, 328 George St. eodw



...who sacrifices his health for the sake of the excitement of work and money-getting, is dancing with Death. It is a dance in which Death always comes out victor. If a man will only spare enough time to take care of health, to eat, and rest and sleep properly, and when he feels slightly indisposed will resort to the right remedy, he may work as hard as he pleases, and pile up money steeple high, without fear of untimely death.

The worst enemy with which hard-working men have to contend is a disordered digestion. It is the starting point for most sickness and disease. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery prevents sickness and disease. Its use insures a hearty appetite, and healthful, restful sleep. It corrects all disorders of the digestion, invigorates the liver and purifies the blood. It tones the nerves. It makes pure, rich blood, builds firm healthy flesh, and strong, elastic muscle. The man who resorts to it whenever he feels out of sorts, may, within reason, work as hard as he pleases. Druggists sell it.

"Enclosed please find 21 one-cent stamps," writes James Trent, of Clarendon, Donley Co., Texas, "for which please send me a copy of Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser in paper covers. I have been taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the blood and think it is the best blood-purifier in existence."

One of the best-known of American medical men said: "If you want to reform a man, begin with his grandfather." That would be wise if it could be done. Since it cannot be done, try something else. Reform the future grandfathers and grandmothers. Do this through education. The greatest thing for a man or woman to know is himself or herself. To know one-half the capabilities and disabilities of the human body is a liberal education. A good start for this education is Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. Any one can have this finely illustrated 1000-page book for the small price of thirty-one one-cent stamps to pay for customs and mailing *only*. If you would like the book in fine cloth binding instead of paper, send fifty stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

EIGHT MONTHS IN PRISON.

That is the Sentence Imposed on Lady Scott for Libelling Earl Russell.

London, Jan. 8.—The Old Bailey court room was crowded this morning when Lady Selina Scott, John Cockerton and William Aylott, who yesterday pleaded guilty of having criminally libelled Earl Russell, Lady Scott's son-in-law, were brought up for sentence. Lady Scott entered the court room accompanied by her daughter, Countess Russell. When the prisoners were called to the bar for sentence John Lawson Walton, M. P., solicitor for Lady Scott, addressed the court in behalf of his client, saying her ladyship pledged herself not to re-publish any of the libels she had uttered against Earl Russell. Solicitor Hall, speaking for Cockerton and Aylott, said that his clients did not withdraw a single word they had said, or any statement that they had made concerning Earl Russell, having told nothing but the truth about him.

Lady Scott, in reply to the usual questions by the court as to what she had to say why sentence should not be pronounced upon her, said she was perfectly willing to accept any punishment that His Lordship the judge might see fit to inflict. All that she had done, she said, was in defence of her darling daughter, and she would gladly suffer anything for her sake.

The judge then addressed the prisoners, speaking for half an hour. He was repeatedly interrupted by Lady Scott, who finally became exasperated at the lecturing of the court, and exclaimed: "For goodness sake, let me have my sentence. I am only a woman."

The judge then pronounced sentence upon the prisoners, condemning each of them to eight months' imprisonment without hard labor. Lady Scott, on account of her delicate health, will be treated as a first-class misdemeanant, but Cockerton and Aylott will be treated as ordinary prisoners.

As Lady Scott was leaving the prisoner's dock after the judge had sentenced her, she turned and said: "Every word I uttered against my daughter's husband is true."

In the course of Justice Hawkins' summing up he alluded to the day when Earl Russell made the acquaintance of Lady Scott as an ill day for him, and characterized her as the "origin of all his unhappiness," whereupon Lady Scott mockingly bowed to the court, and said: "Thank you, my lord."

The judge did not appear to notice the remark, but Mr. Hall, counsel for Cockerton and Aylott, became aroused at the judge's language, and threw down his brief, saying: "I abandon the case."

The episode created a sensation and there was great disorder in the court, every one present standing up. During the disturbance Lady Scott became hysterical, and, pounding the railings of the dock, cried out: "This is abominable."

After the sentence was passed upon her mother, Countess Russell screamed loudly, and Lady Scott cried: "There isn't one word of truth in it." Then, turning to her daughter, she said: "You said it was impossible to get justice." This reflection upon the court angered Justice Hawkins, who said in a loud tone: "I will not permit you to address me in that manner." Lady Scott was quickly removed from the court and taken to prison.

UNHAPPIEST WOMAN ALIVE.

The Princess de Chimay Writes Sorrowful Letters to Her Former Friends.

London, Jan. 8.—The Pall Mall Gazette publishes a despatch from its correspondent in Brussels saying that the Princess of Chimay and Caraman, formerly Miss Clara Ward of Detroit, Mich., who eloped from Paris in November with a Hungarian gypsy musician named Janos Rigo, has recently written letters to a number of her former aristocratic friends in Belgium, in which she confesses that since she left her husband and children she has been the unhappiest woman alive. The Princess is living in Buda Pest with her Hungarian lover, and a few days ago it was announced that arrangements had been made with a theatrical manager for her appearance on the stage as a singer and dancer in conjunction with her paramour's musical performance.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Bishop Keane Has Secured a Position Near the Pontifical Throne.

Rome, Jan. 8.—Bishop Keane, formerly rector of the Catholic University at Washington, has been nominated Bishop assistant at the Pontifical throne.

The Hard Times in India.

Calcutta, Jan. 8.—It is officially announced that 1,250,000 persons are now engaged on the relief work and that the number will probably reach two millions during the coming week.

Von Papay is Dead.

Vienna, Jan. 8.—Stephen Von Papay, head of Emperor Francis Joseph's private chancellerie, died here to-day. He was one of the few officials having real influence with the Emperor.

Norwegian Statesman Gone.

Christiania, Jan. 8.—Ex-Minister of State Orkjerulf died here to-day. He held office at Stockholm from 1871 to 1884, and was dismissed with others at the time of the impeachment of the Selmar Cabinet.

Bad News From Bechuanaland.

Cape Town, Jan. 8.—The news being received from Bechuanaland is of the most serious kind. The magistrates and settlers at Kuruman have gone into league, and 700 natives of that vicinity are raiding farms, lifting cattle and committing other depredations.

Relief Fund for India.

London, Jan. 8.—At the request of Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for India, the Right Hon. George F. Faudel-Phillips, Lord Mayor of London, has started a fund for the relief of the sufferers from the famine in India, and large sums of money are being subscribed.

Awful Results of the Plague.

Bombay, Jan. 8.—The Times of India, in an article on the bubonic plague, which is ravaging the city, says that since the outbreak of the plague the population of Bombay has been reduced one-half, and the weekly mortality has averaged 200 per thousand.

Jesse Pomeroy, who was convicted of murder when 15 years of age, and sent to Massachusetts State Prison for life, 22 years ago, had almost dug his way out of prison when discovered yesterday.

SOLD AT A LOSS.

In order to convince the public that Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are far superior to any liver pill ever placed on the market, the manufacturer has for the past six months sold them at 10 cents a vial of 40 doses; or at a clear loss of 50% of their cost price. The truly wonderful merit of Dr. Agnew's Pills is now recognized in three-fourths of Canadian homes, and from this time on the retail price for a vial of 40 doses will be 20 cents, or five cents a vial less than is charged for other brands of liver pills. They are the smallest, cheapest, best. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

As Well as Ever

Dear Sirs,—After suffering for two years from acute indigestion I tried B.B.B. I took only three bottles, which made me as well as ever I was. I highly recommend B. B.B. to all dyspeptics.

Mrs. John White, Austin, Man

Burdock Pills, small, safe, and sure, regulate the liver and cure constipation.

The First of these Monthly Competitions will commence January 1st, 1897, and will be continued each month during 1897.

$1,625 IN BICYCLES AND WATCHES GIVEN FREE EACH MONTH FOR Sunlight SOAP WRAPPERS

As Follows:

46 First Prizes, $100 Stearns' Bicycle, . .	$ 1,000
25 Second " $25 Gold Watch	625
Bicycles and Watches given each month . .	1,625
	12
Total given during year 1897,	$19,500

HOW TO OBTAIN THEM.

Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the portion of each wrapper bearing the words "Sunlight Soap" and send to "Competitor" Lever Bros. Ltd., Toronto, Ont., with full name and address of Competitor in the district in which he lives.

NO. OF DISTRICT	NAME OF DISTRICT
1	Western Ontario (by counties)
2	Eastern Ontario (by counties)
3	Province of Quebec
4	Provinces of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island
6	Province of Manitoba

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the 6 districts, prizes will be awarded as follows:

The 3 competitors who send in the largest number of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Stearns' Bicycle, value $100.

The competitors who send in the next largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Gold Watch, value $25.

2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

5. Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., will endeavor to award prizes fairly to the best of their ability and judgment, but it is considered that all competitors agree to accept the award of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., as final.

LEVER BROS., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto

Sunlight Soap Wrappers are the celebrated Stearns', manufactured by E. C. Stearns & Co., Syracuse, N.Y., U.S.A., and Lever Brothers, Ltd., Toronto, Ont., which is guaranteed by the makers and has complete satisfaction.

We've Been Talking

To You for Some Time About the Advantages of Drinking Pure—

"SALADA"

CEYLON TEA

Are You Benefiting by our Advice?

Sold in Lead Packets Only. Never in Bulk. All Grocers.

25c, 30c, 40c, 50c, and 60c. per lb.

An Experiment That Failed.

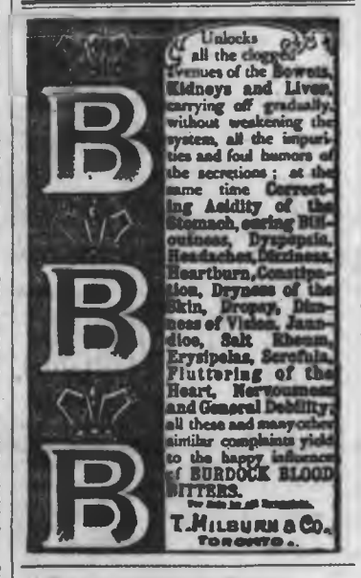
A bee is a busy little creature, and as wise as he is busy. It can gather about a grain of honey a day, which seems very small, but as there are 10,000 bees in a hive, the aggregate is very large. Years ago a speculator sent swarms of bees to the West Indies, hoping to have honey in plenty, but he was disappointed. The wise little insects soon learned that there was no use piling up honey for winter, because the flowers were in blossom all the year round, so they only made as much as they could eat, and the experiment failed.

"So Long."

An English correspondent says the expression "so long" is the same as the "sa lange" of the Swedes, which corresponds to the "a tantot" of the French. "Sa lange," as pronounced by a Swede, is almost identical, he says, with what you would hear from a Northumbrian, if you got him to say the English words "so long."

A January thaw is always more productive of colds and coughs than a January freeze. Then is the time Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is needed and proves so extremely efficacious. Ask your druggist for it, and also for Ayer's Almanac, which is free to all.

That hacking cough can be quickly cured by Hagard's Pectoral Balsam. Price 25c.


Unlocks all the clogged Avenues of the Bowels, Kidneys and Liver, carrying off gradually, without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the secretions; at the same time Correcting Acidity of the Stomach, curing Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headache, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness and General Debility; all these and many other similar complaints yield to the happy influence of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.
T. MILBURN & Co. TORONTO.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS ALWAYS CURE

AFTER TEN YEARS SUFFERING

Two Box Cure

MILVERTON, 5TH JULY, 1895.

Gentlemen.—For the last ten years I had been troubled with kidney disease, being so bad at intervals that I could not be in bed at night nor stoop to the ground.

I had tried all the remedies I could find without effect, but heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills and procured a box.

I am most happy to say it for my own sake as well as for others that I am positively cured after using four boxes.

JOHN RILEY.

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M. McFADDEN,
Undertaker and Dealer in every Description of Furniture
HUNTER STREET, WEST.

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D. BELLEGHEM,
Leading Undertaker,
Can be found day or night at his Ware rooms Hunter Street, or at his residence adjoining his Warerooms. Telephone Communication.

We all like mince meat. Many would have it often if it were not for the trouble of making it. But why make it yourself? You can get

Laing's English Mince Meat

ready for use. Put up in 1 and 2 lb. cans, 5, 10, 20 and 25 lb. fancy pails, and in tubs and barrels. The quality is the best, we guarantee it so. Ask your dealer for it, if he does not keep it let us know, we will see you are supplied.

The LAING Packing & Provision Co. Ltd.
MONTREAL.

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DR. T. POPHAM McCULLOUGH,
(Graduate of Trinity and Queen's Universities)
New York Polyclinic and Post Graduate. Late Assistant Surgeon New York Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose Hospital.
OFFICE and SURGERY—Corner of Murray and George streets, lately occupied by Dr. Kempt. Telephone 36.

DR. BELL,
GEORGE STREET, opposite Central Park, Peterborough.

DR. G. HERBERT BURNHAM.
214 JOHN STREET, Toronto, will be at the Grand Central Hotel, Peterborough, on Saturday, Jan. 9th, and on the 2nd Saturday of every month.

THOS. J. MOHER, M. D.,
GRADUATE of Trinity University, Toronto, Fellow of Trinity Medical College, Member of the Council of Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario. Office and Residence, 280 Hunter Street. Telephone No. 138.

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BARRISTER, Solicitor, Etc., 379 Water Street.

E. E. STONE,
BARRISTER, Solicitor, Notary Conveyancer etc. OFFICE—Ground floor, 374½ Water Street. Money to Loan.

G. M. ROGER,
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The illustration (from the December Season) shows the European idea of a model that has had and is still having great vogue in our larger cities. There are innumerable variations of crown, bell and width and roll of brim, but the material points bear a resemblance to the model. New York, London and Paris trim their hats of this description, using coque, birds, ribbons or ostrich, preferred in the order named; Berlin and Vienna wear them plain, as in the picture. The preferred model is lower crowned, with a high rolling brim shorter in the back. The hat is silk beaver, with a brim of

THIS IS HAVING GREAT VOGUE.

cloth, and has the same well-groomed, neat appearance that the stovepipe lends to a well-dressed man.

Some hands use new mats to place under the jardinieres kept on polished tables are squares of white china silk, with a border of plush almost a finger wide. These mats are made over a stiff foundation of crinoline or canvas, covered with a layer of cotton and lined at the back with silk of a contrasting color. For instance, one of those seen, which is in a room where there is much green of various shades, has a border of olive plush and is covered at the back with olive china silk. The center of white China silk is covered with an all-over pattern of flowers of about the size of a twenty-five cent piece. These flowers are outlined in coarse green embroidery silk. On the mat was a green jardiniere holding a palm. The plant was placed on a Turkish coffee table of mahogany. These low tables are much used in all kinds of wood for holding a single plant. In a room with a different coloring the mat could be made of white and dark or old blue, or of raspberry color and white. A spread made for a large mahogany dining table is a larger square of this kind, so that when laid on the table it leaves the corners bare. It has a border of apple-green satin.

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No longer are tall flowering plants used for decorating the table. Instead, there are low dishes tastefully arranged with choice flowers and delicate trailing plants, mingled with appropriate leaves and mosses. Another pretty way to arrange flowers for the table is to fill a low dish with small blocks of ice and sweet-smelling buds and blossoms.

The sweetest flower silks, that fairly send out fragrance from the buds, are sold this year for ball gowns. The silk is a taffeta, and the roses stand out in satin.

One of these dresses depends entirely upon lace and pink taffeta ribbon for its sleeves. The ribbon winds in and out of the lace irregularly, and is brought out and tied in knots and bows, at intervals. The color of the ribbon sets off the lace admirably.

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The sick man knocking at the door of health gets in if he knocks the right way, and, stays out if he doesn't. There are thousands of ways of getting sick, but only one way to get well. Do whatever you will, if you do not put your digestion in good order, and make your blood rich and pure, you will not get well. Rich, pure blood is the only thing that can bring perfect health. Constipation is a disease of the blood. A large part of all diseases are traceable directly to impurities in the blood, and can be cured by eliminating them with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The first thing it does is to put the whole digestive system into perfect order. It stimulates the appetite, excites a copious secretion of the digestive fluids and promotes assimilation. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be, kills them and forces them out of the system. The "Golden Medical Discovery" has been used with unvarying success for over 30 years.

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Burglars at Beamsville.

Beamsville, Jan. 7.—George A. Beatty's store was entered last night by breaking the glass in the front door. With lighted matches the thieves made their selection of goods and ransacked the store from end to end. Ready-made clothing, gloves, hose and tobaccos were taken. The operators made their exit by the back door. The raid is supposed to have been made by home talent.

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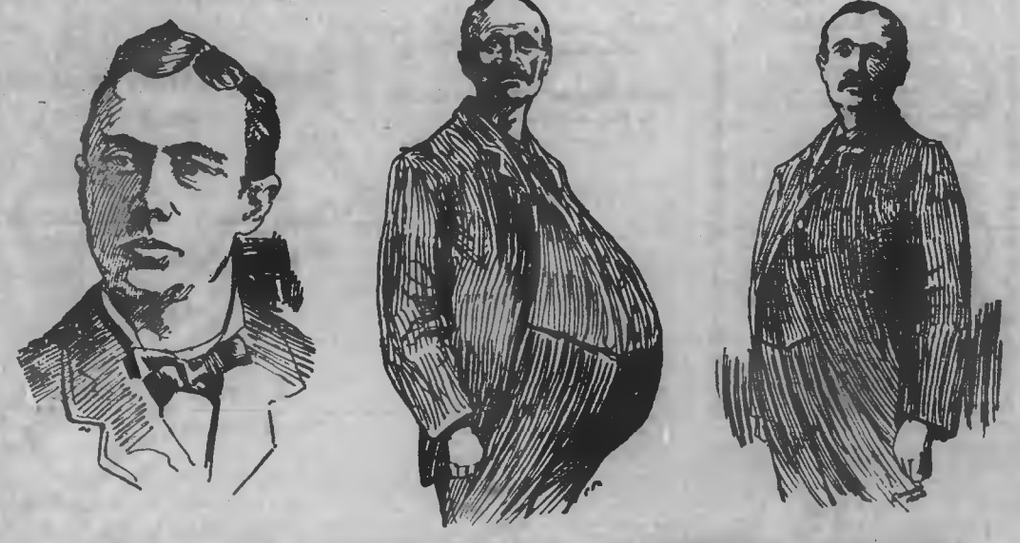

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Probably no one is better known to the printing trade of Canada than Maxwell Johnston, of Maxwelell Johnston & Co., 72 Bay street, Toronto. His many years of experience have acquainted him with almost every person in the entire trade. To many of his friends it has been known that he has suffered during very severe illness the past year, and in regard to the same Mr. Johnston writes the following letter:—

TORONTO, *Dec. 3, 1896.*

MESSRS. T. MILBURN & Co.:

DEAR SIRS,—For over ten months I suffered from dropsy, caused by kidney trouble which followed an attack of la grippe. The symptoms rapidly became serious and medical aid was called in. Among others who were consulted were Dr. Wallace, Dr. Norman Allen, Dr. Weir and Dr. Glass, all of this city, and I can truly state that they made every effort that medical skill could provide. Seven operations were performed within six months, during which time I visited at different periods for the purpose of these operations the following hospitals, viz: The Toronto General Hospital, St. Michael's Hospital and Grace Hospital. Although all that could be done for me was faithfully and skillfully performed, I received only temporary relief, the operations only serving to remove the enormous quantities of water which constantly accumulated. As a matter of fact, 17 gallons of water were removed during the last two operations. After the last operation I was given up to die and was given only six to twelve days to live.

In addition to the best medical skill which money could procure, I used all kinds of patent medicines which promised relief, but without effect. All the family remedies suggested, such as Milkweed Tea, Pumpkin Seed Tea, Mullein Leaf Tea, Spanish Onion Tea, Sweet Nitre and Buchu, etc., were faithfully tried but gave not the slightest relief, so that I had lost all hope, when I was persuaded to try Doan's Kidney Pills, together with Laxa Liver Pills. To my surprise I received almost immediate relief. At this time I was unable to lie down and for three and a half months previously was forced to sleep in a chair. My waist measure was then 49 inches; it is now 33 inches since the wonderful cure made by these pills.

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I am a printer by trade and have held positions in the offices of *The Globe*, *Mail*, Methodist Book Room, etc., as well as in Ohio and Detroit, Mich., and have been an employing printer since 1877.

Although it may seem incredible, every word I have stated is the truth, and I am prepared to back it by the evidence of hundreds of citizens and friends who knew me before I was sick and afterwards, while I was near death's door, and who now, to their surprise, see me restored to complete health by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills, assisted by Laxa Liver Pills, I shall be glad to answer inquiries from sufferers from kidney or liver troubles at any time, and refer to the following gentlemen who have knowledge of the facts, and can verify every word I say. Many of these gentlemen knew me before my sickness, during my terrible sufferings, and since I was restored to health. My testimony is given voluntarily and without any consideration of any kind, either directly or indirectly. I give it solely for the benefit of my fellow beings who may be afflicted with Dropsy or Kidney troubles of any kind, viz.:—

R. J. Fleming, Esq., Mayor of Toronto.
E. F. Clarke, Esq., M.P., ex-Mayor.
Rev. H. C. Dixon, of Gillespie, Ansley & Dixon.
J. W. St. John, Esq., M.PP.
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Yours truly,

MAXWELL JOHNSTON.

Mr. Johnston appeared before Mr. C. Henderson, Commissioner in the High Court of Justice, and gave the following declaration as regards the absolute truth of the statements made in his letter:—

DOMINION OF CANADA,
Province of Ontario,
County of York.

To WIT:—In the matter of a letter to Messrs. T. Milburn & Co., dated 3rd December, 1896, I, Maxwell Johnston, of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, do solemnly declare that the statements contained in the above letter are true, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the Canada evidence act, 1893, declared before me at Toronto, in the County of York, this 3rd day of December, 1896, by Chas. Henderson, a Commissioner in H. C. J. Courts.

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No. LXXXV.

Tennyson's "Vision of Sin."

[The following study of Tennyson's "Vision of Sin" is taken from "A Study of the works of Lord Tennyson" by Edward Campbell Tanish. We would ask ask all our readers who have access to Tennyson's Works to read this study in conjunction with the original.]

"The Vision of Sin" is a poem, the interpretation of which it is not easy to read. It opens with a glowing picture of sensuous beauty and enjoyment. But the sensuousness is low, ministering rather to the excitement of passion than to the sense of beauty. In the midst of this picture are many human figures, but chiefly one—a newcomer—a youth and

"He rode a horse with wings that would have flown,
But that his heavy rider kept him down."

This image is doubtless borrowed from Plato and understanding it so, we learn that the young man was one of high capacities, but of low aims—fitted for a spiritual life, but deliberately choosing the sensual. The solemn beauty of God, and the slow-coming but inevitable Nemesis descending from the heavens, alike fail to raise him or to warn him.

"I saw that every morning far withdrawn
Beyond the darkness and the cataract,
God made Himself an awful rose of dawn,
Unheeded, and detaching fold by fold,
From those still heights, and slowly drawing near,
A vapour, heavy, hueless, formless, cold,
Came floating on for many a month and year,
unheeded."

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The vision changes; the young man has grown old, the vengeance has partly fallen. All the sensuous, beautiful surroundings have vanished—low and coarse companions and circumstances have taken their place. There is a horse still, but one altogether wingless. All that power of voluptuous enjoyment is gone; the old man asks for wine, but it is wine simply, a stimulant and no more. He says—

"I remember, when I think,
That my youth was half divine."

For to the palled appetite of the sensualist, the keener sensibilities of youth, tinged as they always are, with an idealising touch, even though sensual, too, may well seem as "half divine." To the sensualist grown old there is left but coarse appetite at most; oftentimes not even that. From this old man self-respect had fled, and belief in all the higher qualities and the higher aims of man.

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The meaning of thus much of the poem is clear. A life of sensuous, or sensual pleasure in youth is avenged by the loss of even that and the incapacity for anything higher as age comes on. But towards the end of the monologue of the old man a touch of something else shows itself. He grows bitter, and scornful of himself as well as others, and even despair seems to glimmer out from his talk. And then he ceases and the vision changes again. The end has come, death and decay spread over all, and the solemn, silent beauty of God alone remains. Then two voices are heard; one pleads for the old man that sense has avenged the sin. He did not indulge malignant passions did not use his higher nature to pervert it, but neglected it only and lived for the lower nature. The higher nature remains though all unused and undeveloped, yet not slain by crimes of malice. Thus seems to plead the first voice. But the second voice answers—

"The crime of sense became
The crime of malice, and is equal blame."

He who will live for his lower nature alone must needs be guilty of sins against the higher nature; it is not permitted to him simply to ignore it. Crimes of sense must lead to crimes of malice through the channel of selfishness, and these, then, are not less blameworthy and they so arose. The pleading voice urges again—

"He had not wholly quenched his power;"

there was still left in him the perception of, and the capacity for higher things; had it not been so he would have content in his lowness; but he was bitter and scornful of himself, and by this it was manifest that conscience was not wholly dead in him—

"At last I heard a voice upon the slope
Cry to the summit, 'Is there any hope?'"

And in that question are expressed the limit of human knowledge, and the suspense of human anxiety. Concerning millions of wasted lives that lie decaying in the hollow, nobler men, who are half way up the slope, cry to the summit, "Is there any hope?"

"To which an answer pealed from that high land,
But in a tongue no man could understand;
And on the glimmering limit far withdrawn,
God made himself an awful rose of dawn."

The answer comes, but it is unintelligible—a sealed answer to human wisdom. But as it peals the dawn of God rises in the far distance, and the light thereof may seem to mingle with the eager question of man, as the last word lingers upon his tongue, and the light and hope commingling may, perchance, bridge the way to a joyous interpretation of the mystic answer that pealed from the heights of God.

[We hope next week to give the same suggestive writer's interpretation of a kindred poem to the "Vision of Sin," viz., "The Palace of Art."—Ed. F.C.C.]

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LOCAL ATHLETIC SPORTS.

WHAT OUR BOYS ARE DOING ON THE HOCKEY RINK

Curlers Playing Off in the Kendry Cup Series—A Table of the Results Up to Date—Lindsay Bonspiel Notes.

CURLIANA.

Four more matches in the Kendry Cup series were played off yesterday at the rink resulting as follows:

Thistles.		*Grantes.*
A J Gough,		R E Wood,
A Blade,		W Manson,
G Fitzgerald,		T E Br-dburn,
D Bellegham, sk	12	Judge Weller, sk 17
A J Gough,		W J Wattam,
R H Fortye,		G Giroux,
Ed Brown,		W L Allen,
H LeBrun, sk	8	H M Allen, sk 28
Herb Hall,		J D Collins,
J S Knapman,		Geo Giroux,
Geo Brown,		E H D Hall,
R H Kells, sk	16	D W Dumble 15
O Beatty,		J McCaig,
G S Ames,		H J Graeett,
T Connal,		J Crane,
R B McKee, sk	16	W D Parker, sk 8
	129	130

Majority for Granites, 21 shots.

There still remains a number of games to be played off in the Kendry Cup series which may change the result, but at present the standing of the two clubs is as follows:

Thistles.		*Grantes.*
Jno McClelland	21 vs	G W Hatton 10
J McKee	7 vs	R M Dennistoun 25
W G Ferguson	14 vs	E B Edwards 13
S Ray	15 vs	T P Attrill 14
D Bellegham	12 vs	Judge Weller 17
H LeBrun	8 vs	H M Allen 28
R H Kells	16 vs	D W Dumble 15
R B McKee	16 vs	W D Parker 8

The rinks which have not yet played off are as follows:—

Thistles.		*Granites.*
J B Pentland	vs	J Connal
T Rutherford	vs	Dr Boucher
Geo J Hopkins	vs	Geo Edmison

The Granites meet to-night to elect skips for the Lindsay bonspiel and Lindsay-Peterborough competion.

The following skips have been chosen to take charge of Lindsay's rinks against Peterborough on Monday next. Messrs. Flavelle, Needler and Little will play in Peterborough, and Messrs. McMillan, Ferguson and Kennedy in Lindsay.

The Lindsay rinks in the double rink competition are L. McIntosh, J. G. Edwards, J. A. McMillan, J. D. Flavelle, skip, and T. McConnell, M. W. Kennedy, G. A. Little and W. McLennan, skip. These are two good strong rinks and should make a hard fight for first place.

Outside clubs, the Post says, are going to come with their strongest aggregations and Lindsay should have five or six very strong rinks in the single rink competition in the bonspiel. The outside curlers are already looking after hotel accommodation during the 'spiel. We are informed that one hotel man has received word to keep accommodation for seven rinks.

HOCKEY.

Queen's University hockey club has challenged the Yale hockey club for the intercollegiate and international championships, naming January 23rd for the meeting. Since issuing the challenge, however, events have transpired that may baulk the intention of the members. If it is found impossible to get away to play the match at New York the team may, at a later date, take a short western tour. If it is found possible both tours will be taken in at the same time.

The Kingston Whig says.—Jock Harty this morning received a telegram from New York, announcing that the Yale team had accepted the challenge issued by the Queen's team for the inter-collegiate and international championships of America. The match will take place on the ice in the famous St. Nicholas skating rink, New York. All of the Queen's players will be able to get away and will leave here at noon on the 21st inst., the time set for the match being the 23rd inst. Queen's team will be picked from these players,—Hiscock, Curtis, Merrill, Birkett, Irwin, Harty, Waldron, McLennan, Brock. Likely the team to play the match will consist of:—Goal, Hiscock; point, Curtis; cover point, Merrill; centres, Harty, Waldron; wings, McLennan, Brock.

If Queen's wins this match and Peterborough in turn win from them, it will make the local team the international champions, presumably.

The Kingston Whig says: Berlin hockeyists are "kicking" roundly at being sent to Ayr to play on the small rink there, when there is a large rink available at Berlin. Frontenacs are in a similar position as regards Peterborough.

Capt. Curtis continues to practice with Queen's hockey team, but has not given a definite answer as to whether or not he will be a member of the representative team. What would a championship hockey match be like without Curtis in it? A Hamlet without a chief character.

REFEREE YOUNG'S OPINION.

"Weldy" Young, who refereed the recent hockey match for the Stanley Cup between the Victorias of Montreal and the Victorias of Winnipeg, returned from the latter city this morning, says the Ottawa Journal. Mr. Young does not confirm the press despatches sent out from Winnipeg that the defeat of the Prairie City team was due more to over-confidence than anything else. Mr. Young says that the game was won clearly on its merits. The Winnipeggers met a faster and stronger hockey aggregation, took defeat like men and acknowledged a square beating at the end of the match. Mr. Young admires the spirit with which the western men took their defeat, and says that the treatment accorded to the visitors from the time of their arrival till they were sent off with a parting cheer on Sunday afternoon could not have been better. Hockey, as far as the Victorias are concerned, he thinks, has received somewhat of a set-back in Winnipeg. The Montreal Victorias, Mr. Young says, are a much stronger aggregation than than the team defeated by the western men last winter.

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TOWNSHIP ELECTIONS.

The results of the voting in Burleigh, etc., was as follows: Mr. C. R. D. Booth reeve. Councillors—Messrs. Tucker, Kilborn Hales and Boulton.

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CHURCH CHIMES.

St. Peter's Cathedral—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be two masses celebrated, the first at 8 a.m., the second at 10.30 a. m., and Vespers at 7 p. m.

St. John's Church.—Rev. J. C. Davidson Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate. First Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 10th. 8.30 a.m. Celebration of Holy Communion, monthly meeting of the men of the parish; 11 a.m. Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon; 3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible classes; 4.15. Administration of Baptism; 7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. Ushers on duty—Messrs. G. A. Smith, W. E. Conway, F. Perry and H. S. Greenwood.

St. John's Mission Chapel.—Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. 1st Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 10th 11 a.m. Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon; 3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class; 7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. Baptisms in the chapel by appointment with the clergy.

St. Paul's Church—Rev. E. F. Torrance D. D., pastor, Sunday, Jan. 10th. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Y.P.S.C.E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

St. Andrew's Church, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Jan. 10th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. conducted by pastor. Sabbath School and Bible class 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Monday at 8 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Seats free. Junior C. E. meets every Sunday at 4 o'clock.

Charlotte Street Methodist Church.—Rev. J. J. Rae, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 10th.—Service at 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday school and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

George Street Methodist Church.—Rev. W.R. Young, B. A., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 10th. Sunday School Anniversary Service at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. conducted by Rev. J. P. Wilson, of Oshawa. Collections in behalf of Sunday school fund. Sunday School and Bible class at at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats. Grace church Sunday School at 10 a.m.

Baptist Church (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 10th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 3.00 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all are welcome.

Park Street Baptist Church—Rev. F. Tapscot, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be cordially welcomed. Regular meeting of Young People's Society on Wednesday evening.

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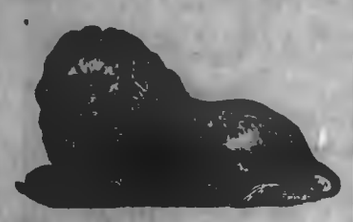

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CECIL RHODES HAS MADE A STIR

His Bombastic Utterances at the Cape Have Stirred Up Criticism—The Queen's Diamond Jubilee—Hidden Horrors of the Seine—A Scare at Dublin Castle—Other Items.

London, Jan. 9.—The sensation of the day in Paris is the new deputy for Pontarlier, Dr. Grenier, who is a convert to Islamism and is styled the Dervish of the Doubs. He is the son of a cavalry officer and a Roman Catholic born and bred. In his younger days he practised medicine at Pontarlier, and was noted for his kindness to the poor. Owing to the state of his health, he removed to Alegria, where he spent several years among the Arabs, adopting the Mussulman religion, entered a convent of muftis, and would have developed into a full-blown marabout if a slight lameness had not disqualified him for the priesthood. "Never mind," exclaimed a sympathising authority among the Arabs, "you will be better than a mufti—you will be a 'prophet of God.'" The speech was accepted in the light of a revelation, and Dr. Grenier speedily returned to his home at Pontarlier to fulfil his new vocation, much to the horror of his relatives. Since that date he has been the wonder of the town. The most devout of Mohammedans, he never quit his white burnous, and at the hours prescribed by the Koran, whatever he may be, he pops down on the floor or ground, bangs his forehead against the wood or stone, to the bewilderment of the spectators, laves his hands in the nearest gutter, and invokes the name of Allah in loud and fervent tones.

The death is announced at Bromley, Kent, of Sir John Brown, the founder of the celebrated Atlas Armor Plate Works at Sheffield. Sir John began steel-making in 1844, and at later periods introduced the making of iron suitable for conversion into steel. He was one of the first to put into operation the Bessemer process, and was the pioneer of the armor plate making for the defence of battleships. He was knighted in 1867, for his services in this direction. He filled many civic offices in Sheffield, and was in his eighty-first year.

A gentleman, who has lived 24 years in Paris writes, apropos of the drowning in the Seine of Mr. Hubert Crackenthorpe, the novelist and Yellow Book man—one of the Beardsley—Wilde school: "I think Englishmen frequenting this gay city ought to be warned of the danger of crossing any of the bridges which traverse the Seine along and on foot after midnight. There are no policemen stationed on them, and it is rare to find one at either end. Midnight prowlers go in pairs, and if they meet a straggler about the centre of the bridge they throw a handful of pepper in his eyes, and relieve him in a twinkling of whatever valuables he may have. If he resists they twist him over the parapet.

"I know a man to whom the first part of this happened a few years ago. Not being a strong man, he did not resist, and is alive to-day. I saw with my own eyes one morning the body of a young English gentleman being drawn from the Seine. He was a tall, fine man, and his gloves were well buttoned on his hands, which alone showed he must have been taken by surprise. No matter what the French police may say on the subject, if the beautiful Seine had only a voice its dirge would be deeper than that of our own broad and murky Thames."

The Cape Times protests against the following reference to Englishmen made by Mr. Rhodes in his speech at Port Elizabeth: "I am now going to meet and be examined by my fellow-countrymen. I know there unctuous rectitude, but I also know I have your sympathies with me in the trouble I am about to meet." In commenting upon the passage the journal says: "There is something in colonial ovations that makes Mr. Rhodes bully the British public. There are many ears on which the chord Mr. Rhodes has struck falls ungratefully. The British public has stood by Mr. Rhodes during a year of trouble, and most even of his countrymen who blamed him are prepared to give him a fair hearing whenever he chooses to speak."

Even his friends stood aghast this week at the tone of Mr. Cecil Rhodes' speeches in Cape Colony. In addition to his sneer at England's unctuous rectitude, he said: "Some great men rear orchids (Mr. Chamberlain's one hobby), others pursue Masonry (the Marquis of Ripon was a leading Freemason before he became a Roman Catholic). I added 2,000,000 square miles to the Empire." He made a mocking parody of the scriptural style of the Boer president, whose rule he is charged with conspiring to overthrow, and finally he swept contemptuously aside, as a mere caucus, "that Afrikander bond between the English and the Dutch, which affords the only hope for a united and peaceful South Africa." What other man in the empire would do the like and do it on the eve of his trial for his share in a transaction which almost plunged Europe and Africa into war.

There was a scare at the Viceregal Lodge in Dublin the other day. Shots were heard and hurried preparations were made to turn out the soldiery. Investigation proved that amidst a fog two sentries had challenged each other, and getting no countersign had simultaneously fired. Fortunately their muskets were not loaded with ball cartridge, so that no damage was done; but there will be a trial by court martial nevertheless.

The most important of a series of amendments to the address will directly challenge the Government on the Irish financial reform question. John Dillon and John Redmond will each offer an amendment, but under the development of what is called the "new Unionism," the Government will have to face much more formidable opponents than the leaders of the two sections of the Irish Parliamentary party. The Irish Unionists, led by Col. Saunderson, member for North Armagh, who is celebrated for his bitter opposition to Home Rule, purposes to attack the Government on the taxation question, and if the pending arrangements are carried out Col. Saunderson will move an amendment, which will be seconded by either Mr. Dillon or Timothy Healey, showing the strange political bed-fellows that have been made by the taxation agitation.

A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from St. Petersburg, says the Czar is suffering from the effects of overwork, and is about to start for Livadia for a two-months' sojourn.

The transport ship Nubia, from Calcutta, has arrived at Plymouth. Five deaths from cholera occurred on board the ship during her passage.

The Court Theatre, in Liverpool, was destroyed by fire to-day.

The Prince and Princess of Wales returned to Sandringham on Thursday from Tyrnthaun Hall, Staffordshire, where they had been spending a week with the Duke of Sutherland.

The British delegates to the International Postal Congress, to be held at Washington, are Spencer Walpole, Secretary to the Post-office; H. Buxton Forman, one of the assistant secretaries and controller of the packet services; C. A. King, receiver-general of the department.

The Duchess of York, daughter-in-law of the Prince of Wales, expects to be accouched in April.

Orders have been given for the complete overhauling of Buckingham Palace, Marlborough House and Clarence House, where the crowd of foreign royalties, who come to the Queen's sixty years' reign jubilee in June, are to be put up.

The Manchester Guardian says that a number of leading Americans in London have started a movement with a view of inducing the Government at Washington to send a special embassy to London to congratulate the Queen upon the occasion of the celebration of the sixtieth anniversary of Her Majesty's reign next June.

English uneasiness is intensified by the situation behind the famine in India in Lord Robert's book, "Forty-one Years in India," the author finds a revival of the signs of unrest, which sowed the seed of the mutiny. An over-centralized departmental spirit, with new forestry and sanitary laws, exasperates the native. The legislative, fiscal and judicial systems outrun the native wants, money lenders being allowed to ruin peasant proprietors, while the native press is left free to misrepresent English motives. Making due allowance for a soldier's alarms, the situation is grave enough.

Lord Penrhyn seems destined by his high-handed treatment of his Welsh quarrymen to do for English employers what Lord Clanricarde has done for his fellow-landlords in Ireland, who protest that the rent reductions of the land courts are driving them into bankruptcy. The Chronicle fund to help the quarrymen fight for the right to combine includes contributions from Privy councillors Sir George Trevelyan, Sir Thomas Acland and Sir Charles Dilke. The miners, engineers and other trades unions are making weekly grants, Canon Scott Holland, a high church dignitary, declares that property is only held on the condition that it does not arrive at such an issue. The Rev. Dr. Parker says that the very solemn question is raised whether one man should have the power of life and death over ten thousand human beings.

The Miners' Federation this week demanded better protection for the men in the mines. They say that a thousand persons are killed and 25,000 injured in British mines every year. They demand a Government inspector for every ten thousand workers.

The Government clearly are awaiting to feel the pulse of the party before committing themselves as to the Irish overtaxation grievance. The announcement of changes in the Irish constabulary, whereby mounted men will be dismounted and the force reduced by 2,000, saving $100,000, suggests that a solution may possibly be sought in the retrenchment of the wasteful Dublin Castle system.

Local Government costs $5 per head in Ireland, and less than three in England. Few suppose that the Government is prepared with a radical remedy as a counter scheme to Home Rule.

QUEBEC LEGISLATURE CLOSED.

Lieut.-Governor Chapleau Dismisses His Faithful Law Makers With Words of Thanks and Counsel.

Quebec, Jan. 9.—The Legislature was prorogued at 8.30 this evening. The following is the speech delivered by Lieut.-Governor Chapleau:

"Hon. Gentlemen of the Legislative Council, Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly,—I congratulate you on the manner in which you performed your legislative duties throughout this laborious session.

"Amongst the laws you have discussed and which I have sanctioned in the name of Her Majesty the Queen there are some whose importance deserves to be specially noticed; such as the act abolishing taxes on transfers of real estate, and those respecting the conversion of the debt of the province; re-organization of the public departments, homesteads, subsidies to railway companies, the code of civil procedure and education. I have followed your deliberations with interest through the votes and proceedings of both Houses and the reports of my advisers. In them I have found new evidence of this important fact, that the public men of our province have the necessary ability and constitutional knowledge to give the country the benefit of the valuable resources offered by our representative institutions.

"Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly,—I thank you in the name of Her Most Gracious Majesty for the sums you have voted for the public service. I will see that they are expended judiciously, according to law and to the best advantage of the province.

"Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council, Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly,—In closing this last session of the eighth Parliament of the Quebec Legislature, I pray God to enlighten the people of this province in the exercise of constitutional prerogatives, and in everything on which the future well-being of our families and of the country depends. I thank you for the zeal and assiduity you have manifested during this session and trust that you and your families will enjoy prosperity and happiness."

A HAMILTON SUICIDE.

James Hodge Shot Himself in the City Hall.

HE ONCE BELONGED TO NEWMARKET

Had Considerable Money a Few Years Ago But Went Through It All Said to Have Been a Hard Drinker of Late—Appeared Quite Cheerful Before Firing the Shot.

Hamilton, Jan. 10.—(Special.)—One of the most sensational suicides that have occurred in this part of the country for some time took place in this city last night. About 8.30 James Hodge, 68 years of age, strong and heavily built, walked into the City Hall and, after looking around for a few minutes, seated himself at the foot of the stairway leading to the council chamber and, pulling a revolver from his pocket, sent a 38-calibre bullet through his brain.

The spot where the man ended his life is not more than 20 feet from the office of the chief of police and the detectives' headquarters, and Chief Smith and Detective Inspector McMahon, being in their offices, hastened out to learn the cause of the loud report. In a reclining position on the stairway dead was the sturdy form of Hodge, who a few minutes before bade Mrs. Hurton, the wife of the caretaker of the City Hall, good evening, apparently in good spirits. He held the revolver in his right hand, and in the right side of his head, just over the ear, was a wound showing where the bullet had entered. In his pocket was a note stating that he had been worth a great deal of money, but his relatives had been the means of robbing him of it.

About 15 years ago the suicide and one of his brothers had a successful stove and tinware business in Newmarket. Leaving Newmarket, James, the suicide, bought a farm in West Flamboro, which he worked until about eight years ago, when he sold it for $5000 and came to this city. Since his arrival here he has been drinking heavily and has done very little work. His sister Emma died about four months ago, leaving him $300, and he has spent all this. So far as is known he has only one brother and one sister living. His brother William is in South Africa, and the sister, Susan, in Newmarket.

Coroner White was informed of the circumstances of the case and decided that an inquest is unnecessary.

AWFUL PLACE TO LIVE IN.

Highwaymen in Chicago Decoyed a Lady Into a Cab on a Pretence and Robbed Her.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Mrs. Bouchain of Clark-street was attacked by two highwaymen at Kinsey and West Water-streets late last night, assaulted and dragged from a cab in which she was riding and robbed. About 11 o'clock a cab called at her home and the driver gave her a note purporting to have come from a friend, asking her to take a cab to his home at once. Mrs. Bouchain departed in the cab. West Water-street is a dark thoroughfare, and as the driver turned into it two men ran out from a building and threw open the door of the vehicle. One of the men dashed red pepper into the woman's eyes to blind her. She was then beaten with a revolver until she was unconscious. Her assailants deprived her of her jewelry, valued at $1500, and secured her pocket-book, which contained $400. She was then dragged into the street and her assailants escaped in the vehicle. Her injuries are said not to be dangerous.

EXTENSIVE BLAZES.

Valuable Race Horses Burned at Norfolk, Va.—Two Big Fires in Buffalo—Firemen Hurt.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 10.—The extensive racing stables of the Norfolk Driving Club and Fair Association were burned this morning and 13 valuable racing horses, including John Marino's $10,000 Tiddleywinks, were cremated. Tony Brown, a hostler, in attempting to lead a horse from the burning building, was burned about the face and back, and his recovery is doubtful. The loss will be about $30,000, on which there is barely $2500 insurance. William Hurst, a colored watchman, was arrested, charged with having fired the building.

Blazes in Buffalo.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 10.—Fire broke out in the Richmond Block about 7 o'clock last evening and damaged the building and contents to the extent of about $150,000. The building is a five-storey structure, located on the corner of Seneca and Ellicott-streets, and is occupied by the clothing firm of Altman & Co. The retail store is on the first floor and the other four floors were used as store rooms for the manufacturing department. Nearly $200,000 worth of stock was in the building at the time and all of this is more or less damaged. The insurance on stock is between $175,000 and $180,000. The building was fully insured, but it is not greatly damaged. Conflagration started in piles of clothing near the elevator shaft, but the origin of the fire is a mystery.

The large lumber yards of Haines & Co. were discovered on fire this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The yards are at the foot of River-street. The flames spread quickly and in response to a second alarm all the fire apparatus in the southern section of the city responded and were reinforced by the fire tugs Potter and Hutchinson. Fully 15,000 people gathered to see the conflagration. While the fire was prevented from spreading further, the utmost efforts of the department were powerless to entirely subdue the blaze, and up to a late hour the firemen were at work on the place. There is $149,000 worth of lumber in the yard and this is insured for $120,000. The present loss is estimated at about $10,000. Three firemen were overcome by smoke and had to be carried from the scene.

Big Packing House Burned.

Minneapolis, Jan. 10.—Fire this morning destroyed the packing house of the Anchor Flour Mill, owned by the Pillsbury-Washburn Milling Company. Loss $300,000; fully insured.

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People find just the help they so much need, in Hood's Sarsaparilla. It furnishes the desired strength by purifying, vitalizing and enriching the blood, and thus builds up the nerves, tones the stomach and regulates the whole system. Read this:

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Hood's Pills with Hood's Sarsaparilla, and they have done me much good. I will not be without them. I have taken 13 bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and through the blessing of God, it has cured me. I worked as hard as ever the past summer, and I am thankful to say I am well. Hood's Pills when taken with Hood's Sarsaparilla help very much." MRS. M. M. MESSENGER, Freehold, Penn.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE most maligned mother-in-law has just got her lesson. Lady Scott in England exercised her privilege as mother-in-law of making her son-in-law miserable, but she overstepped the mark and became libellous, and now four good stone walls circumscribe her personal liberty, and she will have time to moralise over the hardness of the law that deprives her of privileges sacred to the mother of a man's wife. As for Lord Russell, he is a happy man this day—he is free. His wife won't live with him, and he doesn't want her to do so, and his mother-in-law is in jail.

REV. JOHN HUNT, who visits Methodists patients in the city hospitals, reports that during the past year 85 Methodists were treated in St. Michael's Hospital, to whom, he says, he had perfect freedom of access at all times. It is positively refreshing, says the Globe, amid the beating of creed and race tom-toms, to come across a paragraph of this kind. If we can only start a competition between denominations as to how many of their theological opposites they can do good to we may get rid of some of those mischievous prejudices that are now bedevelling the country.

A GOVERNMENT WITHOUT AN OPPOSITION.

Montreal Star.

What would Parliament be without an Opposition? It seems that it is not necessary to go to our imagination for the answer to this question, but only to Regina! They have so happy a Legislative family up there that the Qu'Appelle Vidette comes upon the platform with the tentative air of one arguing for the unheard of and the generally scouted, when it suggests that it might be better for the Government and incidentally for the rest of the community if they could get up a formal Opposition in the House. It begins by assuring the Ministry that there is, of course, practically nothing to oppose. "It is true that there is no burning question on which public opinion in the Territories generally is strongly divided," it says; "it is true that the legislation passed, under guidance of the Executive, has met with fairly general acceptance, and we do not say that it would be possible under present circumstances to replace the Executive by a better one. At the same time," it ventures to add, "we believe that such an unquestioned supremacy in the Assembly as is now enjoyed by the Haultain-Ross Executive is not in the best interests of the country."

In what a political paradise the Haultain-Ross Government must live! It seems that they have refrained from publishing the public accounts for some time, and have given, according to the timid Vidette, "paltry excuses" for their conduct. Yet we are told "they were accepted readily by nearly every member." Imagine the tornado of wrathful protest that would tear through this province if the Government would not print their public accounts! "It was almost amusing in some of the debates at the last session to note," says the Vidette, "the apologetic style in which the ordinary member addressed the House when he did venture to express an open dissent from the views of the Executive."

A Forty-Year Old Grievance Removed.

In Bath, Ont., Chase's Kidney Pills are a standard remedy. Joseph Gardner, of this town, suffered for 40 years with indigestion and its ever present accompaniments—constipation and headache. K. & L. Pills are the only remedy that gave him relief. 25c. a box, of all druggists.

MRS. A. B. SAXTON, of Port Burwell, Ont., says: "I had been troubled with sick headache for years and two boxes of Miller's Compound Iron Pills cured me." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

BEEF HERE AND THERE.

"The *Flag*," of Ottawa, has this week an interesting article on the British beef-eater and Canadian beef. Speaking of the comparative prices there and here, the writer says:

"In Canada prime beef is obtainable this season of the year at every market at 9½d. per pound, taking the hindquarter of 70 or 80 pounds, or at 1½d. per pound for a forequarter of 50 or 60 pounds. You hang it up in your summer kitchen, where it keeps cool, and cut as required. Some people have a butcher boy saw up the whole quarter at once when bought of the farmer. This is the sort of beef you see in London, Liverpool, Manchester, Birmingham, Leeds, Sheffield, Bristol, and other important centres of population, labelled:

"PRIME SCOTCH."

"This 'Prime Scotch', from the highlands and lowlands of Ontario and the prairies of the Northwest, is the kind, mind you, that John Bull pays 1s. for (24 cents) a pound. In Ottawa, it is the ordinary hind quarter of the country at 5 cents ($ 1-2 d.) the pound."

Continuing, the writer remarks that Great Britain is only six days distant, and there ought to be a nice margin for profit when good Canadian beef is sent there. This is but one of a series of striking articles in The Flag, mostly by Prof. Robertson, on the possibilities of Britain as a customer for Canadian farm products.

These articles all suggest, too, the greater cheapness of good food here, which far more than offsets the cheapness of clothing and most manufactures there—and this country gives far better wages as a rule.

PROTECTING CHEESE INTERESTS.

Absolute Honesty, Cleanliness and Care Necessary to Keep up the Standard.

Canadian cheese stands at the head of the markets of the world for quality; and to keep that position increasing care has to be observed. There is a danger of over production, and some recommend that less cheese of higher quality be produced, and the increased price will not only compensate for decreased output, but will perform the more important part of keeping up the standard and of coarse the leading position of Canadian cheese. The importance of improved methods and care of milk in all departments of cheese making from the cow to the curing room, is shown by the following extract from the report of the proceedings of the Eastern Dairymen's Association at Brockville:

The third day's proceedings of the eastern dairymen's convention were full of interest. The meeting was opened by the presentation of reports of the instructors and inspectors of cheese factories. Instructor Benaley said that of 5,331 samples of milk tested fifteen were found to be tampered with. Ten of the patrons settled with him and five were prosecuted. All were convicted and paid their fines except one, who preferred to go to jail. He urged greater cleanliness on the farm and in factories. However, there was some improvement in these respects. Instructor Purvis had taken 5,300 samples of milk and had detected adulteration in 23. About four of these settled with the managers. Two had settled with him and two were brought before a magistrate and fined $5 each. There was a tendency among makers this season to allow the milk to mature too much before setting. He found improved work being done by the students of the Dairy School. Instructor Hewey said he had been appointed late in the season but had 2,297 samples, 19 of which were found fault with. Fifteen of these offenders paid $205 for sending inferior milk and the other four cases were dealt with by the factorymen. Inspector Publow had handled 8,508 samples of milk and of these 38 were found to be tampered with. Fines amounting to $305 had been collected from 27 of these, and the remainder were let off with a warning. He instanced a case of a man who was fined in 1895 for adulteration of milk. The offender appealed, and the decision of the High Court of Justice sustained the conviction. He was glad to be able to state that makers as a class were doing very satisfactory work. With the dairy school there was no excuse whatever now for makers not being thoroughly proficient in their business. A most interesting and instructive discussion on cheesemaking then followed, many questions being put to Mr. Publow. He was in favor of a law that would make the milk be paid for according to quality. Makers were too often afraid to object to milk deficient in fat.

"Old, yet ever new, and simple and beautiful ever," sings the poet, in words which might well apply to Ayer's Sarsaparilla—the most efficient and scientific blood-purifier ever offered to suffering humanity. Nothing but superior merit keeps it so long to the front.

THE GRAIN MARKETS.

There has been some demand for grain for export in this market the past week. A feature of the business was the export of some good-sized lots of barley both to the United States and Great Britain. The prices paid for the grain were low however, and although there is a good deal of barley still in the hands of the farmers the prices were so low that it is not likely the sales will result in very much increase in the deliveries in the country. In wheat the deliveries are small. There has not been any more taken for export in Toronto market owing to the fact that prices are above an export basis. Oats are also firmer but the demand for them is slow. In Chicago the market for wheat has been dull and disappointing to holders. A week or two ago there was enough ball talk, one would have thought, to put prices to a dollar, but during the past few days May wheat has fallen three or four cents, and it closed Friday at a decline of 1½c for the day. It is, however, over 20c above the prices that ruled a year ago.

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THE CHEESE SITUATION.

The cheese markets are improving, and the prospects are that the wind-up of the season may be very satisfactory. Quite an active demand for export has set in in Montreal, and sales are reported at 10⅝c. to 10¾c. west. The London correspondent of the Montreal Trade Bulletin, writing under a recent date, said: "There has been no boom. We do not look for one. There is no fall, we do not expect it. But unless something extraordinary occurs prices cannot go lower, having regard to the statistical position, and unless the Antipodes do something vastly different to what they are doing now, or promise to, quotations must not only not move backward but must inevitably go forward.

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Dissolution of Partnership

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THE RESULT OF THE INSPECTIONS

Major Mason of Hamilton to be the Commandant of This Year's Bisley Team —Revenue for the First Half of the Fiscal Year—Mayor Bingham to Wear Official Robes.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The 43rd Battalion, Ottawa, takes the cake as the crack city corps of the Dominion. The returns of comparative efficiency have been compiled upon the basis of the last general inspections, with the result that the 43rd scores 153.01 points. Next come Hamilton's favorites, the 13th, with an average of 144.84, and then the Queen City's pets, the Q. O. R., a close third, with 143.45 points. The 43rd will consequently hold the Gilmour Cup for a second year.

It seems to be definitely settled that Major "Johnnie" Mason of the 13th Battalion, Hamilton, will be commandant of this year's Bisley team. The selection of Major Mason will be popular all over the country. He is a first-class shot himself, and with lots of "savoy" to enable him to discharge the duties of commandant with dignity and ability. As regards the adjutancy, the pendulum swings between Major Dunbar of the 8th Royal Rifles, Quebec, and Lieut. Henry Panet of the R. C. A., Quebec. The latter is a son of Col. Panet, Deputy Minister of Militia. In some quarters an effort is being made to work up a prejudice against him because he is an officer of the permanent force, and artillery at that. This, however, should not prejudice his chances for the adjutancy. Lieut. Panet has been a competitor at Ottawa matches for some years, is a capital shot, and would make a competent coach. Besides, he is a French-Canadian, and if Ontario can accept a French-Canadian Premier, surely this branch of our people might once in a while give the country a Bisley adjutant, especially when the candidate possesses all the qualifications for the position.

The Premier and Madame Laurier have decided to remain this winter in the house which they are now occupying, and which they have rented from Major and Mrs. Chapleau.

Mr. Stapleton Caldecott, chairman of the Council of the Toronto Board of Trade, and Mr. Wills, secretary, were in the city yesterday and had an interview with Mr. Blair in regard to the difficulty over the transfer of freight and express goods at Scotia Junction, on the Parry Sound Railway, with the Grand Trunk. They ask the Government to interfere, so as to have the difficulty remedied.

Magistrate O'Gara yesterday dismissed the case against Mrs. Pettie of the Dominion Hotel, who was charged with selling liquor to a policeman when on duty. In giving judgment the magistrate said the law applicable to the case was fully discussed in Shanon v. Rutyen, 1 Q. B. D., 1895, page 918. In the present case the prosecution had not proved that the barkeeper in supplying liquor to the constable, knew that he was on duty.

The revenue for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1896, in consolidated fund, was $17,452,000, compared with $17,621,000 for the same period in 1895, or a decrease of $169,000. This decrease was chiefly in customs duties. The December returns, however, show that the customs receipts are as large as the previous December, and the aggregate revenue for the month is in excess of 1895 by $50,000. The net debt on Dec. 31 was $356,667,476.

Dr. CHASE'S Syrup of LINSEED and TURPENTINE cures All Throat and Lung Troubles Teaspoonful Doses PRICE 25 CENTS

There are to be no spots on Mayor Bingham's civic regime. He will appear in full regalia at the inaugural meeting of the City Council to-morrow, wearing the Mayor's gown and chain. Yesterday he gave instructions to have the dust of years removed from the silk gown, that it might be in proper condition for him to wear. Not since Charlie Mackintosh of the Northwest Territories sat in the Mayor's chair in 1879, 18 years ago, has any Mayor wore the gown while in the chair.

Owing to the bad caligraphy of some of the Ottawa aldermen, City Clerk Henderson is to read all motions, the Mayor simply putting the question to the council.

The Executive of the Ontario Provincial High Court, Catholic Order of Foresters, was in session yesterday. Those present were: Provincial Chief Ranger W. T. J. Lee, Toronto; Provincial Vice-Chief Ranger C. S. O. Boudreault, Ottawa; Provincial Secretary Arthur Morel, Ottawa; Provincial Treasurer George W. Seguin, Ottawa; Provincial Trustees John A. Chisholm, Cornwall, and V. McCullough, Ottawa. Matters affecting the internal management of the society are under consideration.

Major G. C. Kitson of the King's Royal Rifle corps has, on appointment as commandant of the Royal Military College, Kingston, been promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy in the Imperial army.

Among the recipients of the distinguished service order for the recent operations in the Soudan is Lieutenant Edouard P. C. Girouard, Royal Engineers, a graduate from the Royal Military College, and son of Mr. Justice Girouard of this city.

Hon. C. A. Geoffrion is in the city.

Mr. Laurier returned from Quebec last evening.

Sir William Van Horne and Mr. Shaughnessy were in the city yesterday and saw Mr. Blair.

The Winnipeg, Duluth and Hudson Bay Railway will apply for power to construct a railway from a point on the southern boundary line of Manitoba to Winnipeg, and thence to Hudson Bay.

The return of Mr. Snetsinger, M.P., was gazetted yesterday.

The Manitoba and Pacific Railway Company is applying for a charter for building a road through the Crow's Nest Pass to the Pacific Coast from Lethbridge.

The Ontario and Pacific Railway, which will run from Cornwall to Ottawa, will apply next session for an extension of time to complete the road.

A. S. Valleau succeeds R. Rayburn as Collector of Customs at Deseronto.

Archbishop Langevin arrived here yesterday en route to Winnipeg from Montreal, where he officiated at the funeral service of Mgr. Fabre.

Lawyer Charged With Stealing.

Fort Scott, Kas., Jan. 10.—Judge John M. McDonald, a prominent attorney of this city, and a leading Kansas Populist, being an ex-member of the Board of Pardons under Governor Llewellyn, is charged by his partners, Judges McCleverty and Hill, with embezzling $7000 or $8000 belonging to the firm.

RHEUMATISM CURED.

Eighteen Months Trying to get Cured —Had the Best Doctors—He Found What he Wanted in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Goderich, Jan. 11 (Special)—A case of great interest here just now is that of Mr. Alexander J. Sharkey, who for some time has been an extreme sufferer from Rheumatism. His statement to the correspondent is as follows:—

"For eighteen months I was a victim of Rheumatism and during the whole of that time was trying every means to cure it. I had the best doctors in Canada and took their prescriptions with faith and patience.

"I got tired at last, for I found the disappointment nearly as killing as the disease.

"But one friend wiser than others convinced me that my disease must be cured by way of the kidneys and recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I have used two boxes of these pills to effect a perfect cure, and I don't care who knows it."

Fire at Barnum's Show Yards.

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 10.—The storage barn and adjoining sheds at the winter quarters of Barnum & Bailey's show have been burned. Close by is the main building, where the animals are housed. The flames spread to this structure, and there was a scene of great excitement as the keepers transferred elephants, lions, tigre, bears, reindeer, camels and horses to places of safety. The cries of the terrified animals made a terrible din. After the fire the keepers got all the animals back into their accustomed quarters, and found not one missing.

Seven Men Went Down.

Ameca, Mex., Jan. 9.—Parties who have arrived here from Ponitza, on the Pacific coast, report that a boat containing five half-famished men landed there on Thursday. The men claimed to be the only survivors of the crew of 12 men of the schooner Tobasco, lumber laden, bound from Mazatlan to Acapulco, which foundered at sea near Banderas Bay. The other seven men of the crew went down with the schooner.

The Queen's Benevolence.

London, Jan. 10.—The Queen has contributed £500 for the relief of the famine sufferers in India.

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand is limited, and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—Offerings of Ontario wheat fair, with sales of red outside at 81c, and holders asking 83c for white. A round lot of 40,000 bush of No. 1 hard sold at 78½c track, Fort William, for export. Sales of cars of No. 1 hard at 95c to 96c, Toronto freight. No. 3 is quoted at 90c, Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 1 sold at 33c to 34c, No. 2 at 26c to 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and feed at 22c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are steady. White sold at 19c west, and mixed at 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices easier, with sales at 42c north and west and at 43c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow selling at 22½c to 23c, outside. Old yellow is quoted at 25c to 26c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 35c to 36c on G.T.R., and at 37c east on C.P.R.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 9.—Spring wheat, 7s 0½d to 7s 1½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2½d to 7s 3½d; corn, 2s 10½d; peas, 4s 6½d; pork, 49s 0d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 26s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 51s 6d.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat firm; futures ¼d higher at 6s 9½d for Jan., 6s 10¼d for Feb., 6s 11d for March and 6s 11¼d for April. Maize unchanged at 2s 5⅝d for Jan., 2s 4½d for Feb. and March, 2s 10¼d for April and 2s 10⅛d for May.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quiet and steady. Maize on passage easy.

Paris—Close—Wheat full at 22f 40c for Feb.; flour weak at 47f 40c for Feb.

That hacking cough can be quickly cured by Hagard's Pectoral Balsam. Price 25c.

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Comes at a grand time for buyers. This is our spick-and-span brand new Winter Stock, which we expected to have well sold by this time. But the mild weather made buyers think winter was'nt coming at all, leaving us with a stock which we must move out during January to the music of double quick time.

We are willing to pay you well to buy now. This ought to be pleasing news to prospective buyers. Just when actual winter weather is likely to set in, and zero weather will create heavy demands for warmer clothing, we sound

The Death-Knell to Profits.

The goods you want at any price you want to pay—forming a two-fold incentive without a parallel in business. Quick Sales is what we want, and that means giving us plenty of business at a time when everybody says there's none to be got.

GOUGH BROS.

The Wonderful Cheap Men.

Teacher Thrashed by a Woman.

Buffalo, Jan. 8.—(Special.)—Mr. W. H. Hammond, principal of the Public School at Bridgeburg, Ont., whipped a boy named Morton for playing truant. The boy's mother, Mrs. Annie Morton, was displeased with his conduct, and as Hammond left his school room yesterday afternoon she attacked him with a club, not to speak of a vigorous batch of language. The services of a surgeon were required to sew up the laceration inflicted on the pedagogue's head.

Pleased With Mr. Laurier's Speech.

Buffalo, Jan. 8.—The Enquirer says of Mr. Laurier's speech at Quebec last night: "It is the best possible sign of the success of the Laurier Government that it is ready to define its position clearly and prepared to maintain its authority in church as well as secular affairs."

THEY WORKED WONDERS.

Two Years of Bladder Torment—Had Attacks of Inflammation—Cured by a Few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Owen Sound, Dec. 28.—(Special)—The people of this town are talking again of another cure credited to Dodd's Kidney Pills. This is the case of Mr. W. Cruse, caretaker of the town buildings, who, when seen, had this to say of the matter:

"For over two years I have been an intense sufferer from kidney disease, with occasional acute attacks of inflammation of the bladder.

"Was under doctors' treatment and have been compelled to resort to instrumental relief many times.

"I have taken eighteen boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and am satisfied with results, being perfectly relieved of all suffering."

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Ten Days Longer.

For ten days longer, still more Sweeping Clearing Sale prices will be continued until stock-taking is fully completed.

Mr. Routley will be found at the office in the store during the next few weeks to settle his outstanding accounts and wind up his business affairs.

Respectfully soliciting a continuance of your esteemed patronage.

C. F. KUTZBACH,
Successor to C. B. Routley.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers in the DAILY EXAMINER to ensure a prompt change of their advertisement, will please hand in their copy the evening previous to the date the "ad." should appear.

Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Bought a Gold Mine.

A local syndicate has been formed with a paid up capital of $30,000 and is acquiring the possession of several gold mines in British Columbia.

Grand Flower Social.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the C.L.A. will hold their annual Flower Social on Wednesday evening, January 13th, in the Catholic Association rooms. Butcher's orchestra in attendance. Also cards and games. Tickets including supper, 50 cents. 9d

Lindsay vs. Peterborough.

Unless the Thistles are doing some grand work over in Lindsay, the curlers of that town have a cinch in the first match in the Lindsay-Peterborough competition, as the Granites were beaten by a big score on the local rink to-day.

Again to the Front.

We have now got over the holiday rush and are prepared to give our undivided attention to your special requirements in all the best lines of groceries and provisions, wishing you all a prosperous New Year. E. BROWN & Co., 294 George street.

Special Notice.

All members of Court Little John, No. 92, C.O.F., are requested to be present at our next meeting, Monday, Jan. 11th inst., and bring their wives or lady friends with them. Business—installation of officers and a social evening to be spent. By order of Committee. 4d5

No Business There.

The attention of the police department is called to the number of men and boys who stand about the butter market on busy days. These individuals have apparently no business to transact. They take up a great deal of the too little space left for those who are anxious to make purchases, and should be told to "move on" by the police.

Business College.

The attendance at the Peterborough Business College is rapidly increasing. More students are now enrolled than at any time last year. The following entered last week: Mr. Harry Burnham, Keene; Mr. Wilbert Miller, Otonabee; Miss Beatrice Elliott, Miss Maggie Elliott and Mr. John F. Elliott, Norwood; Mr. Noble Kelly, Bridgenorth; Mr. Frank Hill, Hastings; Miss Carrie Knox, Miss Annie Cromie, Miss Sophia Lamb, Mr. Wm. Richardson, Mr. Jack Forlong and Mr. Walter Milburn, Peterborough.

Fancy Skating Championship.

A gentleman whose record in encouraging the youth of the town is well known, adds another clasp by offering a silver medal, emblematic of the fancy skating championship of Peterborough, town and county. The competition is to take place towards the end of February prox., and is open to all residents of town and county. The donor of the medal stipulates that in the competition gracefulness of execution shall count 30 per cent.

Jem Mace's Milkman.

The world is very small after all. One can hardly drop down anywhere on the globe without meeting somebody one knew in another place. For instance, Mr. John Taylor, of Drummond's, Otonabee, supplied the veteran, Jem Mace, with milk when the champion, in the height of his pugilistic glory, kept a "pub" at Strowbridge, England. The two should be brought together at the Opera House when Jem comes here to-morrow night, and they might brew a popular drink.—Taylor could supply the milk and Mace the "punch" and the boys could have as a result, a rattling milk punch.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

FIRST MEETING OF THE NEW TOWN COUNCIL.

Mr. A. N. Clarke and Sheriff Hall Appointed Auditors—The Assessors to be Selected To-night.

The first meeting of the Council for 1897 was held this morning at 11 o'clock according to statute. Those present were the Mayor and Councillors Henry Best, Noah T. LePlante, Chas. Robertson, T. H. G. Deane, Robt. Neil, A. L. Davis, Adam Dawson, J. H. Cobb, J. B. McWilliams, W. H. Meldrum, J. Graham and John White.

It was decided to lay over all communications, etc., until the evening meeting.

Councillor Best introduced the bylaw for the appointment of auditors.

The Mayor nominated Mr. Andrew N. Clark as one auditor, and on motion of Councillors Dawson and Deane, Sheriff Hall's name was inserted in the bylaw as the other.

The salary was fixed at the usual amount, viz., $75 each, on motion of Councillors Dawson and Meldrum.

Councillor McWilliams and White moved "that H. Best, H. Deane, W. H. Meldrum, A. L. Davis and the mover and seconder be a committee to strike the standing committees."—Carried.

Councillors Best and Davis moved the adjournment of the council until eight o'clock.

Councillor Best stated that he proposed bringing up a question for discussion, this evening, which would enable the tax collector to return his roll earlier in the year. He intended to move for the immediate appointment of assessors, so that they could begin their duties at once. He also was anxious to see the inauguration of a scheme whereby a portion of the taxes could be collected about the month of July. He was open to conviction as to whether a sliding scale or a half-yearly system was he best to adopt.

Before leaving the council chamber the Mayor welcomed the new councillors, and also the old ones, and asked them in the coming year to use as much forbearance as possible, and in order to promote harmony to all, he proposed to give and take a little, even if one did not see exactly eye to eye with another. In concluding he invited the members to dine with him this evening after the adjournment of the council.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM.

Contributions of Antique or Old Fashioned Furnishings Requested—A Practical Outlet for Patriotic Sentiment.

As is well known now, Mr. Hall, trustee of the Nicholls Estate, has placed the drawing room and library of the Judge Dennistoun residence, Inverlea, at the service of the society for the purpose of a museum. The question of suitably furnishing the rooms was brought up at the meeting on Saturday night and it was decided to have the furnishings take on as historical a character as possible, to conform to the associations of their surroundings.

To the end the society, through the EXAMINER, asks the public for suitable contributions. The articles asked are those that may have been discarded and replaced by more modern furnishings—such as old settes, couches, chairs, old fashioned cabinets, fire dogs, spinning wheels et hoc genus omne. The articles required are supposed to have no commercial value, but to derive their merit from their antiquity, associations etc. Persons having such articles who may not be willing to donate them to the society, may loan them for the purpose of carrying out the scheme of furnishing, with the assurance that they will be well cared for, and returned if required. Those having suitable articles of the kind mentioned are requested to leave their names and the nature of their proposed contributions with Mr. T. A. S. Hay, C.E., Secretary, (at the Trent Valley Canal office, Post Office building) or with the EXAMINER.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer. Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 11,—6.30 a.m. ..... 32° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	31°	25° above

PERSONAL.

Miss Pearl Walker left this morning for Toronto.

Rev. Mr. Wilson returned to Oshawa on the noon train to-day.

Mr. Harry Phelan and Mr. T. Fortye has returned from a trip east.

Mr. "Bob" Smith, of the Globe Woollen Mills, Montreal, is in town for a few days renewing old acquaintances.

Rev. J. G. Potter will deliver his popular lecture on "Sawdust without Butter," in Port Hope, next Monday evening.

Messrs. Cecil Claude Cragg and Charles Blair Stone have successfully passed the qualifying or high grade civil service examinations.

Miss Dot Hackett, who has been spending the holidays in town, left this morning to return to the Ville Maria Convent, Montreal, to continue her studies. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. H. LeBrun, who will spend a few weeks in the city.

Mr. W. E. Green of Peterborough, has just returned from Toronto. He has been appointed the sole and direct representative for Heintzman & Co's pianos in Peterborough. He covers outside territory. He should have great success with so popular an instrument.

Big Clearing Sale in full blast at Grafton & Co's. See the bargains.

Suitable.

What more suitable for a Holiday present than one of China Hall's lovely $10.00 dinner sets?

M. L. Henry & Co. to Their Customers.

The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to use our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their accounts without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

Have You Seen It?

The little store around the corner? south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 420 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—Miss. APPLEBY. dw

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

In the Kendry Cup series it looks very much as though the Granites would win the trophy. They are now fourteen points ahead, although it was expected that Skips Rutherford and Hopkins would pull the Granite lead down to almost zero on Saturday night. The Granites were 21 points up, and the result of Saturday's game was as follows:

Thistles.		Granites.
R A W Hay,		J D Collins,
C LeBrun,		F McNee,
E Rutherford,		Geo Morrow,
G J Hopkins, skip...12		Geo Edmison, skip....9
H Snowdon,		— Fennimore,
A Blade,		W Manson,
C Rutherford,		Geo Matthews,
T Rutherford, skip..16		Dr Boucher, skip....12
	28	21

Majority for Thistles, 7 shots.

As will be seen the result pulled the Granites' lead from 21 down to 14. Two rinks have still to play off this week, viz:

Thistles.		Granites.
S Clegg	vs	R S Davidson
J B Pentland	vs	J Connal

The Thistles are pinning their faith to Skips Clegg and Pentland to wipe out this lead, but fourteen looks very large when two such skips as R. S. Davidson and Jimmy Connal are guarding it.

In the event of the Granites winning the trophy, which now seems almost a certainty, they will play off for its possession amongst themselves, thereby deciding which rink will hold it for the year. The games already played have resulted as follows:

Thistles.		Granites.
John McClelland..21	vs	G W Hatton.....10
J McKee..... 7	vs	R M Dennistoun...25
W G Ferguson....14	vs	E B Edwards.....13
S Ray.....15	vs	T P Attrill.....14
D Belleghem.....13	vs	Judge Weller.....17
H LeBrun.....8	vs	H M Allen.....28
R H Kells.....16	vs	D W Dumble.....15
R B McKee.....16	vs	W D Parker.....8
T Rutherford.....16	vs	Dr Boucher.....13
G J Hopkins.....12	vs	Geo Edmison.....8
137		151

Majority for Granites, 14 shots.

Innes Medal matches begin this evening and will be played off as follows:—

Thistles.		Granites.
MONDAY.		
Sam Ray	vs	H M Allen
John McKee	vs	Dr Boucher
TUESDAY.		
R H Kells	vs	J Connal
T Rutherford	vs	R S Davidson
WEDNESDAY.		
R B McKee	vs	R Max Dennistoun
H LaBrun	vs	Geo Edmison
THURSDAY.		
W G Ferguson	vs	T P Attrill
J Pentland	vs	E S Edwards
FRIDAY.		
John McClelland	vs	W D Parker
D Belleghem	vs	D W Dumble
SATURDAY.		
Geo Hopkins	vs	G W Hatton
S Clegg	vs	Judge Weller

On Saturday night the Granites held a meeting in the rink parlours and elected skips for the following matches:—

Ontario Tankard—Skips Attrill and Weller.

Lindsay Bonspiel—Skips Davidson and Allen.

Lindsay-Peterborough Competition—Skips Connal, Edwards and Hatton.

The following scratch matches were played on Saturday evening:

H J Grassett,	Milne,
Geo Giroux,	E Weddel,
H Morrow,	E H D Hall,
G W Dumble,	G M Roger,
Judge Weller, sk.. 8	E B Edwards, sk.... 9
R Weddel,	Alf Terrill,
C Fessenden,	F J Roger,
J Jeffries,	J S Knapman,
H M Allen, sk..... 8	C McGill, sk.....11

HOCKEY.

The Lindsay Post has the following to say of the hockey match which was played over there on Friday:—"Last evening about two hundred spectators witnessed the hockey match in the Victoria skating rink between the teams of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute and the Lindsay Collegiate Institute. The game started a few minutes after 8 o'clock, and continued for two hours. In the first part of the game the Peterborough team, through excellent combination play, won 7 goals, while the Lindsay team secured 3 only. Thorn, who played point for the Peterborough team, made such quick time with the puck towards Lindsay's goal that he went headlong into the board railing, breaking a board completely in two. In the second half of the game Vin. Keenan, who is an old-time player, acted as a substitute in the place of Green, who received a slight injury which necessitated his retiring for the evening. Keenan played cover point and put up a good game. The Lindsay Collegiate Institute team scored the finals, securing two goals in succession owing to better combination work. Near the finish of the game a Peterborough man collided with a Lindsay player, the former receiving a bad wrench in the wrist. The game resulted in Peterborough's favour by a score of 11 to 8.

LACROSSE.

A meeting of the lacrosse club is called for to-morrow evening at the Oriental. A full attendance of members is requested.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Horse races on the ice will be held at Trenton and Belleville this winter. Horsemen are wondering if there will be a meet on the ice here.

H. S. Folger, of Kingston, has in his possession a pair of moccasins with a history. They are not the common moccasin of Indian origin, made of barnyard deer, but are of seal skin, tanned in some peculiar manner. They resemble "top" boots, but the welts are made much in the shape of the ordinary moccasin. The hair, of course, has been removed and the leather treated to some process known only to natives of Norway, where these interesting curiosities were made. When "dry" the skin is stiff and is perfectly waterproof. To don them it is necessary they should be immersed in warm water, upon which they become quite pliable. In process of "drying" they harden again and conform to the shape of the foot and almost become part of the wearer. These moccasins or snow boots have quite a history. They were made for and worn by a Norwegian named Hans Olsen, who was a member of the crew that manned the barque in which Nansen, the intrepid navigator, made his recent trip to the Arctic regions. A resident of New York who was travelling in Norway about the time Nansen returned from his voyage, among other things purchased this particular pair of "Artics." Knowing Mr. Folger's love for ice-yachting, and wishing to add to his comfort while enjoying the delightful sensation of skimming over the frozen bosom of the noble St. Lawrence, this New York friend sent the moccasins to Mr. Folger, who will use them this winter while enjoying his favourite winter pastime.

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NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Touching the curse of drink,
Can any one certain be
Which has broken up more homes,
Rum or five o'clock tea?

—At the meeting of Otonabee lodge to be held to-night, a large attendance is specially requested.

—The Fortnightly Club meet to-night, when an interesting paper on "Ancient Engineering," will be read by Mr. A. C. McCallum.

—The Children's Aid have for adoption a girl 8 years old, a boy 10 years old, and a baby 3 months old—all fine healthy children.

—The charge of assault brought by John A. Brown, against David Walsh in the police court this morning, was dismissed with costs.

—A charge of an infraction of the Liquor License Act brought by Chief Rossel against Mr. William Snowden this morning before Magistrate Dumble, fell to the ground and was dismissed.

—The Montreal street railway management have adopted a new style of cash box for their conductors, furnished with a new contrivance known as an improved receiver, which the moment the coin strikes the aperature seizes it in a tight grip, preventing its removal.

—The Joshua Simpkins Company will be at the Opera House to-night. Come and hear the famous orchestra, and see the great saw mill scene. Lots of good singing and dancing. Prices, 25, 35 and 50c. Secure your seat at Ormond & Walsh's drug store and avoid the rush at the box office.

—Many of the citizens confidently expected to see a foot of snow on the ground when they arose this morning, but were again disappointed. The snow fall this winter so far has been very light, and with the exception of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia there is no sleighing of any account in any other part of Canada.

—The committee in charge of the Midland District Hotelkeepers' Dinner in Belleville on January 22nd, are: Messrs. W. Doctor, Robert Gibson, Jas. Ketcheson, Belleville; Geo. Bickle, M. Williams, Cobourg; Wm. Simpson, Lindsay; George Graham, Peterborough; H. G. Milling, Napanee; A. A. Adams, Port Hope; H. Blecker, Trenton; Thos. Crate, Kingston.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society, will be held pursuant to statute, in the Council Chamber, on

Wednesday, Jan. 13th, 1897,

at 7.30 oclock, p.m., for the election of officers and the transaction of other business.

A. H. COBB, Secretary. GEO. BURNHAM, M.D., President.

Peterborough, Jan. 5th, 1897. 3d3

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Town Council Chamber, Peterborough,

—on—

MONDAY, 18th JANUARY INST.

at Three P. M., for the purpose of Electing Directors for the present year, the presentation of the Financial Statement and Reports of the past year, and the transaction of other necessary business.

E. A. PECK, SECRETARY. HENRY DENNE, PRESIDENT.

Dated the 9th day of January, 1897. 6d8w

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WHITE SKIRTS.

25 White Skirts, worth 75c, to go at	40c
35 White Skirts, worth 90c, to go at	55c
25 White Skirts, worth $1 to $1.25, to go at	75c
10 White Skirts, worth $1.50, to go at	$1 00

LADIES' DRAWERS.

75 pair Ladies' Cotton Drawers, worth 40c, to go at	25c
25 pair Ladies' Cotton Drawers, worth 65c, to go at	40c
25 pair Ladies' Cotton Drawers, worth 90c, to go at	50c

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MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 1897.

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At the meeting of the Eastern Dairymen's Association at Brockville, Inspector Bensley reported 15 adulterated samples out of 13,908 tested; A. P. Purvis reported 28 out of 5,300; and Hugh Howey reported (Belleville and Tweed district) 19 out of 2,297. These facts carry their own comment on their face and are not at all creditable.

High Hats Prohibited.

The Chicago city council has passed unanimously Ald. Plotk's resolution prohibiting high hats at theatrical performances, and making the offence punishable by a fine of $10. Has any newly elected member of the local city council sufficient stamina to follow the move of our cousins in the "windy city?" Say that the fine for the first offence be $1, and $2 for each additional offence. The man in Peterborough who would do this would be conferring a boon on a long-suffering public.

The Annuals Nearly All Gone.

Bear in mind that we have a very limited supply of Sunday at Home and Leisure Hour—latest editions. If you wish to secure a copy at half price, namely $ 100, come at once to the Peterborough Book Store, or telephone No. 285, and we will send you a copy. Girls' Own, "Our Darlings," $1.00, for 25c, are just about closed out—the price sells them. You cannot get better, cheaper or more interesting reading for less money. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Furniture by Private Sale.

The handsome furniture and contents of Mr. P. Henry's residence, No. 318 Charlotte street, opposite Charlotte street Methodist church, is open for purchase by private sale—either in part or en bloc. Parties can view the furniture on and after Monday, January 11th, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 9 p.m., for one week. The furniture is all new and modern in design, having received comparatively little wear, and is well worthy the attention of housekeepers wishing to make additions to their furniture, or those about to start housekeeping. 6d5

Got an Eagle,

The Bobcaygeon Independent says: President Cleveland is hereby notified that the emblem of his blooming country is at this moment hanging by the feet among the tin pails and coal oil cans at Mr. A. E. Bottom's hardware store. And no wonder. Worried with being eternally knocked around on silver dollars worth fifty cents, and sore at heart with the jawsmiths of his nation, it came over to the quiet seclusion of our woods and took a dose of strychnine. Mr. Wm. Oliver, of Harvey, went to Round lake about two weeks ago and put out some poisoned bait for wolves. When he went again to look for wolves he found a poisoned bait had been taken by the noble bird. He is brown, flecked with white, the lower part of the back and tail being more white than brown. He stands three feet from foot to beak and his wings spread 7 feet 10 inches. Mr. Bottom will have him skillfully mounted by a Peterborough taxidermist, and when our American cousins come over next summer they will find still greater difficulty in discovering the difference between the north and south sides of Lake Ontario.

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CURLING WISDOM.

A Few Words to Curlers and Skips.

BY J. D. FLAVELLE, OF LINDSAY.

(From the Royal Caledonian Curling Club Annual, Edinburgh, Scotland, '96-'97.)

The committee on the Annual have great pleasure in enriching its pages with the following valuable paper by Mr. J. D. Flavelle, of Lindsay, Ontario, who, in a modest preface, says: "A few hints to beginners may not be considered amiss from one who has been curling for over twenty years, accepting, during that time, a great many defeats, and also being fortunate enough to participate in some important victories":

A WORD TO THE PLAYERS.

Obey your skip implicitly, even though it may seem to you he is directing wrong. No success can be obtained unless, for the time being, strict loyalty is maintained to your skip. If you think he is not skipping you properly, speak to him quietly between the ends, suggesting where you think he is in error; if you fail to convince him, waive your judgment, and carry out his instructions to the best of your ability.

United action on the part of the rink is the only possible way of ensuring success; individual brilliancy will never succeed if coupled with insubordination. If your skip proves a failure, depose him when the proper time comes, but, while he occupies that position give him your unqualified and cheerful support.

When not playing yourself, keep in your proper position along the rink, ready to sweep when called upon, and above all things, do not loaf around the tee. It is contrary to the rules of the game, annoying to your skip, demoralizing to discipline may be the means of losing the match through not being in your place sweeping an important stone when called upon.

Never call out to your skip, challenging the shot he is giving you, or argue with him so that the same is audible to onlookers. If he is not self-confident it tends to rattle him, and in any case must necessarily ruffle him, and no curler can be skip, or occupying any other of the positions, and do himself justice in playing if he loses his temper.

A FEW WORDS TO THE SKIP.

Never abuse your player for making a bad shot. The worst punishment is his own feeling of annoyance with himself; when a man makes a mistake in any sport it never improves matters to rub it into him, and this is especially the case in curling.

Encourage your players as far as you can consistently do so, particularly those who are not inclined to be bumptious.

When commencing a match, watch very carefully the run of the ice, both when your own and your opponents' men are playing. It is of great importance to learn the ice thoroughly in the beginning of the game. Try and ascertain from the play any weakness that may develop in any one of the opposing rink, and if you find such weakness try and force him to play from that standpoint. For instance, if you see that one of the players cannot play the out turn well, try and arrange your head so that when it comes to that player's turn to play he will be compelled to play the out turn, and the same reasoning will apply to any other weak spot that may appear as the game progresses.

Again, if you find, after playing a draw game (which is generally the safest) your opponents are outdrawing you, change your tactics and play some running shots, which, if successful, very often upsets your opponents' hitherto strong play.

A very important matter is to know the run of all your own players' stones, also what kind of shot he plays best, and, when, there are several shots of about equal advantage, always try and give him that one you think he prefers. A player will naturally play with greater certainty if he feels assured the shot given him is the right one.

In fact, the motto to follow is, "Use your head as well as your hands," particularly the former. I have often seen a very brilliant curler, who displayed poor judgment as a skip, defeated by a very ordinary player, who was a good skip. It simply resolves itself into a minuature battle on ice—as in real war, a great deal depends on the generalship.

Finally, let neither skip nor players ever forget that the game of curling is strictly an amateur sport, and is only one of the many factors in developing manhood; therefore keep in mind that it is a game for gentlemen, to be carried out in the most courteous and gentlemanly spirit, whether as victors or vanquished, and when a curler finds that, in playing the game, it does not conduce to fostering that spirit, my advice would be—better stop curling.

When playing, strive with all your might to win. A man is worth very little who has no ambition to excel; but, if defeated, accept the same gracefully, and if you win, let it be as far as possible a victory on the ice—the result of skill displayed. Very little countenance should be shown to the player who adopts the course to win all hazards, whether by fair means or doubtful expedients. Indeed, in my experience, I have generally found that the pot-hunter is left, and the large measure of success is accomplished by the generous player.

While certain rules are very properly made for our guidance, and to prevent disputes, still, in my opinion, the true sportsmanlike spirit is to exercise the broadest possible latitude in interpreting the same, and, when, through an honest oversight or unavoidable accident, your opponent is placed at a disadvantage, enabling you, in strictly legal sense, to profit by the same—waive such right, and do your utmost to defeat him on the ice; but, if otherwise, never regret defeat that is accompanied by maintaining self-respect.

A victory obtained at the cost of your own self-respect and the esteem of your opponents would, to me, prove a very hollow victory.

THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

A Successful Meeting Held on Saturday Night—Constitution and Bylaws Adopted—Organization Completed—New Members Elected—Minor Matters Dealt With.

At the meeting of the Peterborough Historical Society, held in the County Council Chamber on Saturday evening, there was a large attendance of members.

The president, Col. H. C. Rogers, occupied the chair. After routine the report of the sub committee, respecting a constitution and bylaws, was presented. The constitution and bylaws submitted were adopted.

The chairman presented a report of the visit to the Iuveriea House, at West Nicholls Park, two rooms of which have been kindly disposed at the disposal of the historical society for the purposes of a museum, by Mr. Richard Hall, trustee of the Nicholls estate. Mr. Hall intended these rooms for such a purpose from the beginning. They are excellently adapted to the use to which they will be put and have now only to be furnished in order to have a beginning made. There are already many articles ready to be placed in the museum, including the large mineral collections of Messrs. J. M. Irwin and J. B. McWilliams, as well as most interesting documents presented by Mr. R. E. Birdsall, relating to the early settlement of Peterborough, including the original letter of Mr. Ridout to the late Richard Birdsall P. L. S., instructing him to make a survey of the present site of the town of Peterborough, and also part of Mr. Birdsall's original field notes, also the original lease for the "mill seat," granted to Mr. Fothergill in 1819.

A letter was read from Miss Mary Agnes Fitzgibbon, who has given invaluable services to the society in connection with its organization. She offered to deliver a lecture in the interests of the local society. The matter of the lecture was talked over, but no date was decided upon.

THE HONOURARY PRESIDENT.

In answer to an invitation to attend the meeting a letter was read from Mrs. Traill, stating that the date of the meeting falling upon the 96th anniversary of her birthday, which was consecrated to her children., she would be unable to be present. She closed her letter with greetings and congratulations to the society and earnest wishes for its success.

The mails bringing this letter crossed en route, those carrying a resolution of congratulation to Mrs. Traill, adopted at a day meeting of the Executive. The resolution which was endorsed by the meeting, was as follows:

That the Town and County of Peterborough Historical Society send the society's congratulations to the Honourary President, Mrs. Traill, upon the occasion of her 96th birthday, and that in so doing, the gratitude of the Society be especially expressed to Mrs. Traill for her ceaseless endeavours towards the welfare of Canada; and that the Society further express its sense of the honour conferred upon it in the acceptance of the office of Honourary President by Mrs. Traill.

Miss Mary Agnes Fitzgibbon, Toronto, and Mrs. Chamberlain, of Lakefield, were made honourary members.

Fourteen new members were added to the roll of the Society, which now bears exactly fifty names.

The constitution having been adopted, the question of a motto for the society was referred to and a suggestion made that each member should submit a suggestion of a motto to be considered at the next meeting. It is desired that each member have his or her motto written on a slip of paper and sent to the secretary or handed to him at the next meeting, which will be held on Thursday, Feb. 4th. It is evident that an interesting quart d'heure may be passed in discussing the mottoes submitted.

The regular meetings of the society were fixed for the first Thursday of each month.

After some minor matters were talked over the meeting adjourned. The success of the society seems to be assured, especially in view of the very warm interest which the lady members take in its welfare.

The matter of furnishing the rooms of the museum is referred to in another place in this issue.

CHURCH CHIMES.

St. Andrew's choir contributed the anthem "Lift up your Heads," at the morning service.

Miss Vair took the solo work in admirable voice in the anthem "Softly now the light of the Day, which was sung in St. Paul's church last evening.

In the evening at the George street Methodist Church, during the offertory, Mrs. Seward and Mr. J. Miller sang a duet entitled, "Sing to the Lord," with fine effect.

In St. Andrew's church last evening Miss Potter sang in fine voice the solo, "Now the day is over," the choir singing in perfect harmony in the unaccompanied chorus.

Rev. Mr. Young wishes to correct an announcement made last evening re the cantata on Tuesday night. It is given under the auspices of the Sunday school and not the Women's Missionary Society.

Yesterday morning the scholars of the George street Methodist Sunday school attended church in a body. The Rev. J. P. Wilson of Oshawa, preached an eloquent sermon, which was much appreciated by all. Instead of the choir singing the anthem as usual after prayer, the scholars of the Sunday school sang a hymn, "Children, sing to Jesus."

The Rev. W. Beer was not in his pulpit yesterday. His youngest son has a mild attack of diphtheria and it has been thought advisable to use every precaution. In the morning his place was taken by the Rev. E. Cragg, who gave an admirable sermon. In the evening Mr. Sutherland conducted divine service. On the 17th the Rev. Wm. Allen, of Bethany, will preach the annual missionary sermons.

ASHBURNHAM BRIEFS.

Meeting of the Mark Street Church Women's Missionary Society.

Mrs. James Kandry, of Peterborough, was present, and presided at the last regular meeting of the Mark street Auxiliary of the W.M.S.

She gave a number of very valuable hints and suggestions on the work. Those who were absent missed a treat.

The outcome for the Auxiliary is improving; new members are joining. The next regular meeting, at which all ladies will be welcome, will be held in the Mark street church on Wednesday, February 3rd, at 3 o'clock.

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GEORGE STREET SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY.

The Sermons Delivered by Rev. J. P. Wilson, of Oshawa.

Sunday school anniversary was observed yesterday in the George street Methodist church, and Rev. J. P. Wilson, of Oshawa, delivered both the morning and evening sermons to large congregations.

In the evening he took for his text the words "And this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our sins."

"Faith" was the theme of the sermon and a very forceful address was delivered on the subject. The speaker claimed that almost everyone believed in a Supreme Being. The creation of the world had to be attributed to something. Either it had been created or had existed for all time. The latter supposition was one absurdity and the thinking public of to-day could hardly entertain such a thing. The world therefore must have been created and this creation was enveloped in mystery to the sceptic.

Belief and faith were two very different things.

A man might believe that the planets were all or partially inhabited, but this would not change his mode of living. He might believe that the Scriptures were inspired and yet continue to live a life of sin. Faith is belief and love combined and controls a man's life.

A number of apt illustrations were then given of the power of faith, an instance of which was seen when a portion of the English army was being driven back in a great battle—the gunners had deserted their guns and a panic was about to take place. Suddenly the Duke of Wellington appeared on the scene, calm and collected. Confidence was instantly restored. His presence was more effective than a brigade of soldiers. The guns were retaken as the men had faith in his presence. How much more faith then should the Christian have? Has He not said, "Lo! I am with you always?" He is a power to every Christian, as he knows he fights the battle in the presence of the Master.

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JOBE—DEAN—At Lindsay, on September 14th, 1896, by Rev. C. H. Marsh, rector of St. Paul's church, Andrew Jobe, of Peterborough, to Matilda, youngest daughter of the late Marcus Dean, Esq., of Bridgenorth.

DOLAN—DOLAN—At St. Peter's Cathedral, on Sunday, Jan. 10th, 1897, by Ven. Archdeacon Casey, James Dolan to Mrs. Sophia Lomay Dolan.

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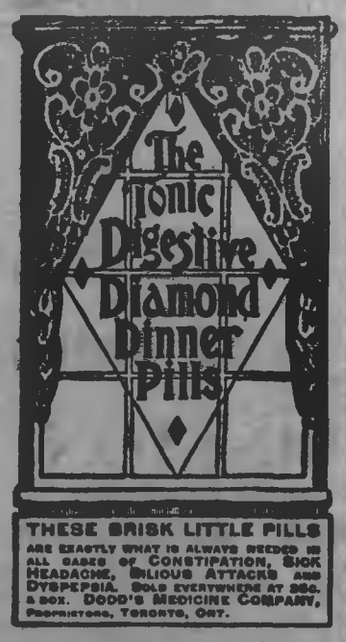

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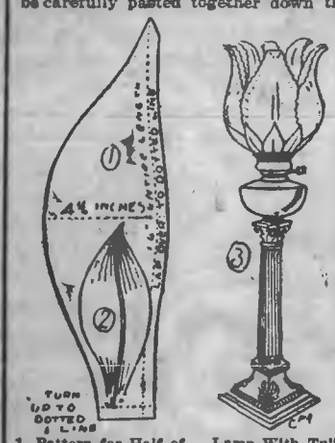
To begin with, select crepe paper of the color desired; the stiffest quality is much the best to work with. A spool of fine copper wire and a ring of heavy wire for the base of the shade are the other requirements. The petals often vary in number and therefore in width. This design is for six, slightly overlapping each other. Cut six strips of wire the length of the longest part of the pattern, and twelve pieces from the crepe paper, the size of the pattern (it takes two pieces to form a complete petal). The grain of the paper must run diagonally—bias, shall we call it?—so the petals can be pulled into shape.

The two pieces of each petal must be carefully pasted together down the



1. Pattern for Half of Petal. 2. Completed Petal. Lamp With Tulip Shade.

middle, with a strip of wire between. Corn-starch paste applied with a small brush is best for that purpose. Lay each petal away to dry, under some pressure, if there is a slight tendency to curl.

When dry, take each of the pieces and bend the wire gently with the fingers, a slight curve outward at the centre and a decided bend out at the tip, just like the natural flower with its beautiful curves. A tiny piece of invisible wire is twisted into a little hoop on the inner side of each petal, about two-thirds of the distance from the base. Through these loops a string or a fine wire is run, to hold the parts in place after the shade is ready to be fastened over the globe. Cut the small sepals at the base of the flower out of green paper of whatever kind best suits the taste. Cut them the same shape as the completed petals, about one-fourth as large, and make whatever number it requires to give a pretty finish to the shade. Make the ring of wire at the base the exact size required, then turn up the lower part of each petal and paste over the wire, and add the sepals one at a time. If the shade is to represent a yellow or white tulip the edges should be delicately shaded with vermillion in water-color.

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A Young Canadian Writer Who Is Sojourning in Philadelphia.

Lack of nationality in her work and in her personal characteristics inclines us to place the author of "The Untempered Wind" among the cosmopolites. Of Scottish birth, Canadian education and American literary training, she is a person of such wide sympathies that no other classification would readily suggest itself.

While she was yet an infant, her parents came to this country and chose for their home a picturesque spot on the Heights at Queenston overlooking the Niagara River. Here Miss Wood's childhood was spent and no doubt the splendid natural environments among which she was reared played no small part in forming the future writer. Her education was received at the St. Catharines Collegiate Institute, a school which in its 39 years of existence has trained scores of those who are now Canada's best known men and women.

To write was Miss Wood's ambition from her earliest years, and very thorough has been her preparation for her chosen work. So thorough that it

JOANNA E. WOOD.

was only after much study and hard reading that she thought of giving her writings to the public. For a long time they were shown only to her elder brother, who had been her constant critic. In fact, it is to him that Miss Wood ascribes her subsequent success, for, in spite of his severity with her literary fault, it is to him that she owes all her stimulus and inspiration. But life, even more than books, she has studied in a most systematic way. Frequent trips to Europe have formed part of her training, while each winter she takes up her residence in some center of social or literary life; sometimes she has chosen New York, oftener Boston, and this winter Philadelphia is her temporary home. Her literary work and study are varied by numbers of social duties, for Miss Wood has hosts of friends. Last winter she did no writing, but threw herself heartily into the social life of that gayest of cities, Paris, chiefly for the purpose of bringing herself more in touch with French literature through a better knowledge of the people. In London, too, she had every opportunity of seeing the best of English life, while the purpose of her last visit to Scotland was to collect material for a story of the mining district.

At present Miss Wood is working at a story of the New England hills, and when this is finished, she hopes to begin the Scotch tale for which she has so long been collecting material.

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MACE AND SCHOLES.

The Former Champion of England Has a Bout With the Toronto Boxer.

Toronto, Jan. 9.

The handsome Princess Theatre was comfortably filled last night by followers of the manly art, who turned out to give Jem Mace the welcome he deserved.

A big program was put on and everything was carried out with neatness and despatch. Mr. George Cooper made a perfect master of ceremonies. Part I included Thompson and Jones, a clever pair of amateurs, on the horizontal bar; Hernon and Babcock, in feats of strength: sword and bayonet exercises by Corp. Medhurst, R.C.D., Pte. Inslie, R.C.D., Lance-Corp. King, R.R.C.I., and Pte. Warr, R.R.C.I., from the Garrison, and a wrestling bout between Richardson and partner.

The big house warmed up when the boxers came on. Roach outpointed Wright, and then came a bout between McCann and Healey, local middleweights, that tickled everyone. Both men had striking attitudes, and McCann had his man going in the third round. They hit hard. John Scholes, jr., and Bobby Thompson gave a clever exhibition with the gloves. Jack Hanley, who has won two fights here, was a little too good for Jim Lovett, although they gave an interesting bout. Bob Harrison towered above Dick Collier, and they also made an interesting, though friendly, go. The English middleweight champion showed marvelous agility and was repeatedly applauded for cleverly avoiding his opponent's swings.

The master of ceremonies introduced Jem Mace and John F. Scholes, and their seconds, Morris and Hanley, who were in the Englishman's corner, and Maber and Popp, who looked after the Toronto heavyweight. Mr. Cooper paid a glowing tribute to Maber's record and told the crowd they would see a good 20-round bout between the Shadow and Prof. Bosworth in the Princess two weeks hence.

Jem Mace made a speech, and said he was always pleased with hi receptions in Toronto. He had come thrice and had met great crowds and a great boxer on each occasion. Although the bout was thoroughly friendly, there were lively exchanges and Scholes fought the veteran down in the second round. Mace showed wonderful cleverness with both hands, and the four rounds were received with applause. The two made a most interesting set-to, and all present were well pleased with the science displayed. All through it was a capital and well-conducted entertainment.

Peter Folix, the colored Australian boxer, who claims the heavyweight championship of the Antipodes, is said to be on his way to America.

Dan Creedon says that as soon as his match with Jim Williams is decided he will go to South Africa and meet Kid McCoy for the $15,000 which a club at Johannesburg has offered.

Martin Burns, champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler, and Edward Atherton of New York, wrestled at Rock Island, Ill., last night for $500 a side and 75 and 25 per cent. of the gate receipts. The match was [illegible], who took the first and third [illegible].

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FARMERS ON THE TARIFF.

They Want the Duty Taken Off Coal Oil, Corn, Cheese Bandage and Factory Supplies—A Free Trade Manufacturer.

Brockville, Jan. 8.—The Dominion Tariff Commissioners held two sessions here to-day. There were present Hon. W. S. Fielding, Sir Richard Cartwright, Hon. William Paterson and Hon. Sydney Fisher.

George Hutton, President of the South Grenville Farmers' Institute, wanted the duty taken off coal oil, corn, cheese bandage and factory supplies.

John Stagg of Brockville, a prominent farmer, a cattle feeder, advocated taking the duty on corn, but strongly held that the duty on pork should be continued.

C. S. Cossitt of the Cossitt Bros.' Company considered the tariff as it affected agricultural implements unjust, in that it reduced the duty on implements. The duty on raw materials used in their construction had not been reduced in a corresponding degree.

D. L. McPherson, M.L.A., Lancaster, wanted the duty on corn removed, also taken off coal oil and cheese bandage.

F. L. Moore of Addison and F. W. Fulford of Brockville wanted legislation to prevent adulterated honey being placed on the market, without being properly labelled as such.

Robert Alder of Prescott advocated free corn and coal oil.

Mr. Bissell of Algonquin thought coal oil and corn should be free and the tariff on cheese bandage and dairy utensils should be taken off. The duty on pork tended to keep up the price here.

Dr. Williams of Cardinal appeared on behalf of the farmers of East Grenville. They were all in favor of free coal oil, but there was considerable difference of opinion regarding the duty on corn. The general feeling is that the duties bear unfairly and that the manufacturer takes full advantage of the duty through combines that exist.

A delegation from the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Asso. then waited on the Commissioners. They wanted the duty taken off dairy utensils, cheese bandages and caps, also off cream separators. They did not think it advisable to take the duty off pork. Babcock testers and corn should also be free.

James Publow, manager of the Mann Company, stated that, while their raw material was taxed 35 to 36 per cent., they had only a protection of 20 per cent. on the manufactured implements.

J. H. Burrows of the Canada Carriage Company said that if the duty on vehicles were lowered at all he could import buggies cheaper than he could manufacture them. He was in favor of removing the tariff walls between Canada and the United States altogether. He was ready to compete with American factories on equal terms.

John McLaren of the James Hall Company wanted the duty on gloves valued at $7 per dozen and over to be not less than 35 per cent. ad valorem, and that there be a specific duty of $3.50 per dozen on all classes of gloves, valued at less than $7 per dozen.

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TWO DEATHS AT SMITH'S FALLS.

John Phillips, Aged 15, Drowned While Skating, and Mrs. Thos. Shaw Taken Off by Heart Disease

Smith's Falls, Jan. 8.—A sad drowning accident happened on the river a short distance from the Bolt Works this afternoon. John Phillips, the 15-year-old son of John Phillips, who resides on Queen-street, started for home at noon, putting on his skates, when he came to the river. This was the last seen of him alive. When he did not get home his people made enquiries and at last searchers found the log on which he sat to put on his skates and followed his tracks along the ice. They found the place where he had broken through, and their worst fears were realized when they saw his head a few inches under the water. He was standing straight up, his feet embedded in sad-dust. Much sympathy is felt for the afflicted family.

Death claimed this afternoon a most estimable lady in the person of Mrs. T. Shaw, wife of Thomas Shaw, editor of The Chesterville Record, Chesterville, Ont., and third daughter of Samuel M. Barnes, Mayor of this town. The young woman was most highly respected by all with whom she had any acquaintance. She, with her husband, previous to moving to Chesterville, resided in Toronto for about five years, where Mr. Shaw had a position on The Toronto World. The cause of death was heart disease. Mrs. Shaw came to her parents' home only a few days ago to be present at the marriage of a sister, and while here became ill, from which she never rallied, though the sad end was not expected. She leaves a grief-stricken husband and one child to mourn her great loss, besides father, mother, brothers and sisters.

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A Brickmaker Listens to Reason—Uses Six Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and Tells It.

Brockville, Jan. 4 (Special)—Mr. W. H. Odell, perhaps one of the best known citizens of this town has lately recovered from a long continued and painful kidney ailment. He tells the story of his experience to the correspondent as follows:

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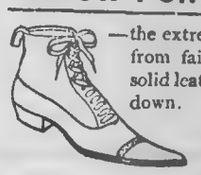

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THE DAMARA OVERDUE.

Seventeen Days Out From Cardiff With Coal for Naval Authorities at Halifax—A Vessel in Distress.

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 9.—The Furness Line steamer Damara is out seventeen days from Cardiff for this port with a cargo of coal for the British naval authorities. She should have been here a week ago and the length of her voyage is attracting more attention than would otherwise be the case because of the disasters that have during the past season befallen steamers carrying coal from Wales to Halifax. Two cargoes were to be shipped to this naval station. Of four steamers there were previously chartered only one of them, the Wordsworth, reached her destination. The Tomore was wrecked on the Newfoundland coast; the Moldavia struck an iceberg and foundered and an explosion of gas in the hold of the Manilton caused the abandonment of the voyage. The fifth steamer, the Damara, with the second cargo on board, is now a week overdue.

A report was received here late to-night that an unknown ocean steamer was sending up signals of distress off White Head, 600 miles east of Halifax. At the time she was first observed darkness was coming on, and she was about seven miles distant. She was then showing a flag calling for assistance, and seemed to be running a westerly course and keeping off the shore. After dark came she discharged a number of sky rockets. Thick snow squalls set in after 7 o'clock, and nothing more was seen except an occasional rocket. When the signals were first observed the schooner Hannah E. Eldridge, a life boat and several small boats started from shore towards the steamer. When the snow began to fall the small boats returned without having reached the steamer, but up to 10.30 p.m. here was no sign of the Hannah E. Eldridge or the life boat.

At 11.15 p.m. it was reported from White Head that the life boat and the schooner Eldridge had returned without finding her. Owing to the thick snow falling they could discern nothing, and had to give up the search.

The steamer State of Georgia, from Dantzic, with a cargo of sugar is also due here. J. H. Hugill, Halifax manager of the Furness Line, thinks that the ship in distress is either the Damara or the State of Georgia. The vessel reported signalling for help is in a dangerous position, as hidden shoals and ledges extend for some miles along the coast from White Head.

A WOMAN MURDERED.

Left Her Home Early in the Evening to Do Some Shopping and Was Strangled by Footpads.

Greenfield, Mass., Jan. 9.—Mrs. Hattie E. McCloud was found murdered at 10 o'clock this morning beside a lonely road near Shelburne Falls, by George D. Crittenden. She was the widow of W. L. McCloud of New Haven, Conn., and left her home at 5 o'clock Friday evening to do some shopping in the village. Her family supposed her to be with a sister. An autopsy this afternoon showed that death was caused by strangulation, there being marks on her throat and right arm. She had $18 when she left home, but only 8c were found on her person. There is no clue to the murderer.

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LUCIE LESSARD KILLED.

Picked Up by a Man and Thrown Over a Verandah to the Ground Thirty Feet Below.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 9.—During the past few weeks the city has been disgraced by several hideous crimes, among them the killing of the man Linleau and the mysterious death of the woman Ridout. Another murder has now been added to these.

About noon yesterday a quarrel took place in a house of ill-fame on Jacques Cartier-street, which, after the lapse of several hours, resulted in the death of Lucie Lessard, aged 20 years. It appears the woman had an altercation with the mistress of the house, followed by blows, and ultimately the unfortunate was turned out of the house. Lucie Lessard then roamed about the streets, and in a short time she came across several acquaintances, with whom she visited numerous saloons and in the end became very much intoxicated.

The woman then proceeded to the house on Jacques Cartier-street, where she arrived about half-past 5 o'clock. On her arrival she began another row by smashing panes of glass and pounding the door. Noticing that this did not attract the proprietor's attention, Lucie went to the rear of the house and stepped onto the gallery. Here she began again breaking the windows, whereupon a young man, who was evidently an inmate of the house, rushed out, picked her up in his arms, and flung her over the verandah, a distance of about thirty feet from the ground.

The woman fell with a dull thud to the ground, and the brutal perpetrator of the deed re-entered the house, apparently unconcerned.

Subsequently a crowd gathered, and it was found that the poor woman had received severe injuries, which necessitated her immediate removal to the Notre Dame Hospital. Here she succumbed to her injuries in the early hours of this morning.

During the course of the evening Inspector Lapointe and Constables Geoffrion and Poissant visited the house for the purpose of arresting the man on the charge of aggravated assault, but the fellow had already vanished and no trace of him could be found. The charge will now be changed to that of murder, and as the officers are in possession of his name it is expected his arrest will be effected before many hours.

The dead woman is one of the two who were stabbed by Francesca Taranto in a disreputable house on Jacques Cartier-street last October. The Italian pleaded guilty to the charge and was condemned to seven years in the Penitentiary.

Daniel Sheehan, a well-known lightweight, has been arrested on the charge of causing the death of Lucie Lessard by throwing her downstairs at a house of ill-fame in the East End.

TORONTO WOMAN WRONGED.

Illegally Sent to the Workhouse in New York, But Afterwards Released.

New York, Jan. 10.—On Friday last Magistrate Mott of the Police Court sent Mrs. Lizzie Sommers to Blackwell's Island for five days for soliciting. The woman indignantly protested that the charge was false and called her husband, who was in court, to prove that she was a respectable woman. The Magistrate, however, took the evidence of two policemen, one of whom accosted Mrs. Sommers on the street, asking her where she was going. The woman replied: "I'm going home." Then the officer called another policeman, who arrested Mrs. Sommers on the allegation of the first policeman that she had solicited him. Friends of the woman took the matter up, and on Saturday Justice Lawrence discharged her from the workhouse. Mrs. Sommers stated in court when being tried by Magistrate Mott that she was married to Mr. Sommers, who is a carriage painter, three years ago in Toronto. Both the woman and the husband wept when sentence was pronounced.

The best anodyne and expectorant for the cure of colds, coughs, and all throat, lung, and bronchial troubles, is undoubtly, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, the only specific for colds and coughs admitted on exhibition at the Chicago World's Fair.

FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE.

Names of Those Who Were Successful in Passing the Examinations Last November.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The following candidates passed the civil service qualifying examination in November:

Toronto—Thomas G Barkworth, Arthur H Birmingham, Randolph Brunton, Walter G Cain, Alexander G Campbell, F Bruce Carey, John Clarkson, Edgar P Cliff, Cecil C Cragg, John Harvey Curtis, Stephen J Dee, Edward F Defoe, Bismark Douglas, Melvin McK Downey, Harry R Emes, Archibald L Gillies, T A Godfrey, Samuel Gowan, Horace Hall, James Henderson, jr., Thos Humphries, William George Hunter, John Joseph Huntley, Morgan Jellett, Robert Johnson, George I B Johnson, Moss Kennedy, L Kennedy, F J Kennedy, E Kent, Elizabeth J Kilby, James H Landerkin, E E Latta, George Ledgett, George Livingston, William J McKendry, Edward Mosgrove, Bertram L Monkhouse, James Muldoon, Matthew McClure, Duncan A McCrimmon, Henry B Macdonald, Donald McDonald, Duncan C McDougall, P Burke McHugh, Ernest William McLean, Fred Norris, Benjamin J O'Brien, David Rae, James Mitchell Roberts, Emma Annie Rodman, Thomas U Ross, George A Scott, Norman N Spears, A H Stinson, Charles B Stone, Samuel Thompson, Milton R Throop, Mary Valentyne, Francis J Vollmer, Adam G Walton, Charles Wheat, Edith P White, H S Wilkinson, James B Wright.

Hamilton—Merlin A Aldredge, William H Beattie, William W Barlow, James H Cheseldine, William A Duff, Clara A Dewitt, Richard M Graham, William M Harvey, Thomas H Hayhurst, Edwin D Henwood, Bertha Anna Johnson, William A Lees, Thomas Morrison, Garrett O'Connor, Chas H Stringer.

London—H W Burton, Charles W Christie, George Collingwood, James S Cooper, George D Durand, A T Essery, Charles D Ferguson, John B Ferguson, J L Fitzgerald, Patrick Flannery, Michael Gallagher, Rayside A Gemmill, Harry McL Grange, Fred W Hardey, Adam J Henderson, Michael Hogan, H T Johnson, Richard Johnston, J A Joslyn, John S Keown, Malcolm Lang, Lizzie A Lawless, Charles M Macfie, William M McIntyre, Robert S McPherson, John A McRae, John Moran, Claude M Pierson, Isabella Robertson, William R Room, Alexander Ross, James E Roy, Arthur Smith, John Talbot, A B Telfer, Robert Walsh.

Kingston—William T Black, Margaret M Caldwell, Mrs Agnes Casey, Percy L Day, Philinda C Doerter, Katie Dolan, Emma Agnes Driver, Francis H Enton, Isabel Hamilton, Burton Kelly, Lillian McCallum, James T McKim, Lucy D McRae, William A Montgomery, James Joseph Osborne, Christina J Petrie, William White, Minnie Wims, Jessie Hewton.

The following passed in the optional subjects named:

Toronto—Mary A Vallehtyne, bookkeeping; Emma A Rodman, stenography, typewriting; Stephen J Dee, stenography.

Kingston—Lucy D McRae, stenography.

Hamilton—Thomas Morrison, bookkeeping, stenography.

London—Charles D Ferguson, bookkeeping; John B Ferguson, bookkeeping; John S Keown, bookkeeping; Lizzie A Lawless, stenography; A B Telfer, bookkeeping.

FATAL GUN EXPLOSION.

A Young Girl Starts to Shoot a Cat and Receives the Charge Herself.

Port Rowan, Ont., Jan. 9.—About 1.30 yesterday an explosion, followed by a scream, was heard coming from the rear of W. C. Stearns' residence on Main-street. Neighbors near by rushed to the scene and found his eldest daughter, Miss Grace Stearns, dying in a pool of blood on the floor, and her clothes on fire. Medical attendance was immediately summoned, and on examination it was found the wound was fatal. It appears Miss Stearns, who was an expert shot, went to the barn to get a gun for the purpose of shooting a troublesome cat, and in pulling the gun out it exploded. The whole charge entered the girl's right side. Miss Stearns was one of the leading ladies of the village and a promising scholar.

THE CABOT CELEBRATION.

Descendants of the Famous Sebastian and John Invited to Visit This Great Country.

London, Jan. 9.—Messrs. A. G. Jones and Sandford Fleming, Canadian delegates to the Pacific Cable Conference, called upon the Italian Ambassador, Signor Ferrero, today and conferred with him in regard to the Canadian celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of Newfoundland by John Cabot, on June 24, 1497. The purpose of the delegates was to ascertain the possibility of having representatives of the Cabot family living in Italy, visit Canada upon the occasion of the celebration, and the ambassador promised to communicate with his Government upon the subject.

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TAKE NOTICE THAT THE ABOVE named has made an assignment to me under the Provisions of R. S. O. 1897, Chapter 124, of all his estate in trust for the general benefit of all his creditors.

A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby called and will be held at the office of Messrs. Stratton & Hall, in the Town of Peterborough, on Thursday, the Seventh day of January, A. D. 1897, at 3 p. m., for the appointment of Inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate.

All the creditors of the said estate are hereby required to fyle their claims and prove their security on or before the date of said meeting. After the second day of February next I shall proceed to distribute said estate having regard only to such claims as I shall then have due notice of and proof and I shall not be held responsible for the assets of said estate nor any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim shall not then have been fyled.

W. A. STRATTON, Trustee.

STRATTON & HALL, Trustee's Solicitors.

Peterborough, December 30th, 1896. 5dim

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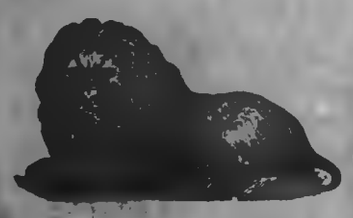

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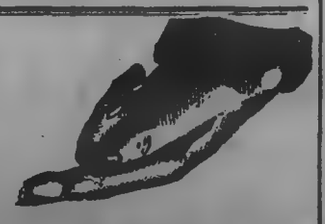

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BRITONS MASSACRED.

A Peaceful Expedition Slaughtered in Upper Guinea.

THE QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE.

Her Majesty's Desire is That it be Celebrated by Works of Mercy—The Lieut.-Governor of Ontario in an Improved Condition—Storms on British Coasts.

London, Jan. 11.—The Prince of Wales, in response to requests made to him for advice as to the most fitting plans for celebrating the occasion of the completion of the sixtieth anniversary of the Queen's reign, has caused it to be announced that he is confident that Her Majesty would prefer that the occasion should be marked by works of mercy among the sick and suffering, embracing any movement tending to brighten the lives and ameliorate the condition of the Queen's poorer subjects.

BRITISHERS MASSACRED.

A Peaceful Expedition Proceeding Up the Benin River, Upper Guinea, Killed to a Man

London, Jan. 11.—A despatch from Bonny, on the coast of Upper Guinea, reports the massacre of all the members of a peaceable British expedition, which left the coast about Jan. 1, intending to proceed to Benin City, on the Benin River, by way of Sapele. The expedition consisted of Acting Consul-General Phillips, Major Copland Crawford, Capt. Boisragon, who was commandant of the force of the Niger Coast protectorate; Capt. Maling, belonging to the same force; Messrs. Campbell and Locke, Consular officials; Dr. Elliott, Messrs. Powis and Gordon, civilians, and a number of Kroomen and native carriers. The yacht Ivy, belonging to the British Consul, has returned to Bonny, and reports that the entire expedition were killed by subjects of the King of Benin, which territory is included in the Niger Coast protectorate.

TERRIFIC STORMS.

North Sea and Bay of Biscay Churned Up in Serious Fashion.

London, Jan. 11.—Terrific storms have prevailed within the last twenty-four hours in the North Sea, and the Bay of Biscay.

The steamer Three Brothers, belonging at Fecamp, France, is overdue at that place, and it is reported that she has foundered off Ushant. She had 16 men on board.

The British steamer Diomedea, belonging to the Diomedea Steamship Company of London, has been sunk in a collision off Yarmouth. All on board were saved. A wreck can also be seen from the Fame Islands. A number of Yarmouth fishing boats have been wrecked or damaged by the storm, but the loss of life is not known.

The British barque Lavinia, Capt. Thomas, from Greenock, Dec. 8, for St. John's, Nfld., has put into Fayal, having lost bulwarks, stanchions, a boat and galley.

The report that the British steamer Lord Gough, Capt. Crombie, from Dantzig, Jan. 1, for Philadelphia, which grounded when leaving the former port, was obliged to jettison several thousand bags of sugar in order to float, appears to be erroneous.

HON. G. A. KIRKPATRICK BETTER.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick is in Attendance at His Bedside, Nursing Him Carefully.

London, Jan. 11.—The condition of Hon. George A. Kirkpatrick, Lieut.-Governor of Ontario, who is lying ill in the South-street Hospital, is somewhat improved, and he is now in a state justifying hopes of his speedy recovery. His wife, who has arrived here from Canada in response to a summons from England, is in constant attendance at his bedside, and her presence has been of great assistance to his medical treatment and careful nursing in bringing about his present favorable condition. The operation which the physicians decided a week ago was imperatively necessary in order to save the patient's life has now been postponed until Wednesday.

TRIAL OF IVORY.

The Alleged Dynamiter Was Before the Old Bailey Court Yesterday.

London, Jan. 11.—The case of Edward J. Ivory, alias Edward Bell, the alleged Irish-American dynamite conspirator, who was arrested in Glasgow Sept. 13, and subsequently brought here, was heard in the Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey, for the first time, to-day, the previous hearings having taken place in the Bow-street Police Court. After Ivory was formally arraigned the recorder, Sir Charles Hall, charged the grand jury, asking that body to give most careful attention to the case, which was one of the highest importance. The charge against Ivory, he said, was that of having conspired with Tynan, Kearney and Haines to destroy life and property with dynamite. The jury, in following the movements of the conspirators, would find a remarkable chain of evidence linking Ivory with his alleged associates. The recorder then described the evidence which connected Ivory with the other conspirators up to the time he was arrested. The letters and documents found in his possession when he was taken into custody clearly showed the character of the plot in which he and his associates were engaged. Having due regard for all the circumstances of the case, the grand jury would doubtless feel it to be their duty to find a true bill against the prisoner.

MASSACRE OF CHRISTIANS.

Rumors are That Butchery Has Taken Place at Trebizonde.

London, Jan. 11.—A despatch from Constantinople to The Standard says that rumors of a massacre of Christians at Trebizonde, which originated by the statement that an Italian gunboat had been ordered thither, was untrue. It appears that an Italian subject named Marani was secretly shipped at Trebizonde for exile to Erzeroum. The Italian Ambassador, Signor Pansa, demanded the immediate return of Marani to Constantinople for proper trial, and threatened to send gunboats till the Porte gave a written promise of compliance. The incident has caused a sensation at Constantinople on account of the belief that Italy was backed by the powers.

A despatch to The Daily News from Rome on the same subject says: Everybody remarks that the Sultan has never had such a humiliation as for an Ambassador to openly refuse to accept his promise, but to insist upon a written confirmation.

NO CAUSE FOR REJOICING.

London Globe Does Not Approve of the Anglo-American Arbitration Treaty.

London, Jan. 11.—The Globe this afternoon says it sees no reason for Britishers to rejoice at the conclusion of the arbitration treaty with the United States, adding: "Great Britain's experience in arbitration with America has always been futile and ridiculous. It is no particular triumph for the Marquis of Salisbury's statesmanship and most self-respecting Englishmen would like to forget the circumstances leading to it. The passage in our history beginning with the Venezuelan trouble and President Cleveland's gross insult and ending with the conclusion of the treaty contains nothing to be proud of, and a great deal which most of us would be glad to obliterate."

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

The Anglo-American Arbitration Treaty Not Yet Ready for Signature.

London, Jan. 11.—A despatch to The Times from New York says that the agreement between Sir Julian Pauncefote, British Ambassador at Washington, and United States Secretary of State Olney upon a system of general arbitration is ready for signature and only awaits the formal acceptance of the King of Sweden, who will name the umpire in certain cases. The King's acceptance, the despatch says, was expected by Jan. 10, when the treaty would be signed and sent to the Senate on Jan. 11.

The Anglo-Venezuelan treaty is not yet completed, and will not be finished for a fortnight. The question of the place of meeting of the tribunal has not yet been settled.

No Fear of War.

Paris, Jan. 11.—L'Echo de Paris states that the Admiralty Council is in favor of using squadrons in war time, and has rejected Admiral Aube's proposal for a fleet of fast cruisers with a view to privateering. These decisions are interpreted as meaning that there is no prospect of a war with Great Britain within the sphere of practical politics.

Copious Rains in India.

Calcutta, Jan. 11.—Copious rains have fallen in most of the famine-stricken districts of India, but a great deal more rain is needed.

Storms and Fogs.

London, Jan. 11.—Storms and fogs continue along the coasts, and wrecks have been reported at many points. A trawler, with six men, has been lost off Yarmouth. The steamer Gulf of Siam is ashore in Morrock Bay and other ships and boats have been picked up. The crew of the British steamer Strathmore, from Genoa, numbering 30 men, has been taken off that vessel by a trawler and landed at Hull. No details of the wreck of the Strathmore have been received.

Why the Mandement Was Not Read

Quebec, Que., Jan. 11.—It now transpires that some time ago 1500 copies of a mandement condemning La Patrie and other Liberal papers were shipped to Montreal and Valleyfield from the Archbishop's palace here. That the mandement was not read has caused a surprise here. It is said here that orders were sent from Rome not to condemn the papers.

ARBITRATION GOES.

Anglo-American Treaty Signed at Washington.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT.

An Event Which Marks a New Era in the Settlement of International Disputes—Mr. Cleveland Expresses a Hope That the Treaty Will be Approved by the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The Anglo-American general arbitration treaty was signed in the diplomatic parlor of the State Department at 12.30 o'clock to-day by Secretary Olney and Sir Julian Pauncefote. The latter was accompanied by Lord Gough, secretary of the embassy. The American witnesses were Chief of the Diplomatic Bureau Cridler and Private Secretary Blandford. The meeting was devoid of any spectacular proceedings, the two plenipotentiaries simply signing their names to the two copies of the important document, one of which will be sent to the Senate for ratification and the other to Lord Salisbury by special messenger, who will sail on the Majestic from New York on Wednesday.

Sir Julian Pauncefote and Minister Andrade, as plenipotentiaries of their respective countries, to negotiate the Anglo-Venezuelan arbitration treaty, have, it is claimed, not yet completed their work, although the main points of the convention, as agreed upon in the Olney memorandum, were long ago disposed of. Other details, with one or two exceptions, involved no delay. The place of meeting of the tribunal is the chief point of difference, Venezuela preferring Washington.

The Official Message.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The President sent the following message to the Senate this afternoon, transmitting the Anglo-American general arbitration treaty:

"To the Senate: I transmit herewith a treaty for the arbitration of all matters in difference between the United States and Great Britain.

"The provisions of the treaty are the result of long and patient deliberation, and represent concessions made by each party for the sake of agreement upon the general scheme. Though the result reached may not meet the views of the advocates of immediate, unlimited and irrevocable arbitration of all international controversies, it is, nevertheless, confidently believed that the treaty cannot fail to be everywhere recognized as making a long step in the right direction, and as embodying a practical, working plan by which disputes between the two countries will reach a peaceful adjustment as matter of course and in ordinary routine. In the initiation of such an important movement it must be expected that some of its features will assume a tentative character looking to a further advance, and yet it is apparent that the treaty which has been formulated not only makes war between the parties to it a remote possibility, but precludes those fears and rumors of war, which of themselves too often assume the proportions of a national disaster. It is eminently fitting, as well as fortunate, that the attempt to accomplish results so beneficial should be initiated by kindred peoples, speaking the same tongue and joined together by all the ties of common traditions, common institutions and common aspirations. The experiment of substituting civilized methods for brute force as the means of settling international questions of right will thus be tried under the happiest auspices. Its success ought not to be doubtful, and the fact that its ultimate ensuing benefits are not likely to be limited to the two countries immediately concerned should cause it to be promoted all the more eagerly. The example set and the lesson furnished by the successful operation of this treaty are sure to be felt and taken to heart sooner or later by other nations, and will thus mark the beginning of a new epoch in civilization.

"Profoundly impressed as I am, therefore, by the promise of transcendent good which this treaty affords, I do not hesitate to accompany its transmission with an expression of my earnest hope that it may commend itself to the favorable consideration of the Senate. Grover Cleveland.

"Executive Mansion, Jan. 11, 1897."

Winnipeg Notes.

Winnipeg, Jan. 11.—(Special.)—Hon. Dr. Montague and Hon. Mr. Haggart, at dinner at Government House last night, met several prominent Winnipeggers. They continued their journey to the Pacific Coast to-day.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper will arrive here to-morrow from the Pacific Coast to meet Lady Tupper, who is en route from Ottawa. They will then proceed to Victoria, where Sir Charles is engaged on the sealing arbitration.

PROHIBITION AT THE R. M. C.

Col. Kitson, the New Commandant, Banishes the Sale of Liquor.

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 11.—Col. Kitson, the new commandant of the Royal Military College, has inaugurated a number of reforms at the institution since taking command. The most noteworthy is the abolition of all kinds of intoxicating liquor from the mess where the cadets dine. It was the only place within the bounds of the college where liquor was procurable, and by forbidding its sale there it is banished from the precincts of the institution.

The City Council was inaugurated to-day, and though politically a tie, there was no deadlock, as the aldermen made an equal division of honors.

LAURENTIAN DAMAGED.

The Allan Liner Struck on Main Head and Her Forehold is Full of Water.

London, Jan. 11.—The British steamer Laurentian, Capt. McDougall, from Portsteamer Wickham, Capt. Vigers, has arrived at Moville. She struck on Main Head, County Donegal, Ireland, yesterday evening and her forehold is full of water as the result of the damage she sustained.

Gloom

Of ill health, despondency and despair, gives way to the sunshine of hope, happiness and health, upon taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it gives renewed life and vitality to the blood, and through that imparts nerve strength, vigor and energy to the whole body. Read this letter:

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down stairs without clasping my hand over my heart and resting. In fact, it would almost take my breath away. I suffered so I did not care to live, yet I had much to live for. There is no pleasure in life if deprived of health, for life becomes a burden. Hood's Sarsaparilla does far more than advertised. After taking one bottle, it is sufficient to recommend itself." MRS. J. D. SMITH, Beloit, Iowa.

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1897.

HOW THE BOODLE GANG GAGGED MANITOBA.

THE WAY THE TUPPER GOVERNMENT WON THEIR SEATS.

Ballot Boxes Stuffed—Card Sharpers, Gamblers and Crooks Co-operate With "Statesmen"—Money "to Burn" and Beer Galore.

Winnipeg, Jan. 10.—(Special)—Manitoba during the past two or three weeks has been thrown into a state of excitement by startling developments as to the methods used by the Tupperites to carry this province at the last general election for the Conservative party, and the wonder now is among ourselves not that Manitoba only returned two Liberals and an Independent but that she managed to send east a single Opposition member to the powers that then existed. It has been often stated, and few Conservatives seem to think it should be denied, that if the Tupper Government had had the ghost of a chance of survival after the eastern returns were all in, Mr. Richardson's seat in Lisgar and Mr. Macdonell's in Selkirk could have been stolen before the declarations of the returning officers were made by some means as peculiar as those employed to elect Mr. Boyd in Marquette and Mr. Hugh John Macdonald in Winnipeg. No reflection is intended on the returning officers in either Lisgar or Selkirk constituencies, but it is known that emissaries of the late Government did act in a manner to arouse the gravest suspicion and set people thinking as to what terrible work had been resorted to. Manitoba was stunned by the verdict of her people, but the events of the past few days have shown that not the school question nor other public questions but a few criminal deputy returning officers really elected Mr. Boyd in Marquette by a system of ballot-box stuffing unparalleled in the history of Manitoba; and the corruption in Winnipeg, to say nothing of what may have been done in ballot-box stuffing, is stupendous. There has been a good deal of specious special pleading by a section of the Conservative press here on behalf of the men charged with stuffing or inciting to stuff ballot-boxes, but the answer to it all has come promptly and effectively. Mr. Boyd was declared elected after the general elections by a majority of 398 over Mr. Rutherford, a most considerate action, because there was no real reason, considering the skill and instructions of the deputy returning officers, blank certificates to be filled in by anybody, and other interesting circumstances of the case, why it should not have been 598 or 998. However the majority was "fixed" at 398. The Dominion law requires that on the trial of a petition it is not sufficient to prove single or isolated corrupt acts to set aside an election, but there must be shown to be such a number as would lead the trial judges to the conclusion that corruption prevailed on such an extensive scale as to account for the majority. Three hundred and ninety-eight is a large, a very large, majority. But when Mr. Boyd was brought face to face with the bill of particulars he promptly admitted that his election had been bought and stolen for him through his agents, and vacated his seat, never to enter public life again.

DISGRACEFUL PARTICULARS.

Look at the record of charges and developments so far:

R. R. Herriman was arrested on the charge of ballot-box stuffing and destroying good ballots given him to be put in the ballot-box. His case is still proceeding at MacGregor, Man. Herriman is a notorious gambler. He has served a term in the Winnipeg Provincial jail on a gambling charge. He is a resident of Winnipeg, yet he was taken out of the city 70 or 80 miles to act as a deputy in Boyd's election. Why was he appointed? The question needs no answer. He is out on $6,000 bail.

W. J. Parker, charged with inciting to ballot-box stuffing, comes up for a further hearing at Treherne to-morrow. At the trial last week Deputy Returning Officer Scammell swore Parker handed him a parcel containing eighteen blank ballots, adding: 'I put six of these eighteen papers into the ballot-box at poll No. 11, Rathwell. I marked them myself for Boyd. They had not been marked by voters in the usual way. The other twelve I destroyed. Voters for whose ballots I substituted them were strong Liberals. I got $35. In addition to being a farmer I held a position under the late Government, that of timber inspector." The accused is out on heavy bail.

Fred Brown, charged with destroying ballots, will have a preliminary hearing at Portage la Prairie on the 14th inst. He is out on heavy bail.

Wm. Clarke, deputy returning officer at poll 36, charged with stuffing ballot boxes, is on trial at Carberry. At this poll the official returns showed nineteen votes for Rutherford, Liberal. Twenty-nine voters have already sworn that they voted for Rutherford, ten more than the poll returns give him, and a dozen or more are to follow, to say nothing of those who are in Ontario or elsewhere. Braithwaite, (Patron) voters are also appearing to give evidence, and they may make a little showing. The case was remanded till Wednesday next. Impassable roads, owing to the late blizzard, prevented the attendance of other witnesses.

Thomas Anderson, another deputy, is on trial at Carberry for stuffing. His poll showed fifteen votes for Rutherford. Eight electors have already sworn that they voted for Rutherford. The roads are bad, preventing the attendance of witnesses, and the cases are adjourned till Tuesday.

Charles Brooks, deputy at poll 38, is charged with stuffing a ballot-box. His case goes on at Carberry on Tuesday.

Malcolm Orr, deputy, is on trial at Glenboro', charged with stuffing. Sixty-five witnesses have already been examined. There is little doubt that the number of votes sworn to for Rutherford will be considerably greater than the number of ballots marked for him in the box. The case proceeds to-morrow.

G. W. Saunders, deputy returning officer, is on trial at Gladstone for stuffing the ballot box. Nine ballots more than the number in the poll book are produced in court initialed by Saunders, and the initials sworn to by the poll clerk. J. A. Freeburn swore that he gave Saunders ten blank ballots to mark for Boyd, and by sleight-of hand process deposit in the ballot box in place of genuine ballots. After the election Saunders handed to Freeborn nine ballots, six marked for Rutherford and three for Braithwaite, the initials on which are sworn to by the poll clerk as those of Saunders. The tenth ballot was not forthcoming because two ballots had slipped into the box at one time. The nine ballots in question have been in the possession of the Attorney-General's Department since shortly after the election. Freeborn, in his testimony, said he got a bunch of 30 blank ballots from F. M. Brown to distribute among the "right" men. Not only was Saunders and other deputies instructed to stuff ballot-boxes, but Freeborn and Harry Waller, another exponent of the crooked election methods, instructed them how good ballots marked for Rutherford and Braithwaite might be destroyed by having a small piece of pencil lead waxed under the nail of his forefinger, and thus marking them so that those so marked could be rejected. This instruction in Saunder's case took place on June 13 and 19. Freeborn at the present time is an interesting character. He showed the Globe's correspondent how ably substituting work, or in other words ballot box stuffing, could be done. By way of a hint it may be wholesome for some of the Conservative organizers in Ontario not to talk disparagingly of Freeborn. He has not told all he knows—not for publication at present. Saunders case will be continued this week.

Harry Waller is under arrest on four charges of inciting deputies to stuff ballot boxes and destroy ballots. He was one of Boyd's right hand men, and also had the confidence of eastern managers. His trial has not yet taken place.

W. Mawhinney's trial at the Portage for stuffing a ballot box goes on this week.

William Huwick, deputy returning officer, is on trial at Neepawa charged with stuffing. The evidence already given shows that Returning Officer Hamilton sent blank certificates to the Boyd canvassers, who filled them out indiscriminately for men who had no right to vote, and signed Richardson's name. The case will be continued on January 14.

W. J. Hamilton, another deputy, is charged with stuffing. The case is proceeding.

All the above and other suspects are out on bail ranging from $4,000 to $6,000.

Mr. H. M. Howell, Q. C., a leading lawyer in the Province, is directing the prosecutions and has a large staff of lawyers at work in various sections of the large constituency, which covers 100 miles square. In more than two-thirds of the the polls there is the strongest evidence that ballot-box stuffing was resorted to.

While the above election in the constituency of Macdonald was crooked enough to satisfy the most exacting healer, it will appear that the Winnipeg election was many degrees worse. The bill of particulars filed in connection with this protest is a terribly formidable document, and shows a condition of political depravity that would disgrace Tammany. Beer and bribery—beer flowing like a Northwest Niagara, and according to the slang way of putting it—"money to burn." From what has been revealed in the Macdonald election, there is reason to believe that the counts in the Winnipeg bill of particulars will be substantially proven. Everybody wondered that Fighting Joe Martin should be so disastrously defeated by Hugh John Macdonald; if one tenth of what is charged, as to the methods employed to subvert the will of the electors, is proven, there is no room for surprise.

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NEWS FROM OTTAWA

P. O. Department Bookkeeping to be Looked Into

WITH A VIEW TO IMPROVING IT.

Decisions Rendered by Justice Burbidge in the Exchequer Court—Probability That Brennan, the Barrie Murderer, Will be Reprieved—Officers Want to Trade Jobs.

Ottawa, Jan. 11.

The Postmaster-General has decided to have a thorough investigation into the methods of keeping the accounts in his department. For this purpose he has brought down from Toronto two expert accountants, Messrs. W. H. Cross and W. F. Munro. They are thoroughly examining the books of the accountant's branch and will report to Mr. Mulock their views as to any improvements which may be made in keeping the accounts of the department. There is no insinuation of wrongdoing in this action on Mr. Mulock's part. All that he desires is to improve the departmental bookkeeping if such be possible.

The Trade and Commerce Department has received from the International Board of Customs the new tariffs of British Honduras, Portugal and Sierra Leone.

In the Exchequer Court to-day Justice Burbidge gave judgment in the Goodwin case. Mr. George Goodwin, contractor of the Soulanges Canal, sued the Government for about $74,000 in connection with his contract. The case was before the Exchequer Court some time ago, when judgment was given for $57,000, but it was sent back by the present Government for decision on certain legal questions reserved. In his judgment to-day Justice Burbidge decides against Mr. Goodwin. Judge Burbidge points out that the engineer's certificate did not state that the work was done to the satisfaction of the engineer in charge. Evidence was produced to show that the work was done to the engineer's satisfaction. In his own opinion, the judge said that the work was done to the satisfaction of the engineer. In the case of Murray v. the Queen, however, the Supreme Court expressed the opinion that a certificate was not valid, because it did not state that the work was done to the satisfaction of the engineer. The case, therefore, was not before him on its merits. Under section 33 of the contract it was provided that a dispute be referred to the Exchequer Court, and therefore it was referred to him under that clause. That being the case, he had to decide against the contractor. If it were before him on its merits he would have decided that the contractor was liable to recover. The decision reverses the judge's previous decision.

In the case of the Auer Incandescent Light Manufacturing Co. v. William M. O'Brien for infringement of their patent, in the manufacture of what is known as the Auer Lamp, the judge found that O'Brien's lamp was in its essential principles a reproduction of the other, which was of earlier patent. Therefore judgment was entered in full in favor of the suppliants.

Judgment was also given in Myles v. the Queen, a case arising upon a contract for the sale of certain timber to the Dominion Government. Plaintiffs reside in Toronto, and made the contract through T. M. Woodburn of Ottawa. Judgment was given for $425, distributed as follows: First, the Crown to be paid costs out of the amount; second, five per cent. of the $425 to go to Woodburn as his commission; third, the balance to Myles & Co.

Messrs. W. L. Hamilton, Inland Revenue Inspector of Kingston division, and J. K. Barrett, Inspector of Winnipeg district, are in the city with a view to exchange of position, if the consent of the Controller of Inland Revenue can be obtained. The applications are both made for private and personal reasons of the two officers. Mr. Hamilton's appointment dates from Dec. 7, 1868, and Mr. Barrett's from Sept. 5, 1873, respectively. Both are old and tried officers in their respective divisions.

The case of Michael Brennan, who was some months ago sentenced to be hanged for the murder of Mr. Strathy, a wealthy banker in Barrie, will be under consideration by council this week. The indications are that Brennan will be reprieved, as he is a dying man. He has been starving himself, and the effect of the two trials has been to place him in such a position mentally and physically that it was thought for months he would never live to see the scaffold. The report of a medical examination seems to justify the executive in the exercise of the prerogative.

Messrs. Fielding, Fisher and Paterson left for Guelph to-night.

Lieut.-Col. Borden, Minister of Militia, has returned from the Maritime Provinces.

Premier Greenway had a long interview with the Premier to-day. Mr. Laurier returned from Quebec yesterday.

The Government is making arrangements for the bye-election in South Brant. It is understood the election will be held on Feb. 4. The writ will probably be issued to-morrow.

A. E. Forget of the Indian Department, Regina, who has been in the city for the past few days, had an interview with Mr. Sifton to-day on matters affecting the department in the Northwest.

Sir Richard Cartwright left for Kingston Saturday evening, and will go from there to Guelph, where the Tariff Commission meets to-morrow.

Mr. Tucker, M.P., to-day secured an order for resumption of dredging in the St. John harbor, which was stopped by Mr. Tarte last week.

Chief Engineer Schreiber and Mr. Pottinger of the I.C.R. have gone to New York on business in connection with the Intercolonial Railway.

Dr. W. F. Scott was to-day elected Mayor of Hull by acclamation.

There is talk of sardine canning being tried on the Pacific Coast, and a wealthy concern, who have been looking over prospects on the British Columbia coast, are about erecting a sardine factory.

Dr. Wakeham left for Gaspe to-day on a brief holiday.

Hon. Thomas Greenway left for Toronto to-night.

Ex-Governor Hoard of Wisconsin was entertained at lunch by the Minister of Agriculture to-day. Among the guests were the Premier, Messrs. Blair, Davies and Sifton. In the evening Hon. Mr. Hoard was the guest of Their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberdeen at Government House. He leaves for Toronto to-morrow.

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THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand is limited, and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—To-day was dull. Offerings fair, but buyers held off. Red is quoted at 80c to 81c west, and white at 81c to 82c. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 98c Toronto freight, grinding in transit.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 1 quoted at 33c to 34c, No. 2 at 29c to 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and feed at 22c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are steady. White sold at 19c west, and mixed at 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady, with sales at 42c north and west and at 43c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 22½c to 23c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 23c to 24c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 35c on G.T.R. and at 37c east on C.P.R.

Oatmeal—The market is dull at $2.05 to $3.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 11.—Spring wheat, 7s 0½d to 7s 1½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2½d to 7s 3½d; corn, 2s 10½d; peas, 4s 0½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 26s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 6d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 52s.

London—Opening—Wheat on passage steadier. English country markets firm. Maize on passage steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures easy at 6s 9d for Jan., 6s 9¾d for Feb., 6s 10¼d for March and 6s 9½d for July. Maize easy at 2s 0¼d for Jan., 2s 0¾d for Feb. and March and 2s 10¼d for May. Flour, 24s 9d.

Paris—Wheat, 22f 60c for Feb.; flour, 47f 65c for Feb.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quiet and steady. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 22f 60c for Feb.; flour, 47f 65c for Feb.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 6s 8½d for Jan., 6s 9¼d for Feb., 6s 10¼d for March and April and 6s 9d for July. Maize quiet at 2s 0¼d for Jan., 2s 0½d for Feb., 2s 0¾d for March and April and 2s 1½d for May.

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Worshippers at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre Fight Desperately.

Constantinople, Jan. 10.—Official advices received here from Jerusalem show that there has been further trouble among the worshippers at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. It appears that the Roman Catholics were opposed to the members of the Orthodox Greek Church entering the church by a certain door on the eve of Jan. 6, the day observed by the Orthodox church as Christmas. The latter insisted upon their right to enter, and the result was that the two factions became involved in a serious fight, which did not end with the Turkish authorities intervened to restore order. Some of the combatants were badly injured, but it is not known whether anybody was killed.

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New Year's Silk Umbrellas
New Year's Kid Gloves
New Year's Lined Mitts
New Year's Dress Shirts
New Year's Collars and Cuffs
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NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

District L. O. L.

A meeting of the District Orange Lodge Lodge will be held this evening in Unity Hall, when officers for the year will be elected.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Annual Meeting.

The Children's Aid Society will hold its annual meeting on Friday afternoon at 3.30 in the council chamber, when officers for the year will be elected and other important business transacted, including the reading of the secretary's report. The general public is cordially invited to attend.

To-Night's Meeting.

A joint meeting of the members of the Council and Board of Trade will be held this evening, in the council chamber, to take into consideration the matter of offering inducements to a large firm of manufacturers, which intends moving its headquarters. Any of the citizens interested will be welcome at the meeting.

Fun With the Farmers.

The Joshua Simpkins Company put up a grand bill to a big house at the Opera House last night. Everybody was delighted with the orchestra which furnished a programme of high class musical selections, which was an entertainment in itself well worth the price of admission, leaving the remainder of a splendid programme as clear profit. The fun furnished by the farmers was fast and furious, the acting true to nature, the specialties, scenic, saltatory and vocal, touched high watermark all the way through the performance. With such a jolly lot of farmers the crop of fun is always good.

Furniture by Private Sale.

The handsome furniture and contents of Mr. P. Henry's residence, No. 318 Charlotte street, opposite Charlotte street Methodist church, is open for purchase by private sale—either in part or en bloc. Parties can view the furniture on and after Monday, January 11th, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 9 p.m., for one week. The furniture is all new and modern in design, having received comparatively little wear, and is well worthy the attention of housekeepers wishing to make additions to their furniture, or those about to start housekeeping. 6d5

Mace as a Masher.

Sometimes the ability to put up one's "fives" effectively, comes in handy. Jem Mace found this true when he first visited Canada. In those days visitors to Niagara Falls were robbed right and left, something that cannot happen since the Government took over the place. In those days there was at the Falls a sort of museum of curiosities to which the unsuspecting visitor was allowed free access, but when, having completed his inspection, he came to pass out, a dollar or two dollars was demanded according to the visitor's apparent ability to pay. If the visitor refused to be fleeced and gave trouble, a stalwart bully attached to the establishment, put in an appearance and to save a pommelling the victim paid the extortion. The game was tried on Mace when he visited the museum. He didn't pay. When the bully threatened to "break him in two" the champion dropped a half-ton punch on the bully's chin, knocking him through a glass cabinet and doing about a hundred dollars worth of damage to the curios it contained. "Jem" then retired unmolested.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

AN ODDFELLOW REMEMBERED.

Bro. W. F. Green, Pianist of Otonabee Lodge Presented With a Splendid P. G. Jewel.

Mr. W. F. Green has been the pianist of Otonabee Lodge I.O.O.F. for about fifteen years, and last evening his long and faithful service was recognized in the presentation to him of a handsome Gold Past Grand's jewel by the members of the lodge.

It was the occasion of the regular meeting, and when the order of "good and welfare" was reached the Noble Grand, Capt. J. W. Miller, called upon Bro. R. M. Roy, P.G., to perform the pleasant duty of making the presentation. He then read the following address:—

Bro. W. F. Green, P. G.:

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—We, the members of Otonabee Lodge, No. 13, I. O. O. F., cannot but appreciate the valuable services you have cheerfully and faithfully rendered for so many years as pianist and a valued adviser. The interest you have taken in the Lodge has made you dear to all the members. We desire to inform you that you efforts have been heartily appreciated. Our earnest wish is that you may long be spared to continue in the good work. We ask you therefore to accept this Past Grand's jewel as a slight token of the esteem of the entire lodge, assuring you that we cannot express our thanks as we would wish.

Signed on behalf of the Lodge,

J. W. MILLER, N. G.

Bro. Green was never so surprised since he rode the goat, but he briefly replied, thanking the members heartily for their splendid gift.

MLLE. VENDETTA DISAPPEARS.

The Pretty Little Fortune Teller Flits at Night.

For the past few weeks Mlle. Vendetta, a pretty little curly-headed brunette, has been holding seances at the Grand Central Hotel, and her callers were many.

During the evening dozens of ladies skipped quietly into the elevator and were whirled away up to the parlour to await their turn for an interview, and and an opportunity of ascertaining what the future held in store for them.

Mademoiselle Vendetta was accommodating, and professed to be able to foretell the future, either by physiognomy, palmistry, phrenology or occult science, but her patrons, or as they now style themselves, her victims, aver that guesswork had more to do with it than anything else. But, be this as it may, the mademoiselle quickly skipped the town the other night and spirited her baggage away with her.

Absorbed as she was in her chosen avocation of groping in the mysteries of the future, the apostle of occult science completely forgot to settle the board bill of either herself or her manager. Perhaps, if she had been alone, Mlle. Vendetta would have been forgiven this little act of forgetfulness, but a manager is supposed to be engrossed entirely with the prosaic business end of affairs and, therefore, the omission is credited to a desire to to evade the payment of the bill, and the proprietor of the Grand Central proposes to organize a "vendetta" amongst the provincial hotelkeepers against the combination which is trying to get the inside track to such an extent.

DISTRIBUTION OF CHARITY.

Mr. Davis Would Like to see the Ladies Take an Interest.

Chairman A. L. Davis, of the Charity Committee, has a good idea concerning the administration of the affairs of his committee. He is considering the feasibility of asking each minister in town to appoint two ladies from his congregation to act conjointly with the committee in the distribution of charity.

At present there are a number of deserving poor, who are at times in need of the town's charity and are not yet quite reduced to living on the municipality. Many of these will not ask for aid, but the ladies are generally acquainted with all such cases and can give a little assistance when needed without the publicity which would accompany similar help if extended by the Charity Committee.

There is also another class of poor who make a practice of living comfortably on the churches during the winter, and receive aid from nearly all of them. An idea as that of Mr. Davis would checkmate such tricks as these, as the ladies would meet together for consultation each week and would speedily discover any imposition of this nature.

A COUPLE OF ACCIDENTS.

Two Men Get Their Hands Badly Injured.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Path. Grady, an employee of the Canadian General Electric Company, met with an accident at the works whereby he lost his thumb and forefinger.

It seems that he was moving a heavy casting with a crane, and had his hand beneath it, when the rope broke, letting the casting down on the fingers of one of his hands, crushing them so badly as to necessitate the amputation of one of them, as well as his thumb.

One of the men working on the Nassau-Little Lake section of the Trent Valley Canal, was carving up some meat in the boarding house yesterday morning when he accidentally drew the knife across the back of his hand, cutting the tendons and laying open a gash as deep as the bone. A large amount of blood was lost before the man could be brought in to a doctor. Though painful, the wound is not considered as serious.

COUNTY COUNCIL RECOUNT.

Recount Before Judge Weller of the Votes in No. 2 or Bridgenorth Division—Mr. Fitzgerald Confirmed in His Seat.

The return of Mr. G. W. Fitzgerald as county councillor for No. 2 division—including North Monaghan, Smith and Ennismore, being by so small a majority over Mr. Forster—3—a recount was held before Judge Weller to-day at the Court House. Mr. John Burnham, Q.C., appeared for Mr. Forster, and Mr. G. W. Hatton for Mr. Fitzgerald. The result of the recount was to confirm Mr. Fitzgerald in his seat by a majority of 2. Mr. Forster gaining one on the recount. The recounted figures stand as follows:

Middleton	332
Fitzgerald	329
Forster	327
Orough	324

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer. Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 12,—6.30 a.m. ..... 6° below zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	25°	15° above

MAYOR YELLAND DINES THE COUNCIL.

AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS LAST NIGHT.

Auditors and School Trustees Were Appointed—A Large Crowd Sizes up the New Council—The Standing Committees for the Year.

At the meeting of the town council last night there were present the Mayor and Councillors Best, LePlante, Robertson, Denne, Mills, Davis, Dawson, Cobb, McWilliams, Meldrum, Graham, White.

There was a very large attendance of ratepayers present.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and referred as follows:

From J. J. Hartley, W. Aldridge, J. L. Hughes, Thos. B. McGrath, Thos. McKee, Geo. Wallace, applying for the position of assessors—Received.

From the Town Treasurer, showing the receipts during the past month to be $49,719.93, and the expenditure $16,631.27; the balance in the Ontario Bank being $10,591.61—Received.

From the Board of Trade enclosing a resolution concerning the advisability of collecting the taxes in two half yearly payments—Received.

From the Board of Education, asking exemption of the "Mensies property" now used as a school—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From the Board of Education, enclosing a copy of the estimates for 1897—Received.

From the Underwriter's Association, inquiring if the deficiencies enumerated in the last report had been remedied.—Referred to the Fire, Water and Light Committee.

From F. H. Burke asking remission of dog tax.—Granted on applicant taking the usual declaration.

From Elmison & Dixon, again calling the council's attention to Mrs. Elizabeth Chatten's claim for injuries caused by a fall from an alleged incomplete sidewalk.—Referred to the Legal Committee.

From Mrs. Marks asking for remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

ACCOUNTS

were received and referred to the Finance Committee as follows:

Dickson Co.	$30 77
T Williams	1 50
Wm English Canoe Co	2 10
Light & Power Co	60
"	20
"	13 40
"	80
B Shartly	5 70
Peter Hamilton Co	61 72
Clarke & Gibson	75
G N Brown	4 00
R H Neal & Co	1 00
Jas Bogue	10 29
Light & Power Co	2 80
Harper Printing Co	7 75
Micks & Cox	4 10
J W Moore & Co	3 00
J W Moore & Co	5 00
C P R Telegraph	75
Dominion Express Co	20
Review	55 68
H Wells	6 50
J Jobe	2 25
Bell Telephone Co	30
"	110 00
"	30 00
Alex Elliott	2 00
Wm Hetherington	41 50
Geo Carton	15 00
Jas Smith	1 00
J Haggart	15 50
F J R Mitchell	9 00
J W Brisbin	7 00
D Belleghem	5 00
W Logan	21 20
Mrs Dunford	1 00
C C Canscius	5 25
W G Fowler	9 00
Jas Edgecumbe	3 50

On motion of Councillors White and Cobb, Mr. Haggart's account was ordered to be paid.

THE STANDING COMMITTEES.

Councillor McWilliams submitted the report of the "Striking Committee" as appended:

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Peterborough:

GENTLEMEN,—Your Special Committee appointed to draft the Standing Committees beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

Finance—Denne, Best, Neill, White, Meldrum.

Sewerage—Best, McWilliams, Dawson, Meldrum, Denne, Graham.

Streets and Bridges—McWilliams, Meldrum, Best, Denne, Dawson, Graham.

Fire, Water and Light—White, Davis, Best, Graham, Dawson.

Court of Revision—Neill, LePlante, Graham, Robertson, Cobb.

Charity—Davis, LePlante, Cobb, Meldrum.

License—LePlante, Cobb, Robertson, Graham, Neill.

Printing—Cobb, Meldrum, Robertson, Dawson, White.

Manufacturers and Railways—Meldrum, Davis, Neill, McWilliams, Best.

Appointments and Supervision of Police—Dawson, Davis, Best, McWilliams, White.

Property and Health—Graham, Robertson, Dawson, LePlante, Denne.

Market—Robertson, LePlante, Denne, Meldrum, Dawson.

Joint Committee—Davis, McWilliams, Best, Meldrum, Dawson, Neill.

Legal—McWilliams, Davis, Meldrum, Best.

2. That the usual grant of $350 be made to the Mayor to meet contingent expenses of his office.

3. That $300 be applied for contingent expenses of chairmen of committees to be paid on the authority of the Mayor and the chairman of the Finance Committee on receiving a statement of expenses from the chairman of any committee.

That the first name mentioned be the chairman on each committee.

Councillor Neill objected to the sum of $300 being set aside as a fund upon which the chairman could draw at pleasure. He also thought that $300 was enough for the Mayor. He stated that he had been elected on the promise to practise economy in the council and he proposed to start in at once.

Councillor McWilliams explained that the fund was well guarded. If a chairman wished to draw on it his account had first to be passed by the Finance Committee as any other account. The system was not a new one but had been established by a previous council. It was not necessary that the whole $300 be spent, but it was well to have such an amount as a contingent fund.

Councillor Meldrum thought that $400, equally divided, would be ample for the Mayor and chairman of committees.

The Mayor was of the opinion that the discussion probably arose out of the report that he had used the $250 for his own purposes last year, but he wished to state that it and a good deal more had gone out of his pocket in the way of incidental expenses connected with the office which he held.

Councillor Best explained that every account brought in by a chairman of a committee had to have a proper voucher attached to it, and that the fund therefore could not be drawn upon indiscriminately. Each account had to be passed by the Finance Committee. If a councillor gave his services to the town free he thought that was enough, without forcing him to go down into his pocket for incidental expenses.

Councillor Neill withdrew his objection on hearing the explanation.

Councillor Dawson introduced the bylaw for the appointment of school trustees to fill the vacancies caused by retiring trustees. Seconded by Councillor Cobb, he moved that Dr. Caldwell and Mr. W. G. Ferguson be re-appointed.

Councillors McWilliams and Denne moved that Messrs. Benj Shortly and Adam Hall be re-appointed members of the Board of Health.

Both motions were incorporated in the same bylaw which was passed.

RESOLUTIONS.

Councillor Dawson rose to state that, as labour was scarce, the corporation employees had a hard time in getting along unless their wages were given them at shorter intervals. He would like to see them paid every week instead of fortnightly.

Councillor Cobb stated that he had a motion ready dealing with the subject and, seconded by Councillor Dawson, moved that the corporation labourers be paid once a week instead of every two weeks, as at present.—Carried.

Councillors McWilliams and Cobb moved that the Street and Bridge Committee be authorized to advertise for tenders for 500 or more cords of stone for street purposes and to award the contract therefor, tenders to be received from ratepayers only.

Councillor Meldrum objected to the power being given to any committee to award contracts. It was setting a bad precedent. Seconded by Councillor Neill he moved that the committee report before the tenders be awarded.

Councillor Denne thought the contract should be awarded at once, as the council might not meet for a month.

Councillor Dawson also thought the matter should be settled immediately as the men were all waiting for work.

Councillor Davis was quite satisfied, as a business man, to trust the awarding of the contract to the personnell of the committee.

Councillor McWilliams, however, stated if there was any objection to his motion he was quite willing to have it amended, and the committee will accordingly report to a special meeting of the council, to be called as soon as possible.

Councillors Meldrum and White moved that the council meet in committee of the whole to-morrow evening to meet the representatives of an industry which is meditating moving its headquarters.—Carried.

Councillors Best and Denne moved that a vote of thanks be tendered to the retiring members of the past council as an acknowledgment of their efforts in performing their full share of the duties imposed upon them as representatives of the council.—Carried.

The council then adjourned to partake of the hospitality of the Mayor, who had ordered an oyster supper to be prepared at Melrose's restaurant.

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15 only, worth 65c, to go at	40c

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NIGHT GOWNS.

25 lovely Night Gowns, worth 75c, to go at	45c
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10 nicely trimmed Night Gowns, worth $1, to go at	60c

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25 White Skirts, worth 75c, to go at	40c
35 White Skirts, worth 90c, to go at	55c
25 White Skirts, worth $1 to $1.25, to go at	75c
10 White Skirts, worth $1.50, to go at	$1 00

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LOCAL NEWS.

Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

The annual meeting of the Y. W. C. A. will be held in their rooms to-night at 8 o'clock. All ladies interested in our work are cordially invited to be present.

LAKEFIELD CARNIVAL.

A Fancy Dress Carnival will be held in Lakefield Skating Rink, on Friday, January 22nd.

Natural Science Association.

The meeting of the Natural Science Association, which was to be held this evening in the Collegiate Institute, has been postponed until the evening of the 21st inst. Rev. Rev. Mr. Symonds, of Ashburnham, and Mr. Sorsoleil, of the South Central staff, have prepared excellent papers. Further announcement next week.

New Furniture,

At A. Clegg's:—A large assortment of floor rocker cobler seats, in oak, natural birch and mahogany finish. These are of superior styles and finish and very cheap. Also a lot of reed and rattan rockers—cheap! cheap! Several cases of pictures, good subjects, complete, at less than you have been accustomed to pay for frames only. A. CLEGG. 427 George street.

A Heavy Loss

Mr. James Hicks, formerly reeve of Harvey, who moved out to Balgonie, Assiniboia, some eight years ago, has had the misfortune to have his entire crop burned. The barn, out-buildings and machinery were also consumed. He was only able to rescue one horse and four pigs. In a letter received he considers his loss to be about $1,200.

Just Arrived.

We have imported for your special benefit a choice lot of British Columbia canned Salmon, Cross & Blackwell's celebrated English pickles. Sardines in oil; also in mustard. We have the finest line of groceries obtainable always in stock. A call will not disappoint either you or E. BROWN & Co., 308 George street.

P.S.—We have made special arrangements to handle Gooderham & Worts' whiskey on draught.

The Annuals Nearly All Gone.

Bear in mind that we have a very limited supply of Sunday at Home and Leisure Hour—latest editions. If you wish to secure a copy at half price, namely $ 100, come at once to the Peterborough Book Store, or telephone No. 235, and we will send you a copy. Girls' Own, "Our Darlings," $1.00, for 25c, are just about closed out—the price sells them. You cannot get better, cheaper or more interesting reading for less money. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

M. L. Henry & Co. to Their Customers

The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to use our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their accounts without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

Better To-day Than Yesterday.

Edward Atkinson, the Economist, says that 90 per cent. of the business of the country is of such a nature that it must be done whether the times are good or bad. The man who slows down or closes up simply leaves his competitor that much more business. He who stops advertising withdraws himself from the channels of trade, and no one who is really in business should be asked to pay any attention to his croaking about hard times, but should make a better effort to-day than he did yesterday.

$3.50 $3.50
This is our Special Price for Fashionably Cut, Well Trimmed and Hand-Tailored Trousers
$3.50
During our Annual January Inventory Taking Sale now on. Excellent Remnants for Boy's Suits.
$3.50 $3.50
Mercer's

ASHBURNHAM COUNCIL INAUGURAL MEETING.

MR. FRANK ADAMS MAKES HIS DEBUT AS REEVE.

The Village Council Down to Business—A Large Number of Communications Received — Appointments Made—Economy the Watchword—Other Business Transacted.

The first meeting of the Ashburnham council for the year 1897 was held in the town hall last evening. There were present Reeve Frank Adams, in the chair, and Councillors Morgan Rutherford, Johnston and Smith.

There was also a large number of the ratepayers present, who evinced a deep interest in the proceedings.

Reeve Adams addressed the meeting before the business of the evening was taken up. He was pleased to see so many ratepayers present, and hoped that their interest in the village affairs would not wane during the year. It was, he continued, the intention of the council to pursue a policy of economy during the year. The reeve then dealt with the financial statement of the village as presented on Dec. 15th, and stated that the present council would start with a current liability of $2,000 against them, but if the affairs of the village were conducted on an economical basis during the year, he felt confident that this sum would be greatly reduced.

The following

COMMUNIDATIONS

were received:

From Walter J. Patterson, applying for position of assessor for 1897.

From Mr. T. B. Croly applying for position of assessor for 1897.

From Henry Thompson applying for the position of assessor for 1897.

From A. D. Russell applying for position as auditor for the year 1897.

From Andrew J. Mather applying for position as auditor for 1897.

From B. M. Eden applying for the position of assessor for 1897.

From John H. Mowry applying for the position of assessor for the 1897.

From John C. Wright applying for the position of collector for the year 1897.

From Wm. Campbell offering to supply dog tags for the village at $5 per hundred.

From Wm. Cook, applying for the position of road inspector, health officer, etc., at a salary of $300 per year.

From J. A. McWilliams, applying for the position of road inspector, etc., at a salary of $263 per year.

From Thos. Mitchell applying for the position of road inspector, etc., at a salary of $225 per year.

From Wm. Frith offering to purchase stone in gravel pit for $8. The council decided to use this stone on streets.

APPOINTMENTS.

Moved by Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr. Morgan, that Mr. A. D. Russell be appointed auditor for the village for the present year at a salary of $8. The Reeve appointed Thos. Q. Quartermaine as the other auditor at the same salary.

On motion of Messrs. Smith and Johnston, Mr. John T. Wright was appointed collector at the same salary as last year—$80.

On motion of Messrs. Morgan and Rutherford, Mr. Harry Thompson was appointed assessor at a salary of $75.

The bylaw appointing these officers was read and passed by the council.

ACCOUNTS.

On motion of Messrs. Johnston and Smith, the following accounts were ordered to be paid:

T Fitzgerald	$ 2 50
Times Printing Co	12 40
Electric expenses	24 60
T Bamlesse	2 00
J C Sullivan	1 50
Arc Lights	165 00
Gas account	1 80
	$210 60

A MERCHANT'S MISTAKE.

Councillor Johnston at this juncture rose and stated he had learned that an account had passed through the council, presented by Mr. Craig, which the council had no right to pay, as the article mentioned in the account was not procured by the village. He merely brought the matter before the council for investigation.

Mr. John Craig, sr., who was present, indignantly denied the charge, and stated that while he was ill an account (which should have been presented to him) was, by mistake, sent to the council before being certified by him. The mistake, it appears, was made by a town merchant, and not by Mr. Craig, who promised a satisfactory explanation at the next meeting.

MONTHLY STATEMENT.

The treasurer was instructed to prepare a monthly statement of the receipts and expenditures of the village for presentation to the council.

CHARITY COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

Moved by Messrs. Smith and Johnston that the mover and seconder be appointed the Charity Committee for the North Ward, and Messrs. Morgan and Rutherford for the South Ward, and members of the committe sign all orders.—Carried.

STREET AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE.

On motion of Messrs. Smith and Morgan the whole council will constitute the Street and Bridge Committee with Mr. Rutherford as chairman.

GUARDIANS OF VILLAGE PROPERTY.

On motion of Messrs. Rutherford and Smith, Messrs. Morgan and Johnston were appointed to look after village property.

A QUESTION OF BONDS.

Mr. Smith made enquiries regarding the tenders for snow ploughing, and if any contract had been made, and also if the proper bonds were signed.

Mr. Rutherford in reply stated that the gentlemen tendering had promised to sign proper agreements, and also had procured reliable bondsmen.

On motion of Messrs. Smith and Rutherford, the Clerk was instructed to prepare the necessary contract and bond for the contractors for snow ploughing, and that the parties thereto subscribe to the same before any money is paid on the respective contracts.

A TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT.

On motion of Messrs. Rutherford and Morgan, Mr. Craig was retained as road inspector, etc., to 31st Jan., 1897, the position to be declared vacant after that date.

THE FIRE PROTECTION MATTER.

This knotty question was again the subject for discussion, Messrs. Smith and Johnston being the principal speakers. As the late council had decided, at a meeting held during the past year, to pay over to the town the sum of $200 for fire protection, it was resolved, on motion of Messrs. Rutherford and Smith, that the treasurer be instructed to issue a cheque to the town of Peterborough for $200, as payment in full for fire protection to the 31st Dec., 1896.

ELECTRIC LIGHT CONTRACT.

On motion of Messrs. Johnston and Smith, Messrs. Rutherford and Johnston was appointed a committee to get rates for new contract for lighting purposes for the village.

THAT VILLAGE TELEPHONE.

On motion of Messrs. Morgan and Rutherford the clerk was instructed to notify the Telephone Company that the village would not be responsible for the telephone after the month of February, 1897.

Before adjournment the reeve thanked the ratepayers for turning out, and expressed the wish that he would see them present at every meeting.

The new council evidently means to apply the pruning knife in municipal affairs, judging by their remarks at last evening's meeting, and the large number present showed their approval of the proposed policy by frequent and hearty hand clapping.

OBITUARY.

The Late Mrs. Francis Crowe, of Dummer.

On the 2nd of January, Mrs. Mary Ann Crowe, relict of the late Francis Crowe, entered into rest at the age of 78 years. The deceased lady was a native of Cornwall, England. She came to this country in 1832, and was united in married to Mr Francis Crowe, who died about 20 years ago, and was for nineteen years reeve of the township of Dummer. Since his death Mrs. Crowe has lived with her son, Richard, on the homestead farm, where she resided at the time of her demise. Mrs. Crowe left behind her a large number of descendants—five sons and five daughters, forty-six grandchildren, and forty-five great grandchildren. The daughters are: Mrs. Wm. Darling, Mrs. John Hughes, Mrs. John Carveth, and Mrs. John Miles, Dummer; and Mrs. W. H. Hunter, Norwood. The sons are Messrs. Christopher, William, J. J., Richard and Joseph Crowe, all of the township of Dummer.

In love she lived,
In peace she died,
Her life was asked,
But God denied.

The mortal remains of Mrs. Crowe were laid at rest on Monday, Jan. 4th, in the old cemetery on the third line of Dummer, being followed to their last resting place by a large concourse of mourning relatives and sympathising friends.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

Local curlers received a great drubbing yesterday at the hands of the Lindsay "knights of the stone." In a six rink contest they overwhelmingly defeated Peterborough on every rink except two. The score was as follows:

IN PETERBOROUGH.

Lindsay.	*Peterborough.*
RINK NO. 1.	
R A Millar,	C Mathews,
F Walters,	D W Dumble,
J McSweyn, jr.	W Salisbury.
J D Flavelle, skip...32	T P Atrill, skip.....10
RINK NO. 2.	
M Sisson,	Geo Giroux,
D McGibbin,	W L Allen,
F Crandell	H M Allen,
G A Little, skip 13...13	J Connal, skip.....24
RINK NO. 3.	
G H M Baker,	E H D Hall,
B F Reesor,	W Mason,
T McConnell,	R S Davidson,
W Nesbitt, skip....32	G W Hatton, skip.....7
IN LINDSAY.	
RINK NO. 1.	
M McSweyn,	C LeGros,
W Widdes,	A Blade,
B Knowlson,	E Rutherford,
M Kennedy, skip...27	G J Hopkins, skip....18
RINK NO. 2.	
H Cuthbert,	H Snowden,
Williamson	C N Brown,
F Knowlson,	D Davidson,
N McMillan, skip. 18	S Ray, skip.....21
RINK NO. 3.	
Boxall,	W H Meredith,
Anderson,	J S Knapman,
Keith,	Geo Brown,
Ferguson, skip.....25	R H Kells, skip.....17
Total.....148	Total.....97

Majority for Lindsay, 51 shots.

In Lindsay the Peterborough rinks were all well in the lead by the time the game was two-thirds over, but in the last half dozen the Lindsay men pulled themselves together and came out on top.

In Peterborough Skips Hatton and Atrill played in very hard look and their opponents ran away from them at the very start. Skip Connal had a good close game for the first half, but pulled away at the latter end and won very handily.

It is to be hoped that in the return match the Peterborough curlers will retrieve the loss.

HOCKEY.

A telegram was received to-day from the Royal Military College hockey team, Kingston, defaulting in both games which it was scheduled to play against the Peterboroughs. The local management, therefore, is making arrangements to bring in the strongest out of the town aggregation in order that the boys can have a good practice game before running up against Queens.

The defaultcation of the R. M. C's will enable the seniors to considerably strengthen the Intermediate and Junior teams for their first games.

A hockey team composed of lacrosse players goes up to Lakefield for a game on Thursday night.

Havelock has a fine large rink and will organize a hockey and curling club.

Half an acre of the Riverside Park rink will be surrounded by a low board partition and reserved for hockey games.

For to-night's practice the following players are called out:

Dixon	goal	Hopkins
Glover	point	D Davidson
Tobrue	cover point	Borland
Grubbe	forwards	McGachen
King		Comstock
Crossley		Watt
Beglehem		Rubidge

There will be a referee at each night's practice to prevent off side play.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Have You Seen It?

The little store around the corner? south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 436 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—MRS. APPLEBY. dw

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Canadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

PUBLIC INSTALLATION.

Court Little John, C.O.F., Entertains its Friends.

The newly elected officers of Court Little John, Canadian Order of Foresters, were publicly installed last evening, in the S.O.E. Hall, Hunter street. The interesting ceremony was conducted by Mr. F. J. Jameson, of the Executive Committee, assisted by Mr. Joseph Saunders, acting as High Marshall.

Invitations had been issued to the members and their friends and there was a very large attendance. At the conclusion of the installation Bro. Jameson was called to the chair and made a few remarks on the progress of the Order, stating that Canadian Forestry had now become a household word throughout the length and breadth of the county, where its benefits were known in almost every home. The following programme was then introduced:

PROGRAMME.

Flute Solo	Mr Butcher
Song	Bro G W Mulligan
Reading	Bro Dr Clarke
Address	Bro H Nesbitt
Song	Mr. H Edmondson
Song	Bro G W Mulligan

God Save the Queen.

When the programme had been concluded those present were invited to partake of a bountiful oyster supper, which was served in one of the ante rooms. So pleasing an entertainment was furnished that the guests of the evening before adjourning voted their hosts "jolly good fellows."

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—A little snow would be gratefully received.

—The mosquitos were not biting hard this morning.

—A shawl is awaiting an owner at the police station.

—Mr. T. Cavanagh shipped three carloads of horses to Montreal yesterday.

—Mr. Mulligan's class will begin work on the cantata "Ruth," by Arthur A. Gaul, this evening. The cantata will be presented in March next.

—Mr. John Martin, says the Havelock Standard, was in town on Tuesday looking up cord wood for the firm with which he is connected in Peterborough.

—Mr. Grant, sewer contractor, well known in Peterborough, met with a very heavy loss by the caving in of 50 feet of sewer excavation in London, Ont.

—A young fellow named Bonner, who lives with Mr. Peoples, ex-reeve of Belmont, accidentally shot himself while loading a revolver on Wednesday night. The shot went through his hand.

—Don't miss the grand athletic entertainment in the opera house to-night. Jem Mace, the retired champion of the world will box four rounds with John F. Scholes. Other champion pugilists will also appear. This will be the greatest exhibition of the manly art ever given in Peterborough. The prices have been reduced to 25, 35 and 50c.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Wm. McFarlane, of the Carleton House, Young's Point, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Court King returned to Montreal last night, where he will resume his studies at McGill University.

Alderman Allen, of Kingston, who was this year re-elected by acclamation, is in town renewing old acquaintances.

Miss Maud Graham of Peterborough, says the Havelock Standard, has been visiting friends at the Graham House.

Mr. James Duff, of Brandon, Manitoba, is on a visit to this vicinity, the guest of his mother, Mrs. James Duff, Lakefield.

Mr. W. A. Shaw has been re-appointed agent for the celebrated Newcombe piano for the territory between Toronto and Smith's Falls on the C.P.R., and Toronto and Gananoque on the Grand Trunk. Mr. Shaw has placed a large number of pianos during the past year, and his re-appointment by such an enterprising company is in itself a high recommendation of his abilities.

Rubbing It In.

Never use a liniment for rheumatism, says a high medical authority. Do'nt rub it in—drive it out. Take something that removes the acid poison from the blood—take something that will improve your digestion, and build up the body to the perfection of robust health. That "something" is Scott's Sarsaparilla, a medicine that obtains the best results in the shortest time. $1, of all druggists.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5 50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

THE LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY COMPANY.
The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the Little Lake Cemetery will be held at the
Town Council Chamber, Peterborough,
—ON—
MONDAY, 18th JANUARY INST.
at Three P. M., for the purpose of Electing Directors for the present year, the presentation of the Financial Statement and Reports of the past year, and the transaction of other necessary business.
E. A. PECK, SECRETARY. HENRY DENNE, M.D. PRESIDENT.
Dated the 9th day of January, 1897.

PANTS....
Best Scotch Tweeds, new designs and colours, made to order, perfect fit, for $4.00. The same Goods sell in Toronto for $5.00—This is a snap.
Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for.. $3.00
No better value ever offered. Suitings of all kinds—Heavy and Fine Cloths for Overcoatings. Also on hand—New Silk Scarfs, Gloves, Collars, Underwear for Gents, etc., etc.
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DR. RYERSON,
EYE, EAR AND THROAT
60 College Street, Toronto
May be consulted at Oriental Hotel Peterborough, Saturday, Jan. 30th.
HOURS—11.30 to 4.

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TALBOT BROS. CIGARS
Are all well-known brands with a good reputation. We don't handle "Pride-of-the-Gutter" or "Undertaker's Delight," or "Early Yorks." We allow no brands into our stock that the makers allow the quality to run down. OUR BIG 4 COMBINATION is having a great run—4 Ten Cent Bouquet Flavoured Cigars for only a Quarter. Take your pick of any of these:—
The Roseberry, William Pitt, Dunraven, El Cello, Irving, Dias Garcias and the Chamberlain, the new popular 10c Cigar Out. 4 for 25c.
If you think of riding a Bicycle this year, we will have a great big snap for you in the "STEARNS"—the Champion wheel of the crowd.
The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough. Sign of the Indian Queen. TALBOT BROS.

DRESS GOODS! DRESS GOODS!
W. W. JOHNSTON
Will have a special sale of Dress Goods of the D. O. LeGendre Stock
Commencing SATURDAY, January 9th.
Included in the sale is a nice lot of those New Wrapperettes, the most fashionable goods in the market for Ladies Wrappers, which will be sold at 10c per yard, usually sold at 15c.
There is a splendid stock of Black and Coloured All Wool Dress Goods, in all the different Fabrics.
Also received Two Thousand Dollars worth of Furs, the balance of the Bankrupt Stock of the noted furrier Joseph Rogers, Toronto. These goods are not intended to be placed in competition with the fag end of the Lugedin and other stocks lately brought to town by a local furrier. All are invited to call and see our stock.
NOTE THE PLACE, 323 George St., Opposite Market Arcade.
W. W. JOHNSTON.

THE HOUSEKEEPER'S CHANCE.
We Wan't Your Gold and Will Pay You Well For it.
These.. TEAS Will Please You
The prices will make you happy. We're selling lots of goods below the market these days. In order to unload a big stock of Teas we will sell for the next 30 days at wholesale prices:—
50c Tea at 35c per lb.
40c Tea at 30c per lb.
30c Tea at 22½c per lb.
25c Tea at 20c per lb.
or 2 lbs. for 35c.
Soaps at 6 Bars for 25c.
Canned Salmon (a1) 10c can
Corn, Tomatoes,
Beans, Peas,
4 cans either, 25c.
These prices are cash and cash only. The goods are all fresh and fine stock. Just as long as water runs down hill will we continue to keep our wheel in the stream.
THOS. BRADY Corner Brock and George Streets.
N. B.—Outstanding accounts must be paid, as we require a large sum within the next thirty days. Brady's need is the housekeeper's opportunity.

SKATES!
Favourite styles—popular prices—including a lot of Spring Skates at less money. See our Hockey Skate with Improved Reinforced Front and Heel, guaranteed against breakage.
HOCKEY CLUB STICKS.
We are right in line with the newest puck-blocking and goal capturing Hockey Sticks of the season. Come and see them, boys.
MICKS & COX
Hunter St., Nearly Opposite the Post Office.

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Weekly Special:
FULL OF INTEREST TO EVERY CAREFUL HOUSEKEEPER
Special Sale of Teas.
We have a large stock of teas on hand which must be cleared out regardless of cost. FINE JAPAN TEAS: Regular price 50c, our price 40c; regular price 40c, our price 30c; regular price 30c, our price 25c; regular price 25c, our price 20c.
Sugars.
We give you more pounds of Sugar for $1 than you can get at any other store in town.
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Four cans of Tomatoes, Peas, Corn or Beans for 25c.
Rice, Tapioca and Sago.
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In fact everything you need in the Grocery line. We sell for CASH and cash only, therefore we are in a position to sell you goods cheaper than a store doing a credit business.
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A LITTLE COUGH but it may develop into some serious malady.
Only
A LITTLE DELAY but it may make all the difference in the world to you in your health.
Madill's Pulmonic Cough Syrup
Is guaranteed to cure or money refunded.
25c. and 50c. PER BOTTLE.
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GOLD MEDAL AT THE WORLD'S FAIR.

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CANADA'S BIG BUSINESS.

THE DOMINION POSTAL AND MONEY ORDER SYSTEM.

Sketch of Its Development and Voluminous Though Interesting Statistics of the Work Done—Growth of the Service—Facts as to Registered Letters and Money Orders.

In the year 1851 an Act of the Imperial Parliament transferred the management of the postal systems in the colonies of British North America to the various provincial authorities, and from that date until Confederation each province controlled its own system under its own laws and regulations. Shortly after Confederation, however, the Postoffice Act came into effect, establishing uniform rates and regulations for the Dominion.

These regulations, which since that date have changed from time to time, are now as follows: General letter rate, 3 cents per ounce or under; letters for local delivery, where there is a free delivery, 2 cents per ounce or under; letters for local delivery, where not delivered free, 1 cent per ounce or under; registration fee, 5 cents; letter cards, 3 cents; postcards, 1 cent; newspapers, books, etc., generally 1 cent per 4 ounces; parcels, 6 cents per 4 ounces; fifth-class matter (parcels open to inspection), 1 cent per ounce.

In the year 1875 an agreement was made with the United States, whereby a common rate of postage between the two countries was adopted, each country retaining all money collected, and no accounts being kept between the two Postoffice Departments with regard to international correspondence. Later, in 1888, another agreement was made, specially providing for the establishment of an exchange of general articles of merchandise, open to inspection, between the two countries, subject to certain regulations for the protection of customs with respect to articles liable to duty. All the principal provisions, however, of the agreement of 1875 were retained. The internal postage rates of each country generally govern, and official correspondence entitled to pass free in one country is delivered free in the other.

The Universal Postal Union was formed at a conference held at Berne in 1874, and a treaty was signed in that year, the countries represented being the several countries of Europe, the United States and Egypt. The object of the union was to form all the countries of the world into a single postal territory, and to establish uniform reduced rates of postage, and to further the interchange of correspondence by arranging that every country should be bound to convey the mails of other countries by its land or sea services at the lowest possible rates. The next Postal Congress was held in Paris in 1878, when the Dominion of Canada was admitted a member from the following 1st July. Letters, newspapers and other printed matter, samples and patterns became subject to uniform postal rates and regulations for all places in Europe and for all other countries that were members of the union. The existing postal arrangements with the United States were allowed to remain undisturbed, being of a more liberal and advantageous character than the ordinary regulations of the treaty. At this meeting the regulations of the treaty of 1874 were revised and embodied in a convention which came into force 1st April, 1879.

The third congress was held in Lisbon in 1885, but no material change was made. The fourth congress was held in Vienna, 1891, when the admission of the Australasian colonies was agreed upon, and a number of measures, all tending to facilitate the transmission of correspondence, were agreed upon.

The Universal Postal Union now includes almost every civilized country in the world, being composed of the following: The whole of Europe, the whole of America; in Asia—Russia in Asia, Turkey-in-Asia, Persia, British India, Burmah, Ceylon and the postal establishments at Aden, Muscat and Guadar, Japan, Siam, the European colonies and the European and Japanese postal establishments in China and Corea; in Africa—Egypt, Algeria, Tripoli, Tunis, Liberia, Congo Free State, the Azores, Madeira, the European colonies, the Orange Free State, the Transvaal and all the territories under the protectorate of Germany and the French postal establishment in Madagascar; in Australasia and Oceanica—the British colonies, Tasmania, New Zealand, Fiji, British and German New Guinea, Hawaii, the Marshall Islands and the French, Dutch and Spanish colonies.

A central office has been established at Berne at the cost of the various countries comprising the union. At the time that the treaty of Berne came into effect (1875) the jurisdiction of the union extended over an area of 14,293,700 square miles, with more than 350 millions of inhabitants, whereas it now extends over an area of 39,372,000 square miles and 1,035,000,000 inhabitants. The population of the whole world is less than a billion and a half.

The number of pieces of postal matter distributed over the whole area of the union during 1893 was computed as follows: 8201 millions of letters, 1898 millions of postal cards, 5899 millions of papers, printed matter and official documents, 143 millions of samples, 44 millions of registered letters with a declared value of $8,028,400,000, 307 millions of money orders and postal credits with a value of $3,061,752,000, making the enormous total of 17,778 millions of pieces of mail matter. The prevailing rates among Postal Union countries are 5 cents per 1-2 ounce and under for letters, 2 cents for postal cards and 1 cent per 2 ounces for newspapers, books, etc. The registration fee is 5 cents.

On account of the enormous stretches of country over which the mail has to be delivered at the ordinary rates the Government of Canada found itself behind in the Postoffice Department to the extent of $800,000, the total net revenue being $2,792,790, and the total expenditure $3,593,647. The same trouble has confronted the postoffice authorities of the United States, as in only ten of the States are the posal revenues in excess of the expenditure.

The following sums were expended for carrying the mails: By rail, $1,241,115; by land, $844,118; by steamers, $79,856. The department has postal contracts with 48 railways, whose combined length is 14,463 miles. It uses 157 postal cars of which 53 are on the Grand Trunk, 50 on the Canadian Pacific and 18 on the Intercolonial. The daily distance travelled is 30,436 miles. The total distance travelled in 1895 was 14,836,735 miles.

The correspondence between Canada and China and Japan consisted last year of 179,993 letters, 77,488 newspapers, 652 pounds of parcels, and miscellaneous articles to the number of 61,049. With the Australian colonies the mail communication resulted in the transmission of 148,729 letters, 313,525 newspapers, 206,916 books and samples.

At Confederation there were only 3638 postoffices in Canada. There are now 8832. The first year of Confederation 704,700 registered letters were sent; last year 3,133,200 registered letters were sent. The total letters posted in 1868 were 18,100,000; in 1895 they numbered 107,565,000. Postcards were used in the year 1876 to the number of 4,646,000. Last year no less than 24,025,000 of them were sent by mail. According to the population there were 5.27 letters to every head of population; in 1889 there were 10.86 letters per head; in 1890 there were 19.63 letters per head, and in 1895 21.16 letters per head.

Newspapers, periodicals, books, circulars, parcels, etc., to the number of 5.6 per head of population went through the mails in 1868. Last year 18.92 per head of population were handled, or a total number of 96,176,206.

Of the total 107,565,000 letters sent in 1895, Ontario people wrote 57,900,000, or more than one-half. This is at the rate of 26 letters per head of population. Quebec sent letters at the rate of 15 per head; Nova Scotia, 17; New Brunswick, 17; Prince Edward Island, 11; British Columbia, 27, and Manitoba and Northwest Territories 25. Out of a total of 3,183,200 registered letters Ontario sent 1,750,000.

During the whole period since Confederation the postal revenue has been always considerably under the expenditure. Each of the past twenty years has shown a deficit of from $400,000 to $800,000.

The sum of $16,154 was paid during last year in money on letters delivered. Rents of letter boxes and drawers produced $27,698. Commissions on money orders amounted to $107,085, and profit on exchange on money order business with other countries to $1815. Among the items of expenditure it appears that postmasters received $905,369; stamp vendors made $17,325, and that there were losses by fire and burglaries to the extent of $3278.

In 1868 the conveyance of mails over 10,622,216 miles cost per mile 5 1-10 cents, and the transmission of 36,984,800 letters, newspapers, etc., cost 1 4-10 cents apiece. In 1895 the conveyance of mails over 30,351,115 miles cost 7 2-10 cents per mile, and the transmission of 227,766,206 letters, newspapers, etc., 9-10 of a cent apiece, so that there is a decrease in the cost of carrying each article of about one-half cent. And in connection with this it must be considered that if newspapers were carried now at the old rate of 1 cent per pound a sum of probably not less than 160,000 would be added to the revenue each year.

The system of free delivery of letters by carriers in the principal cities was commenced in 1875, and last year the total number delivered thus was: Letters and postcards, 38,083,749; newspapers, 13,734,474. The number of carriers employed was 836.

Last year 2,153,200 registered letters were posted in Canada. Of this number 164 failed to reach their destination. No less than 28,158 of those re-

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MONTREAL NEWS NOTES.

Who Will Succeed Sir Joseph Hickson?—Mr. Cook's Hard Luck—Dan Sheehan Arrested.

Montreal, Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The question amongst banking men is to know who will succeed the late Sir Joseph Hickson on the directorate of the Merchants' Bank of Canada. The name of A. A. Ayer, the Cheese King of Canada, is prominently mentioned for the position, and he would certainly be an acquisition to the board.

Mr. John Galt, New York manager of the Merchants' Bank, was in the city today. He says that times are very dull, and that money is a drug in New York. Before the Presidential election ¼ per cent. per day was charged, and now it is 1½ per cent. per annum.

It is now said that the pooling arrangements which had been about completed by the passenger departments of the Vermont Central, the Delaware & Hudson and the St. Lawrence and Adirondack have already fallen through, the cause being the inability of the roads in question to agree as to details.

Mr. Joseph P. Cook, M.L.A. for Drummond, is in hard luck. He was elected for Drummond as a Conservative, but soon passed into the Liberal camp and a few days ago issued an address to the electors of Drummond, stating that he was a candidate for re-election. Yesterday, however, the party convention took place at Drummondville, and the choice fell upon Mr. Watts, ex-M.L.A., Mr. Cook only receiving four votes. In the face of this treatment by his new friends, Mr. Cook will either go it alone or seek a city constituency.

Mr. Silas H. Carpenter, late of the Canadian Secret Service Bureau, will enter Wednesday next upon his new duties of Chief of the Montreal detective force.

In the Beauharnois contested election case, Mr. J. G. H. Bergeron, M.P., the respondent, has appealed to the Supreme Court of Canada against the decision of the local Judge dismissing preliminary objections. Mr. J. K. Elliott represents Mr. Bergeron.

The sick man knocking at the door of health gets in if he knocks the right way, and, stays out if he doesn't. There are thousands of ways of getting sick, but only one way to get well. Do whatever you will, if you do not put your digestion in good order, and make your blood rich and pure, you will not get well. Rich, pure blood is the only thing that can bring perfect health. Constipation is a disease of the blood. A large part of all diseases are traceable directly to impurities in the blood, and can be cured by eliminating them with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The first thing it does is to put the whole digestive system into perfect order. It stimulates the appetite, excites a copious secretion of the digestive fluids and promotes assimilation. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be, kill s them and forces them out of the system. The "Golden Medical Discovery" has been used with unvarying success for over 30 years.

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CANADA'S BIG BUSINESS.

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gistered letters were sent to the dead letter office. Of these 15,189 were returned to the writers, 1339 remained in the office or with the postmasters for delivery, while 12,330 failed of delivery and were found to contain no value. Of the 164 which failed to reach their destination the contents of 125 were made good by the officials or others held responsible for the loss; five were stolen, and in 28 cases no evidence could be obtained to account for the discrepancies. In every 19,410 registered letters only one miscarried, so that sending by registered letter in Canada may be considered a very safe method.

Last year 960,031 letters found their way to the dead letter office. Of this number 134,843 were returned to other countries; 24,973 were forwarded to correct address; 288,779 were returned to their writers; 8547 remained in the office; 471,850 being of no value were destroyed; 23,093 were returned to printed address, and 8455 were returned to Government Department.

The growth of the money order system is shown by the following figures: In 1868 there were 515 offices, 90,163 orders issued; amount of orders $3,352,881. Last year there were 1261 offices, 1,092,062 orders issued; amount of orders $13,187,322. Of the 1261 money order offices, Ontario has 634 and Quebec 190. Of the total money orders issued in Canada $10,736,647 were payable in Canada and $2,450,064 in other countries.

MONEY SAVED BY THRIFT.

The Canadian Post-office Savings Bank System and Its Growth.

The post-office savings bank system has been in operation in Canada ever since the year 1867.

At first the savings banks were limited in their operation to the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec. In 1885, however, the system was extended to the Provinces of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, and now there are post-office savings banks in all the provinces, distributed as follows: Ontario, 443; Quebec, 123; Nova Scotia, 45; New Brunswick, 34; Manitoba, 15; British Columbia, 23; Prince Edward Island, 3; and the Territories, 22, making a total of 731.

Under the provision of the original act no deposit must be less than $1, and by an order-of-council of 1891 no deposit must exceed $1000, in any one year, neither must the total deposit exceed $2000.

Government savings banks under the management of the Finance Department have been established in the Maritime Provinces, and in Manitoba and British Columbia. In these banks deposits to the extent of $1000 are allowed. Under this system there are 38 offices, viz., 22 in Nova Scotia; 2 in Prince Edward Island, 1 in Ontario, 1 in Manitoba, and 1 in British Columbia. Last year there were 51,977 depositors, with $17,644,956 on deposit. Arrangements have been made for the transfer of the Government savings bank in each province to the Post-office Department as the position of superintendent in each place becomes vacant.

In both these classes of savings banks the rate of interest paid was formerly four per cent., but in 1889 it was reduced to 3 1-2 per cent.

On 1st April, 1868, the Post-office savings system was introduced with 31 offices. In three months there were no less than 2102 depositors, who had made 3247 deposits aggregating $204,589. In 1870 there were a million and a half dollars on deposit; in 1875, $2,926,000; in 1885, 15,090,510, and in 1895 $26,805,542.

Add to this $17,644,956 on deposit in other Government savings banks and $12,128,483 in special savings banks, and it will be seen that in 1895 the people of Canada had deposited in savings banks alone (apart from deposits in chartered banks) the sum of $57,578,981, or nearly $12 per head of population.

Last year there were 120,628 depositors in the Post-office Saving Bank, so that the size of the average account was $222.22, the highest in any year since Confederation.

Taking into account all the savings banks in the country outside of the chartered banks, the progress of the savings may be seen by taking the amount per head of population. In 1871 it was $2 93; in 1881, $5.44; in 1891, $10.42; in 1893, $11.02; and in 1895 it was $11.32 per head.

From these figures it will be seen that in 20 years from 1875 to 1895 the savings of the people have increased till they are now four times what they were at the beginning of the period per head of population.

The special savings banks which are in the Province of Quebec show development even during the past two years of depressed trade, which must have affected the earning capacity of the people.

The record of the provinces in connection with post-office savings banks shows as follows

Last year there were 88,115 depositors in Ontario, 17,612 in Quebec, 6,682 in Nova Scotia, 4,442 in New Brunswick, 1,069 in Manitoba, 1,904 in British Columbia, 101 in Prince Edward Island, and 703 in the territories.

The amount on deposit in Ontario was $18,700,691, in Quebec $4,478,695, in Nova Scotia $1,627,291 in New Brunswick $1,298,263, in Manitoba $163,058, in Prince Edward Island $13,623 ,and in the territories $108 413.

The average amount of each depositor in Ontario was $212 23; in Quebec, $254.30; in Nova Scotia, 243.53, in Manitoba, $152.53; in British Columbia, $218.09; in Prince Edward Island, $134.88, and in the territories, $154.21.

With regard to deposits per head of population, Ontario heads the list, as far as the post-office savings banks are concerned. The average is $8.50. Quebec shows $2.89 per head of population, Nova Scotia, $3.58; New Brunswick, $4.04; Manitoba, $050; British Columbia, $3.16; Prince Edward Island, $0.12, and the territories, $0.92.

The Maritime Provinces make a big showing, however, with regard to the Government savings banks. Nova Scotia has nearly $7,000,000 on deposit, with an average of $15.29 per head of population. New Brunswick has $6,441,137 on deposit, with an average of $20.05 per head of population, and Prince Edward Island has over $2,000,000 on deposit, with an average per head of $20.15.

Combining the returns of both Post-office and Government savings' banks there was on deposit last year in these institutions $44,450,428, with an average to each depositor of $253.19, and an ave age amount per head of population of $8.74.

New Brunswick has the largest amount to each depositor, both in the post-office and the other Government savings banks.

The amount on deposit in the Government savings banks, including postal and the other, per head of the population by provinces, is as follows: Ontario, $3.75; Quebec, $2.89; Nova Scotia, $18.87; New Brunswick, $24.09; Manitoba, $4.30; British Columbia, $9.03; Prince Edward Island, $20.27, and the Territories, $0.92.

The balance of deposits is not now required (as it was formerly to be invested in Canadian Government securities, but forms a part of the unfunded debt of the Dominion, and the amount of this floating capital which is at the disposal of the Government necessarily fluctuates.

A comparison between the savings banks returns in Canada and Australasia shows very much in favor of the latter country. But it must be remembered that there is no adequate means of getting at the total savings of the Canadian people, as no return is required by the Government showing the deposits with special savings banks, building and loan companies' saving branches and the savings branches of the chartered banks. These returns would doubtless swell the Canadian returns to large figures.

Following is the return per head of population of deposits in savings banks in Australasia: New South Wales, $28.38; Victoria, $29.43; Queensland, $23.25; South Australia, $35.89; Western Australia, $9.13; Tasmania, $19.01; New Zealand, $29.14. The average per head of population for Australasia is $28.18 and for Canada $8.74

The savings banks returns of the principal countries in the world show Denmark to be in the lead per head of population. Great Britain has an average of $15.55 in savings banks; Sweden, $16.76; Norway, $23.71; Holland, $7.50; Austria, $28.73; Belgium, $10.22; Italy, $11 00; France, $19.04; Denmark, $63.09; United States, $26.75.

The withdrawals from Government savings banks in Canada during five years, 1890-95, inclusive, averaged $11,783,683, and the deposits $11,804,616. The withdrawals in 1895 were $508,642 less than the five years' average, and the deposits were $839,211 more than the average for the same five years.

It is the policy of the Government to transfer, as occasion arises, the accounts from the savings banks under control of the Finance Department to the Post-office Department.

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THE DIAMOND JUBILEE.

Prince of Wales and Duke of Connaught Will Have Charge of the Program Arrangements.

London, Jan. 10.—The Queen has decided to allow the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught to outline the program arrangement for the diamond jubilee to be submitted for her approval. An important detail is the list of royal guests to be entertained. It will be a larger company than can be provided for in the royal palaces, and several principal hotels may be hired. The demand for hotel accommodations for the general public is already great for jubilee week. In several hotels every available room has been engaged.

NEWS FROM BELLEVILLE.

Colonel Lazier Appointed to Investigate the Pickering Postmaster.

Belleville, Ont., Jan. 9.—The Reform Club met last night and elected J. L. Biggar president, John Williams secretary and A. E. Verrilles treasurer.

Col. Lazier, Master in Chancery, has been commissioned to investigate charges of purchasing his office and other offences, preferred against Postmaster Logan of Pickering.

The best anodyne and expectorant for the cure of colds, coughs, and all throat, lung, and bronchial troubles, is undoubtly, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, the only specific for colds and coughs admitted on exhibition at the Chicago World's Fair.

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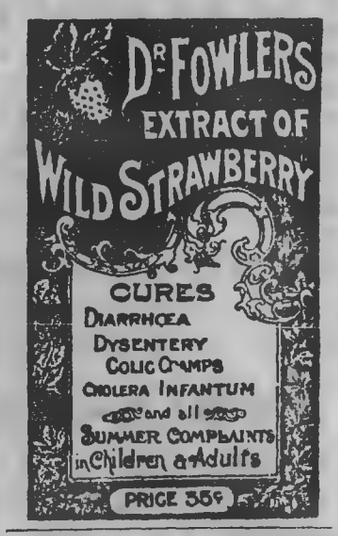

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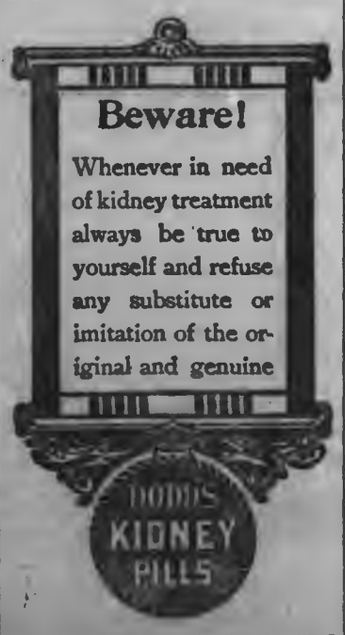
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LILY LAKE LITERARY SOCIETY.

Reports of the Last Two Meetings of This Thriving Society.

The regular meeting of the Society was held Wednesday, Dec. 30th, at which a good number was present. The programme was as follows:

Opening chorus.....Glee Club
Address.....President
Report.....Secretary
Critic's report.....Critic
Election of Officers.....
Instrumental..Lou Ferguson, Joe Tully, Rollie Ferguson and Wally Tully
Reading.....Robert Elliott
Solo.....Edith Tully
Debate—Resolved, "That Water is more useful than Fire." Affirmative, J A Storey, John Mahood, Will Tully; negative, G A Reid, J E Middleton, Robt Elliott.
Instrumental.....Fred Agnew
Reading.....I. Middleton
Reading.....Fred Agnew
Closing Chorus.....Glee Club

A very pleasant evening was spent at the meeting on Thursday, Jan. 7th, the programme was very interesting and all took their departure well pleased:—

Chorus.....Glee Club
Recitation.....C Graham
Duet.....Mrs W Simpson and Jas H Storey
Recitation.....Mrs G A Reid
Reading.....Jas Tully
Dialogue.....'Thirty Thousand Dollars"
Reading.....Wally Tully
Debate—"Resolved that a cow is more useful than a Horse." Affirmative—Bert Middleton, Joe Tully and Tom Calvert; Negative—Harry Fowler, Jas A Storey, Will Tully.
Reading.....Sid Tully
Speech.....R Elliott
Instrumental.....Lou Ferguson
Speech.....R Tully
Closing Chorus.....Glee Club

PATENT REPORT.

Two Peterborough Inventors Receive Patents.

Below will be found the only complete up-to-date record of patents granted to Canadian inventors, which is specially prepared for this paper by M. M. Marion & Marion, Solicitors of Patents and Experts, head office, Temple Building, Montreal, from whom all information may be readily obtained:

No. 54,418—David A. Ross, envelope.
No. 54,424—James Calley, Toronto, unreflinable bottles.
No. 54,435—Joseph McCallum, Montreal, inking mechanism of printing presses.
No. 54,436—Benjamin Witmer, Plattsville, Ont., mouth piece for [cornets and kindred musical instruments.
No. 54,439—Chas. Sandford, Madoc, bag holders.
No. 54,442—William Maffey, Toronto, cook's cabinet.
No. 55,447—Gideon E. Henderson, Toronto, apparatus for representing planetary movements and phenomena.
No. 54,450—John H. (Harry) Stephens, Peterborough, games.
No. 54,454—R. Ovens, Forest, automatic syphon tank closet flusher.
No. 54,456—Alfred Ufford, Vancouver, B.C., display mechanicism.
No. 54,458—W. C. and E. Ackermen, Picton, broom holder.
No. 54,460—Matthew Willis, Toronto, combination locks.
No. 54,460—Geo. E. Baldwin, Granby, P.Q., lasts.
No. 54,463—William L. Mitchell, Peterborough, stoves.

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RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

Mr. F. H. McGuigan, General Superintendent of the G. T. R. accompanied by Mr. W. R. Tiffin, Superintendent of the Midland and Northern Divisions, and Mr. F. W. Morse, superintendent of motive power, Mr. W. McWood, superintendent of the car department, arrived in town yesterday by special train, and after staying about an hour and a half left for the north.

DAN SHEEHAN DID IT.

The Lightweight Boxer of Montreal Sent for Trial for Killing Lucie Lessard.

Montreal, Jan. 11.—(Special.)—"I write you to wish you a happy New Year and to send your father's blessing."

The above is an extract from a letter written by Francis Lessaru of St. Joseph La Beauce to his daughter, the victim of the Notre Dame-street tragedy. This morning Coroner McMahon looked into the case and the jury found by the proof that the deceased Lucie Lessard had been killed by Dan Sheehan, who pushed her down stairs, and the spinal column being dislocated she did not survive very long. Sheehan, who was sent to the Queen's Bench to stand his trial, is a noted lightweight champion, who is also well known to the police.

This afternoon Mr. Robert Bickerdike definitely declined the nomination for the Presidency of the Board of Trade, and Mr. John Torrance was almost immediately nominated for the position. Mr. Torrance, who is now the first vice-president, has been approached repeatedly to accept the nomination, but invariably declined, as he had signed the petition asking Mr. Bickerdike to accept a renomination.

Where is Gustave V. Nyman, who left Minneapolis for New York via the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway on Nov. 10, last? This is the question which the C. P. R. officials have been asking one another for the last six weeks, and the riddle which the officers of the Canadian Secret Service will now be called upon to solve, if, indeed, solution be possible.

The fastest time ever made over the Intercolonial has just been accomplished. The Labrador mails, which left Halifax Sunday morning at 3.09, arrived in Montreal at 2.15 Monday morning.

On the 20th of the month Mayor Wilson-Smith will give a dinner at the St. James' Club, and, as it is the first of the kind offered by the city's chief magistrate, the mayor's generosity is much appreciated by the citizens. There will be 125 present, including Lord Aberdeen, Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, and his colleagues, Premier Flynn and his Ministers, Lieut.-Governor Chapleau, the twenty-five aldermen, and leading gentlemen of Montreal.

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THE BRITISH ASSOCIATION.

The Local Committee Meets and Arranges a Provisional Program for the Meeting in Toronto in August.

Toronto, Jan. 12.

At yesterday's meeting of the British Association committee, the provisional program for the meeting next August was considered. Dr. Macallum presided, and among those present were: Chancellor Burwash, Provost Welch, Prof. Clark, B. E. Walker, James Bain, jr., Barlow Cumberland, Dr. Daniel Clark, Arthur Harvey, Prof. Mavor, A. H. U. Colquhoun, J. E. Hamilton. The program is subject to revision later on, but its principal features will be substantially as follows:

Wednesday, Aug. 18—Preliminary meetings of the council and the general committee of the association morning and afternoon; 8 p.m., address of the president, Sir John Evans, F.R.S., in the Massy Hall.

Thursday, Aug. 19—Meetings of sections, in most cases for the delivery of presidential addresses; a garden party; a conversazione.

Friday, Aug. 20—Meetings of sections; garden parties; 8 p.m., lecture by Prof. James Dewar, F.R.S., on "Liquid Air," in Massey Hall.

Saturday, Aug. 21—Meetings of sections in the morning; afternoon, excursion of members to Niagara, to Hamilton and neighborhood, to Muskoka, and (for glacial geologists) to the Don Valley; evening, lecture to workingmen in the Pavilion by a prominent member of the association.

Monday, Aug. 23—Meetings of sections; excursion of geologists to Scarboro' Heights; garden parties; evening, lecture by J. Milne, F.R.S., on "Earthquakes," in Massey Hall.

Tuesday, Aug. 24—Meetings of sections; excursion to Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph; garden parties; a conversazione.

Wednesday, Aug. 25—Concluding meetings of sections and general committee; garden party at Trinity College. In the evening it is proposed to give a banquet in the Pavilion in honor of Lord Kelvin, Sir Joseph Lister (who was created a Peer a few days ago) and Sir John Evans.

Thursday, Aug. 26—Excursions to Niagara Peninsula, the Thousand Islands, Ottawa, Montreal, Nova Scotia, the Upper Lakes, Manitoba and British Columbia.

The president and Mr. Cumberland announced that satisfactory communications had been received from the railways, with assurances of a willingness to co-operate with the committee for the success of the meeting by granting special rates to members visiting any part of Canada.

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A Brickmaker Listens to Reason—Uses Six Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and Tells it.

Brockville, Jan. 4 (Special)—Mr. W. H. Odell, perhaps one of the best known citizens of this town has lately recovered from a long continued and painful kidney ailment. He tells the story of his experience to the correspondent as follows:

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Provincial Appointments.

Toronto, Jan. 11.

His Honor the Administrator of the Government has made the following appointments:

Bernard Louis Doyle of Goderich, junior judge of the County Court of Huron, to be local master of the Supreme Court of Judicature for Ontario, for the County of Huron, pro tempore, in the absence on leave of Sutherland Malcolmson.

Michael Brennan of St. Catharines, to be County Crown Attorney and Clerk of the Peace, for the County of Lincoln, in the stead of John McKeown, deceased.

William Henry Spencer, to be Police Magistrate for Algonquin National Park for three months, from Jan. 1, 1897.

Walter Rye, 16 Golden-square, London, England, to be commissioner for taking affidavits in the County of London for use in the courts of Ontario.

Henry David Petrie of Simcoe and Joseph Napoleon Rattery of Ottawa, each to be notary public.

The Company is Incorporated.

Albany, Jan. 11.—The Consolidated Canal and Lake Company was incorporated to-day to build for its own use, charter and navigate, steam, sail or other boats on the great lakes, Erie Canal, Bay of New York and Long Island Sound. The capital is $50,000 (the limit allowed by law for canal companies), and the directors are Charles A Pillsbury of Minneapolis, Bradford C Church of Duluth, Elbert A Young of St. Paul, all in the State of Minnesota; George H Raymond and Frank Beadle of Buffalo, Samuel B Har of Englewood, N.J., Franklin Edson, John A Cormack and Erastus Wiman of New York.

Pacific Funding Bill Defeated.

Washington, Jan. 11.—In the House the substitute to the Pacific Railroad funding bill offered by Mr. Bell (Dem., Texas), making the rate of interest on the bonds to be issued 3 per cent. instead of 2, as fixed by the bill, was defeated—110 to 116. The vote on the motion to order to a third reading and engrossment the Pacific funding bill was 167 against, 103 for. This is equivalent to a direct vote and defeats the bill.

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MONDAY, 18th JANUARY INST.

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Dated the 9th day of January, 1897. 6d81w

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CATTLE QUARANTINE.

The New Regulations to Go Into Effect at Once.

CANADIAN ORDER ALREADY PASSED

Abolition of the 90 Days' Detention Assured —Imperial Federationists Want More Radicalism in Their Program— The Reorganization of Mail Clerks—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 12. (Special.)—The new quarantine regulations as arranged between Mr. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, and J. Sterling Morton, American Secretary of Agriculture, are to be given immediate effect. It was agreed between the representatives of the two governments that the arrangement should be made simultaneously. Canada has accomplished its share of the bargain by an Order-in-Council passed yesterday. The authorities at Washington may be counted upon to follow suit immediately. The terms of the agreement have not yet been made public. This much, however, may be said, that there is an abolition of the 90 days' quarantine which has existed for many years. This is the main point in the re-arrangement, and to this may be added the privilege of Americans shipping from Montreal, while Canadians have the use of the ports of Boston and Portland.

Ottawa Imperialists are not very enthusiastic over the British Empire League program. They do not think it is radical enough. Accordingly a new organization has been started here, with the name of "The United Empire Association," to promote the following purposes:

1. Abolition of obnoxious treaty stipulations (in other words, the abolition of those "favored nation" clauses with foreign countries which may prevent preferential trade within the Empire).
2. A general tariff (colonies included) for naval defence.
3. Representation of the colonies in the Imperial Parliament, according to contributed revenue.
4. An Imperial Parliament of Parliaments.
5. A Ministry for the Empire.

The statement published by the association explains these various points, especially as regards the necessity of the colonies contributing to Britain's navy, and emphasizes the justice in that case of colonial representation in the Imperial Parliament. The statement says: The foregoing platform it is proposed to submit for adoption to federationists in general, and those resident in Canada in particular. Those who approve of it and desire to become members of the new association are requested to notify the secretary-treasurer to that effect, remitting to him at the same time $1 as the first annual subscription. Half of this sum will be paid over to the proprietors of The Anglo-Saxon, which will be sent to each member."

The Minister of Marine and Fisheries has decided to allow spearing for coarse fish through the ice in Mitchell's Bay, Lake St. Clair, this winter. Permission has also been given to net for fish through the ice along the north shore of the Georgian Bay and Lake Superior.

Hon. Mr. Tarte was taken suddenly ill in his office in the West block today. This is the second time in two weeks that the Minister has keeled over. Without doubt he is over-working himself and ought to take warning in time. Mr. Mulock is also another Minister who is spending too much time in his office.

The Council was in session this afternoon, when it is understood the Barrie murder case was under consideration. A recommendation commuting the sentence upon Brennan to penal servitude is now before His Excellency.

Although Parliamentary sanction will have to be given to the proposed change in the position of the railway mail clerks, there is no question about the change going into effect. Hence Mr. Armstrong, who is to act as superintendent of the new branch, is getting down to work for the purpose of organizing staffs. The railway mail clerks, taken all round are a very superior class of officers, and satisfaction is expressed at Mr. Mulock's action in improving their status.

Prof. Glasmacher of Ottawa University died here to-day. He was a man of great ability. Mr. Glasmacher was born in Germany 51 years ago, and pursued his early studies in the schools of the German universities after which he accepted a professorship in St. Louis College, New York. He has been professor at Ottawa since 1877.

Mr. Allison of Port Perry, who owns some trout hatching ponds there, has informed the Commissioner of Fisheries of ill success in fish breeding, owing to the ponds being infested with a small worm, some of which he has forwarded to Ottawa. Prof. Prince has examined them microscopically, and says they are parasites which turn out to be the larvae stage of a fly (chironomous), resembling a mosquito. They are wormlike in appearance and very injurious.

At the annual meeting of the Board of Trade to-night Andrew Holland gave notice of the following resolution: "That in the opinion of this board, in the awarding of contracts for public works in this Dominion, it is the duty of the Federal and Provincial Governments to provide that such work shall be entrusted only to contractors employing workingmen owning allegiance to the British Crown."

A resolution was unanimously passed, tendering to Mr. J. R. Booth the thanks of the board for his enterprise in building the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound Railway.

Reports are still coming into the Department of Agriculture dealing with the hog cholera plague in Western Ontario. A telegram received contains the information that the outbreak has now spread into the County of Middlesex. Seven thousand dollars is the bill that hog cholera has already cost the department, with every prospect of its reaching a larger amount.

It is stated that the plan in vogue in Toronto University may be followed in connection with the proposed civil service superannuation bill, viz.: That salaries of $1000 a year shall be subject to five per cent. deduction, the next grade to seven and a half per cent., and so on in a rising scale as the salaries increase. The money is banked, and six per cent. compound interest is allowed by the Government. This becomes the property of the civil servant or his relatives in case of his death. In the case of the civil service the rate of interest may, however, be lower than in Toronto. The new law will apply to all appointments that have been made since the present Government came into power.

Chief Engineer Coste of the Public Works Department, with Mr. Ewart, Assistant Architect, left for Halifax, where they are to give evidence before the Exchequer Court in the case of Gordon and Keith, an action arising out of the expenses in connection with Sir John Thompson's funeral.

Mr. Goodwin will appeal his claim against the Department of Railways and Canals to the Supreme Court. According to the judgment of Mr. Justice Burbidge the question was left open for appeal to the Supreme Court as to whether it must be stated on a departmental certificate that the work was done to the satisfaction of the engineer. Judge Burbidge bowed to the ruling of a higher court, but the question is still to be fought out there.

There was quite an influx of members of Parliament to-day, among them being Col. Domville, Messrs. Devlin, McGregor, Monet, Bourassa and Prefontaine.

Mr. W. L. Hamilton, Inspector of Inland Revenue, having completed his inspection duties in this district, left for Kingston to-day.

Hon. Mr. Mulock returned to the city to-day.

The Controller of Customs has dismissed from the public service A. E. Ostrum, landing waiter at Sarnia. Politics do not appear to have entered into the matter at all, misconduct being the alleged cause of Ostrum's dismissal.

The recount in the Dalhousie Ward election took place before Judge Ross to-day. The result was to upset the returns as made by the deputy returning officers and give Mr. T. McGuire third place by seven votes over Mr. Hewlett. McGuire, who is a Roman Catholic, received 361 plumpers.

The Government has been notified that the Pacific Cable conference papers are on their way to Canada. Till they reach here nothing will be known of their contents more than has already appeared in the despatches.

Hon. Sydney Fisher will be at St Mary's, Ont., to-morrow and next day attending a meeting of creamery men.

EXPLOSIONS AND FIRE.

Columbia Powder Company's Tank House and Other Buildings Demolished Three Persons Dead.

Pittsburg, Jan. 12.—At 9.25 o'clock this morning the tank-house of the Columbia Powder Company, located in a hollow one half mile back from the Ohio River, and midway between the boroughs of Shousetown and Shanopin, blew up. Five minutes later the storage room, in which was stored a large quantity of explosive material, was also shattered by a terrific explosion. Mr. Stickney, the proprietor of the works, and his two daughters are dead, P. McCluskey is fatally injured, and Walter Crane is very seriously injured.

The glycerine magazine is now surrounded by an uncontrollable fire, and will doubtless explode, adding greatly to the damage of property.

At 10.30 a.m., the residences of Irwin and Porter, Houghton's barn, Hart's house and other outbuildings had been burned. Houses for a considerable distance surrounding were badly shattered by the explosion, and not a window remains in the vicinity.

The U.E. Loyalist

The U.E. Loyalists were lovers of old England who gave up everything they had rather than abide in the revolted American colonies under a new and alien flag. They settled in Nova Scotia, the then wilderness of Ontario, the West Indies, New Brunswick and elsewhere. The centenary of their departure from the United States was held in the Dominion in 1883, when the quaint costumes and old coaches of the previous century were paraded.

WILL GIVE UP CUBA

Report That Spain Will Accept Intervention

AND HAVE BLOODSHED STOPPED.

The Conditions Will, it is Said, Give Cuba Autonomy on Lines Similar to Those Existing Between Canada and Britain Many Executions in the Philippines

New York, Jan. 12.—The Herald's cable from Manila says: Raxas and twelve other rebels, including a lieutenant of infantry, were shot to death on Monday. This makes 26 executions this week, including those of three priests.

At Mindanao seven soldiers have been shot for conspiracy.

It is reported that about one-half of those exiled to Yap, in the Carolines, numbering over one hundred men, were shot while attempting to escape.

A Spanish attack on Cavite is expected before the end of this month. The rebels have evidently been dispirited by the wholesale executions of leaders and Captain-General Polavieja's firmness.

Spain Gives Up

New York, Jan. 12.—The Journal's correspondent at Madrid telegraphs: Spain has at last concluded that all her efforts to suppress, or even to make any impression upon, the Cuban insurrection are futile and useless.

Appreciating this fact, which has been patent to all other nations for nearly six months, Prime Minister Canovas del Castillo has definitely accepted Secretary of State Olney's proffer of American intervention, as well as the terms which President Cleveland and Mr. Olney prescribe as the price for their interference and the use of their prerogatives in attempting to bring about a state of peace in the Island of Cuba.

Following the refusal of the American Secretary of State to accept, so far as America was concerned, the plan of the Spanish Prime Minister for a restoration of Spanish rule in Cuba, Mr. Olney, through the usual official channels, submitted in full to Senor Canovas the terms for a peace with Cuba upon which the administration of President Cleveland was prepared to intervene, and use its efforts to bring about a settlement between Spain and its colony.

The conditions, it is stated upon the highest authority, mean perfect and complete autonomy for Cuba. They provide for home rule for Cuba as thorough as Canada, under the British North America Act, enjoys. In brief they are:

Cuba to govern herself, to collect all taxes, to disburse all public moneys. Spain to be debarred from all share in the revenues of the island and all interference in elections held on the island.

In fact, the scheme went to the extreme point of empowering Cuba to levy a tariff in her own favor against exports from Spain to the island. The Cuban attitude towards Spain was to be entirely one of independence, except in the one matter, that Cuba was to remain in name a Spanish province.

The Cleveland Administration promised, however, that if these terms were agreed to by Spain, and she would put Cuba on as strong a footing towards Spain as Canada has toward England, it would attempt to bring about a money remuneration to Spain for the practical loss of the island.

If in negotiating a peace Secretary Olney could induce the Cubans to pay Spain a sum something in the neighborhood of a hundred millions, it would be done. This might be brought about by a Cuban bond issue, and the United States, in a fashion, stand sponsor for the bonds. But nothing definite was proposed in this direction. It was simply indicated that, in the event of Spain's acceptance, the best that could be accomplished in this direction would be done.

The Spanish Government has notified Minister Dupuy de Lome that it would accept Mr. Olney's proposition. The Minister was instructed to inform the American Secretary of State, and he has cabled the authorities here that he has done so. He does not make clear, nor does it appear from anything which has come to this capital from Secretary Olney, just how the Cleveland Administration intends to force the terms of the insurgents. General Gomez himself said that nothing but absolute separation of Cuba from Spain would be agreed to by him.

Several Skirmishes

Havana, Jan. 12.—Official reports received here give accounts of several skirmishes between detachments of troops and bands of rebels in various localities in which the aggregate losses of the rebels were 39 killed, 11 taken prisoners and a large number wounded. The aggregate losses of the troops were one killed and 18 wounded.

Gen. Toral reports that the rebels, in strong force, made an attack upon the town of Caney in the Santiago de Cuba Province, but the troops under his command met the attack with a bayonet charge, and repelled and dispersed the enemy.

Leocadio Rodriguez was shot at the Cabana fortress to-day for the crime of rebellion, and Claudio and Perez Mendel and Jose and Perez Gracia will be shot at the same place to-morrow for the same crime.

A Boy's Long, Cold Trip.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 12.—A young lad named Robinson of Ingersoll, left Woodstock yesterday with a load of wood and turkeys for Ingersoll, made a wrong turn, and drove all night, arriving here this morning, nearly frozen. The Chief of Police at Brantford wired for instructions to the lad's employer. The youngster has now left for home.

Cripple

The iron grasp of scrofula has no mercy upon its victims. This demon of the blood is often not satisfied with causing dreadful sores, but racks the body with the pains of rheumatism until Hood's Sarsaparilla cures.

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Well

take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon appetite came back; the sores commenced to heal. My limbs straightened out and I threw away my crutches. I am now stout and hearty and am farming, whereas four years ago I was a cripple. I gladly recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla." URBAN HAMMOND, Table Grove, Illinois.

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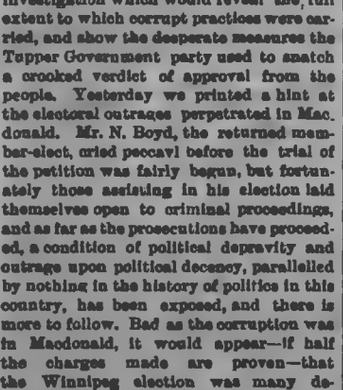
Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1897.

THE BYE ELECTIONS.

The Tupper Government was badly beaten. What language would have been needed to describe their condition of wiped-out-ness if the elections had been squarely conducted, and the public feeling of hostility to the government and its methods been allowed to find free and full expression? There are at present seven vacant seats for the Dominion House of Commons, awaiting the bye elections. These were all held by Conservatives, returned—it is hardly right to say, elected—at the late general elections. The vacant constituencies are North Ontario, South Brant and East Simcoe in Ontario; Prince in Prince Edward Island, Champlain, in Quebec, Colchester in Nova Scotia, and Macdonald in Manitoba. All these vacancies were created by practically confessed corruption which rendered unnecessary full investigation which would reveal the full extent to which corrupt practices were carried, and show the desperate measures the Tupper Government party used to snatch a crooked verdict of approval from the people. Yesterday we printed a hint at the electoral outrages perpetrated in Macdonald. Mr. N. Boyd, the returned member-elect, cried peccavi before the trial of the petition was fairly begun, but fortunately those assisting in his election laid themselves open to criminal proceedings, and as far as the prosecutions have proceeded, a condition of political depravity and outrage upon political decency, paralleled by nothing in the history of politics in this country, has been exposed, and there is more to follow. Bad as the corruption was in Macdonald, it would appear—if half the charges made are proven—that the Winnipeg election was many degrees worse, and there is little doubt that Winnipeg will, by the unseating of of Mr. Hugh John Macdonald, makes the eighth vacancy in the ranks of the Opposition at Ottawa. The bye-elections will be brought on with as much expedition as possible, and there is no doubt that the Liberal party, in power, will carry out the policy it advocated in opposition, and will procure the holding of the bye-elections as nearly as possible simultaneously. In the Ontario vacancies the usual formalities have been observed. The speaker has issued his warrant for new elections, and they will probably be held early in February. It is pretty safe to say that the result of the bye-elections will be to increase the Government majority, most of the constituencies promising to return Government candidates. The lessons of the last election will not soon be forgotten, and every precaution will be taken that no repetition of the corrupt practices that nominally won them last June will be permitted.



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THAT TRENT CANAL DEPUTATION.

The people of Northumberland and Durham are a queer lot—anxious to serve petty, private interests at the expense of imperilling the progress of a great and important public work. The other day a deputation from the united counties of Northumberland and Durham enjoyed a pleasure trip to Ottawa in the interest of the reclamation of some drowned land along the Trent river in the neighbourhood of Chisholm's rapids, and on the route of the Trent Valley Canal. There are strong reasons why the modest request of the deputation for the destruction of the dam in question should not be granted. The dam and lock at Chisholm's are claimed to be in excellent order, and a necessary part of the Trent Valley Canal scheme, and the removal of the dam is a move in the practical abandonment of that scheme. The dam creates a navigable reach of about six miles, reaching from the lock at the rapids to the point where Hoard's creek enters the River Trent, and also the point at which the proposed new stretch of canal from above Campbellord across the country is to enter the now navigable part reaching from Hoard's creek to the locks at Chisholm's—the beginning of the Healy Falls section. The removal of the dam would necessitate the construction of six miles of new canal, involving as great expense almost as the Lakefield-Peterborough section, that is to say over $300,000. What is expected to be gained by the destruction of this dam and the involved construction of six miles of new canal—representing a direct waste of over $300,000? These modest gentlemen claim that land now submerged by reason of the dam will be made available for cultivation or pasturage. It must not be forgotten that the lands in question have been flooded for the past 50 years and that the government has paid for these lands to their full value. The request of the deputation amounts to this—the government is asked to lose the large amounts already paid as compensation for the flooding of these lands, and also to destroy a six mile reach of navigable canal, which it will cost between $300,000 and $400,000 to replace. If these gentlemen wish to kill the Trent Valley Canal scheme they could not show their animus more directly than by requesting the dam at Chisholm's to be removed. It is hardly possible that the eloquence expended to justify the enjoyment of a pleasure expedition to the Capital, will be allowed to imperil the prospects of the completion of a great public work, which will, in cheapening grain rates of transportation alone, represent ten times the profit derived from the unwatering of a few acres of flooded lands, which, by the way, have long since been paid for.

HARVEY.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Snow fell to the depth of five or six inches on Saturday night and on Sunday morning. If it does not turn soft again there will be fair sleighing.

Matters begin to look serious for those who have any distance to draw their wood or logs. Still there is time yet if the weather keeps cold.

The Rathbun cutters have been hard at work for the past week on Squaw river and other places, where they are taking out timber.

Miss Dot Quibell, whilst out skating last week met with a serious accident by falling on the ice and cutting her face severely.

Though slightly improved, Mr. J. S. Cairnduff is not better yet, we are sorry to say, but we hope that he will soon be around again.

School opened at No. 2 on Wednesday and we understand that Miss Strachan is enforcing strict obedience to the rules and keeping the children off the road.

Mr. Walters paid us an official visit last week in connection with the Squaw river dams, which Mr. Stratton is using every effort to have repaired, so that logs can be driven out of the river. At present it is almost impossible to do so without they are near the mouth. We hope that Mr. Stratton may succeed in getting the needed repairs done, as it will greatly benefit those having logs near the stream. Besides there are large quantities of timber up the river which cannot be taken out until the repairs are completed.

Kennedy, Davis & Son have stopped operations in the woods until snow comes, but they will likely soon start up again by the appearance of the weather.

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RAILWAY MEN HURT.

President Roberts of the Pennsylvania Railroad and Other Magnates in a Smash-Up.

Pittsburg, Jan. 12.—The cars of the Panhandle, limited, No. 5, which left the city at 9.30 last night, were derailed near McDonald by a broken rail. The cars which suffered damage were the Columbus, Ohio, Sleeper Thisbe and the private car of President Roberts, of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, on which were Mr. Roberts and a party of eastern gentlemen, among them ex-Governor Pattison, Thomas H. Johnson, Chief Engineer of the Pennsylvania Southwest system, and other directors of the road. Mr. Johnson was slightly injured. None of the passengers were injured seriously.

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CAMPBELL'S SYSTEM.

HOW THIS VARIETY OF PLOWING WILL PREVENT DROUGHT.

Western Farmers Everywhere Are Much Interested in the Newly Discovered "Dust Blanket" for Preserving Crop Moisture.

Farmers' institutes throughout South Dakota this winter are quite generally discussing what is known as the Campbell system of soil culture and it is certain that the system will be experimented with on a large scale in the state next season. The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad company alone will put in fifty experimental stations in the state next year. Mr. Henry Parry, a successful and intelligent farmer, in discussing the system and the good results to accrue from its adoption by the farmers of South Dakota, gives an outline of the system and the result of careful experiments made by him with it.

"The extensive drouths of the last few years have forced people everywhere to give more consideration than usual to the question of rainfall, irrigation and the preservation of moisture," said he. "But it has always been evident to a few men that the prairie states of this continent, especially those west of the Mississippi river, are subject to great drouth and deficient rainfall at certain seasons of the year even when the annual precipitation is normal. Among these, H. W. Campbell, a farmer of Putney, S.D., as early as 1885, began to give his attention to the climate conditions and the peculiar formation of the soil of the western prairies. Since then he has given his whole attention to devising methods of culture which had for their object the preservation in the soil of whatever moisture was precipitated during the year.

"'The Campbell method' consists in a complete rearrangement and pulverizing of the top seven or eight inches of soil, turning it as nearly bottom upward as is possible. The plant food is found at the end of each season very largely concentrated in the top four inches. This plant food must be plowed down into the bottom of a furrow seven or eight inches deep. From this depth it will be placed by the action of moisture just where the little feeders of the plant roots want it. Immediately after plowing the lower four inches of the furrow slice must be packed as firm as possible for several reasons, the most important of which is that this completely obliterates all cavities. Where the furrow lies loose the air circulates under the plants and the ground dries out. After the deep plowing and subsurface packing the next step is to keep the upper two inches of the surface soil constantly loose and dry. This forms a soft mulch or dust blanket, so as to cut off the moist earth below from the effects of the air.

"Water cannot pass through loose, dry soil by capillary attraction; therefore, the dust blanket protects the moisture in the root bed from evaporation and saves all the natural rainfall for the use of the plants. Strong capillary attraction is desired in the root beds and therefore the root bed is packed; no capillary attraction is desired in the surface and therefore the dust blanket is formed.

"I have experimented in this method to some extent and am well pleased with the results. Next year my intentions are to experiment on a more extensive scale, as I believe it will increase crops in all seasons. It has been tried at several points in North Dakota, Nebraska and other states with the most satisfactory results. We all would like to raise two or three bushels where we now have one and that is about what the farmers did last year who followed this method.

"I also experimented with subsoiling and am very favorably impressed with the idea for certain kinds of soil, especially where the subsoil is a stiff clay and comes within a foot of the surface. There it will, no doubt, be very beneficial, as the loose bed affords good drainage in wet weather on low places and in dry weather will gather moisture from below and above, thus storing a supply for feeding the roots of crops much longer than the same soils will do under the old system. But where the subsoil is sandy or gravelly it would be more of a detriment than a benefit, and where the deep, rich loam is it is just as well to set the plow down a few inches and not subsoil. I would prefer five acres subsoiled in the early fall to ten acres in the spring.

"We all feel jubilant over the condition in which the soil went into winter quarters this year and our hopes are soaring high with the prospects of an old-time crop next year. But we must remember that June and July are coming and farmers must be prepared to meet them by proper tillage of the soil."

Even owners of the irrigated farms participate in the discussions and propose to test the new system next season. This will be done principally as an object lesson for farmers who live in the vicinity and who cannot engage in irrigation because of the lack of means. The unusual amount of snow that has fallen this winter is likely to fill all the lake beds next spring and thoroughly soak every acre of South Dakota land. While the prairie soil retains moisture remarkably well the trouble has been that during dry years the hot winds and clear days late in June and the beginning of July have invariably withdrawn every particle of moisture from the ground within two or three days and crops which have thus had moisture withdrawn from them at the very time when most needed became parched and dead.

Since artesian wells have been sunk and crops standing on irrigated ground have not been unfavorably affected by hot winds but have been benefited by the clear warm days which make hot winds possible; for during this period irrigated crops, by reason of the unusually hot weather, make their greatest and most rapid growth.

If the Campbell system proves to be all that is claimed for it moisture that falls during the early spring months can be retained in the groud until after the dry periods, which have heretofore caused so much injury to crops on ground that was not irrigated.—Special correspondence Chicago Record.

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Two Queer Farms.

Mr. H. I. Twigg, a young English farmer, has secured a large tract of land in Kentucky, near Richmond, and announces that he has established a 'possum farm. Mr. Twigg is said to be quite sincere in his undertaking, having figured out that, as 'possum is considered such a delicacy as to command fancy prices, that there is money in the scheme. He has under advice of an experienced old colored gemman, who has assured him that "the 'possum am a very dainty eater," planted on the ranch a large number of persimmon and haw trees, and hazelnut bushes.

He has started in with twenty 'possum in the warren, and, calculating upon the remarkable fecundity of the animals, expects by next fall to be able to supply the Louisville demand at least.

A similar experiment is being made in the cultivation of rabbits in Sullivan County. The difficulty is to secure food for the growth on a limited reservation, and ultimately the animals overrun the surrounding country and become a pest, as, for instance, the opposums of Long Island.

"Jeff" Davis as a Prisoner

While Jefferson Davis was a prisoner at Fortress Monroe he was guarded by Second Lieutenant Upham, since Governor of Wisconsin, says the Detroit Tribune. The two were on friendly terms, as Davis was interested in Wisconsin men and matters. While a young man he had crossed that state twice from Milwaukee to Prairie du Chien, and once from Fort Howard to the same place, using only Indian trails, and becoming very familiar with the different tribes. Governor Upham says that he was much struck by his prisoner's wonderful memory. In a corner of his casemate in the fortress Davis had a pile of newspaper clippings two feet high, made up in large part of articles about himself taken from Northern journals. He was always treated with great courtesy, was never put in chains, as has been asserted, and Mrs. Davis was allowed to come and go as she would.

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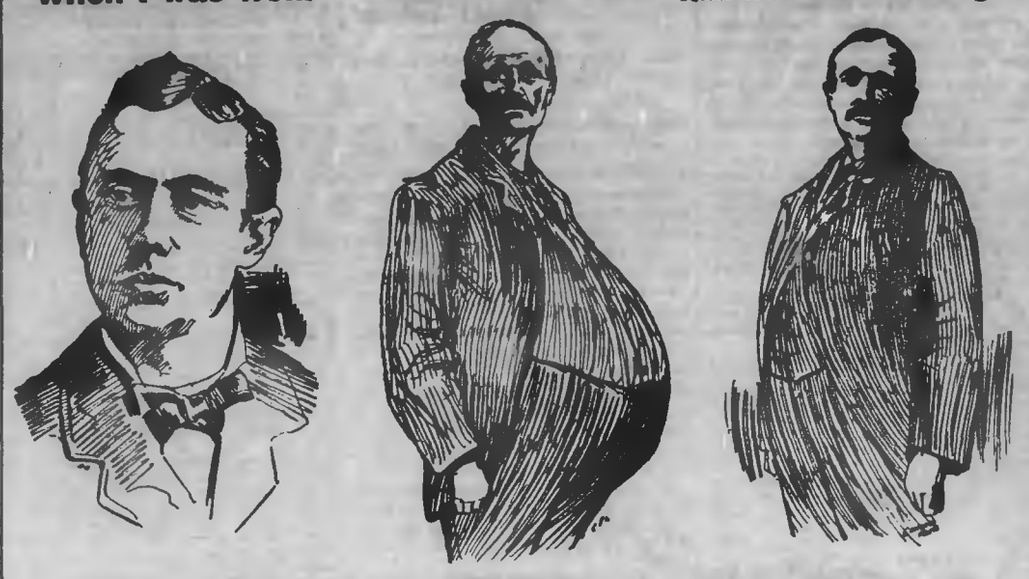

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Probably no one is better known to the printing trade of Canada than Maxwell Johnston, of Maxwelell Johnston & Co., 72 Bay street, Toronto. His many years of experience have acquainted him with almost every person in the entire trade. To many of his friends it has been known that he has suffered during very severe illness the past year, and in regard to the same Mr. Johnston writes the following letter :—

TORONTO, *Dec. 3, 1896.*

MESSRS. T. MILBURN & CO.:

DEAR SIRS,—For over ten months I suffered from dropsy, caused by kidney trouble which followed an attack of la grippe. The symptoms rapidly became serious and medical aid was called in. Among others who were consulted were Dr. Wallace, Dr. Norman Allen, Dr. Weir and Dr. Glass, all of this city, and I can truly state that they made every effort that medical skill could provide. Seven operations were performed within six months, during which time I visited at different periods for the purpose of these operations the following hospitals, viz: The Toronto General Hospital, St. Michael's Hospital and Grace Hospital. Although all that could be done for me was faithfully and skillfully performed, I received only temporary relief, the operations only serving to remove the enormous quantities of water which constantly accumulated. As a matter of fact, 17 gallons of water were removed during the last two operations. After the last operation I was given up to die and was given only six to twelve days to live.

In addition to the best medical skill which money could procure, I used all kinds of patent medicines which promised relief, but without effect. All the family remedies suggested, such as Milkweed Tea, Pumpkin Seed Tea, Mullein Leaf Tea, Spanish Onion Tea, Sweet Nitre and Buchu, etc., were faithfully tried but gave not the slightest relief, so that I had lost all hope, when I was persuaded to try Doan's Kidney Pills, together with Laxa Liver Pills. To my surprise I received almost immediate relief. At this time I was unable to lie down and for three and a half months previously was forced to sleep in a chair. My waist measure was then 49 inches; it is now 33 inches since the wonderful cure made by these pills.

I consider myself perfectly cured and feel strong and well. My weight when I was attacked was 198 pounds. After the operations I was reduced to 130. I weigh now 160. By carefully watching the action of Doan's Pills and Laxa Liver Pills I am positive that to them alone is due the wonderful cure which has taken place in my case.

I am a printer by trade and have held positions in the offices of *The Globe*, *Mail*, Methodist Book Room, etc., as well as in Ohio and Detroit, Mich., and have been an employing printer since 1877.

Although it may seem incredible, every word I have stated is the truth, and I am prepared to back it by the evidence of hundreds of citizens and friends who knew me before I was sick and afterwards, while I was near death's door, and who now, to their surprise, see me restored to complete health by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills, assisted by Laxa Liver Pills, I shall be glad to answer inquiries from sufferers from kidney or liver troubles at any time, and refer to the following gentlemen who have knowledge of the facts, and can verify every word I say. Many of these gentlemen knew me before my sickness, during my terrible sufferings, and since I was restored to health. My testimony is given voluntarily and without any consideration of any kind, either directly or indirectly. I give it solely for the benefit of my fellow beings who may be afflicted with Dropsy or Kidney troubles of any kind, viz. :—

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Rev. H. C. Dixon, of Gillespie, Ansley & Dixon.
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And hundreds of others.

Yours truly,
MAXWELL JOHNSTON.

Mr. Johnston appeared before Mr. C. Henderson, Commissioner in the High Court of Justice, and gave the following declaration as regards the absolute truth of the statements made in his letter :—

DOMINION OF CANADA,
Province of Ontario,
County of York.

To WIT :—In the matter of a letter to Messrs. T. Milburn & Co., dated 3rd December, 1896, I, Maxwell Johnston, of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, do solemnly declare that the statements contained in the above letter are true, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the Canada evidence act, 1893, declared before me at Toronto, in the County of York, this 3rd day of December, 1896, by Chas. Henderson, a Commissioner in H. C. J. Courts.

(Signed),
MAXWELL JOHNSTON,
of Maxwell Johnston & Co.,
72 Bay street, Toronto, Ont.

Canovas Makes Denial.

Madrid, Jan. 7.—Senor Canovas del Castillo, Prime Minister, personally denies that there is any foundation whatever for the reports of impending changes in the Spanish Ministry, which have been in circulation the past few days. The Cortes will meet in April, when important measures will be submitted to Parliament by the Government.

Ahearn & Soper in Luck.

Quebec, Jan. 7.—The contract for all the rolling stock for the new electric railway in this city, including the cars and electrical apparatus, was to-day awarded to Ahearn & Soper of Ottawa. The road is to be in operation in May next.

Stove in by an Iceberg.

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 11.—The British steamer Wiskham, Capt. Vigers, from Baltimore, Jan. 1, for Copenhagen, with a cargo of grain, has arrived here with her bows stove in as a result of contact with an ice floe. The accident occurred Saturday night, 120 miles off St. John's, where the vessel encountered a large body of heavy Arctic ice, extending as far as the eye could see.

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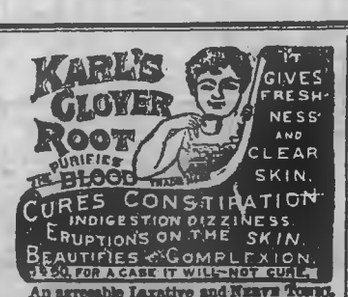

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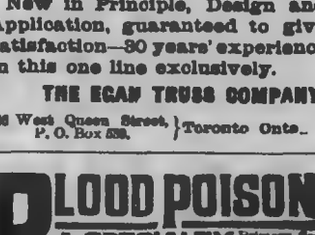

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Incandescent Lamps, (16 Candle) $7.50 per Annum.

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I beg to announce to the citizens of Peterborough and vicinity that I have purchased the business lately conducted by Mr. C. B. Routley, and will continue to carry on a First-class Fancy Goods Store with full lines in all departments as heretofore.

Orders will be placed as rapidly as possible for an entirely new stock of goods for each department and the establishment will soon be overflowing again with an assortment of the very latest goods, unequalled by any retail Fancy Goods Store in Canada.

Ten Days Longer.

For ten days longer, still more Sweeping Clearing Sale prices will be continued until stock-taking is fully completed.

Mr. Routley will be found at the office in the store during the next few weeks to settle his outstanding accounts and wind up his business affairs.

Respectfully soliciting a continuance of your esteemed patronage.

C. F. KUTZBACH,

Successor to C. B. Routley.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers in the DAILY EXAMINER to ensure a prompt change of their advertisement, will please hand in their copy the evening previous to the date the "ad." should appear.

Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

The annual meeting of the Y.W.C.A. to have been held in their rooms Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock has been postponed until Saturday evening at the same hour when we hope to see a large number present.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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A New Firm.

Mr. G. W. Mulligan, of town and Mr. Wm. Potter, brother of Rev. J. G Potter, intend going into partnership for the purpose of conducting a music store and general piano business. Particulars will be announced by advertisement in a few days.

Have You Seen it?

The little store around the corner? south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 496 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—MRS. APPLEBY. dw

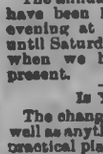
Prizes for Figure Skating.

Commodore Calcutt, who takes a great interest in sports, both in summer and in the winter, wishing to encourage the ladies in figure skating, has kindly offered the management of the Riverside Park skating rink two valuable prizes, 1st and 2nd, to be awarded for figure and plain forward skating. Only those holding tickets for the park rink will be allowed to participate in the competition, which will be held during the last week of February.

In the Ring.

The retired pugilistic champions, Jem Mace, J. F. Scholes and other lesser fistic stars attracted a fair audience at the Opera House. There was some good entertainment provided of its kind, but the spectators were not worked up to the pitch of excitement that a real contest would have brought about. There were visitors from several outside places, such as Keene, Havelock, etc. The retired champion has evidently seen his best days and his support were not as young as it need to be in the fistic line, either.

Furniture by Private Sale.



The handsome furniture and contents of Mr. P. Henry's residence, No. 318 Charlotte Charlotte street, opposite Charlotte street Methodist church, is open for purchase by private sale—either in part or en bloc. Parties can view the furniture on and after Monday, January 11th, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 9 p.m., for one week. The furniture is all new and modern in design, having received comparatively little wear, and is well worthy the attention of housekeepers wishing to make additions to their furniture, or those about to start housekeeping. 635

FALSE REPORT.

Some unprincipled person started a report that Waller & Co., had failed, or was in trouble which is a deliberate falsehood, Not the slightest foundations for such a report. Waller & Co. is still giving bargains in all lines of goods. One Price Cash Grocery. WALLER & CO.

WEDDED IN CAMPBELLFORD.

Mr. H. P. Kennedy, of Town, Espouses Miss Libbie Barker.

A wedding of considerable local interest took place in Campbellford to-day at noon, when Mr. H. P. Kennedy, one of Peterborough's rising young business men, was united in matrimony to Miss Libbie G. Barker, at the residence of her father, Rev. W. S. Barker, of that town.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. F. Barker, of Hamilton, uncle of the bride, assisted by Rev. W. S. Barker, her father.

The wedding was a very quiet one, only the members of the two families being in attendance, with the exception of Miss Frank, of Peterborough, and Miss Katie Miller, of Toronto, the latter of whom played the wedding march.

The bridesmaid was Miss Mamie Barker, sister of the bride, and the groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Marvin S. Kennedy.

The bride was very prettily gowned in a handsome tweed travelling costume, trimmed with sable and velvet, and carried a shower bouquet of white roses. The gift of the groom to the bride consisted of a beautifully designed gold chain bracelet, and the bridesmaid received a similar one of silver.

The wedding dejeuner was served at the conclusion of the ceremony, and Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy left on the 2 20 G. T. R. express for the east, where they will visit Kingston, Montreal, New York and other cities before their return to take up their residence on the corner of Park and Gilmour streets.

The bride was formerly the painstaking secretary of the local branch of the Young Women's Association; where she won the love and respect of all by her consistent and earnest effort to forward the cause of Christianity. Mr. Kennedy has occupied every office in the gift of the County Christian Endeavour, and during the past year occupied the president's chair of the Local Union.

BRENNAN'S LIFE SPARED.

Mr. J. A. Strathy's Assassin Gets Penitentiary for Life.

The monster petition for executive clemency in favour of Michael J. Brennan, found guilty of the murder of Mr. John A. Strathy, and sentenced to be hanged at Barrie on the 19th of January, came before the Cabinet Tuesday afternoon on the report of the Minister of Justice, and it was decided to advise his Excellency to commute the sentence to imprisonment for life in the Kingston Penitentiary. Since his condemnation Brennan has been very ill, and if the death sentence had been carried out he must have been carried to the the scaffold, for he is unable to walk. In reaching their conclusions his Excellency's advisers had the advantage of a special report from the trial judge, who laid great stress upon the recommendation to mercy of the jury.

TO ENCOURAGE MANUFACTURERS.

Representatives of a Big Firm Will be Invited to Peterborough.

A joint meeting of the Council and members of the Board of Trade was held last night for the purpose of discussing measures for inducing certain manufacturers to locate in Peterborough.

Amongst those present were the Mayor, who presided, and Councillors Cobb, White, Graham, Dawson, Meldrum, Neill, Deane, Davis, Laplante and Robertson; Messrs. Jas. Kendry, M.P., J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., D. W. Dumble, Andrew Mercer, E. H. D. Hall, T. E. Bradburn, T. A. S. Hay, Peter Campbell and Adam Hall.

Remarks on the subject were made by Messrs. E. H. D. Hall, Robt. Neill, T. A. S. Hay, D. W. Dumble, J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., Jas. Kendry, M.P., and Adam Hall.

The members of the council took so favourable a few of the matter as represented, that it was decided to invite the company to send representatives to town to meet a committee of the council, with the object of endeavouring to come to an agreement in the matter.

THE LADIES' AID

Of the Charlotte Street Methodist Church Elects Officers.

An election of officers in connection with the Charlotte street Ladies' Aid for 1897, was held at their special meeting, Monday, January 11th, with the following result:

Mrs Hamilton	President
Mrs McBain	Vice-President
Mrs Pearce	Secretary
Mrs Lyle	Treasurer

The Treasurer's report for the year ending Dec. 31st, was as follows:

Balance on hand from 1895	$ 15
General receipts	303 67
Total	$308 02
General expenditures	$296 07
Balance in bank	$ 5 95

PERSONAL

Messrs. E. S. Vinden, of Port Hope and F. C. Taylor, of Lindsay, are in town to-day

Mrs. A. Jobe, of Bridgenorth, is in town spending a week with her sister Mrs. S. Clegg, Stewart street.

Miss Mary Casey left last week for Pembroke, where she has accepted a position as second assistant in the Pembroke Separate School."

Mr. J. B. McWilliams left this morning for Spanish River and the "Soo," on important business connected with the Crown Lands Department.

Miss Mabel Scotheran, of Lindsay, who has been visiting the Misses Calcutts, Ashburnham, left yesterday for Port Hope where she will be the guest of Mr. Chas. Gilchrist, Fishery Inspector.

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Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

Just Arrived.

We have imported for your special benefit a choice lot of British Columbia canned Salmon, Cross & Blackwell's celebrated English pickles. Sardines in oil; also in mustard. We have the finest line of groceries obtainable always in stock. A call will not disappoint either you or E. BROWN & Co., 393 George street.

P.S.—We have made special arrangements to handle Gooderham & Worts' whiskey on draught.

M. L. Henry & Co. to Their Customers.

The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to use our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their account without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

GEORGE ST. CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL.

THE ANNIVERSARY EXERCISES LAST EVENING.

Report of the Progress of the Sunday School During 1896—A Missionary Cantata Well Rendered.

Last evening the George street Methodist Sunday school held its yearly anniversary concert. There was a good attendance of the parents and friends of the scholars. Shortly after eight o'clock the members of the primary department began to file in and fill up the front seats of the church. The intermediate and Bible classes occupied seats either farther back or in the galleries. Seated on the platform were Rev. W. R. Young, B. A., Mr. S. R. Armstrong, superintendent of Sunday school; Mr. Wm. Might, superintendent of Grace church Sunday school; Mr. F. Miller, musical director.

After the opening devotional exercises Rev. Mr. Young delivered a short address.

Mr. A. E. Dixon then presented the following report of the two Sunday schools:

SECRETARY'S REPORT.

PETERBOROUGH, January 12th, 1896.

The Secretary of the George street Methodist church Sunday school begs leave to submit the following report for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1896:

The members on roll in actual attendance during the year is as follows:

	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Primary Department	90	85	175
Junior Intermediate classes	70	102	172
Senior Intermediate classes	66	123	189
Bible classes	164	246	410
Home Class Department	24	63	87
Totals	414	679	993

Teachers	47
Officers	15
Orchestra	12
Total on roll	1065

The average attendance for the year was:

Boys	212
Girls	227
Teachers and officers	51
Total average	500

The total number of verses recited by the boys was 7,573; by the girls, 11,636; total verses recited, 19,209

The average number of verses recited was: Boys, 146; girls, 224; total average, 370.

The average of the missionary collections was: Boys, $2.12; Girls, $2.66; total $4.78.

The average of the missionary collections was: Boys, $2.22; girls, $2.21; total $4.43.

The general average of the collections was: Boys, $3.20; girls, $3 31; total, $6.51.

The library contains 855 volumes, of which 575 are in the Senior Department and 280 in the Junior Department.

The Secretary-Treasurer of the Grace Church branch reports regarding that Sunday school since its opening on March 1st last, as follows:

Primary Department	48
Intermediate classes	55
Bible classes	16
Total scholars	119
Teachers	14
Officers	4
Total number on roll	137

The average attendance was: Boys, 39; girls, 31; teachers and officers, 15; total, 98.

The average of the collections was $1.38.

The total number of verses recited by the boys, 2,449; by the girls, 3,518; total, 5,967; average, 186.

The library contains about 200 volumes.

Under the blessing of our Heavenly Father we have had another prosperous and successful year. Our space became too small to accommodate the large numbers who came to our school, and the authorities of our church in their wisdom decided to build a church on Barnardo avenue, which could be used to accommodate a branch of the Sunday school. A beautiful church, known as "Grace church" was erected and completed, and was publicly dedicated to Divine worship on February 25th last. A branch of our school was opened on the 1st day of March last, thoroughly organized under a devoted band of officers and teachers, and has proved a much greater success than was anticipated.

The opening of the branch school has had the effect of somewhat lessening the membership and average attendance of the parent school, but the combined membership and the average attendance of the two schools are both greater than those shown in the report given one year ago of the George street school before the opening of the Grace church branch.

Two teachers and 28 scholars of the George street school and 8 scholars of the Grace church school have been present 52 Sundays during the year, making a total of 56. Three of this number have been present at the Sunday school each Sunday for 3 years in succession, and 10 others have not been absent a Sunday in two years.

We have lost three of our number through death during the past year. Miss Bertha Mason, one of our most devoted and successful teachers; Master Fred Bradley, of Miss Ritchie's class, and Arthur Armstrong, of the primary department, have gone before to the better land. Let us all so live that we may join them, never more to part.

This year, as in the past two years, each member of the Sunday School who attends the 52 Sundays in the year without missing, was presented with a book or Bible—not as an inducement for him or her to attend, but merely as a reminder of their faithfulness in attending.

Mr. S. R. Armstrong, Superintendent of the George street Sunday school, and Wm. Might, Superintendent of Grace church Sunday school, then presented the gifts to the following children, ladies and gentlemen who had not missed one Sunday in the year. Three out of the number have not missed a Sunday for three years:

George street Sunday School, Peterborough. Names of those present each Sunday during 1896.

Miss E. Mann, teacher, 2nd year, Bible.
Miss L. Frise, teacher, Bible.
Miss M Lendrum 2nd year, Palestine Illustrated, Rev. W. R Young's class.
Raymond Chatten, Bible, Mr. J. J. Hartley's class.
Lorne Dormer, Bible, Miss Ritchie's class.
Harvard Goldey, Bible Mrs. M. A. Turner's class.
Harvey Trickey. 2nd year. Bible, Mrs. M. A. Turner's class.
Norman Miller, 2nd year, "Home Chat," Miss Londerville's class.
Willie Pickles, 2nd year, Bible, Mr. A. Johnston's class.
Louis Speer, Bible, Mr. A. Johnston's class.
Gordon Miller, 2nd year. Bible, Miss Pascoe's class.
Arthur Mann, Bible, Miss Morrow's class.
Wilfred Jenkins. Bible, Miss V. Bellegham's class.
Wesley Erskine, Bible, Mrs. Boomer's class.
Dalla Henderson. Bible, Miss Griffith's class.
Annie Smith, Bible, Miss L. Steven's class.
Etta McMann, Bible. Mr. Staple's class.
Maud Shera, 2nd year, "What she Could," Miss M. Mason's class.
Ethel Smith, Bible, Mrs. Jas. Stubb's class.
Ethel Miller, 3rd year, Pilgrim's Progress, Mrs. Jas. Stubb's class.
Alice Hubble, Bible, Miss C. Mann's class.
Ethel Jenkins, Bible, Miss C. Mann's class.
Florence Lush, Bible, Miss Duncan's class.
Minnie Pickles, Bible, Miss Duncan's class.
Mary Bradley. 2nd year, Bible, Miss Duncan's class.
Minnie Dormer, Bible, Miss Duncan's class.
Walter Bellegham, "Holidays," Primary class.
Cecil Fletcher, "Holidays," Primary class.
Henderson Mann, "Rosebuds," Primary class.
Ada Nicholls, "Rosebuds," Primary class.
Bertha Nicholls, "Merry Sunshine," Primary class.
Edward Trollope, 2nd year, Bible, Miss A. Robinson's class.
Fred Allison, 3rd year, Bible, Miss A. Robinson's class.
Beanie Humber, Bible, Miss A. Robinson's class.
Joseph Lane, Bible, Mrs. Syer's class.
Gertie Allison, 2nd year, Bible, Miss Detcher's class.
Aggie Allison, 2nd year, Bible, Miss Detcher's class.
Lydia Higgins, Bible, Miss Detchers's class.
Lillian Ingram, Bible, Miss Detcher's class.

THE TREASURER'S REPORT

was also read by Mr. A. E. Dixon.

Receipts and Disbursements of George Street Methodist Sunday School for year ending Jan. 1st, 1897:

Receipts.

Collections	$ 211 69
Anniversary presents	78 86
Home department	9 22
Mite box	10 97
Proceeds of Yeigh lecture	31 66
Interest on Mrs. Nicholl's Legacy	35 29
	$406 43

Disbursements.

Periodicals	$ 140 74
Library books	25 00
Review Printing Co	55 23
Anniversary expense	8 00
Missionary society	76 96
Grace Church library	35 29
Tuning piano	2 00
Flowers	6 00
Orchestra	29 80
Balance on hand	23 41
	$ 378 03

THE CANTATA.

The rest of the programme consisted of a missionary cantata, entitled "Sir Money's Crusade." It is a scene in which Sir Money's well known power is shown. Members of the George street choir and Sunday school were dressed to represent the different countries in which the Methodist church has missionaries labouring. The following is a list of the ladies who were costumed:—

Miss Clara Bellegham	Africa
" Lillie Pascoe	Oceania
" Vina Bellegham	Japan
" M Metherall	Greece
" Abbie Robinson	Japan
" C Clegg	Java
" E Rutherford	India
" M Barclay	China
" L Ritchie	Turkey
" I Melrose	Mexico
" Annie Bellegham	India
" Butcher	Spain
" L Lumsden	Spirit of Missions
" Mark	Burmah

The following is a list of the gentlemen who were dressed to represent the different powers which rule the world to-day:—

Sir Money	W F Skitch
Squire Double-Eagle	John C Miller
Greenback	A G Chambers
Big Cheque	Harry Goldie
Squire Dollar	E Maybee
Master Quarter	Bertie Boomer
" Dime	Edwin Fisher
" Copper	Fred Miller

COUNTRIES.

South America	Bert Armstrong
China	Jas Browne
India	Geo Harvey

The latter three were dressed to represent the different countries in which the Methodist church has missionaries labouring.

The costumes were very handsome, one especially noted amongst the gentlemen being that of Mr. A. Skitch, as Sir Money.

Solos and duets were interspersed profusely through the score with fine effect.

The presentation of the cantata was an unqualified success, the parts being all well taken.

Those who had the cantata management in hand are to be congratulated on the success it achieved last night.

Rubbing It In.

Never use a liniment for rheumatism, says a high medical authority. Do'nt rub it in—drive it out. Take something that removes the acid poison from the blood—take something that will improve your digestion, and build up the body to the perfection of robust health. That "something" is Scott's Sarsaparilla, a medicine that obtains the best results in the shortest time. $1, of all druggists.

Grafton & Co. have too much Underwear. 2,160 Shirts and Drawers, what we should have at this time of the year is about 500. See the bargains at 15c, 25c, 35c, 40c 45c, 50c and up.

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—Writing Portfolios (a very fine line).
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—Hair Brushes and Combs.
—Our Darlings, $1 for 25c.
—Leisure Hour, $2 for $1.
—Sunday at Home, $2 for $1.
—Girl's Own Annual, $2 for $1.25.
—Holiday Books.
—Miscellaneous Books.
—Works of Fiction.
—Photo Frames and Cases.
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—Onyx Tables and Vases.
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Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1897.

Y.P.S.C.E. NOTES.

Paragraphs of Local Interest to Endeavourers Supplied by the County Union.

WORLD'S CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR PRAYER CHAIN.

(Subject of Prayer for January.)

FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE WORLD.

Pray that the beginning of the new year may witness the beginning of a universal revival of religion. Pray for a great manifestation of the Holy Spirit throughout the world, and that the unsaved everywhere may be turned to Christ.

LOCAL UNION.

The Executive of this union met on Tuesday evening and transacted some important business. The celebration of Endeavour day was considered unwise at present. Owing to the near approach of the County Sunday School convention the Executive thought it would be better to put forward a special effort to make this a success, and also decided to co operate with the County Union to make the Easter convention an interesting season. The matter of assisting the directors of the Young Women's Association to furnish the new home was discussed, and the union decided to ask each society to consider the matter. A committee was appointed to see what steps could be taken to furnish a room in the new Y.M.C.A. building, to be known as "Endeavour Room."

The meeting adjourned subject to the call of the president.

St. Paul's and St. Andrew's societies had as their topic Monday night "Why am I a Presbyterian?" Rev. Walter Rogers addressed St. Andrew's society, and Mr. Sheriff Hall directed the thoughts of St. Paul's society along this important line. Both these meetings will prove profitable to the young people who attended the meetings.

The directors of the Young Women's Association intend asking each society of the union to furnish one bedroom in the new home about to be established in connection with that work. Murray street Baptist society has stepped forward and offered to furnish one room. Now let the other societies look into the matter and see what they can do. At this season we may prophesy quilting socials, etc. Surely this would be doing social work along proper lines.

SALEM—OTONABEE.

It has been some time since we have been heard from. Our reporter is not dead, but sleepeth. The year 1896 is now a thing of the past; the mistakes and failings of the past year have been many, and it is ours to begin the year 1897 with a fixed determination to improve the time that is ours that the past may not be a hinderance to the advancement of the cause of righteousness in our lives. Our society here is still alive and striving for the mastery. During the past year we feel that we have endeavoured to do something for our Lord and Master, though perhaps not as much as we could have one. Our Christmas song service was worthy of note. Some half dozen of our juniors giving several well rendered selections, one is worthy of special mention and highly commendable which was under the management of our estimable president. Our last Tuesday night's meeting was the first for this year. The topic, "What prayer should do for the Christian" was conducted by our old esteemed friend, Mr. Samuel Sargent, sr., and was fully dealt with. It being our monthly consecration service, that meeting was held also and with good results, all the members present taking up their cross. It was also election of officers for the current term which resulted as follows:

President—Mr. W. D. Sargent.
1st Vice-President—Miss E. E. Howson.
2nd Vice-President—Mrs. Seaney.
3rd Vice-President—Miss Octavia Wood.
Secretary and Corresponding Sec.—H. S. Armstrong.
Treasurer—Mr. Robert Clegborn.

We trust that with our new officers we shall be able to report even better progress in the future than in the past.

The Annuals Nearly All Gone.

Bear in mind that we have a very limited supply of Sunday at Home and Leisure Hour—latest editions. If you wish to secure a copy at half price, namely $ 100, come at once to the Peterborough Book Store, or telephone No. 285, and we will send you a copy. Girls' Own, "Our Darlings," $1.00, for 25c, are just about closed out—the price sells them. You cannot get better, cheaper or more interesting reading for less money. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

The R M.C. team, Kingston, was recently defeated by the Rockwoods, of the same city, by the score of 14 4. No wonder they defaulted to Peterborough. On Monday the Rockwoods defeated Queen's senior team by 11 to 14 games.

The Kingston Whig says: A meeting of the Frontenac hockey club was held at the Kingston skating rink Monday evening. The most important event was the appointment of a captain. For this responsible position James W. Rigney was unanimously selected. The action of the union in ordering two teams to play at Peterborough on the same day was discussed, the opinion being that the union should have ordered one team from Peterborough to play here. It was decided to have the Peterborough intermediate team play here—if at all possible, the same night as the junior team play at Peterborough.

A. H. Beaton, secretary of the Ontario Hockey Union, has written to the Secretary of the Frontenac hockey club, notifying him that it was impossible to change the order of things, and that the Frontenacs must journey to Peterborough.

There was a sharp practice at the rink last night amongst the junior members of the Peterboroughs, none of the senior members being on the ice. Hopkins made his first appearance in goal and will evidently be "the whole tip" for the third team once he gets his hand in. His experience as wicket keeper on the cricket field should stand him in good stead.

The intermediate team has a star defence man in Thorne, who is in great shape this season, and playing almost fast enough for the seniors if there was room for him on the defence.

There is considerable speculation as to who will be selected to fill the place caused by the absence of King from the senior team. There are a likely lot of aspirants.

Grubbe, who has lately returned to town, and formerly played with the local Collegiate team, is showing up well at the practices, and will, without doubt, be given a place on the rush line of the intermediates, anyway, though his claims are strongly pushed by some as a likely man for the seniors.

Belleghem and Crossley are playing in fine form this year, and although either are good enough for the first team, it is thought that it would be unwise to separate them, and they will probably be put in charge of one of the wings of the intermediate forward line, which will be greatly strengthened by their fine combination work.

The public would be interested in seeing a scratch match between teams picked as follows:

Wasson	goal	Dixon
Montgomery	point	Hollingshead
Adams	cover point	Thorne
Phelan, Davidson, Graham, Lefevre	forwards	Belleghem, Crossley, King, Grubbs

The following teams are called out for practice to-night:

Wasson	goal	Dickson
Montgomery	point	Logan
Adams	cover point	Thorne
Lefevre, Davidson, Phelan, Hollingshead	forwards	King, Belleghem, Crossley, Graham

It would be a good idea to ask the Varsity team down for a game.

CURLIANA.

The first match in the Innis medal series was played off at the rink last night with the following result:

Granites.		*Thistles.*	
C Fe-senden,		W J Wattam,	
H R H Kenner,		C N Brown,	
J Jeffries,		Geo Brown,	
J Connel, sk	23	R H Kells, sk	7

Majority for Granites, 16 shots.

A couple of friendly games were played off during the evening, resulting as appended:

— Milne,		J Stanger,	
H Snowden,		R D Kerr,	
W L Allen,		C Rutherford,	
D B Ileghem, sk	16	T Rutherford, sk	11
R Waddel,		E B Stone,	
R E Wood,		F J Rogers,	
W Manson,		G Giroux,	
W Sailsbury,		G E Whiten,	
Judge Weller, sk	14	G W Hatton, sk	15

The draw in Group No. 2 of the Tankard series is being played off here to-day, with Judge Weller as umpire. The group is composed of Millbrook, Campbellford, Keene, Port Perry and Fenelon Falls. The two latter clubs defaulted and in the draw Campbellford scored the bye. Millbrook and Keene played off this morning with the following result:—

Keene.		*Millbrook.*	
R Brown,		S Bateson,	
C Bell,		John Allen,	
R McCamus,		John Steele,	
R McIntyre, sk	21	J A Vance, sk	17
A Kason,		H B Allen,	
H J English,		A A Smith,	
R Londerville,		Geo Hetherington,	
W Campbell, sk	27	W T Wood, sk	15
	48		32

Majority for Keene, 16 shots.

Keene and Campbellford are playing off this afternoon.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The annual meeting of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society will be held in the Council Chamber to-night at 7.30.

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DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 12,—8.30 a.m. ..... 11° below zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	9°	—6°

The minus sign (—) signifies below zero.

DISTRICT ORANGEMEN.

The Annual Meeting and Election of Officers Last Night.

There was a large turn-out of the Orangemen of this district at their annual district meeting held last night. An invitation was received and accepted from the district of Port Hope to celebrate the coming 12th of July in the town of Port Hope.

The following officers were elected and installed by Past District Master H. Armstrong:

Sidney B Weir, of L O L 178		Wor Dis Master
Robt Campbell	" 457	Deputy Master
Joseph Batten	" 321	Chaplain
D H Moore	" 49	Recording Sec'y
A Dugran	" 321	Fin Sec'y
W H G Armstrong	" 49	Treasurer
Isaac Milburn	" 178	Dis Dir of Cer
Robert Mahood	" 178	Dis Lecturer

The next meeting will be held at the Orange Hall, Nassau, second Tuesday in June at 8 p.m.

HUSTLING HAVELOCK.

(*Correspondence of The Examiner.*)

The new council for 1897 assembled in the council chamber, in the school house, at 11 o'clock on Monday morning. Present—Alex. McAuley, Esq., reeve, and Councillors Code, Dorricott and Curtis. The other councillor, Mr. Chapman, was absent in Buffalo attending an important railroad meeting, and was unable to be present for the opening session. Mr. R. Philip filled the clerk's office, and administered the oaths of office to the members of the new council. After which the reeve asked for an adjournment until the evening for the further despatch of business, which was carried.

EVENING SESSION.

The council re-assembled at 7 o'clock in the evening, all the members being present except Mr. Chapman.

The clerk read the minutes of the last meeting of the old council, which, on motion, were confirmed.

The reeve appointed Mr. William Patterson his auditor for 1897.

Councillor Code moved seconded by Councillor Dorricott, that Mr. C. H. Brewster be the council's auditor for 1897.—Carried.

Applications for the office of assessor were read from Messrs. C. H. Campbell, H. T. Archer and A. H. Fuller.

In committee of the whole, Councillor Code moved, seconded by Councillor Dorricott, that Mr. H. T. Archer be appointed assessor.—Carried.

In committee of the whole, Reeve McAuley moved, seconded by Councillor Dorricott, that Mr. J. Maidens be appointed treasurer.—Carried.

In committee of the whole, Councillor Code moved, seconded by Reeve McAuley, that Mr. R. Philip be appointed clerk.—Carried.

In accordance with the above, a by-law confirming the appointment of the several village officers was passed through its several readings and carried.

A by-law was introduced and passed through its several readings prohibiting coasting, etc., on the village sidewalks. The penalties for infractions of this by-law are as follows:—First offence, a fine of not less than $1 nor more than $5; for second offence, a fine of not less than $2 nor more than $10; for third offence, a fine of not less than $3 nor more than $15.

Board of Health—Mr. C. H. Brewster retiring this year from the Board of Health Mr. J. H. Campbell was appointed to fill the vacancy. The Board of Health for this year will therefore be composed as follows: The reeve and clerk and Messrs. James Bryans, Harvey Fordham and J. H. Campbell.

Councillor Code moved, seconded by Councillor Dorricott, that the time for returning the collector's roll be extended until the 28th of January, and no longer—Carried.

Councillor Curtis moved, seconded by Councillor Code, that the village constable be notified to look after all cattle running at large, and enforce the bylaw relating thereto—Carried.

Councillor Curtis moved, seconded by Councillor Dorricott, that the reeve be authorized to attend the sale of lands for taxes to be held in Peterborough, and to watch the interests of the municipality in reference to certain lots in the village.—Carried.

The Reeve introduced the matter of a lock-up for the village. The necessity of a proper place for the confinement of prisoners in the village had been brought to his attention on various occasions, and the County Police Magistrate had also urged the importance of this step. He asked the council to take action in the matter without delay.

Councillor Dorricott moved, seconded by Councillors Code, that this council grant the sum of $200 for the erection of a lock-up in this village, provided the county council grant a like amount, and the Ontario Government also make a grant of $400 for same; and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Messrs. John Brown and J. B. Pearce, county councillors for this division, to present at the ensuing session of the county council—Carried.

On motion the EXAMINER Printing Company was awarded the contract for the municipal printing for the year 1897.

A committee of the whole council was appointed to inquire into the advisability of providing street lamps for the village, and to report at the next meeting of the council.

Councillor Curtis moved, seconded by Councillor Code, that the Reeve and Councillor Dorricott, be a committee to make arrangements for keeping the sidewalks clear of snow.

Council adjourned at the call of the Reeve.

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SELWYN LITERARY SOCIETY.

The Selwyn Literary Society held its second open meeting in the Temperance Hall on Jan. 8th. The hall was filled to its utmost capacity, a large number having to stand.

The president occupied the chair and spoke briefly in reference to the work and object of the society. The association is doing good work and the young men have taken hold in a way that is creditable to them. Mr. Fry's (Peterborough) selections were much appreciated by the audience, and added greatly to the pleasure of the evening.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted, after which the following programme was rendered:

Chorus	Glee Club
Critic's report	Mr Succee
Solo	Rodger Manning
Recitation	Miss B Pearson
Instrumental music	Misses McConkey and Moore
Debate, Resolved that "Women are as capable of transacting business as men are." Affirmative, Mr R Pearson and Mrs T Bell; negative, Mr. Jos Nicholls and Miss A Bell	
Piano Solo	Mr J Fry
Solo	F G Young
Address	Rev Mr A J Terrill
Dialogue	Miss Rosborough
Dialogue	three boys
Paper	Editor
Solo	Mrs J M Roberts

Mr. W. Tindall was appointed Critic for the next meeting, after which it was decided that the society hold a concert in the Temperance Hall, on Friday, Feb. 5th. The meeting closed with singing the National Anthem.

BENSFORT.

(*From Our Own Correspondent.*

Messrs. Charles and Edward Stirton have dug a new well. They struck an unlimited quantity of water at the depth of ten feet. Heretofore they have had much difficulty in procuring water for their stock but will now have a bounteous supply.

Mr. Jas. Telford, the water wizard of Ashburnham, is to dig a well for Mr. Robert Fisher. By the use of the divining rod he locates springs no matter how deep they may be. He has been engaged for several weeks digging wells for different people in this township.

Mr. Robert Fisher has been elected commissioner for the township of South Monaghan.

Mr. Jos. Wood is building a very picturesque as well as useful fence at the north end of his farm. It is composed of stumps and roots from some new land he is breaking up.

Mr. John Henry, of Hale's Bridge, has the contract for cutting wood for Mr. John Fletcher.

Mr. Robert O'Hare is busily engaged in hauling material for his new residence.

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DIED.

LEEDS—On Jan. 4th 1897, at 135 Beverley street, Toronto, Thos. W., eldest son of the late John Parmeter Leeds, Esq., formerly of Beck Hall, Billingford, Norfolk, England, aged 55 years.

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Also received Two Thousand Dollars worth of Furs, the balance of the Bankrupt Stock of the noted furrier Joseph Rogers, Toronto. These goods are not intended to be placed in competition with the fag end of the Lugadin and other stocks lately brought to town by a local furrier. All are invited to call and see our stock.

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50c Tea at 35c per lb.	Soaps at 6 Bars for 25c.
40c Tea at 30c per lb.	Canned Salmon (a1) 10c can
30c Tea at 22½c per lb.	Corn, Tomatoes,
25c Tea at 20c per lb.	Beans, Peas,
or 2 lbs. for 35c.	4 cans either, 25c.

These prices are cash and cash only. The goods are all fresh and fine stock. Just as long as water runs down hill will we continue to keep our wheel in the stream.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The Furness Liner Damara, Overdue at Halifax is Towing in Her Sister Ship Durham City.

The steamer Durham City is being towed into Halifax by the steamer Damara, both of the Furness Line.

Mr. Dingley has announced that no tariff bill will be reported to the House of Congress this session.

Koch, Dreyfus & Co., wholesale dealers in watches and diamonds, New York, are reported to be in financial difficulties.

More reports of butcheries of Cubans by Spaniards come from Havana, and it is said Spanish soldiers have ravished Cuban women.

Senator Money, who has just returned from Cuba, says the insurgents have any amount of provisions concealed in places inaccessible to the Spaniards.

At the inauguration in Springfield, Ill., yesterday, ex-Governor Altgeld was prevented from inflicting a speech of 4000 words on the members by a bit of Republican generalship.

Ann Fram, relict of the late William Fram of West Missouri, died yesterday in London, aged 97. Deceased was born in Ross-shire, Scotland, and came to Canada 64 years ago.

The Windsor police feel relieved at the departure of Eddie Mines, the well-known crook. He took up his abode in that city, but was so closely watched that he left Saturday night.

In Col. Sinn's Theatre, Brooklyn, on Saturday night, an usher advanced to the front and chorused: "Ladies will kindly remove their large hats." The hats were forthwith removed, amid applause.

Gen. Polavieja, commanding the Spanish forces in the Philippine Islands, is pursuing a vigorous policy, and it is said the insurgents will retaliate if their leaders who have been captured are executed.

In London, Eng., yesterday, William Cook, aged 17, with a bad record, was convicted of robbery. Then he was handed over to a missionary, with a view of having him sent to Canada. Sir Donald Smith will protest.

While resisting arrest in Leadville, Col., yesterday, Frank Dougherty, a striking miner, was shot and instantly killed by Policeman Guyton. Dougherty was charged with carrying concealed weapons, and when the officer tried to arrest him Dougherty fired a shot at the officer, but missed him.

The London papers of all shades of politics speak in approving tones of the signing of the arbitration treaty between Great Britain and the United States. The Daily News and Chronicle call the signing of the treaty "the event of the 19th century." The Times is cautious and reserved.

Mrs. E. W. Wilson, a wealthy old lady of 70, has been abducted from Chicago. Thirty years ago Mrs. Wilson took a deserted little infant girl, reared and educated her, but did not legally adopt her. The girl grew up and got married, and Mrs. Wilson's relatives claim this woman is keeping the old lady.

January Assizes opened in London yesterday before Chancellor Boyd. The breach of promise case of Miss Rebecca Scott, aged 24, against a Missouri farmer, aged 65, for $6000, was called, but a compromise was arranged, defendant agreeing to pay $1000 to settle, each party paying their own costs.

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TORONTO MAN MISSING.

A. E. Ecclestone of the Dominion Express Company, Absent From His Home and Office.

Toronto, Jan. 12.

For some days Alfred E. Ecclestone, chief clerk to Walter S. Stout, general manager of the Dominion Express Co., has been missing. On Wednesday last, after supper, he kissed his three-months'-old baby boy, at the same time saying that he was going back to the office to work. His wife thought he was acting strangely, and insisted upon accompanying him down town. She went part way with him and then returned home. That was the last she saw of him, and he did not turn up at his office on Thursday, the following day. Before leaving his home, 64 Lakeview-avenue, he emptied his pockets of all letters and papers.

Mr. Ecclestone's unexplained absence is a mystery to his friends and fellow-employes, although it is known to his intimate friends that he has been worried for some time, partly over money matters. None of them, however, considered that his troubles were serious enough to cause him to take his own life, or leave the city surreptitiously.

The Express people have kept up a quiet search for the missing man. They have wired to different cities. The old offices on King-street west were searched thoroughly, as it was thought he might have gone in there and taken his life in a fit of despondency. A number of men were also engaged in dragging the bay in different places.

When last seen Mr. Ecclestone was dressed in an ordinary dark business suit, dark overcoat and hat and wore a dark mustache and had dark hair.

Mr. A. E. Ecclestone has for years been known as one of the most popular of Toronto's young men. He is connected with the family of the same name who for years conducted confectionery establishments in Hamilton and afterwards on King-street, Toronto. He was born in Hamilton about 25 years ago, and has for some time been in the employ of the Dominion Express Company, in the service of which concern, by ability and industry, he rose to the responsible position of chief clerk to General Manager Stout.

Mr. Ecclestone is also known as one of Toronto's most successful vocalists, Being possessed of a remarkably sweet and sympathetic tenor voice his singing has for some seasons been in demand, and he has for four or five winters past pleased many audiences, both in and outside the city. He occupies the position of first tenor in the Carlton-street Methodist Church choir.

A year ago last June Mr. Ecclestone married Miss Florence Doyle, and a few months ago a son was born to them.

His disappearance is causing anxiety to a large circle of friends, to whom he has endeared himself by his charming personal qualities.

INDIANS ARE FURIOUS.

The Canadian Government Interfered With Their Barbaric Orgies and Trouble is Threatened.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 11.—Edward Wilson of Cape Mudge, on the northern coast of the province, arrived in the city last night to seek the help of the Indian Department to avoid a threatened uprising of the natives. The trouble is caused by the determination of the Government to put down the disgusting custom of "potlaches." These potlach gatherings of the Indians are held in the winter after their return from fishing and hunting, and are relics of the barbaric rites that the authorities had not interfered with until strongly urged to do so by the missionaries.

At these feasts the young braves torture themselves in various ways, and one feature is the tearing up of a live dog with their teeth and devouring the reeking flesh. The Cape Mudge Indians refuse to desist, and Chief Moon recently issued invitations for a big potlach.

Constable Manson of Cortes Island last Tuesday arrested Chief Moon and his son and the tribesmen, who were wildly excited, flocked to the landing place as the prisoners were being taken away and rescued the chief, the constable, with the assistance of some determined, white men, managing to hustle the son into a boat and carry him away.

The Indians, furious at this interference with their orgies, called a gathering of the tribe and medicine men, and, though some older heads counselled peace, the younger bloods have spread the news abroad among the coast tribes, and they are flocking to Cape Mudge armed and determined to hold a potlach in spite of everything.

White settlers on the coast near that section are few, and grave fears are entertained that, once maddened with whisky, the Indians will break loose and a massacre of the whites will result.

All warships are at present away, but there is a company of regulars at the fort, and a company of militia here and at Vancouver, which are enough to send to the scene if the situation continues as threatening as at present.

The flagship Imperieuse is north of Vancouver Island now, and can be summoned in short order. However, it is likely that a number of the Provincial police force, well armed, will be despatched to Cape Mudge as a precaution before the troops are ordered out.

The sick man knocking at the door of health gets in if he knocks the right way, and, stays out if he doesn't. There are thousands of ways of getting sick, but only one way to get well. Do whatever you will, if you do not put your digestion in good order, and make your blood rich and pure, you will not get well. Rich, pure blood is the only thing that can bring perfect health. Constipation is a disease of the blood. A large part of all diseases are traceable directly to impurities in the blood, and can be cured by eliminating them with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The first thing it does is to put the whole digestive system into perfect order. It stimulates the appetite, excites a copious secretion of the digestive fluids and promotes assimilation. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be, kills them and forces them out of the system. The "Golden Medical Discovery" has been used with unvarying success for over 30 years.

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SPORTING NOTES.

Toronto Remains in the Eastern Baseball League—Will Play at the Island.

Toronto, Jan. 12.

Arthur A. Irwin is now sole proprietor of the Toronto Baseball Club and this franchise in the Eastern League. He closed with the Toronto Ferry Company yesterday and soon after wired to Pittsburg his acceptance of President Kerr's offer. President P. T. Powers of the Eastern League was also apprised of the fact. The price paid was $2,500.

With the franchise Magnate Irwin gets the following players, who are on Toronto's reserve list: Dineen, Staley, Dean, pitchers; Lutenberg, 1b.; Ward, 2b.; Wagner, s.s.; Freeman, Casey, Sanford, fielders. It is Mr. Irwin's intention to play Casey in the outfield with Freeman and Wright, the last of whom he proposes to purchase from Pittsburg. He will then dispose of Sanford. Two reliable twirlers, two backstops and a third baseman must be secured to complete the team.

Mr. Irwin has already arranged an exhibition game with Washington for April 12, 13 and 14, and there he will likely ask his men to report. Afterwards his team will play in Baltimore, Philadelphia, Paterson and Newark. This will take them up to April 29, when the Eastern League season opens.

The Toronto Ferry Company have promised to give a 15-minute service from 3 until 4 every afternoon there is a game at the Island.

The new manager-proprietor will remain in Toronto for a week or more and then he will start on a still hunt for the players he needs.

New York, Jan. 11.—Curlers of this vicinity started to-day for Canada. On the way they will be joined by other curlers throughout the United States. At least 35 rinks are expected to oppose the Canadians, four of these coming from Buffalo to-morrow afternoon and evening. On the rinks of the Toronto clubs friendly matches will be played on Wednesday. The third quinquennial match between the curlers of New York and the Granite Club of Toronto will take place on Thursday. In both of the previous matches, 1887 and 1892, the Americans were beaten by the Canadians.

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LATEST CABLE NEWS

British Expedition Has a Perilous Task on Hand.

IT IS AFTER THE EMIR OF NUPE

Another Expedition Will be Sent Out to Punish the Benin Natives for the Massacre of the Phillips Party —Ivory Sent Up for Trial —Other Cablegrams.

London, Jan. 12.—A telegram from Lagos says that the expedition against the Emir of Nupe is still waiting at Lokoja. This expedition sent out by the Royal Niger Company consists of 500 House troops, six maxims, 28 mounted European officers and 900 carriers. It is expected that it will march against the Foule forces at Kabba, southwest of the Niger. Sir George Goldie, the Governor, has arrived, and will accompany the column. The Royal Niger Company's flotilla of armed stern wheeled steamers will patrol the Niger and cut off the enemy's retreat to Bida, their capital.

The Times says the original cause of the quarrel between the powerful Emir of Nupe and the Niger Company was on account of the Emir raiding the company's territory for slaves. The company have an arduous and perilous task. Their plan is daring and subject to many chances.

The Daily News to-morrow will say that the Government has ordered that an expedition be formed to punish the murderers of the Benin expedition. The punitive expedition, which will be prepared at Old Calabar, will be made up of men from the forces of the Niger Coast protectorate and a contingent of sailors from the British West Africa squadron. Officers whose stations are on the Niger Coast and who are now in England on leave of absence, have been ordered to be ready to sail for their posts on Saturday.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Russian Oil Company's Premises at Purfleet, England, Burned.

London, Jan. 12.—The premises of the Russian Oil Company at Purfleet have been burned, and immense damage done. Cataracts of burning oil were poured into the Thames, illuminating the river from Greenwich to Gravesend. The Purfleet powder magazine and the Anglo-American Oil Company adjacent, were saved by the efforts of the fire brigade.

Ivory Sent for Trial.

London, Jan. 12.—The grand jury in the Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey, to-day returned a true bill against Edward J. Ivory, alias Edward Bell of New York, who was arrested in Glasgow in September last on a charge of being engaged in a conspiracy to cause a dynamite explosion.

Micks for Gold Roubles.

London, Jan. 12.—A Times despatch says: M. De Witte maintains his determination for the fixation of the rouble in gold, which is simply a continuation of what has already been done by the free exchange of the paper rouble for the gold rouble at the relative value of one rouble (of 100 kopeks) to 50 kopeks. He also dilates upon the advantages of protective duties and the immense stride of Russian manufactures and industry in the enterprise of the railway to Manchuria.

They Met Mr. Wolcott

London, Jan. 12.—Henry White, formerly Secretary of the American Legation here, gave a dinner to a number of distinguished public men last night, with the object of enabling them to meet Senator Edward O. Wolcott of Colorado, who is visiting Europe in the interests of bi-metallism. Among those present were the Marquis of Lansdowne, Secretary of State for War; Arthur J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, and Government leader in the House of Commons; Lord De Rothschild, William Court Gully, Speaker of the House of Commons, and Herbert Asquith, formerly Home Secretary.

CONFIDENCE THE FOUNDATION.

President Stannard's Sensible Remarks to the Monetary Conference at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Jan. 12.—Tomlinson Hall presented much the same appearance when the delegates to the Monetary Conference assembled this afternoon that it did during the National Convention. The delegates are a substantial, prosperous and brainy set of men. E. O. Stannard, ex-Governor of Missouri, who had been selected as temporary chairman, reviewed the steps which led to the convention, and then said: It is not my purpose on this occasion to suggest any given line of policy to be pursued in remedying the evils of which complaint has been made, or that may be suggested here or hereafter. It is safe for me to say that the stability, prosperity and safety of our Government rest on a policy that can be relied on to last from one year to another, and from one political administration to another, and to be taken as far as possible out of the realm of politics. Confidence is the foundation upon which business and all affairs of material interest are built. There should be enough money to do the business of the country, and there should be no doubt about its character and no shaking of confidence to take it out and keep it out of circulation.

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Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 12.—The Earl of Cranston v. the Canadian-Australian Steamship Company, for damages for forcible deportation from Honolulu during the last uprising in the Hawaiian Islands, took place on Monday before Justice McColl, and a special jury. The jury awarded the plaintiff $1000 damages. Fifty thousand dollars was sued for.

Brisson Re-elected.

Paris, Jan. 12.—M. Henri Brisson was re-elected President of the Chamber of Deputies to-day, receiving 285 votes.

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BATTLE OF RAILROADERS.

Officials of the Grand Trunk and C. P. R. Over Interchange at Scotia Junction.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—The dispute between the Grand Trunk and Parry Sound Railways over the lack of facilities for interchange of traffic at Scotia Junction was fought out to-day by Mr. E. J. Chamberlin, general manager of the Parry Sound, and Mr. William Wainwright, assistant manager of the Grand Trunk, before Mr. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals. It is understood the Parry Sound Company does not recede from the position which it has assumed, and as set forth in the correspondence published in The World a few days ago. No conclusion was reached to-day. Mr. Wainwright stating that he would have to consult General Manager Hays further about the matter.

Will Stick to Victoria.

San Francisco, Jan. 12.—Contrary to expectations, the Behring Sea Commission, composed of representatives of the United States and Great Britain, will not sit in San Francisco, but will complete their investigation at Victoria, B.C.,

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Polydore St. Pierd Suicided Because He Could Not Get Married.

Rat Portage, Jan. 12.—Polydore St. Pierd, a fine-looking fellow, 30 years of age, has committed suicide at the Central Hotel by taking strychnine. It is supposed that he was despondent and discouraged for the reason that he couldn't marry the girl he wanted to, either because he had not the necessary means or owing to a love quarrel. Deceased left a letter for his uncle, J. C. St. Pierd, regarding the disposition of his effects. He came here from a camp on the lake a couple of weeks ago.

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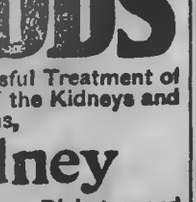

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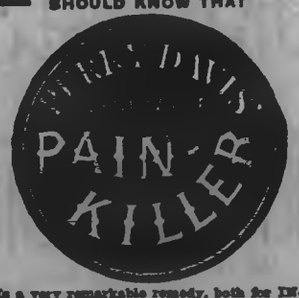

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BAILLIEBORO.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The annual entertainment of Christ's church, Baillieboro, was held on the evening of Jan. 5th. The basement of the church was filled to its utmost capacity in spite of the bad roads and miserable state of the weather. The programme was very interesting. The neat little sum of $43 was realized and $36 50 was collected at the offertory at the services on Sunday. The programme was as follows:

Opening address.....Rev Wm Allen
Song, "Toymakers of Wonderland"..Sunday School Children
Song.....Dr McKee
Mandolin solo (encored).....Mr Gilchrist
Address and presentation of purse to organist
Song and chorus.....Choir
Mandolin solo (mouth organ accompaniment)..Mr Gilchrist
Song.....Dr McKee
Overture, "Good and Bad Luck"..Millbrook Contingent

God Save the Queen.

The ladies of the congregation presented the organists, Miss Emma Smithson and Miss Ida Reid with a purse of money on recognition of their services during the year of 1896. Special mention may be made of the songs sung by Dr. McKee and the selections by Mr. Gilchrist. The Millbrook friends were very kind in helping with the programme.

RHEUMATISM CURED.

Eighteen Months Trying to get Cured—Had the Best Doctors—He Found What he Wanted in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Goderich, Jan. 11—(Special)—A case of great interest here just now is that of Mr. Alexander J. Sharkey, who for some time has been an extreme sufferer from Rheumatism. His statement to the correspondent is as follows:—

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BELMONT.

(From a Correspondent.)

The inauguration meeting of the new township council for 1897 opened at the town hall, Belmont, at 11 o'clock on Monday morning. The council consists of D. Burgess, Esq., Reeve; J. A. Sexsmith, Deputy-Reeve. Councillors, Messrs. John Vansickle, Samuel McConnell and A. McArthur, with Porter Preston again as the efficient clerk. The following was the official return of the poll:—For Deputy-Reeve.—J. A. Sexsmith, 204; J. W. Seeney, 189. For Councillors.—John Johnston, 131; A. McArthur, 185; Samuel McConnell, 164; John Vansickle, 205; Chas. Wilde, 153; Samuel Wilson, 123. The Reeve was elected by acclamation. He has served on the council on several occasions in former years and is one the best respected men in the township, having always enjoyed the confidence of the ratepayers. Mr. Sexsmith, the deputy-reeve, is the only member of last year's council, the others being new men, although Mr. Vansickle has been a member of the council on several previous occasions. Deputy-reeve Sexsmith is active, systematic and a rising young man with clear-headed views of what is for the best interests of his municipality.

Mr. Preston, the clerk, has held the responsible position for a long term of years. He has given faithful service to the municipality, being thoroughly conversant with municipal matters, and an authority on all important questions connected with the affairs of the municipality.

The new council transacted a large amount of business at its first session, full particulars of which will be forwarded to the EXAMINER for publication as soon as the minutes can be copied by the clerk, who will supply you with the proceedings of each meeting as they occur.

Mr. Walter Wilde was appointed assessor for 1897, and Messrs. Wellington Burgess and Frank Wilson are the new auditors for this year.

The capable collector, Mr. Jos. Johnston, will doubtless be re-elected for this year, he having discharged the duties of this office for a number of years to the entire satisfaction of each council.

The EXAMINER Printing Company was again awarded the tender for municipal printing for 1897.

A VETERAN JOURNALIST.

PASSES THROUGH A SEVERE AND TRYING ILLNESS.

His Friends Thought it Unlikely He Would Recover—But Thanks to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills He is Again Enjoying Good Health—Thinks This Remedy the Great Family Medicine of This Generation.

From the St. John, N.B., Sun.

There are few people in St. John, N.B., who do not know Mr. H. L. Spencer, the veteran journalist, poet and essayist. Some of Mr. Spencer's songs are sung wherever the English language is spoken. One of these songs entitled, "A Hundred Years to come," has been set to music by Rev. Mr. Crossley, and is sung with stirring effect wherever the famous evangelists, Messrs. Crossly and Hunter, held their meetings. Mr. Spencer was seriously ill last summer from an attack of indigestion which seemed to upset his entire system, and his recovery is a matter of rejoicing to all his friends. Speaking to a reporter concerning his illness he said:—"I was completely prostrated, and for several weeks was confined to bed, and my recovery was not anticipated either by myself or friends. The trouble appeared to originate in indigestion, but the results were more painful than usually accompany that trouble, and culminated in a total stoppage of urine and action of the bowels. I suffered terribly for three or four days, and was not expected to survive. I took powerful cathartics, and had my abdomen bathed with spirits of turpentine, mustard, etc., and took many ingredients before action was restored. When this was accomplished I was relieved of my suffering, but in six weeks I had lost forty three pounds of flesh, and I did not seem to be able to regain my former health and strength. In July last I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at the instance of some friends who had been greatly benefitted by their use, and though I have not regained my accustomed weight, I have gained fifteen fifteen pounds, and my general health is as good as ever. I am sincere in my belief that my recovery is due to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mr. Spencer added that he knew of many cases in which Pink Pills had been used with great benefit, and he thought that if elsewhere the pills are effecting as notable cures as they are in St. John, it is no wonder they have become the great family medicine of the generation.

An analysis shows that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain in a condensed form all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood, and restoring shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effects of la grippe, palpitation of the heart, nervous prostration, all diseases depending upon vitiated humors in the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood, and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork, or excesses of whatever nature.

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Every day talk by people that know.
City talk.
Kidney talk.
Do the kidneys talk?
Well, yes, both loud and long.
You are learning the kidney language.
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Fur Gauntlets, from $1.50 up—Electric Seal Special $3.00, worth $5.00.
Fur Lined Cloaks $20.00 and $25.00, worth $27.50 and $35.00.
Astrachan Jackets $27.50 worth $35.00, and $30.00 for $20.00.
Men's Fur Coats $9.00, $12.00, $15.00, $25.00 and $30.00.

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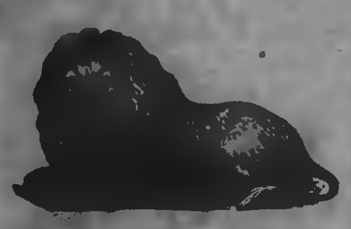
Cold Friday.

Northeasterly to northwesterly winds; cold, with light snowfalls in some localities; cold Friday.

R. F.



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We take pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of Peterborough and surrounding districts that we will add to the already many important departments of this Great Dry Goods House

A Ladies' Whitewear Department

In which will be found all kinds of Ladies' Whitewear of the very latest style and cut. These garments are now in the hands of skilled operators and we will have them opened up for inspection in a few days. We would urge all ladies to see these goods, for they are all new and cannot be excelled for style and low price. Mr. Fair is at present visiting the American Markets and will inspect some of the leading manufactures of these goods with a view of adding to this New Department some of the Latest American styles.

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SECOND CROP OF BARGAINS

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You need the goods—we need the room they occupy—so there is mutual benefit all round in the selling of them.

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Cow Ties, Lanterns, Sleigh Bells, Horse Blankets, Driving Whips, Cutlery and General Hardware.

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We Are Thankful

For a prosperous year and can heartily join in wishing all our customers and friends a bright and happy record for 1897.

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Dr. Chas. Neill

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OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

TRANSFER OF FUNDS

From Government to Post-office Savings Bank.

PROPOSAL TO UTILIZE DEAD FISH

The Idea is to Convert Them Into Fertilizing Material and Oil - An Important Decision in the McRae Case - General News of All Kinds From Ottawa.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—(Special.)—The Government Savings Bank at Yarmouth, N. S., has been closed owing to the death of Mr. Rowley, for many years the Assistant Receiver-General at that place. The whole of the deposits, amounting to $653,116, have been transferred to the Postoffice Savings Bank. For this reason the withdrawals from the Government Savings Banks last month appear to be abnormally large, although as a matter of fact they are really below the deposits, which amounted to $270,381. Mr. John Fraser of the Finance Department recently visited Yarmouth, closed up the Government Bank there, and transferred the accounts to the Postoffice Savings Bank. This policy was adopted a few years ago, and as the present Assistant Receivers-General drop off the Government banks will be closed and all the deposits be handled by the Postoffice Department.

A communication has been received at the Fisheries Department from a gentleman in Prince Edward County, asking for information regarding the proposed establishment of a fertilizer and oil factory. It is proposed to use in the factory the dead fish which are thrown up annually by the thousands on the shores of Lake Ontario. These fish have proved a perfect nuisance along many portions of the lake, especially in the summer time, when their rotting pollutes the atmosphere to the annoyance of the summer residents at pleasure resorts. They are known as Menhaden, and were introduced into Lake Ontario by the late Seth Greene, the celebrated fish culturist. They are a sea fish, but being migratory in their habits often find their way to fresh water. In the case of those planted in Lake Ontario, however, they have simply remained there and died by thousands every year. Factories similar to the one proposed to be established in Prince Edward are already in existence on the Atlantic coast.

C. E. Britton of Gananoque, brother of B. M. Britton, M.P., and who it taking a deep interest in the reservation of the waters of the Thousand Islands as an anglers' resort, was in the city to-day and had an interview with some of the Ministers. The practice of issuing commercial licenses to fishermen in the waters of the St. Lawrence adjacent to Thousand Islands has been stopped, and Mr. Britton is here for the purpose of securing licenses for these men in other waters.

Mr. Doyon of the Inland Revenue Department has returned to Ottawa after a lengthy visit to Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, during which he made a thorough examination into the working of the Inland Revenue offices, with a view to reorganization and reduction of staff.

Mr. Knapp, barrister of Prescott, is in the city endeavoring to enlist the co-operation of local capitalists in an invention which, he thinks, is calculated to revolutionize ocean steamship traffic. He has invented a vessel, cylindrical in shape, with a stationary shaft. He desires to raise a few thousand dollars to construct a model in order to test the utility of his invention, and has already secured a large number of subscribers. Mr. Knapp has received the endorsation of one of the first naval engineers on the Clyde.

The fishermen of British Columbia are urging the re-imposition of the duty on fresh salmon. The duty was removed two or three years ago in order to enable the canneries to purchase supplies of salmon in the States, but the fishermen say it has operated most injuriously against them.

Some years ago officers of the Customs Department seized several thousand school books on the ground of under-valuation. These have been lying in Ottawa for a long time past, and an effort is now being made by the department to dispose of them. Tenders are to be received until Feb. 15 for the purchase of 12,000 copies of Royal reader No. 3 and 25,000 copies of Royal reader No. 2.

The Minister of Agriculture has decided that horses driven by persons crossing the frontier when visiting friends in Canada shall, for the present, be not subject to quarantine inspection and fees. A similar concession will be made by the United States Government with regard to horses driven by parties in Canada crossing into the United States for the purpose of visiting friends.

Mr. J. M. Macoun of the Geological Survey, who has spent several months at the seal rookeries in Behring Sea, leaves for England to-morrow. He is going to London for the purpose of assisting Prof. D'Arcy Thompson, who came over at the request of the Foreign Office this year to study seal life, in the preparation of his report to the Imperial Government.

Master-in-Chancery W. L. Scott rendered an important decision to-day, which hinged on the point whether Mr. or Mrs. Peter McRae, who were drowned in Deschenes Lake last summer, died first. The case involved the payment of about $34,000 life insurance. Mr. Scott maintained the contentions of the counsel for the surviving child, that Mr. McRae died before Mrs. McRae. The judgment was founded principally on the evidence of Mr. F. H. F. Mercer, the last person to see the ill-fated family alive. The disposition of the insurance money was then governed by point of law. Mr. Scott held that five of the eight policies did not contain a declaration within the meaning of the statutes, providing for the payment of moneys to heirs. He therefore ruled that three of the policies, which definitely named Mrs. McRae and children as heirs, amounting to $11,200, should go to the surviving child. The other five policies, $22,800 in all, are to go to the creditors. Mr. O'Gara having proven the claims of Mr. J. W. McRae and Mr. A. W. Bell, they are to be paid out of the insurance money. Advances made by the Ontario Bank are to be paid out of Mr. McRae's personal estate. Appeals will be taken by the lawyers on both sides.

J. A. Smart, who was spoken of recently as coming to Ottawa in connection with a position in the Interior Department, is now engaged by Mr. Sifton in looking into the working of the agencies of the department in Manitoba and the Northwest. Mr. Smart will pay a visit to Ottawa shortly.

Applications are still coming in asking the Tariff Committee of Ministers to visit a number of different places, but it is simply impossible to do so. Mr. Fielding and his colleagues have not unlimited time at their disposal, and it is in the general interest that the session shall come on as soon as possible. Quebec, St. John and Halifax are the only points to be visited in the east.

The Imperial Institute has notified the Government of its intention to hold a fisheries exhibit in the institute next summer, and asking the co-operation of Canada to make it a success. Besides fishery products, all classes of appliances are to be shown.

The Minister of Public Works has awarded a contract for three new boilers in the eastern block to Ald. William Campbell of this city.

Hon. Mr. Borden will accompany the Tariff Committee to the Maritime Provinces. The Ministers will leave here next Saturday evening for Quebec, thence to St. John and Halifax. It has been decided to pay a flying visit to Manitoba.

Hon. Mr. Tarte left for Montreal this afternoon. While there he will consult a physician. It is said he is suffering from inflammation of the liver.

Hon. Mr. Fielding returned to the city to-day.

There will be no further meetings of council until Saturday.

Contractor A. Onderlonk was in the city to-day.

CROW'S NEST RAILWAY.

Senator Cox and Mr. Robert Jaffray Said to be Taking an Interest in It.

Montreal, Jan. 13.—(Special.)—For some weeks past the frequent visits of Hon. Senator Cox and Mr. Robert Jaffray of Toronto to this city have created no little interest in the mercantile world, but apart from the fact that these two gentlemen from the Queen City arrived in town and registered at the Windsor, and subsequently visited the Canadian Pacific offices, the object of their visits to the commercial metropolis appears up to the present time to have been shrouded in mystery. To-day, however, the statement is made that the mission of Senator Cox and Mr. Jaffray has something to do with the Crow's Nest Pass Railway. It will be remembered that Lieut.-Col. Baker, a member of the British Columbia Government, and one or two other gentlemen, secured several millions of acres as a subsidy to the British Columbia Southern, and that the lands in question comprised almost all of the great coal deposits in the vicinity of the Crow's Nest Pass. Now it is stated that Col. Baker realised that the Canadian Pacific was probably in a better position to build the road than any other company, and consequently spent a good many weeks here last fall in a fruitless endeavor to close a deal with Sir William Van Horne and Mr. Shaughnessy. His next visit was to the city of Toronto, where, rumor says, after various pourparlers, the interest of the Senator, the President of The Globe Co. and the British Columbia Minister in the rich coal deposits above-mentioned became identical, and ever since then the two Toronto capitalists have been trying their hands with the Government and with the Canadian Pacific. It is also said that the negotiations have been successful.

The fiftieth annual report of the Montreal Telegraph Company is out. The 130th dividend, payable to-morrow, amounts to $40,000, and the contingent fund shows a credit balance of $66,868.

Flour Steamer Ashore.

St. John, N.B., Jan. 13.—The C. B. Payne, from Portland for Calais, Me., with flour, is ashore near Head Harbor, Campbello, and will probably be a total loss. She is owned by Messrs. Todd of St. Stephen, N.B., and is insured.

ARE THEY FIREBUGS?

Five Men Arrested Charged With Incendiarism.

THEY ARE IN JAIL AT ORANGEVILLE

It is Believed They Burned Barns in the Township of Melancthon and Made Money Out of the Insurance Companies—A Big Sensation Promised.

Shelburne, Ont., Jan. 12.—David and James Ballard, colored, and James Corbett, Alonzo Smith and McCoy, white, are in Orangeville jail, charged with incendiarism. The colored men are said to be the chief firebugs and to have grown wealthy in the business. The white men are said to have been their willing tools. The whole community betweeen Dundalk and Corbetton have been in terror of the gang, and the warrant for their arrest had to be procured at Shelburne. The arrest of the firebugs followed the death of Edward Fenton, who was burned to death while trying to save his stock from his burning barn, and who had openly expressed his opinion of the alleged firebugs. He had even sued one of them for a debt, and won the case. His barn was burned shortly after. The Ballards are charged with being professional pyromaniacs, and are said to have secured a good deal of money from the Norwich Union, Western, North British and other insurance companies for burned barns and other property. The preliminary investigation will take place on Monday next at Shelburne.

A coroner's enquiry as to the cause of the death of Edward Fenton is in progress. The remains taken from the fire and buried at Dundalk have since been exhumed and were brought to Shelburne Tuesday evening by Constable Skelding. Dr. Norton, coroner, is conducting the enquiry and Dr. Barr the post mortem. County Crown Attorney McKay is present on behalf of the Crown. The following gentlemen, all of Shelburne, compose the jury: H. H. Walker, foreman; D. Fisher, William Munn, John McLean, A. V. Galbraith, T. Babe, S. Jelly, William Robertson, John Madill, J. C. Whitten, William Collins, D. Hicks, J. H. Wallace.

Among the witnesses called are the father, mother and sister of the deceased, Harry Cotterell, who aroused Fenton the night of the fire; Mrs. Cotterell, and Mrs. James Ballard, wife of one of the prisoners. The other witnesses were William Hall, a brother-in-law of the deceased, who stated that Edward Fenton had spoken to him regarding his fear that he would be burned out by his enemies; John McGrath, who testified regarding his discovery of a man's track leading, by a circuitous route, to a point near James Ballard's residence; Robert Shannon, who saw the fire, but did not go to it; D. McCosh, who was at the fire about the same time as Mr. McGrath and Frank Turner. An important point elicited in the testimony of the Fentons was that they did not see Edward after he left the house; also that Cotterell, after remaining at the fire about 20 minutes, returned to his home at Ballard's and the old man, his wife and daughter were left alone in their trouble until Mr. D. McCosh appeared on the scene at daylight. It is generally believed that one of the most sensational criminal cases in the history of the province will be developed. The insurance companies and the detective have accumulated a mass of evidence regarding Melancthon's incendiary fires, of which the public have as yet little idea, and to back it up two of the suspected individuals have turned Queen's evidence. It will not be the fault of the Crown if the practice of burning barns for the sake of the insurance and for spite does not terminate so far as Melancthon is concerned. The deceased Fenton is highly spoken of by those who knew him, and it is supposed that the fire in which he was cremated was caused by someone who had a spite against him.

Conducted by Dr. Barr, the post mortem revealed nothing that would cause any suspicion that the deceased had met his death otherwise than by burning or suffocation. The inquest has been adjourned until Monday evening, the 25th inst.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Items Gathered From the Despatches and Boiled Down to Paragraphs for Busy Readers.

The receipts of grain at Buffalo during the navigation season of 1896 from Fort William aggregated 2,829,529 bush.

The prospectus of a new daily paper, to be called The Leader, is out at Chatham, Ont. T. W. Orrance is to be editor, and a joint stock company will own it.

The steamship Durham City and Damara are now safely anchored in Halifax harbor.

The St. Lawrence River is frozen over opposite Ogdensburg.

Henry Pepineau, aged 20, of Belle River, has been arrested charged with having forged four notes of $100 each in the name of his grandfather, with the name of Henry Marenlette as security. The notes were found in his possession.

A report from Montreal says the Canadian Shovel Association has made a deal with the American Manufacturers' combine to pay the latter a large amount yearly to keep out of the Canadian market.

About eight years ago pretty Lizzie Breen of Toronto was married in Ohio, but a divorce soon followed. About four years ago she married Joseph Livernois, and they removed to Montreal, where the man's relatives reside. Eight weeks ago Livernois died from typhoid fever, as did two of their children, leaving only the mother and one child. Livernois carried life insurance policies in American companies amounting to $19,000, and now a big lawsuit has been commenced over payment of the policies.

At Campbellford, Ont., yesterday William Walters fell from a load of hay to the barn floor, alighting on his head, fracturing his neck. He died instantly. Walters leaves a widow and family.

Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Holiday trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea:—

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1897.

NORTH MONAGHAN.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The members-elect of the North Monaghan township council met in the Town Hall on Monday, Jan. 11th, as follows: John McIntosh, reeve, Thos. M. Hunter, W. G. Yelland, Jos. Madill and T. E. Bradburn, councillors. After each had subribed to and filed the necessary declaration of qualification and of office, the meeting was called to order, Mr. John McIntosh as reeve presiding. The minutes of the meetings of Dec. 15th and 19th were read and confirmed. An application was received from George Lockie, asking for copies of papers referring to running of quarter line. Application for office were received from W. J. Hall, as auditor; H. D. Williamson as assessor, and W. Whitfield as assessor. Tenders were received for the township printing for 1897, from the Peterborough Morning Times and also from the Peterborough EXAMINER. The clerk then reported having been served with a special summons by Mr. J. Forster, at the suit of John Green of Peterborough, also of having entered a defence of same, to be heard on Jan. 22. Accounts were presented from—A. Comstock, 50 chairs for town hall, $16; Jos. Beauvais, repairing bridge on Cavan boundary, 65c.; Times Printing Co., contract, and births, marriages and deaths register, $28.50. Reports were presented as follows:—From Mr. Thos. Hooper as commissioner to gravel the loop line extension: To the Reeve and Council of the Township of North Monaghan:

SIR,—I beg to report having engaged men and teams, and completed the work of gravelling the loop line extension as instructed.

We drew 156 load of gravel in four and a half days of eight hours per day, with four teams and four men in pit, and one man on dump.

We doubled the quantity of gravel drawn one half day, put upon the soft place on this road.

The total cost of work, with one day breaking stone, is $55.55, making cost per load spread on road, and stone broken, 35½ cents. Pay list of above is hereby attached.

THOS. HOOPER,
Commissioner.

From Mr. Forster as follows:
To Reeve and Gentlemen:

I beg to report, acting in conjunction with the clerk, I have upon receipt of certified account from T. Hooper, your commissioner on gravelling road called loop line extension, issued an order for the sum of $55.55, also having issued an order for the sum of $1.00 in favour of T. Hooper upon receipt of certified account of same for breaking stone on road division No. 9. Also as instructed by you at meeting of Dec. 15th, I have now an order for $2 in payment for recovering culvert on quarter line by R. Colin and $1 to W. Campbell for shovelling.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. FORSTER,
Reeve

Moved by Messrs. Bradburn and Yelland, that the communication of Mr. Lockie be received and that the clerk be authorized to give him copies as requested—provided he is paid for same—Carried.

Moved by T. Hunter and W. G. Yelland, that the EXAMINER Printing Co. do the printing for the township for the year, 1897.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Hunter and Yelland, that the reeve and clerk be a committee to look after and defend the suit of John Green vs. township of North Monaghan, at the Division Court to be held on January 22nd, 1897.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Yelland and Hunter, that the account of A. Comstock for 50 chairs, $16; of Jos. Beavis, 65c, also the account of Times Printing Co., be passed, and that the reeve and clerk be authorized to issue orders for payment of the same—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Bradburn and Madill, that the report of Messrs. Foster and Hooper be received, and that the accounts thereto attached be passed, and the payment of the same be herewith confirmed—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Hunter and Yelland, that the reeve and Councillors Bradburn, Hunter, Madill and Yelland be a committee to proceed with the carrying out the work of a former committee re removing fence from highway between park lots 5 and 6, concession 11, North Monaghan.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Bradburn and Hunter, that the reeve and Messrs. Madill, Yelland and Bradburn be a committee to wait on Smith council respecting road work on boundary.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Bradburn and Madill, that the reeve and Messrs. Hunter and Yelland be a committee to wait on the council of the county of Peterborough respecting the procuring of a grant of money to be expended on the boundary between Cavan and Monaghan, and that the clerk be instructed to request the Cavan council to appoint a committee to wait on the county council of the united counties of Northumberland and Durham for the purpose of obtaining a like grant.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Hunter and Yelland, that the reeve and clerk be empowered to issue an order on treasurer for payment for work performed by J. Davidson in removing fence on road between park lots 5 and 6, con. 11.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Bradburn and Madill, that whereas there have been several fires of a questionable or incendiary origin and other flagrand crimes committed within the municipality during the last few years, be it therefore resolved that the council offer a reward of the sum of $100 to be paid for the discovery, apprehension and conviction of any person or persons suspected of committing such crimes, and be it further resolved that the clerk be instructed to prepare posters in accordance with the resolution, and have same posted up in various conspicuous places in the township.—Carried.

On motion of Messrs. Bradburn and Yelland, bylaws to appoint a member of the local board of health, auditors, assessor and caretaker, were introduced and read.

In committee of the whole council, on second reading of the bylaws, making appointments, Mr. Hunter in the chair, it was moved by Messrs. Bradburn and Yelland, that Mr. T. Hunter be re-appointed a member of the local board of health for 3 years.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Bradburn and Madill that W. J. Hall be appointed an auditor for the year 1897.—Carried.

The Reeve appointed Mr. G. Payne as the other auditor.

Moved by Messrs. Yelland and Hunter, that H. D. Williamson and Wm. Whitfield be appointed assessors for the township for the year 1897 at a salary of $20 each.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Yelland and Madill, that William Bell be re-appointed caretaker of the town hall, North Monaghan, at a salary of five dollars per annum.—Carried.

The bylaws were then read a third time and passed.

Council then adjourned until Tuesday, February 2nd, at one o'clock p. m. sharp.

ENNISMORE.

From our own Correspondent.

Council Meeting.

The first meeting of the municipal council of the township of Ennismore was held in the town hall, Ennismore, on Jan. 11th. Members present—Paul Costello, reeve, and Martin Doran, Peter Flood, Richard Killen and James Scollard, councillors.

By a unanimous vote of the council, Michael Murray was re-appointed township clerk for the ensuing year, 1897.

On motion of Mr. Scollard and Mr. Flood, Wm. Phelan was given that part of the 8th concession south of his lot 16 in the 8th condition on condition that he leaves a road allowance on the side line to the water's edge of Chemong lake.

On motion of Mr. Flood and Mr. Scollard, Thos. O'Connor was appointed caretaker of township hall for 1897 at a salary of $6.

Moved by Mr. Killen and Mr. Doran, Thos. Calvert is to be paid 6c a load for 53 loads of gravel, $3 18.

On motion of Mr. Doran and Mr. Killen, Michael Perdue was appointed assessor for 1897, he to return the roll complete not later than 29th April.

Moved by Mr. Killen and Mr. Flood that John Young be appointed treasurer for 1897.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Killen and Mr. Flood, that John Geary be appointed auditor for 1897.—Carried.

The reeve appointed Francis Moloney as his auditor.

On motion of Mr. Scollard and Mr. Flood, Eugene Murphy was paid $2 for acting as poll clerk on election day—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Killen and Mr. Doran that Timothy Murphy, sr., be paid the sum of $1.50 for acting as constable on election day—Carried.

On motion of Mr. Flood and Mr. Scollard the auditors' report for the year 1896 was received and adopted, and the clerk authorise to get printed two hundred copies of the same—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Killen and Mr. Flood, that Cornelius O'Connor be paid the sum of $2 for shovelling snow two days—Carried.

On motion of Mr. Flood and Mr. Scollard Charles Reynolds was paid the sum of $5 for breaking road through snow from the 8th con. to Mud lake bridge.

Moved by Mr. Killen and Mr. Scollard, that Michael Gannon be paid the sum of $4, as a refund on account of statute labour.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Killen and Mr. Doran, that the treasurer pay to each of the school sections the sum of $150 as township grant—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Killen and Mr. Doran, that James Chandley be paid the sum of $1.80 for 30 loads of gravel at 6 cents per load.—Carried,

On motion of Mr. Flood and Mr. Doran, the reeve was authorised to purchase six chairs for the use of town hall.

On motion of Messrs. Flood and Doran, Thomas O'Connor was paid $1 for one day's service at town hall.

Moved by Messrs. Flood and Scollard that Paul Costello be paid the sum of $1 for over-charge of statue labour.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Killen and Doran that the reeve and clerk be authorised to let the contract of printing for the the 1897.—Carried.

Bylaws for appointing certain township officials for the current year of 1897 were read three times and passed.

On motion of Messrs. Scollard and Killen the reeve, Paul Costello, the clerk, Michael Murray, Wm. Geary, James Murphy and Richard Cosgriff were appointed a board of health for 1897.

On motion of Messrs. Killen and Doran, the reeve and council were paid the sum of $2 each for one day's service in council.—Carried.

The council then adjourned to meet at the call of the reeve.

RHEUMATISM CURED.

Eighteen Months Trying to get Cured—Had the Best Doctors—He Found What he Wanted in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Goderich, Jan. 11—(Special)—A case of great interest here just now is that of Mr. Alexander J. Sharkey, who for some time has been an extreme sufferer from Rheumatism. His statement to the correspondent is as follows:—

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(From Our Own Correspondent.

Messrs. Charles and Edward Stirton have dug a new well. They struck an unlimited quantity of water at the depth of ten feet. Heretofore they have had much difficulty in procuring water for their stock but will now have a bounteous supply.

Mr. Jas. Telford, the water wizard of Ashburnham, is to dig a well for Mr. Robert Fisher. By the use of the divining rod he locates springs no matter how deep they may be. He has been engaged for several weeks digging wells for different people in this township.

Mr. Robert Fisher has been elected commissioner for the township of South Monaghan.

Mr. Jos. Wood is building a very picturesque as well as useful fence at the north end of his farm. It is composed of stumps and roots from some new land he is breaking up.

Mr. John Henry, of Hale's Bridge, has the contract for cutting wood for Mr. John Fletcher.

Mr. Robert O'Hare is busily engaged in hauling material for his new residence.

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Never use a liniment for rheumatism, says a high medical authority. Do'nt rub it in—drive it out. Take something that removes the acid poison from the blood—take something that will improve your digestion, and build up the body to the perfection of robust health. That "something" is Scott's Sarsaparilla, a medicine that obtains the best results in the shortest time. $1, of all druggists.

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THE GYPSY FIDDLER.

Rigo Jancsi Was in This Country With the Hungarian Band in 1888—He's a Giant in Music.

New York, Jan. 10.—It now appears that Rigo Jancsi, the Hungarian gypsy fiddler, who took the beautiful Princess de Chimay from her husband, has played his wonderful fiddle in America, with the Hungarian Band, who appeared in New York in 1888, and afterwards toured the United States and Canada. Hundreds of women hung on the same entrancing fiddle strings with which the young woman born in Detroit has committed social suicide.

Dr. Sommer, who controlled the gypsy band when in America, speaking of "Johnny," as he is called, said: "He is an ugly fellow. He is very dark, short and square-shouldered. He is a giant in music, though."

THE LORD OF BATTLE CREEK.

A Relative of the Hero of Trafalgar Lives in the Michigan City.

Battle Creek, Mich., Jan. 13.—Battle Creek has a genuine nobleman as a permanent resident. Lord John Eyre Nelson is the man's name. He is the eldest son of Hon. Rev. J. Horatio Nelson, a nephew of Earl Nelson, and a great nephew of the famous Lord Nelson, England's most famous naval hero, and also, through his mother, a descendant of the Duke of Marlboro, the victor of Blenheim. Nelson was born in Norfolk, England, in 1855. He was educated at Eton College. Since his graduation he has traveled extensively through Europe, the United States and the West Indies, and has crossed the Atlantic nine times. Mr. Nelson came to Battle Creek several years ago, and was so well pleased with the city that he invested largely in real estate, and has since made this place his home, bpt yearly visited his parents in England. He spends mostly all of his time in church work in the Episcopal church, of which he is a very zealous member.

MISS YAW NOT DEAD.

Her Brother Denies the Rumor That She Succumbed While Singing.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—A telegram from Richard B. Yaw, a brother of Miss Ellen Beach-Yaw, denies positively the death of the well-known singer. It was reported that Miss Yaw had died at a recent concert given in an eastern village while straining after one of her celebrated high notes. When last heard from Miss Yaw was on a concert tour in California and is reported to be in excellent health. The startling report of her death originated in a false rumor sent to Waterloo, Iowa.

Masqueraded as a Clergyman.

Pomeroy, Wash., Jan. 13.—A sensation in church circles has been caused by the precipitate flight of Rev. P. James Lyon Young, pastor of the Christian Church. He arrived last October, recommended by the Baptist Church of Ponca, Nebr., representing himself as a single man. He was active in the ministry and a great favorite with women. Investigation succeeded in locating Young's wife in Roxbury, Miss., taking in washing for a livelihood. Affidavits followed, showing that under the name of Lyon he had officiated as an Episcopalian clergyman at Roxbury, where he deserted his wife and ran away to Canada with a Mrs. O'Brien. Further, he is shown to have been in Canada as a Catholic priest, then as a bachelor and pastor of an Episcopal church at Egan, S.D.

He Is Not Sanguine.

London, Jan. 13.—Mr. John F. McIntyre, formerly Assistant District Attorney of New York County, who is in London for the purpose of assisting in the defence of Edward J. Ivory, alias Edward Bell, charged with conspiring with Tynan, Kearney and Haines to commit dynamite outrages, said to a representative of the United Associated Presses to-day that he was by no means hopeful of securing Ivory's acquittal. The public, he thought, was unduly prejudiced against Ivory, and this feeling would naturally militate against his acquittal by the jury.

Mr. Ecclestone's Return.

Toronto, Jan. 14.

The numerous friends of Mr. A. E. Ecclestone will be pleased to know that he yesterday returned to his home safe and sound. His absence was due to mental worry, induced by overwork, and since Friday last he has been taking a much-needed rest.

AS WELL AS EVER.

A Brickmaker Listens to Reason—Uses Six Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and Tells It.

Brockville, Jan. 4 (Special)—Mr. W. H. Odell, perhaps one of the best known citizens of this town has lately recovered from a long continued and painful kidney ailment. He tells the story of his experience to the correspondent as follows:

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IF THEY TAKE THE PROPER STEPS

Thousands of Tons of Wheat and Flour Have to be Imported by the Antipodeans, and Much Has Been Ordered From the States—Mr. Larke's Report.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—(Special.)—Commissioner Larke, in his monthly report to the Department of Trade and Commerce, estimates that 3,000,000 bushels of wheat, or its equivalent in flour, will be required to meet the deficiency in the Australian colonies this year. The Americans have profited by the opening, and Mr. Larke finds that some 60,000 tons of wheat have been contracted for, the greater quantity to be sent from New York.

The trade in varnishes with Canada has had to be dropped on account of the irregularity in shipment. Australians want their orders filled and sent without delay, and if this is not done they will look elsewhere for supplies. The Canadian dealers do not half appreciate this fact.

Canadian cheese is evidently not appreciated in Australia, at least it has met with a poor reception. The fact is, the Australians know nothing about the article and prefer English cheese.

The great hindrance to the development of Canadian trade in Australia is that Canada and its resources and products are no more known there than Australia is known to the average Canadian. There is a widespread belief that in Canada there are no large factories, no large industries, and, unfortunately, the action of our own dealers in delaying their shipments has tended to confirm the impression. Canadians are too much afraid of sending samples of their goods. The new tariff of Queensland gives a good opening for Canadian carriages.

COMMENTS ON THE TREATY.

Opinion is General That the Agreement Will Have a Beneficial Effect.

New York, Jan. 13.—The Journal this morning devotes considerable space to messages received by that paper from some of Europe's greatest statesmen containing their opinions of the Anglo-American general arbitration treaty. All the statesmen agree, the paper says, that the treaty will have a strong influence on Europe.

William E. Gladstone cables as follows: "I rejoice in the signature of the Anglo-American treaty. It would be too much to expect that the quarrels of nations throughout the world should be got rid of by means of such treaties, but they indicate a sound conviction worthy of Christians, and constitute a step in the path of real progress."

Ex-Prime Minister Crispi of Italy cables: "I consider the question deserves to be seriously studied. I admit the question of arbitration has made a great step forward, which permits one to hope for others before the close of the century. The treaty between Great Britain and the United States ought to encourage Italy to negotiate in her turn. It would be possible for the moment with Switzerland, Great Britain and Austria. Still, I do not believe treaties will be so quickly concluded between the great powers because of the too acute jealousy of their respective interests and their different ambitions. The questions of the east and Africa will continue to excite difficulties and dangers, and in these cases alliances will always be more efficacious than treaties."

Archbishop Walsh's message reads: "I hold strongly that the principle of arbitration should be applied, if conciliation or mediation is not available, for the settlement of disputes, whether domestic or international, in all things, great or small."

German Expressions.

Berlin, Jan. 13.—The Norddeutsche Allegmeine eitung thinks that the European powers are not likely to follow the example set by Great Britain and the United States in the arbitration treaty. "Ordinary diplomacy," says the paper, "will suffice to settle money disputes, while territorial questions are of very different importance to Europe than to England and America, who are separated by the ocean."

The Boersen Courier thinks that the treaty imposes great obligations upon America, and that it should in future not tolerate filibustering expeditions to Cuba.

PANAMA CANAL CULPRITS.

Ex-Minister Baihaut, Charles de Lesseps and Blondin Must Pay the Fine.

Paris, Jan. 13.—The inquiry into the question of the responsibility of the Panama Canal culprits for the fines imposed upon them was closed to-day. The tribunal decided that ex-Minister Baihaut, Charles de Lesseps and Blondin were responsible for the fine of 391,000 francs imposed upon Baihaut, in addition to a term of imprisonment, for connection with the Panama scandal. Baihaut was released from prison a few months ago, but on Dec. 11 was arrested in order that he might serve two years' additional imprisonment for failure to pay the fine. He is now in prison, where he will remain, and if they return to France Blondin and de Lesseps will be put in jail.

A Forty-Year Old Grievance Removed.

In Bath, Ont., Chase's Kidney Pills are a standard remedy. Joseph Gardner, of this town, suffered for 40 years with indigestion and its ever present accompaniments—constipation and headache. K. & L. Pills are the only remedy that gave him relief. 25c. a box, of all druggists.

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CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Sherman for the Cabinet.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Senator Sherman this afternoon declined absolutely to discuss the Cabinet gossip, calling his name for the portfolio of the State Department. He even went so far as to refuse to answer the question whether he was going to confer with President-elect McKinley. It is said from another source that Mr. Sherman will leave the latter part of this week ostensibly for his home in Mansfield, but that he will stop off at Canton and have a conference with Mr. McKinley at the latter's request. The fact that Senator Sherman will enter the Cabinet is accepted by his colleagues in the Senate as a well-settled matter.

Belleville Lady Burned to Death.

Belleville, Jan. 13.—Last night Miss Eliza Dame, who lived with her brother on Hotel-street, was burned to death. She fell with a coal oil lamp in her hand, and was alone in the house at the time. The fire did not do any damage of consequence to the premises. Deceased was a native of Belleville, and was about 65 years of age.

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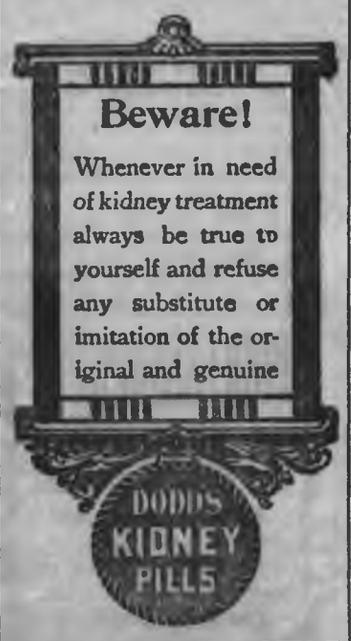
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GEO COCHRANE
Licenses Inspector West Peterborough

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Impure

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Blood

built me up and restored my health so that, although the doctor said I would not be able to work hard, I have since done the work for 20 people. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured my husband of the boils, and we regard it a wonderful medicine." MRS. ANNA PETERSON, Latimer, Kansas.

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Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

—Turnbull is selling Men's and Boys' Sealette Caps at 50c. each.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Young Men's Bible Class.

The Young Men's Bible Class will resume the study of the Life of Christ in the gospel of Mark, chap. vii, to-night at 8 o'clock in Y. M. C. A. Lessons in Elementary Greek at 9 o'clock. Both classes free.

Millbrook Church Opening.

The new Presbyterian church will be opened on Sunday, Jan. 17th. Rev. Mr. Patterson, of Cook's church, Toronto, will preach morning and evening, and in the afternoon, the Rev. L. Phelps, of Millbrook.

29TH OF JANUARY is the date fixed for the Forester's Carnival in the Skating Rink, Peterborough. Good Prizes; catchy events. Look for particulars.

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Broke His Leg.

One of Howry's men who went up to Pine Lake, near Gooderham the other day, returned to Fenelon Falls this morning. Yesterday at 3 p. m. his leg was broken in two places below the knee while engaged skidding logs. The injured man had to be carried six miles to the nearest house, where a sleigh was procured to drive him to Gooderham.

Riverside Park Skating Rink.

A prize will be offered for competition to boys' hockey clubs, open to all the schools in the county or town of Peterborough. The members of each club competing must be bona fide scholars of some school in the town or county. Those wishing to compete will please send their names to Jas. G. McGowan, secretary, who will give particulars. Box 55, Peterborough. 6dlw

Fine Furniture at Low Prices.

It is seldom that this chance comes to pick up such really fine things in handsome chairs, centre tables, screens, etc., are now being shown in Clegg's furniture store window. The tickets placed on the goods tell the tale of a substantial reduction. No better goods can be had in the cities. Every article guaranteed as superior in design in material and in finish.

A False Rumour.

A false rumour has been circulated about the streets for the past few days that Waller & Co., Grocers, Charlotte street, had closed up. How the rumour originated has not yet been ascertained and perhaps never will be, unless it was in associating the name of Wesley & Co., who had recently failed, with Waller & Co. A representative of the EXAMINER, speaking to Mr. Waller, was informed that their business was never in a more secure condition than at present. The fact that the business of the firm is now being conducted strictly on a cash basis, should be one of the strongest evidences of a perfectly sound business.

Grafton & Co. have too much Underwear. 2,160 Shirts and Drawers, what we should have at this time of the year is about 500. See the bargains at 15c, 25c, 35c, 40c 45c, 50c and up.

ANNUAL MEETING OF HORTICULTURISTS.

THE PETERBOROUGH AND ASHBURNHAM SOCIETY.

Reports of the Year Received and Officers Elected for 1897—Votes of Thanks to the President and Retiring Secretary.

The Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society held its annual meeting last evening, in the council chamber, with Dr. Burnham, the president, in the chair. Other members in attendance were Messrs. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., Jas. Stevenson, Col. H. C. Rogers, W. H. Foord, T. A. S. Hay, Felix Brownscombe, Fred Dixon, J. H. Roper, J. H. Cobb, T. E. Bradburn, John Irwin, Walter Stocker, A. Saunders and W. Jordan.

Mr. A. H. Cobb resigned the secretaryship, and Mr. Felix Brownscombe was appointed temporarily to fulfill the duties for the evening.

THE DIRECTORS REPORT.

Peterborough, Jan. 9th, 1895.

To the Members of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society:

GENTLEMEN,—Your Directors beg to submit the following report; that the annual exhibition of the Society was fairly successful, the quantity and quality of exhibition in classes 1 and 4 being much larger and better than in previous years, but exhibits in class 2 were not up to the average, while the attendance was not as large as the previous year. The the Directors think may be partly accounted for by the action of the government in stating that the grant must no longer be applied to fine arts and ladies work, and your Directors suggest that some means be adopted whereby these departments may be revived, or other special attractions furnished so that we may retain the interest of the ladies and public generally.

As great interest is now taken in the fall exhibits of chrysanthemums, now held in all large towns and cities, your Directors would suggest that some action be taken by the society to encourage the holding of a similar exhibition here.

The committee appointed to wait on the town council were unable to obtain the grant of $600 asked for, and consequently the Directors were unable to carry out the necessary improvements but procured as many new seats for the park as the limited means at our disposal warranted.

As it will be absolutely necessary to have all the walks in park re-gravelled this spring, also the fountain repaired, the Directors would urge that you appoint a committee to wait on the new council at an early date and urge as strongly as possible for a grant of not less than $600, so that these much needed improvements may be made.

Your Directors have advertised for tenders for care of Park during the coming season, which, when received, will be submitted to the new Board.

GEORGE BURNHAM, M.D., President. A. H. COBB Secretary.

The treasurer submitted his annual report as appended:

HORTICULTURAL ACCOUNT, 1896.

Receipts.

Balance from 1895	$ 38 87
Door receipts at exhibition	15 30
Government grant	140 00
Membership fees	64 00
	$258 17

Expenditure.

Chas Dredge	$ 4 00
Wm Emory	1 00
J R Stratton	8 00
Harper Printing Co.	6 00
R H Nesbitt	1 50
Prizes paid	175 75
EXAMINER Printing Co.	4 87
A H Stratton & Co.	1 25
Review Printing Co	3 70
A H Cobb	14 10
Walter Stocker	1 00
Credit at bank	37 00
	$258 17

PARK ACCOUNT.

Receipts.

Balance from 1895	$ 30 91
Town grant	400 00
County grant	75 00
	$505 91

Expenditure.

F Mason	$ 13 70
J H Cobb	325 00
Adam Hall	45 00
Peterborough Water Co.	40 00
Adam Hall	1 10
J H Cobb	13 50
Peterborough Hardware Co.	25 54
Review Printing Co	1 50
EXAMINER	1 50
A H Cobb	12 50
Credit at bank	25 37
	$505 91

W. H. HILL.

THE CARETAKER'S REPORT.

To the Directors of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society:

GENTLEMEN,—Your caretaker begs leave to report that the spring of 1896 opened very early. The 7th of April I had the Park raked of all the dead leaves, up to the Court House, and rolled, which I think never was done before to my recollection. On the first of May I had the fence removed and the old seats painted and repaired and placed in position. The waste pipe from the fountain had to be repaired, and the walks and drains also. On the 27th of May I started to plant the beds and placed the urns and pots in position. The centre bed was filled with sub-tropical plants of a rare kind, and the effect was good.

The Park Committee has added to the park ten new seats, at a cost of $45.00; also one new lawn mower at a cost of $12 00; two new grass rakes at a cost of $1.25, one basket at 50c. and one pail at 25c.

Through the kindness of Mr. Nesbitt I have had the new seats stored at the Court House, in a dry place. The mower and other tools I brought to my own house and stored away in a dry shed, as the water runs down in the band stand and rusts them.

I wish to state that the walks in the park will have to be repaired in the spring, as the cinders are all worn off and the clay is coming up through, and the fountain should be painted and levelled up as it has sunk on one side. The overflow pipe will have to be connected with the sewer and we will have to ask the town council for $100 more grant, as the park will be spoiled if not repaired at once.

I wish to return my thanks to the Park Committee, Messrs. A. Hall, Nesbitt and Foord for their kind assistance.

Yours truly,
J. H. COBB,
Caretaker.

On motion all of the reports were adopted.

Moved by Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P., and seconded by Mr. T. A. Hay, that the thanks of the society be tendered to the President, Dr. Geo. Burnham, and retiring Secretary, A. H. Cobb, for the very efficient manner in which each of them performed their respective duties during the past year, and the untiring interest taken by them to advance the society's interests.—Carried.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Messrs. J. H. Roper and T. E. Bradburn were re-appointed auditors and the election of officers resulted as follows:

President—Dr. Burnham.
First Vice-President—D. W. Dumble.
Second Vice-President—J. R. Stratton, M. P. P.
Treasurer—W. H. Hill.
Directors—R. D. Hamilton, J. H. Roper, H. C. Rogers, T. E. Bradburn, J. Burnham, Q.C., T. A. Hay, Adam Hall, Henderson Nesbitt, W. H. Foord and John Irwin.

SOME RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. J. H. Cobb and Mr. W. H. Ford moved "That as a recognition of his long and faithful services to this society, James Stevenson, Esq., be elected an honourary member of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society."—Carried.

On motion, the committee appointed to superintend the parks will be composed of Messrs. Hall, Foord and Nesbitt.

Messrs. Dumble, Roper, Foord, Nesbitt and Hay were appointed a committee to revise the prize list.

The Secretary and President were authorised to act as solicitors of subscriptions for the Society, with power to enlist the services of any of the directors.

On motion of Messrs. T. A. Hay and Mr. Stocker, a committee was appointed to wait on the town and Ashburnham councils to ask for a grant to the Society. The committee is composed of Messrs. Dr. Burnham, Bradburn, Roper, Hill, Dumble and Stratton.

The report of the auditors being satisfactory, was adopted.

A discussion took place regarding the advisability of creating a class for the benefit of market gardeners. The matter was left to the Prize List Committee to settle.

Mr. T. A. Hay asked for an expression as to feasibility of the Society assuming charge of the Central Park and transforming it into another spot of beauty such as the Court House Park.

The following resolution in reference to the matter was adopted on motion of Messrs. T. A. Hay and J. R. Stratton:

That the President of this Society be requested to communicate with the town council with a view to the Horticultural Society assuming the caretaking of the Central Park, and that be be empowered to say to the council that the Society will relieve the town of the responsibility of the important work, provided the council supply a reasonable amount from year to year for this purpose, in addition to the amount now appropriated to the Court House Park, and they will confer with a committee of the town council as to the adoption of a plan for the placing of the park in a proper condition.

Mr. Stocker was anxious to see the Society take up the matter of holding a chrysanthemum show in September.

It was pointed out by Mr. T. E. Bradburn that this flower could not be brought to perfection without the assistance of a greenhouse.

Mr. Cobb was enthusiastic in his support of the idea, and was sure that a sufficient quantity would be placed on exhibition to ensure the success of the scheme.

It was resolved, on motion of Messrs. Roper and Bradburn, that this Society would approve of the directors of this Society arranging a chrysanthemum exhibition this fall, and that they be requested to hold one if at all possible and feasible.

The meeting then adjourned.

THE FLOWER SOCIAL.

It Proved a Grand Success Last Evening in the C. L. A. Rooms.

The success which attended the Flower Social held last evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Catholic Literary Association surpassed that which has been attained at any of the previous entertainments.

The social took place in the C. L. A. parlours in the Cox block, and the large concert hall attached to the apartments was very prettily decorated for the occasion. Great loops of red, white and blue bunting were stretched from the extremities of the room to the centre of the ceiling, and flags were artistically draped upon the walls.

Each gentleman on entering the room was presented with a flower and a lady was given the duplicate. An amusing half hour was spent in "pairing" the flowers and a partner for the first dance on the programme was thus acquired.

Butcher's orchestra was present, furnishing good music, and Mr. Michael Costello made, as usual, a most obliging and efficient master of ceremonies. About fifty couples were present and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

Refreshments were served at midnight and too much credit cannot be accorded the ladies for the manner in which the evening passed off.

CABOT OR "CABO?"

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—In the schools the pupils are taught to pronounce the surname of the discoverer of Canada, "Cabo," making the final "t" silent. Is this right? My uncle says it should be pronounced as it is written. By answering in your paper you will oblige.

Yours truly,
LITTLE SCHOOL GIRL.

January 12th, 1897.

[Your uncle is right. There seems to be no reason for the pronounciation mentioned of the great discoverer's name, beyond an affectation of familiarity, with the peculiarity of French orthoepy that makes "t" silent at the end of most words. Cabot should be pronounced as written, and there is no more reason for calling it "Cabo" than there is for saying teapo for teapot, sho for shot, or for addressing John Abbott as John Abbo. The Cabots were Italians—Venetians—and the spelling of the name in contemporary documents is "Kabotto"—very easily metamophised into the present English form, Cabot.—"A little knowledge is a dangerous thing."—ED. EXAMINER.

A Wonderful Entertainment Coming to Peterborough.

It is not often that the people of Peterborough have the opportunity of seeing such a wonderful entertainment as that which will be offered to them on the 21st inst. That most marvellous invention, "the Cinematographe," which was the greatest attraction, and which has been delighting so many thousands in Toronto and other western towns for the past three months, will be at Bradburn's Opera House, Peterborough, for one week, commencing on Thursday, the 21st January. It is impossible to properly describe the wonderful entertainment given by the Cinematographe, but imagine yourself taking a tour in a couple of hours to England, France, Spain, Italy, Germany and other parts of the world, and actually seeing things occurring exactly as though you were on the spot looking at them. Persons and vehicles passing along the streets of London or Paris, busses and street cars running, people riding bicycles and on horseback, all moving naturally life size, soldiers drilling and marching, cavalry charging, artillery firing, the ocean waves rolling, people bathing, buildings falling, processions, trains arriving and the passengers alighting, and many other amusing and entertaining scenes, and you have some idea of what the Cinematographe will show you, as if everyone you see were alive and actually in front of you. It has been spoken of by the press and everyone who has seen it, as something marvellous, and those who do not see it now will miss the sight of a life time. It provides an interesting and novel entertainment lasting over an hour, thirty scenes being given, and those who wish can see them two or three times over, as most of those who patronize it frequently do.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

ONTARIO SPEAKERSHIP.

The Lindsay Post of Wednesday, Jan. 13th, says: It is to be hoped that the vacant Speakership of the Local Legislature will be offered to Mr. J. R. Stratton, the popular member for West Peterborough, as his friends generally feel that his ability entitles him to special recognition at the hands of the Government. Mr. Stratton is one of the most capable members of the Ontario House, and no member put up a better fight against stronger opposition in the outset than did the member for West Peterborough. The result of his several terms in the Legislature has given the electors such confidence in him as to make his re-election for each new Parliament a foregone conclusion."

[The kind remarks of the Post are heartily appreciated by the EXAMINER, but under the circumstances, they can only possess a sentimental value, as Mr. Stratton has not sought, nor is he now seeking, the position of Speaker.]

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer. Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 14.—6.30 a. m. ..... 5° below zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	11°	—11°

° The minus sign (—) signifies below zero.

PERSONAL

Dr. Chas. McKee of Baillieboro, was in town to-day.

Miss Hicks, Perth, is a guest of Mrs. J. R. Stratton.

Mrs. (Dr.) Graham, of Fenelon Falls, is a guest of her father, Mayor Yelland.

Mr. Barton Earle is in town, and intends bringing his family here for the winter.

Miss Howson, of Otonabee, is in town this week, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. T. G. Hazlitt, Water street.

Miss Matie Owens and Miss Maud Carnahan, of Campbellford, are guests of Mrs. G. J. Hopkins.

Messrs. McHugh, McDonald, Shannon and Baker of Lindsay, came over yesterday to attend the C. L. A. Flower social.

Mr. Frank Ellis, who has been in the Nicholls Hospital for some weeks, was down town this morning for half an hour.

Judge Edmison had the misfortune to fall at the curling rink last evening when delivering a stone and had to retire from the game. Fortunately his only injury is a slightly strained shoulder.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Best place in town for veilings at Turnbull's.

—A drunk was dismissed with a warning this morning by the magistrate.

—The Town Committees on Charity and Printing meet this evening in the clerk's office.

—Those interested are reminded that the annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held in the council chamber to-morrow afternoon, at 3.30 o'clock.

—An old Englishman, who drifted into town and was arrested on a charge of vagrancy, was allowed to go this morning on promising to leave town immediately.

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Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1897.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

As the result of yesterday's draw Keene is the winners of group No. 2, of the Tankard series, and therefore entitled to go to Toronto and play off in the finals. As stated yesterday, Keene defeated Millbrook in the morning, and in the afternoon ran up against Campbellford, and were again victorious. The rinks were drawn as follows :

Campbellford.	*Keene.*
RINK NO. 1.	
Geo A Bence,	A Eason,
J C Fowlds,	H J English,
J R McUrea,	R Londerville,
C L Owens, sk.....18	W Campbell, sk.....22
RINK NO. 2.	
R Dinwoodie,	R Brown,
D Douglas,	C Bell,
Dr Macoun,	R McCumus,
E Gaudrie, skip ...13	R Mcln yre, sk.....19
26	42

Majority for Keene, 6 shots.

Skips Gaudrie and McIntyre had it nip and tuck from the start, but Skip Campbell took and held a big lead over Skip Owens all through, till almost the end, when by his fine skipping the latter pulled up and was only beaten out by five shots. Skip Owens is very anxious to get back at his opponent, and challenges him to play the same rink against him in Campbellford, when playing in a medal competition there later on in the winter.

Two more matches were played off in the Innes medal series last night, resulting as follows :

Thistles.	*Granites.*
A J Gough,	W F Nelson,
C N Brown,	F McNee,
Geo Brown,	Geo Morrow,
H LeBrun, sk.....13	Geo Edmison, sk.....15
O R Shortly,	W H Hill,
G S Ames,	F J Rogers,
T Connal,	W L Allen,
R B McKee, sk.....14	R M Dennistoun, sk..11

The result of this contest now stand as follows :

Thistles.	*Granites.*
R H Kells 7	J Connal.....24
H LeBrun.....13	Geo Edmison.....15
R B McKee.....14	R M Dennistoun...11
33	50

Majority for Granites, 17 shots.

To-nights the following draws will be played off :

W G Ferguson.....vs.....T P Attrill
J B Pentland.....vs.....E B Edwards

A scratch match was played off at the rink last night with the following result :

John McKee,	W J Thompson,
A Slade,	John McClelland,
G Brown,	G Fitzgerald,
J B Pentland, sk....13	D Bellegham, sk.....15

The entries for the Lindsay bonspiel are slowing creeping up. The figures are now : Double rinks, 30 ; single rinks, 47. There are quite a large number of clubs in the east that have not yet sent in their entries. These are fully expected within the next day or two, so that the gathering next week gives promise of being the largest of its kind ever held in Ontario. The weather of the past few days has enabled the committee to get their rinks in readiness, so that a change in the weather now will make but little difference to them. Clubs from the west are reminded that they must arrive on the evening train on Monday. Teams in the first draw will commence playing at ten o'clock on Tuesday morning and western clubs should make certain of being on time.

HOCKEY.

The seniors are going out of town tomorrow for a several of days in order to have the benefit of a couple of foreign matches before they have to play off against Queens. The Executive thinks, rightly, that there is far more good to be derived from the playing of one match then from half a dozen practices and therefore the trip was resolved upon. On Friday the boys will play in Napanee, which possesses a fast team and one that will probably head the list this year in the Bay of Quinte League. On Saturday night a game will be played in Brockville where the Peterboroughs will have their work cut out for them, as the team of that place is reported to be one of the crack organizations of the east. An effort was made to get on a game in Kingston but without result.

All the senior team will be able to take in the trip with the exception of Montgomery and Thorne will probably be taken along in his place.

Kingston hockeyists are about to practice on a small rink at Rockwood Hospital in order to be better able to cope with the Peterboroughs. The local team should take a leaf out of their book and go down to Norwood for a few practices on the large rink there.

The bus which will take the lacrosse team of hockeyists to Lakefield will leave the post office at seven o'clock sharp this evening.

The following players are called out on the ice to night : Dixon, Glover, Macgachan, Thorne, Grubbe, King, Jeffries, Watt, O'Connor, Crossley, Comstock, Bellegham, D. Davidson and Hopkins.

"CANADIAN BOYS."

The following "poem" has been sent in. It was a little difficult to classify. While its literary merit is undeniable, it has a "swift" savour of sentiment and style that seems to justify it being turned over to the sporting editor. While its literary merit gives it value it is also valuable as showing how early and how strongly the rulary passion develops in the female heart. In the school girl or poetic age, the boys rule the girls ; in the matrimonial or prosaic age the women rule the men, as shown by the energy with which they cater to the business of the wig-maker. Here is the maiden poem of "two school girls" :

Ottawa boys are rather homely,
Hamilton boys look very lonely,
Toronto boys are crack(ed) hockey players,
And London boys are heavy weights,
Brockville boys are very lake sick,
Whitby boys chew lots of gum,
St. Thomas boys like plenty of rum,
Cornwall boys can play lacrosse,
Napanee boys, they say, are "boss,"
Kingston boys should wear striped suits,
Belleville boys think they are "beauts,"
Omemee boys are rather funny,
Woodstock boys fish for girls with money,
St. Kitt's boys are rather foolish,
Barrie boys are very mulish,
Owen Sound boys are always in a flurry,
Collingwood boys can never hurry,
Picton boys are small and naughty,
Port Hope boys are terribly haughty,
Millbrook boys are rather greedy,
Prescott boys are quite too "speedy,"
Pembroke boys are fond of fun,
Perth boys "go them better," by one,
Arnprior boys are ready for cake-walk,
Carleton Place boys are regular fakes,
Almonte boys are called wind-bags,
Gananoque boys are true to their flags,
Bowmanville boys are great on pose,
Ottawa boys have cheeks like a rose,
Beaverton boys are all good hunters,
Woodville boys are more like grunters,
Bobcaygeon boys live on fat pork,
Pen' talls boys should "put in the cork,"
Midland boys are very saucy,
Warsaw boys have hair so glossy,
Orangeville boys are good to the girls,
Guelph boys cultivate curls,
Galt boys have just enough salt,
Strathroy boys are never in fault,
Seaforth boys have very large feet,
Newmarket boys dress very neat,
Aurora boys wear bright red ties,
Markham boys are not troubled with flies,
Clinton boys are inclined to be fat,
Walkerton boys are afraid of a rat.
Ingersoll boys are found in deep thought,
Chatham boys can never be taught,
Kincardine boys have fine ivory teeth,
Sarnia boys as a rule come to grief,
Goderich boys are hard to beat,
Trenton boys are small and sweet,
Brighton boys think themselves wise,
Cobourg boys have handsome eyes,
Brantford boys are great on the bike,
Milton boys are all alike,
Colborne boys are all for fun,
Orillia boys, when loosed, do run,
Uxbridge boys are splendid skaters,
Stratford boys can "mash" like 'taters,
Lindsay boys are awfully tough,
And Peterborough boys are "just the stuff."

TWO LITTLE MAIDS AT SCHOOL.

I.O.L. OFFICERS.

Election of the Officers of Springville I.O.L. No. 50.

On Tuesday, Jan. 12, the annual election of officers of Springville, I.O.L., No. 50, was held, when the following officers were duly elected :

G H Hooten	W M
A Anderson	D M
H Baptie	Rec Secretary
G Gibson	Fin Secretary
F Wilson	Chaplain
A Laing	Treasurer
J McIntosh	Lecturer
M Hooten	Dir of Ceremonies
W McBain	1st Committeeman
R Fair and W Hooten	Tylers

The above lodge meets on the second Tuesday of each month.

AN APPEAL

To Citizens of Peterborough.

DEAR READERS, — Having withdrawn from the teaching profession again by the providence of God, I have taken residence with my family at 576 Aylmer street.

Being the only representative of the "Christ Life" east of Toronto, I shall receive and direct all persons desirous of obtaining and continuing the perfect experience.

No church, society, or individual outside the Christian Association illustrates and teaches the secret of the life of Jesus ; although christendom is endeavouring to be Christ-like and exhorts the world to do likewise.

My whole attention is directed to those who call upon me, or prefer to attend the regular meetings in my parlour every Tuesday and Saturday, from 3 p. m. to 5 p.m., and other meetings that will be arranged in other parts of the town and vicinity, as necessity may require.

The books entitled "Divine Guidance," the pamphlet on "How to Keep Converted," and the monthly periodical, "The Expositor of the Christ-Life," edited by Rev. Nelson Burns, B.A., and associate writers, may be had free upon application.

W. M. RADIR.

M. L. Henry & Co. to Their Customers.

The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to use our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their accounts without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS PATENT.

The Trust and Guarantee Company of Ontario, (Limited.)

Notice is hereby given that within one month after the last publication hereof in The Ontario Gazette, the persons hereinafter named will apply to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario in Council for the grant of a charter of incorporation by Letters Patent under the provisions of The Ontario Joint Stock Companies' Letters Patent Act and the Trust Companies' Act, 1895.

1. That the name of the Company shall be The Trust and Guarantee Company of Ontario (Limited).

2. That the objects for which incorporation is sought are as follows : To take, receive and hold all estates and property, real and personal, which may be granted, committed, transferred or conveyed to them with their consent, upon any trust or trusts whatsoever (not contrary to law) at any time or times, by any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, or by any court of the Province of Ontario ; to take and receive on deposit, upon such terms and for such remuneration as may be agreed upon, deeds, wills, policies of insurance, bonds, debentures, or other valuable papers or securities for money, jewelry, plate or other chattel property of any kind, and to guarantee the safe keeping of the same; to act generally as attorney or agent for the transaction of business, the management of estates, the collection of loans, rents, interest, dividends, debts, mortgages, debentures, bonds, bills, notes, coupons and other securities for money ; to act as agent for the purpose of issuing or countersigning certificates of stock, bonds or other obligations of any association or corporation, municipal or other ; to receive, invest and manage any sinking fund therefor on such terms as may be agreed upon ; To accept and execute the offices of executor, administrator, trustee, receiver, assignee or of trustee for the benefit of creditors under any Act of the Legislature of the Province of Ontario, and of guardian of any minor's estate or committee of any lunatic's estate ; to accept the duty of and act generally in the winding up of estates, partnerships, companies and corporations; to guarantee any investments made by them as agents or otherwise ; to sell, pledge or mortgage any mortgage or other security or any other real or personal property held by the Company from time to time, and to make and execute all requisite conveyances and assurances in respect thereof ; to make, enter into, deliver, accept and recieve all deeds, conveyances, assurances, transfers, assignments, grants and contracts, necessary to carry out the purposes of the said Company, and to promote the objects and business of the said Company ; and for all such services, duties and trusts to charge, collect and receive all proper remuneration, legal, usual and customary costs, charges and expenses.

3. That the operations of the said Company are to be carried on throughout the Province of Ontario, and the chief place of business is to be the City of Toronto.

4. That the amount of the capital stock of the said Company is to be $500,000.

5. That the number of shares is to be 10,000 and the amount of each share $50.

6. That the names in full, addresses and calling of each of the applicants are as follows :—James Robert Stratton, M.P.P., Publisher ; Peter Hamilton, Manufacturer ; Richard Hall, Merchant ; William Hewitt Meldrum, Manufacturer ; Alfred Lawrence Davis, Financial Agent ; William Armstrong Stratton, Barrister-at-Law ; and Robert David Hamilton, Manufacturer, all of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough ; Frederick Charles Taylor, of the Town of Lindsay, in the County of Victoria, Gentleman ; Wilbur Cassius Matthews, Manager R. G. Dun & Co ; Arthur Frederick Rutter, Wholesale Stationer ; Alfred MacDougall, Barrister-at-Law ; Frederick Montford Holland, Loan Company Manager ; George Goldwin Smith Lindsey, Barrister-at-Law ; Robert Davies, Brewer, and Archibald William Campbell, Roads Commissioner, all of the City of Toronto, in the County of York ; William Manley German, M.P.P., of the Town of Welland, in the County of Welland, Barrister-at-Law ; James Vernal Teetzel, of the City of Hamilton, in the County of Wentworth, Queen's Counsel ; Christian Kloepfer, M.P., Wholesale Hardware Merchant ; Archibald M. MacKinnon, Local Master High Court, and Thomas Patrick Coffee, Barrister-at-Law, all of the City of Guelph, in the County of Wellington ; Charles Bernhard Heyd, of the City of Brantford, in the County of Brant, Merchant ; William Buckingham, Loan Company Manager, and the Honourable Thomas Ballantyne, Esquire, both of the City of Stratford, in the County of Perth ; Thomas Saunders Hobbs, M. P. P., of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, Hardware Merchant ; Dennis Weston Karn, Organ and Piano Manufacturer, and James Gamble Wallace, Barrister-at-Law, both of the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Oxford, and William Johnson McKee, M. P. P., of the City of Windsor, in the County of Essex, Lumber Merchants, all of whom are to be the first Directors of the said Company.

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First inserted in ONTARIO GAZETTE January 9th, 1897.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

Peterborough Workingmen's Building and Savings Society — Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Workingmen's Building and Savings Society, was held last night in Mr. James Stevenson's office. The statement presented showed that the affairs of the society were in a healthy condition. The following directors and officers were elected :

President—John Lynch.
Vice-President—F. B. McGrath.
Secretary—J. Corkery.
Treasurer—James Murty,
Directors—M. Riley, W. Hinchcliffe, R. Sheehy, A. McDonald, A. Laidlaw, A. J. Gough, H. LeBrun, J. J. Dolan, Jas. Lynch, C. Grant, P. Corkery, A. Murty.

COLD SPRINGS, OTONABEE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

A pleasant social time was spent at Cold Springs on Tuesday evening, when the many friends of H. P. Kennedy met to give him a "send-off."

Mr. Kennedy has been connected with Cold Springs Sunday School for several years, and is going to reside in Peterborough in future, and this gathering was for the purpose of saying farewell to him, of spending a few pleasant hours together, and of presenting him with a tangible token of appreciation in the form of a beautiful clock. Mr. Kennedy made a suitable reply.

Mr. Chas. Munro, who is now in charge of our school, took honours at the recent Normal School examinations. We extend congratulations.

The Union Sunday School of this place held their annual business meeting Thursday, Jan. 7th, when reports of work done during the past year were read and the officers elected for 1897. The reports show the work to have been a prosperous one during the past twelve months. The financial report was very encouraging, the items will be given again. The following is a report of secretary and election of officers for ensuing year. The officers are as follows :—

Superintendent—Mr. D. Kennedy.
Assistant Superintendent — Mr. Alex. Huston.
Sec.-Treas.—Miss L. Bennett.
Home Class Sec.—Miss S. Bennett.
Organist—Miss Cassie Robertson.
Assistant Organist—Miss Flo Kitney.

The teachers of the past year were all re-appointed, with the exception of teacher for ladies' Bible class, which will in the future be conducted by Mr. D. Kennedy.

On Tuesday evening, January 12th, an interestigg entertainment was conducted by the Sunday school. On excellent programme was rendered and a pleasant social hour was spent. The most pleasing feature was the presentation made to Mr. H. P. Kennedy, who was the superintendent of the Sunday school during the past year. Mr. Kennedy is leaving this district to take up his residence in town under different auspices. Miss L. Bennett, secretary of the Sunday school, called Mr. Kennedy forward and with an informal address, tendered to him, on behalf of the Sunday school a beautiful bronze clock as a slight memento of the hours spent in the Master's work in this district and extended to him the heartfelt congratulations of the Sunday school with the hope that God would bless him and also his partner through life. Immediately after two members of Mr. Kennedy's class stepped forward and presented him with a gentleman's companion. Mr. Kennedy said he was a little perplexed at having so many kindnesses showered upon him all at once. He thanked them with all his heart and said his old home connections would be always dear to him, especially in the work in which he was called. The meeting was dispersed by singing "Blest be the tie that Binds."

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual General meeting of the shareholders of the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company of Ontario, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors for the past year, election of Directors for the ensuing year and other general purposes connected with the business of the Company, will be held at the office of the Company in the Town of Peterborough, on Wednesday, the 27th Day of January, 1897, at 2 O'clock in the afternoon.

E. R. WOOD, Secretary.
Peterborough, January 13th, 1897.

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Our Big 4 Combination is getting a great gait on. Think of it—4 first-class 10c Cigars for only 25c.

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Also received Two Thousand Dollars worth of Furs, the balance of the Bankrupt Stock of the noted furrier Joseph Rogers, Toronto. These goods are not intended to be placed in competition with the fag end of the Lugadin and other stocks lately brought to town by a local furrier. All are invited to call and see our stock.

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40c Tea at 30c per lb.	Canned Salmon (a1) 10c can
30c Tea at 22½c per lb.	Corn, Tomatoes,
25c Tea at 20c per lb.	Beans, Peas,
or 2 lbs. for 35c.	4 cans either, 25c.

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Ulsters made from heavy all wool frieze, lined with strong tweed, storm collar, well made.

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The Little Lake Cemetery Co.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the Little Lake Cemetery will be held at the

Town Council Chamber, Peterborough,

—ON—

MONDAY, 18th JANUARY INST.

at Three P. M., for the purpose of Electing Directors for the present year, the presentation of the Financial Statement and Reports of the past year, and the transaction of other necessary business.

E. A. PECK, SECRETARY. HENRY DENNE, 6d11w PRESIDENT.

Dated the 9th day of January, 1897.

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For Gentlemen	3 00
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For Youths	2 00
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MRS. BESSEY WON.

Mr. E. B. Eddy Loses to the Daughter of His First Wife a Case Involving a Large Amount of Money.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—A cause celebre, or rather a number of them, came to a surprising termination in the Hull Superior Court to-day. For some years Mr. E. B. Eddy, the well-known manufacturer, has been at law with Mrs. Bessey, daughter of his first wife. There were four cases in all, and Mrs. Bessey scored a complete triumph over her father in each case, with the exception that Judge Gill disallowed her claim for furniture in the family dwelling at Hull. The amount involved will range from $350,000 to half a million dollars. The cases have attracted widespread attention. The first action was a claim of Mr. Eddy for properties amounting to $137,000, which he had given to the first Mrs. Eddy, mother of Mrs. Bessey. Mr. Eddy's counsel contended that by the law of Quebec a man could not make presents to his wife of the kind involved in the suit. The defence replied that inasmuch as Mr. and Mrs. Eddy were married in the State of Vermont the law of that State would apply. Judge Gill held this contention valid, pointing out that Mr. Eddy could not bring his wife to this country and deprive her of any rights which she held at the time of her marriage. Mrs. Bessey's claim to be declared owner of her late mother's jewelry was conceded in full, but the claim for furniture was disallowed as stated. The judge held that as it was purchased by Mr. Eddy in Canada it was his. In the third action Mrs. Bessey claimed to recover moneys held by her father on her behalf as her agent. This claim was also allowed, and Mr. Eddy ordered to render a complete account of these moneys, which consist of rents collected from the farms, dwellings and properties in dispute. Costs go to Mrs. Bessey in each case. It is likely an appeal will be instituted, but Mrs. Bessey's lawyer says they have no fear of results.

Why not profit by the experience of others who have found a permanent cure for catarrh in Hood's Sarsaparilla.

FIRE AT WALLACEBURG.

The Queen's Hotel Burning Fiercely at Two O'clock This Morning—Other Property in Danger.

Wallaceburg, Ont., Jan. 13, 2 a.m.—Shortly after 12 o'clock this morning fire broke out in the Queen's Hotel and is now burning fiercely, threatening the entire destruction of that building. The hotel, which is kept by Frank Hanning, is a high building and the best block in the city. Many of the inmates had a narrow escape and one man is reported to have perished in the flames. He is a tank-builder and hails from Cleveland. His name could not be learned. All the plate-glass windows on the opposite side of the street were broken by the heat. The fire may spread to adjoining buildings.

White Paper Pool Didn't Go.

New York, Jan. 12.—It was learned definitely this afternoon that the negotiations that have been pending for several weeks between manufacturers of white paper used by newspapers to effect a pooling arrangement whereby the product of all mills should be handled by a stock company with headquarters in this city, had fallen through and that the project has been abandoned.

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SINGING KILLED HER.

Miss Ellen Beach Yaw Burst Her Jugular Vein and Bled to Death Before Her Audience.

Waterloo, Iowa, Jan. 12.—County Clerk H. D. Williams yesterday received notice of the tragic death of Miss Ellen Beach Yaw at Binghamton, N. Y. She was singing before an audience, and, in reaching the high notes for which her voice was famous, the jugular vein in her throat burst, and she bled to death on the stage before her hearers. Miss Yaw was able to reach the highest note of any cantatrice in the world, which was due to a peculiar formation of her throat. In straining to reach this note muscles in her throat were pressed against the jugular vein and injured this by abrasion until the membrane was worn through, causing hemorrhage. She had been warned by the best vocal masters that the result would be so if she persisted in singing so high, but the warning was not heeded. Miss Yaw was born in Boston, Erie County, N.Y., and was about 30 years of age.

FROM WEALTH TO PAUPERISM.

Thomas Hendricks Once Associated With Gould and Sage—Died a Pauper.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—Thomas Hendricks, 70 years old, who died at the County Hospital Dec. 31, has been saved from a pauper's grave by his nephew, L. M. Fletcher of San Francisco. Thirty years ago Hendricks was a broker in Wall-street and was the friend of such men as Jay Gould, Russell Sage and James Fisk. He was known as a daring speculator, and carried through many deals of vast importance. He met with reverses and then became estranged from his family. About 20 years ago he came to Chicago, and had lived here ever since. Mr. Hendricks was born in Varmont, and belonged to one of the best families in the Green Mountain State.

INSURANCE COMPANY MUST PAY.

A Canadian Company Mulcted in $10,000 in a New York Case.

New York, Jan. 12.—The trial of the suit brought by J. H. Mohlman & Company, wholesale grocers, against the Western Assurance Company of Toronto, Canada, in the United States Circuit Court, ended to-day. The demand of the plaintiffs was for $10,000, the amount of a policy issued by the defendants upon the stock in the building on North Moore-street, which was destroyed on the night of April 29, 1896. The issue in the case was whether the building collapsed as a result of fire or caught fire after it had fallen. The company refused to pay the policy on the ground that under a clause in the policy the collapse of a building from other causes than fire rendered it not responsible for any resulting loss. The jury returned with a verdict for the full amount demanded by the plaintiffs.

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand is limited, and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market continues dull, with transactions far between. The feeling is unsettled, with cables for Ontario wheat unsatisfactory. White is held at 82c to 83c and red at 81c to 82c outside. Manitoba No. 1 hard is quoted at 89c, North Bay and at 93c to 94c, Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 1 quoted at 33c to 34c, No. 2 at 28c to 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and feed at 22c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are steady. White sold at 19c west, and mixed at 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady, with sales at 42c north and west and at 43c on the Midland.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 22½c to 23c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 25c to 26c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 33c west.

Oatmeal—The market is dull at $2.05 to $3.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The receipts of live stock at the western yards were moderate to-day, 40 cars, but some were left over from last week. Prices generally are unchanged. Sales of good to choice export cattle at 3½c to 3¾c, and bulls at 3c to 3½c per pound. Butchers' cattle continue dull, with offerings generally of inferior quality. The best butchers' sold at 3c to 3¼c per pound, medium at 2½c to 2¾c, and inferior qualities at 1¾c to 2¼c. Milch cows sell at $25 to $35 each, and calves at $4 to $7 each.

Sheep and lambs in moderate supply and prices steady. Choice sheep sold at 3c to 3¼c per lb., and bucks at 2½c to 2¾c. Lambs are steady, there being sales at 3½c to 4¼c per lb., according to quality.

Hogs are firm, with good demand. The best sold at 4½c to 4¾c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c, lightweights at 4c, sows at 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 12.—Spring wheat, 7s 0d to 7s 1d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2d to 7s 3d; corn, 2s 10d; peas, 4s 6½d; pork, 48s 0d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 28s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 6d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 62s.

London — Opening — Wheat on passage nominally unchanged. English country markets dull. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures easy at 6s 8¾d for Jan., 6s 9¼d for Feb., 6s 10d for March and April, and 6s 8¾d for July. Maize quiet at 2s 0d for Jan., 2s 9¼d for Feb., 2s 9½d for March and April, and 2s 8¾d for May.

Paris—Wheat 22f 90c for Feb. Flour 48f 25c for Feb.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 6s 8¾d for Jan., 6s 9¼d for Feb., 6s 10d for March 6s 10¼d for April and 6s 8¾d for July. Maize quiet at 2s 0d for Jan., 2s 0¼d for Feb., 2s 9½d for March, 2s 9¾d for April and 2s 10d for May. Flour 24s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage steady Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat 22f 60c for Feb Flour 47f 90c for Feb.

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THE DURHAM CITY IN PORT.

Her Sister Ship, Damara, Drifted to Sea and Tugs Have Gone After Her—Battle With the Storm.

Halifax, Jan. 12.—A terrific snowstorm raged here all morning, accompanied by a very strong gale, and the steamers Damara and Durham City have had a terrific struggle with the elements. A tug was sent out, and at 10 o'clock to-night was seen entering the harbor with the Durham City, while the Damara, which has so long held on to her sister ship, drifted seaward. Shortly after midnight an official of the Furness line arrived up in a small boat, and said the Damara lost the other steamer by the breaking of a steel hawser connecting them, and it got tangled in the former's propeller. She was towed to a safe anchorage at Purcell's Cove, near the mouth of the harbor and left there.

The tug A. C. Whitney and another tug then started to overtake the Durham City, which drifted to the eastward after the accident. They will not likely get hold of her until 3 or 4 a.m.

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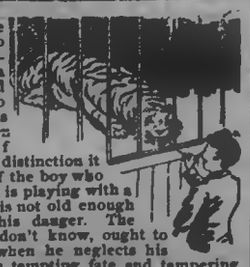

The little boy who tickles a tiger with a straw and the man who fools with his health are on a par. If there is any distinction it is in favor of the boy who imagines he is playing with a big cat and is not old enough to realize his danger. The man if he don't know, ought to know that when he neglects his health he is tempting fate and tampering with death. Nine men out of ten neglect their health. The result is that untold thousands fall victims every year to the insatiable tiger called consumption.

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POWER FROM REFUSE.

Fifty-Five English Towns Generate It From Household Garbage.

Garbage and town refuse disposal is one matter where the cities of Europe are far ahead of those of this country. An ideal plant of this kind is that at Rockdale, England. Investigators have all agreed that burning is the best way to dispose of the accumulations. This preference is due to the fact that by this method not only is all organic matter liable to putrify and become a menace to the health of the community destroyed, but it has been found by actual trial that the heat derived from the burning of the refuse may be used for the production of steam, which can be utilized for commercial purposes, and the revenue received from this source may be sufficient to more than pay for the cost of burning. There are no less than fifty-five such destroyers in different parts of England. The health committee of Rockdale, a manufacturing town of 73,000 inhabitants, recently adopted the method, with the idea of ultimately using the steam produced for electric lighting purposes. It has been found that this rough, unscreened refuse, running as much as 35 per cent. of clinker and ash, will evaporate 1.6 pounds of water for every pound of refuse burned, under boilers built to produce steam at 120 pounds' pressure. Coal burned under the same boilers evaporated 7 pounds of water per pound of coal. The two boilers have a grate surface of 45 square feet each. In building the two destructor cells a large combustion chamber, common to both, was provided between them and the boilers, so that the gases could intermingle, and that time should be allowed for the combustion of gases before they came in contact with the comparatively cold surface of the boiler, noting the fact that if once the organic matter in the fumes were heated sufficiently high, no amount of subsequent cooling down could again make them malodorous.

It is interesting to note that it is not necessary to use coal to aid in the burning of this refuse. The plant has been able to produce 340 brake horse power, burning two tons of refuse per hour. This high efficiency is obtained with ordinary boilers by using a forced draught. The weight of the refuse is reduced two-thirds, and the volume three-fourths.

The author says in conclusion "The disposal of two-thirds of the refuse completely is an important matter, but when to this is added the fact that the remaining third is rendered quite free from any organic matter whatever, it is past conception that corporations and local companies will continue to tip such immense quantities of putrefactive matter away, when, if they put in suitable appliances and used the steam which can be produced the refuse might be burned and a profit made on the transaction."—Cassell's Magazine.

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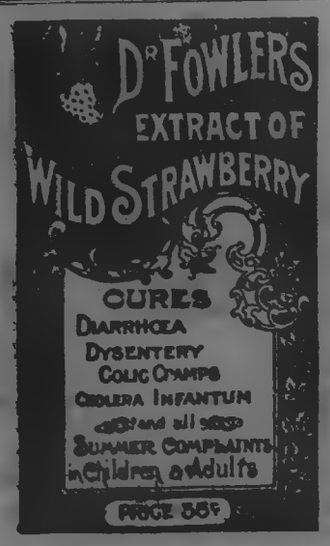

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

News Culled From the Voluminous Despatches and Boiled Into Paragraphs to Save Space.

Orville H. Platt has been re-elected Senator from Connecticut.

The Dowager Empress Asako, mother of Emperor Mutsuhito of Japan, is dead, aged 63.

Mr. Mark Hanna, President McKinley's right-hand man, is said to be on the verge of breaking down in health.

Lady Henry Somerset has suffered a severe contusion of the forehead in a carriage accident at Westminster, Eng.

Edward James, colored, has been convicted at Buffalo of murdering Edward Carrington on Dec. 3, 1896, and sentenced to life imprisonment.

The Electoral College votes cast yesterday in the United States gave McKinley and Hobart 271, Bryan 176 and Sewall 158, Watson 1.

Papers received at Washington from British Guiana indicate that the people there are satisfied with the Venezuela boundary agreement.

Mr. John L. Mackenzie, druggist, is removing from Stouffville to Rat Portage, and last evening his Stouffville friends gave him a banquet at the Queen's Hotel.

Petrolea now has Lake Huron water, and a test made yesterday of the waterworks system was a great success. The water is pumped 12 miles.

Rev. Neil McPherson, B.D., of Petrolia, has accepted the call to St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Hamilton. Sarnia Presbytery has agreed to grant the translation.

At Wilmington, Delaware, a true bill has been found against Capt. Edward Murphy, charged with having taken a filibustering party to Cuba on the steamer Laurada last summer.

The village of Portsmouth, Ont., is without a council, and a new election will have to be held. Only Reeve Fisher and Councillor Marks had sufficient property to qualify.

Ernest L. Chase, son of Dr. Chase of Ann Arbor, Mich., has been sentenced at Detroit to life imprisonment for cruelty to his wife. He cut and slashed the woman's face fearfully on Dec. 14 last, disfiguring her for life.

Maggie Mesner, a Canadian girl, 27 years of age, has been arrested in Buffalo for shoplifting. In her room was found nearly a wagon-load of silks, gloves, stockings, underwear and jewelry. She was employed as a domestic on Pearl-street.

Lieut. Peary, in an address acknowledging the Cullom gold medal, presented by the American Geographical Society, said all he needed was funds and he could make up an expedition that would reach the North Pole.

A girl of 16 named Beatrice Hutchinson, one of Miss Rye's importations, has been shipped back from London, Ont., to London, England. The girl had been placed in several situations, but left them all to roam about the streets.

James H. Bayne of Newbury, Ont., at London Assizes sued the Michigan Central Railway for $15,000 damages for injuries received through being struck by a freight train when driving over a crossing in Appin. Bayne was awarded $3000. He was badly injured.

The annual convention of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers began in Montreal yesterday, with gentlemen present from all the principal cities of the country. Messrs. C. H. Rust, Charles E. Goad and W. T. Jennings of Toronto were there. Only routine business was done yesterday.

At the Ellicott Club in Buffalo last night about 400 gentlemen gathered, and in feasting, speech and song celebrated the successful transmission of electric power from Niagara Falls to the Bison City. Among those present were Frederic A. Nicholls of Toronto, President of the National Electric Association.

The annual report of the Board of Managers of the Lake Carriers' Association shows an actual tonnage for the year 1896 of 722,883 net tons, an increase over 1895 of 105,000 tons. The Detroit River Bridge bill is reported killed as far as this Congress is concerned.

"Old, yet ever new, and simple and beautiful ever," sings the poet, in words which might well apply to Ayer's Sarsaparilla—the most efficient and scientific blood-purifier ever offered to suffering humanity. Nothing but superior merit keeps it so long to the front.

WINTER ETCHINGS.

The wind is growing crisper;
That makes our noses glow;
We hear it sigh and whisper;
"Look out for slush and snow."

The raven gaily circles—
The butcher does a jig;
While with his dirk he dirkles
The mellow rounded pig.

Oh, now the land is flowing
With cough drops lush and prime;
The elder mill is going
In rhapsodies of rhyme.

With joy our hearts are brimming,
Upon the frosty morn,
For while the sparrow's skimming
Song laden round the thorn,

We watch the withered grasses
That catch the crystal flake,
And pour rich gold molasses
Upon the buckwheat cake.

LEND YOUR EARS

To Your Back and Listen to its Talk—A Peterborough Man Tries It.

Did you know the back could talk;
Tell you why it aches and pains;
Tell you why it's lame and weak;
Warn you of the kidney's ills;
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Bad back, acute pains and kidney ills,
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"I can heartily recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to those suffering from any form of kidney trouble. They are the best kidney medicine I have ever used.

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THE DUCHER MURDER.

John E. Sullivan Placed on Trial at Dorchester, N. B., Charged With the Crime.

Dorchester, N.B., Jan. 12.—The trial of John E. Sullivan, charged with murdering Mrs. Ducher at Meadowbrook, midway between Moncton and this place last autumn, began here to-day. It will be recollected that the body of the dead woman was found in the ruins of the burned dwelling, while her little girl, Maggie, was rescued, but so injured that she was unable to speak. The big watchdog was found dead near the ruins.

Suspicion was directed to Sullivan, who was employed near the scene of the tragedy as a mill hand. He had been in Moncton after the murder with an unusual amount of money, and that a lot of money had been in Mrs. Ducher's possession was known to be a fact.

Sullivan disappeared, was traced to St. Croix, Me., near the Charlotte County boundary, arrested and came back to stand his trial without the process of extradition. The result of the preliminary inquiry was his committal for trial at the County Assizes, which are now being held here.

The story of little Maggie Ducher, who has now recovered her speech, is looked forward to with considerable interest.

True Bill Against Sullivan.

Moncton, N.B., Jan. 12.—At Dorchester to-day the grand jury returned a true bill against John Sullivan for the murder here five months ago of Mary Ducher and her son Harris. Sullivan is also charged with attempting to murder Maggie Ducher, a young daughter of Mrs. Ducher.

Your anxiety is for your delicate child; the child that in spite of all your careful over-watching, keeps thin and pale. Exercise seems to weaken her and food fails to nourish. That child needs Scott's Emulsion with the Hypophosphites—not as a medicine, but as a food containing all the elements of growth. It means rich blood, strong bones, healthy nerves, sound digestion. No child refuses Scott's Emulsion. It is pleasant and palatable.

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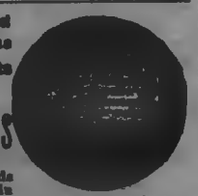

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The First of these Monthly Competitions will commence January 1st, 1897, and will be continued each month during 1897.

$1,625 IN BICYCLES AND WATCHES GIVEN FREE EACH MONTH FOR Sunlight SOAP WRAPPERS

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10 First Prize, $100 Stearns' Bicycle, . .	$ 1,000
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Bicycles and Watches given each month . .	1,625
	12
Total given during year 1897,	$19,500

HOW TO OBTAIN THEM.

Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper—that portion containing the words "SUNLIGHT SOAP." These (called "Coupons") are to be sent enclosed with a sheet of paper on which the competitor has written his or her full name and address, and the number of Coupons sent in, postage paid, to Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., 43 Scott St., Toronto, marked on the Postal Wrapper (top left-hand corner), with the NUMBER of the DISTRICT Competitor lives in.

NO. OF DISTRICT	NAME OF DISTRICT
1	Western Ontario, consisting of Counties York, Simcoe & all Counties W. and S. of these
2	East'n Ontario, consisting of Counties Ontario, Muskoka & all Counties E. & N. of these
3	Province of Quebec
4	Province of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the 5 districts, prizes will be awarded as follows:

The 5 competitors who send in the largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's "Stearns" Bicycle, value $100.

The 5 competitors who send in the NEXT largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Gold Watch, value $25.

2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

5. Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., will endeavor to award the prizes fairly to the best of their ability and judgment, but it is understood that all were competitors agree to accept the award of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., as final.

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These Furs will go fast—they can't help it—"the prices are too speedy."

An assortment of Fur Storm Collars, choice $2.00.

Mink Ruffs, $2.00; Grey Lamb Ruffs, $3.00; Sable Ruffs, $3.50.

Gauntlets from $1.50 up; Electric Seal (special) $3.00, worth $5.50.

Muffs from 50c up; Sable Muffs (special) $7.00, and Seal at $12.00, worth $18.00.

Grey Lamb Caps, $1.25 to $2.50; Coney Caps $1.25; Astrachan $2.00.

Alaska Seal Cap, $9.00, worth $14.00; Otter Wedge Caps, $8.50.

30-inch Greenland Seal Capes, $22.00. 24-inch Greenland Seal Capes $13.50

Several shorter Fur Capes, worth from $10.00 to $12.00; now $5.00.

Grey Lamb Capes, $12.00, $15.00, $18.00 and $20.00.

Fur Lined Cloaks (special) $25.00, worth $35.00.

Astrachan Jackets, $16.50 up; Coon Coats $15.00 up.

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This sale will be the most ambitious in the direction of bargain giving we have yet attempted—call and be convinced.

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NORWOOD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Teachers' salaries are still a subject of interest.

The ratepayers are after their "pound of flesh."

The light snowfall of Saturday and Sunday brought out a few cutters on Monday.

Services are being held this week in the Methodist church, preparatory to commencing special revival work.

A matrimonial cyclone has struck the town and vicinity, carrying off some of our fairest daughters, and creating havoc with the young men. On Wednesday last Miss Rosa Burgess, daughter of Mr. J. Burgess of Belmont, was united in marriage to Mr. J. Sanderson of Smith. We wish the happy couple many joys and much happiness through life.

Wednesday also witnessed the joining together of one of Hastings young men, Mr. Thos. Fraser, a former resident of Norwood, and son of Mr. A. Fraser, and Miss Maggie Tulip, daughter of Robert Tulip of Asphodel. We also wish these two young people much joy in their new life.

Rumour says—"More to follow."

The first hockey match of the season will be played at the Norwood rink on Monday evening between the Peterborough Intermediates and Norwood.

The "Arcade" store is undergoing some improvements in the way of counter repairings.

The new officers of the C.O.F. were duly installed at their meeting on Monday evening. The lodge, which is a new one, is in a flourishing condition.

The newly appointed officers of the C.O.F. were duly installed at their meeting on Thursday evening, W. J. Patterson, D. D. G. M., being present and officiating in the lodge behalf.

The L. O. L. held their annual district meeting on Tuesday last and transacted considerable business in connection with the order.

A street "scrap" will probably form a subject of legal investigation.

The mail cart running between Norwood and Hastings met with a mishap on Wednesday of last week, owing to the rough condition of the roads, which resulted in the breaking of the rear axle and causing some little delay in the delivery of the mails.

Rev. Mr. Lambly, of Brooklyn, Ont., occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church morning and evening last Sunday. On Monday evening he delivered a very interesting and profitable lecture on the subject of "Grit, Grace and Gumption," the occasion being the 51st anniversary of the establishment of the Methodist church here. The total collections amounted to $81.

The appointment of the township of Asphodel of a trustee to represent them at the Normal School Board for the next three years, resulted in a tie between the contestants, Rev. Father Conway and John McNaughton. Reeve J. Andrews declined to give the casting vote and the matter was left over until the next meeting of the council. Dr. Ford was reappointed to represent the village of Norwood on the board for the next two years.

Mr. Burt Cress, a former resident of Norwood, has charge of night work at the C.P.R. station here, at present.

Mr. P. W. Reynolds paid Peterborough a business visit on Tuesday.

[illegible] Saturday, attending business in Peterborough.

Miss M. A. Mahaffy, Milton, is visiting her sister, Miss Cameron, Spring street, this week.

Dr. Hall, D.D.S., has opened a branch office at Hastings, which he attends one day in each week.

R. J. Stewart, our popular stove and tinware merchant, is disposing of his business and will give his whole time as general organizer for the Canadian Order of Foresters in the near future.

Mrs. A. F. Fitzgerald left town to-day (Thursday) to join her husband, who has established a dairy business at Rochester. We regret losing our young friends, and will miss their genial company in church and social circles.

Mr. W. Fry, sr., overseer of the wheel department at J. Finlay & Sons wheel and hub factory, was taken suddenly ill while at work Monday afternoon. Dr. Moffat was sent for and on arriving soon put Mr. Fry on his feet again. We are pleased to say the illness was only of a temporary nature.

Alex. Campbell, of Peterborough, local representative of the Arts Goods Manufacturing Co. Toronto, is in town this week in the interests of the firm.

Miss Hall has returned from Tweed where she has been superintending the Millinery department in Mr. Black's general store, and will be at home for a few weeks visit.

Misses Murdock and Morrison returned to Norwood on Tuesday, having completed a few weeks visit with Miss M. Morrison, Warkworth.

Mr. Thos. Foster, after an absence of several years, has been visiting his brother, Mr. D. Foster, the past week.

Mr. Black, Tweed, was in the village on Thursday.

The curlers have been practising for a match with Keene, but for some unaccountable reason word was sent that they could not play. The players feel quite disappointed.

The funeral of Mrs. E. Cameron took place Wednesday afternoon, the remains being interred in Cameron's cemetery, First concession, Asphodel.

The annual business meeting of the A.O.U.W. was held last week. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Bro Hiram Fry	W M
" W H Hutchinson	Financier
" W H Brethren	Recorder
" W H Tucker	Receiver
" Thos Fraser	Guide
" W H Stephenson	Foreman
" Wm Neild	Overseer
" Wm Ebbs	Inside Watch
" Jas Andrew	Rep to Grand Lodge

COUNCIL MEETING.

The new town council of 1897 met for the first time, in the council chamber, on Monday, at 11 o'clock a.m., pursuant to statute, and transacted the following business, after being duly installed into office.

Minutes of the last meeting of the old council were read and confirmed.

Moved by R. Nicoll and Wm. Ebbs, that Hugh Spence be appointed assessor at the same salary as last year—$20.00.—Carried.

Moved by John Walker and J. Harper, that T. Fraser be appointed collector at $35.00.—Carried.

Moved by J. Harper and W. Ebbs, that Jos. Jotcham be sanitary inspector, at $20 per year.—Carried.

Moved by J. Walker and W. Ebbs, that Jas. Kellet be appointed caretaker at a salary of $20.00.—Carried.

Moved by J. Walker and R. Nicoll, that Fred Reynolds be appointed poundkeeper.—Carried.

Moved by Wm. Ebbs and J. Harper, that John Calder, Jos. Radden and Jos. Starr be fence viewers.—Carried.

Moved by J. Harper and Wm. Ebbs, that John Chandler be truant officer for 1897.—Carried.

A bylaw confirming the appointment of municipal officers was read and passed.

Moved by J. Harper and Wm. Ebbs that T. Fraser be a member of the local Board of Health, and that Dr. Ford be medical health officer.

Moved by R. Nicholl and J. Harper, that S. P. Ford, M.D. be appointed High School trustee for 1897 8.

Moved by J. Walker and Wm. Ebbs, that W. A. F. Campbell be auditor for this year.—Carried.

The reeve appointed Dr. J. C. Moffett as his auditor, at a salary of $3.00 each.

Bylaws confirming the above appointments were read and passed.

Moved by J. Walker and Wm. Ebb that J. G. Keefer get the contract for printing for 1897, to include all necessary municipal printing.—Carried.

Moved by W. Ebbs and J. Harper that the account of Geo. Peters for 70c be paid.—Carried.

Moved by R. Nicoll and J. Walker that Mrs. Matthew Sidgarick get an order on the treasurer for $4, charity for December, 1896.—Carried.

Tenders received by the clerk for running snow-plough were laid before the council as follows:—Jos. Jotcham $3 per trip and extras for heavy trips and shovelling; Geo. Hetherly, $1.50 per trip.

Moved by J. Walker and J. Harper that the tender of Geo. Hetherley be accepted at $1.50 per trip.—Carried.

Moved by Wm. Ebbs and J. Walker that the clerk advertise for tenders for 25,000 feet of pine plank and 6,000 feet of 4x4 scantling. Tenders to be received up to February 1st.

Council adjourned to meet on February 1st, at 8 o'clock p. m.

—50 inch Dress Tweeds on 15c. a yard at Turnbull's.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

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Have You Seen it?

The little store around the corner? south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 423 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—MRS. APPLEBY. dw

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Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

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A CREDITABLE DAIRYMEN'S EDITION.

The Brockville Recorder is seventy-seven years old but it still shows the vitality and vigour of youth. Our contemporary has issued a splendid special edition, commemorative of the annual meeting of the Eastern Dairymen's Association, held in Brockville. This enterprising action is timely as well as apropos, Brockville district claiming the distinction of being the place where the co-operative system of cheese manufacture was first introduced. The special edition consists of eight closely printed quarto-double royal pages, containing a series of historical articles bearing upon every aspect of the dairy industry—especially the cheese side, all illustrated by the portraits of the authors who are also authorities in their specialties in dairy matters, including portraits of Hon Sidney Fisher, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, and Hon. John Dryden, Ontario Minister of Agriculture. The coloured cover is a veritable picture gallery of portraits of prominent cheese men in Brockville and vicinity, especial prominence being given to Mr. P. W. Strong, Brockville, the "father of co-operative dairying in Ontario." This special edition is "just the cheese," a credit to the district, and to the enterprising manager of the Recorder, Mr. G. P. Graham, and should appeal strongly to the appreciation of the constituency and the interests, it is so admirably intended to serve.

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Do not forget that an advertisement is "perpetual motion," if it is good it will wear its way into the people's memory, with consequent results to you.

Here is a suggestion—"Make your advertisement an argument, deriving its force from the situation, and present it clearly to all to whom it is addressed."

By advertisers I mean those who know that advertising "well done" is bound to bring success.

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What more suitable for a Holiday present than one of China Hall's lovely $10.00 dinner sets?

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Weekly Special:

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Special Sale of Teas.

We have a large stock of teas on hand which must be cleared out regardless of cost. FINE JAPAN TEAS: Regular price 50c, our price 40; regular price 40c, our price 30c; regular price 30c, our price 25c; regular price 25c, our price 20c.

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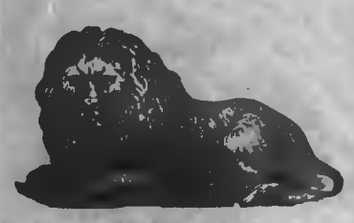

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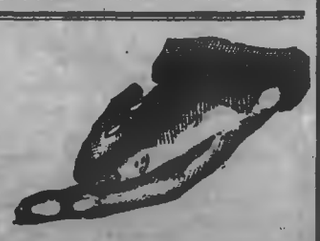

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BIRMINGHAM'S HAND

Was in the Macdonald Election, it is Said.

GAVE THE LOCAL MEN POINTERS

As to the Proper Way to Stuff the Ballot Boxes. One Witness Said — Hugh John Macdonald Will Admit Bribery by Agents—News From the Prairie Capital.

Winnipeg Jan. 14.—(Special.)—In the trial of the deputy returning officers charged with ballot box stuffing in Macdonald constituency Deputies Waller, Anderson and Clarke have been sent up for trial. Mr. Freeborn, one of the deputies, stated that he was seen by Mr. Boyd, one of the candidates, at Carberry about May 22, and was told by him not to go out of town next morning, as a man was coming in to see him. Next morning before witness was up Waller came to his room and told him about the proposed manipulation of ballots and showed him how it was to be done. Witness said Waller stated he had got the scheme in a letter from Mr. Birmingham of Toronto, the Conservative organizer for Ontario.

When the Winnipeg election trial comes on to-morrow counsel for Hon. Hugh John Macdonald will admit bribery by agents. The election will thus be voided, but the decision of the Supreme Court at Ottawa on preliminary objections may confirm Hugh John in his seat. If not, he is prepared to fight the election over again.

The time for commencing the election trials in the Lisgar and Selkirk cases has been extended for a period of six months. As the period for bringing these cases on for trial expires on the 31st inst., it became necessary to get an order from the court extending the time.

The election of Mr. Davis, the Liberal member-elect for Saskatchewan, is being contested by the rival Liberal faction.

The French Catholic residents of St. Norbert have created something of a sensation by organizing a Public school district under the Manitoba School Act.

MESSNER'S PROPOSAL.

A Joint Stock Company With Himself as Manager to Buy the Estate and Liquidate.

Walkerton, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The pupils of the Formosa Separate school were treated to a holiday to-day, for the rather novel purpose of having a meeting held in the school house to discuss the affairs of Mr. F. X. Messner. There was a very large attendance of creditors, and the utmost good order prevailed, with the exception of an attempt on the part of Messrs. Armstrong and Walker, a pair of Irishmen, to enliven the proceedings with a vigorous expression of opinion on Mr. Messner's proceedings. They were, however, promptly frowned down by the calm and placid Germans, who, although every man of them loses by Mr. Messner's failure had not a word to say in condemnation of his actions.

Mr. Messner addressed the meeting at length in support of a project to form a joint stock company from among the creditors to purchase the estate from the assignee, and under his management liquidate themselves. A further meeting for the purpose will be held on Monday next, and it is said that he has the matter all worked up, and is very likely to succeed. The estate is in bad shape, only $15,000 of good assets being available to pay $72,000 of indebtedness. Some preferential payments to relatives were brought to light at the meeting today, and they are merely to be contested by the consignee. Twenty cents on the dollar is the utmost that can be expected from the estate, and it is very doubtful if this amount will be realised.

HE IS ABOUT RIGHT.

Julian Ralph Says the Princess is Demented.

RIGO IS A USELESS APPENDAGE.

The Beautiful Woman Talks of Her Awful Act as a Sacrifice Upon the Altar of True Love—The Gypsy Very Nervous Lest He Should Lose Her.

New York, Jan. 14.—Julian Ralph cables from Budapest to The Journal: As I am obliged to print every letter in thousands words in order that the Budapest telegraphers may send the long despatches mechanically to New York, it has been impossible heretofore for me to give more than the bare dialog with the Princess Chimay. To-day I give some comment and reflections.

On my way to Hungary I wondered if she would refuse to see me, and my long journey prove fruitless. I know now that my negro office boy with a newspaper card may talk for hours with the unfortunate woman.

Seven-eighths of the Princess' money has been spent; the rest is in the hands of her uncle in America. Already she feels hampered for funds. The vanity of beauty and of past conquests, coupled with Parisian demoralization, has wreaked all this. It is the most perfect, the most lamentable example of the ruin that Paris produces ou moths that frolic too near the flames of La Ville Lumiere.

The Princess talks plainly of all this, but by defending herself reveals an unhinged mind, and she fancies herself the leader of realism applied to life as Paris has been applying it to art. She fancies that many leaders high in the social world yearn to imitate her example. She speaks of her awful act as a sacrifice upon the altar of true love.

On all sides I hear offers to wager that she and Aigo will separate within three months. She already speaks of "living down to Rigo."

Already he is in a chronic nervous terror of losing her. He fears being poisoned; he suspects that some one will stab him, and he sees an enemy in every visitor. The truth of the matter is he realizes that his good fortune is undeserved, and assures himself it will be fleeting. He urges the Princess to fly to the remotest corners of the earth, and yet no sooner does he hear any place proposed than he conceives that somebody is bent on assassinating him in order to secure possession of his beautiful Princess.

Already, too, the life he is leading tells on his physique perceptibly. As to Rigo's appearance, it is enough to say that he is a Hungarian musical gypsy. All are as near alike as so many cows or brownies.

For all who are curious to know how one American noble woman regards another, it is amusing to hear her speak with almost reverence of Consuelo Vanderbilt, the Duchess of Marlborough, as the greatest of all. "All others are mere nobodies beside her, she says.

Of the Marquise Castellane she says: "Plain little thing, if she only knew it she could have married a king. Any king in the world would have liked to get her money."

If anywhere in the world there lives any one who can exercise a strong influence over the Princess Chimay, now is the time to step forward and divert her from her her present course, rouse her to her better self, and to the exercise of her moral will, because the fastest train in Europe, the Orient Express, does not approach its destination at half the speed with which the Princess is now rushing to destruction.

CHINA ORDERS WARSHIPS

Eleven Armored Cruisers and Torpedo Destroyers Contracted for With a German Firm.

Vancouver, Jan. 14.—The Canadian Liner Empress of Japan brings the following advices from the Orient: The Japanese Government has passed a bill authorizing the Minister of War or the Minister of Home Affairs to seize and confiscate the edition of any newspaper which may give offence to the Government through its editorial or news columns. The newspapers are indignant at the despotic power conferred upon the Ministers.

The village of Kwagasa-Machi was totally destroyed by fire during the last week of December, some 300 houses being burned.

An order for 11 armored cruisers and torpedo destroyers has been placed with German builders by the Chinese Government. A special tax upon tea has been imposed to meet the expenditures.

THE CREAMERY MEN.

Prof. Robertson on Cold Storage and Hon. Sydney Fisher on Dairying—Prof. Fletcher on Grasses.

St. Mary's, Jan. 14.—The twelfth annual convention of the Ontario Creameries Association continued its session to-day. Prof. Robertson delivered a very able and exhaustive address upon cold storage, treating it from every conceivable standpoint. He gave a very elaborate and detailed description of the construction and the cost of a cold storage building for a town of about the size of St. Mary's, and of cold storage buildings of small dimensions for farmers' needs.

At the afternoon session Hon. Sidney Fisher addressed a very large audience on the subject of dairying in Canada. He described his experience as a practical farmer of the eastern townships, detailed the steps his Government had taken and were taking in the way of cold storage depots, cold storage transportation trains and steamship accommodation for the development and the improvement of the dairy trade of Canada. The speaker was warmly applauded on resuming his seat.

Ex-Governor Hoard followed in a very excellent address on creamery economy, after which Prof. Fletcher took up the subject of grasses, and described the result of the experiments on the Experimental Farm with the various kinds. He dwelt on the best methods of ridding the farm of the Canada thistle and other obnoxious weeds, and urged upon his hearers, if they wished to be successful in farming, to not only study the best grasses to grow, but also the habit of the various weeds, that they may know how to destroy them.

CUBANS WANT INDEPENDENCE

And That Is What They Are Fighting For—Nothing Less Will Do—Insurgents Are Prosperous.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Gonsales Quesada, head of the Cuban Junta in Washington, was informed this morning that a story had been published to the effect that Secretary Olney and Minister de Lome had drawn up articles to end the Cuban war on the lines proposed by Gen. Gomez. Senor Queseda emphatically denied that any such action had been taken or could be approved by Cubans. He said the story was absolutely false, as Gen. Gomez had never proposed any reforms whatever, nor was there a Cuban in the island that would accept anything but absolute independence.

Senor Queseda to-day received a letter from President Salvador Cisneros of the Republic of Cuba, dated Cubita, Dec. 24. He said he was preparing an appeal, in which the Government of the Cuban republic would ask for the recognition of the independence of the island.

President Cizneros also said that their condition was most prosperous, and if they had an abundance of munitions of war, not only o rifles, but of cannon and dynamite cannon, railroads would be destroyed, and all the few remaining garrisoned towns in the interior would be abandoned by the Spanish, who would be reduced to the coast. President Cizneros concluded that he expected to receive very soon the desired materials of war from abroad which will enable the Cubans to drive the Spanish to the sea, and then the Cubans would bid the enemy a last good-bye.

Change of Ministry Wanted

New York, Jan. 14.—The Herald's Washington special says: The solution of the Cuban problem depends upon a change of Ministry at Madrid. This is becoming the conviction of Administration officials here. As anxious as the President and Secretary Olney are to see a peaceful settlement of the troublesome matter before they go out of office, they greatly fear that the present Ministry of Spain will not grant a sufficiently liberal concession to permit the insurgents to lay down their arms.

Cuban General Arrested.

New York, Jan. 14.—Gen. Carlos Roloff, Secretary of War of the Cuban Republic, was arrested last night on a warrant sworn out by the Spanish Consul, in which the general is charged with violation of the neutrality laws in connection with an alleged filibustering expedition to Cuba on the steamer Woodall on June 28, 1895.

Gen. Roloff was locked up in Ludlow-street jail over night, and was brought before Commissioner Shields this morning.

Gen. Roloff is already under indictment and awaiting trial for an alleged participation in a filibustering expedition on the steamer Laurada.

On being arraigned Roloff pleaded not guilty, and he was held in $2500 bail for examination.

Life in Chains.

Havana, Jan. 14.—At 12.30 p.m. today the sentence was read in the case of Louis Somellian, who has been found guilty of conspiring against the Spanish Government. The sentence of the tribunal before which he was tried is that he be imprisoned for life in chains. Somellian's lawyer will appeal to the Supreme Court at Madrid against the decision of the Havana tribunal.

Skirmishing Going On.

Havana, Jan. 14.—Official reports continue to be received here detailing skirmishes in various parts of the island, and destruction by the troops of large numbers of huts, infirmaries, tents, etc., and the capture of quantities of provisions and munitions of war. The aggregate losses of the rebels in these skirmishes in the Provinces of Matanzas, Havana and Pinar Del Rio were 54 killed, nine wounded and 18 taken prisoners. In the Province of Pinar Del Rio alone four camps, with 400 huts, were destroyed by the troops. The aggregate Spanish loss was two men killed and one officer and 51 privates wounded.

Bringing in a Prize.

New York, Jan. 14.—The Journal has the following from Jacksonville, Florida: A large steamer has just been fired upon by the United States ship Dolphin. Officers have been placed on board. It is charged that she was filibustering. She was believed to intend delivering arms and ammunition to the Cuban rebels. The seized vessel is the Clyde line steamer Delaware. A large launch was also seized. The name and owner of the launch are unknown. She was lying alongside the Delaware at the time. The belief here is that she was taking arms off the steamer. The captain of the steamer Delaware is Ingram, but as yet no one has got his statement. The steamship Delaware, Captain Ingram, came from Boston. The seizure was made at Mayport, at the mouth of the St. John's River.

The launch would have escaped, but the Dolphin fired on the fleeing vessels with her bow-chaser. Both vessels then gave up, and signified a surrender. Prize crews were put aboard the steamer and the launch.

It is said nothing suspicious was found on either vessel.

DEATH OF PATRICK BLACK.

He Was a Brother of Detective Black of Toronto and Was On the Force Here.

Detroit, Jan. 14.—Retired Fireman Patrick Black died Wednesday night from an electric shock received at a fire 30 months ago. Black formerly worked on the Toronto police force and then lived in New York State, coming here four years ago. He was placed on the roll of honor for saving a life from fire on Cadillac-square. After receiving the shock which eventually caused death, he recovered sufficiently to go on the brigade again, but after 10 months he suffered a relapse and was then retired on half-pay. He was 32 years old and leaves a widow and a 16-month-old son.

Sensible Gifts!

If everybody were rich and money was'nt so much of an object just now, Holiday trade would run largely to Fancy Novelties. But the trend of holiday shopping is entirely different. More and more people are buying sensible things for Gifts, and here are some things that interest and emphasize the idea:—

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE St. Thomas Journal points out that the council of that city appoints officials because they are Conservatives, a practice which increases the facilities for insulting the Queen through her representatives.

"IT seems likely enough," says the Ottawa Journal, "that Hugh John Macdonald will be unseated as the result of the trial of the Winnipeg election protest, but it will be a pity if he is lost to Parliament. As the Montreal Witness generously says of a political opponent, 'Mr. Macdonald, who is frank, moderate and sagacious, is also of the type of men needed in these days in Parliament.' He is above more self-seeking." It's hardly self-seeking but seeking another man's seat by crooked methods that will keep Mr. Macdonald out of Parliament.

THE Mail and Empire seems to find sufficient reason for opposing the union of collegiate and public school boards in Toronto in the fact that the Minister of Education is taking an interest in the subject—as he does in all matters that would effect the promotion of our educational concerns—the circumstance portending something darkly ominous. The organ cannot rise above the level of an organ—it is possessed of a spirit of suspicion that sees only evil in every action of a political opponent—

Suspicion always haunts the organ's mind,
The thief doth fear each bush an officer.

A Boston contemporary waxes sarcastic in its allusion to some of the annexation stories sent abroad by Ottawa and Montreal newspaper correspondents and says:—

At present we don't want Canada—
But, by jings, if we do,
We've got the money to buy it with
And pension the Tuppers, too.

Upon which the Ottawa Free Press remarks:—"Beware! There is even a bottom to the purse of the United States. The Boston paper does not know the family it alludes to as well as we in Canada. And when the money necessary to "buy" Canada was paid, the U. S. A. would be bankrupted for centuries,"

TORONTO is seriously discussing the proposal of amalgamating the collegiate institute and public school boards. Judged by Peterborough's experience, the union of these bodies would be to the advantage of the educational interests of the city. The united boards in Peterborough work with the utmost harmony and absence of friction. There is absolutely no clashing of interests, and the consequence is that the schools, both Collegiate and public, are maintained in the highest state of efficiency; the general feeling among ratepayers is that of the taxes they have to pay they receive full value from that portion devoted to the maintenance of the schools. The amalgamation of the school boards in Peterborough in not an experiment—it is an accepted and satisfactory fact. Speaking generally, what is good for Peterborough should be good for Toronto, though this may be qualified by mentioning that a great deal depends upon the spirit and capacity which the members of an amalgamated board would bring to the discharge of their more complex duties.

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FREEBORN'S STORY.

He Was Delegated to Instruct the Returning Officers.

HOW THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY WINS ELECTIONS IN MANITOBA.

Deputy Scammell Tells of Receiving a Bribe of $25—Revelations in the Ballot-Stuffing Cases.

Winnipeg, Jan. 13—(Special)—The election trials opened again to-day at Carberry. Freeborn and Deputy Returning Officer Scammell of Treherne are there, accompanied by Lawyer Howell and detectives.

Deputy Wm. Clark's case was first taken up. Thirty voters have sworn they voted for Rutherford. Two refused to swear and were sent down for a day. More witnesses are expected, and it is certain that twenty votes were stolen at this poll. Freeborn, being sworn, stated that he acted in the interest of Mr. Boyd in the election of June, and was employed for general organizing purposes and was delegated to instruct the returning officers about certain things. Messrs. Boyd and Waller were at him just before the election in reference to his speaking to deputy returning officers. He had a conversation with Harry Waller. "It was a plan," said witness, "by which we were to have ballots in our pockets marked for Boyd with the initials of the returning officer thereon. A Grit comes in, and, knowing he was going to vote that way, we would substitute a Boyd ballot with the counterfoil torn off and ready for the box. Coming across from the station I had a conversation with Clark after the election. I asked him how he came out with the ballot business, and he stated that I gave him a good dose or shot of it at my poll." The case is proceeding.

In the case of the Queen vs. Anderson, Uriah Scammell swore he was deputy returning officer at Rathwell. He met the accused in Holland about two weeks before the election. "I went to Holland on a telegram from Dr. Lipsett. He was, I think, the same Dr. Lipsett Anderson referred to in his evidence. I saw Anderson and Waller at Holland that night. I was instructed as to the manipulation of the ballots; that was the same night. Anderson was not present. I was introduced to both of them by Dr. Lipsett. I was taught how to manipulate the ballots. Anderson was not present. I was taught that night by Waller. I saw Anderson about a week after the night I was in in Holland. I was promised by Waller that there should be money sent to me. I got money subsequently from Anderson, the accused. The amount was $25. When I received that money no one was present but Anderson. Foster came to my house with Anderson. I was away from home when they came, but when I came back they were there.

Thos. Anderson, being sworn, said he did no manipulating of the ballots, but gave Scammell $25, Dr. Lipsett $100, John John Morrow, of Glenboro, $100, McDowell, of Stockton, $100 and got the money from Harry Waller.

More arrests are to follow.

Thos. Anderson was committed for trial on both charges of inciting to stuff ballot boxes and stuffing ballot boxes.

There are several charges against Waller of inciting deputies to stuff ballot boxes.

Freeborn, who gave evidence, is well acquainted with the Conservative organizers in the east.

Other cases are progressing slowly in other sections of the constituency.

GOVERNMENT AID TO FARMERS.

Distribution of Samples From the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

During the past nine years, samples of those varieties of grain which have succeeded best on the Experimental Farms have been distributed on application in 3-lb. bags to farmers in all parts of the Dominion, free through the mail. The object in view in this distribution has been to add to the productiveness and improve the quality of these important agricultural products throughout the country by placing within reach of every farmer pure seed of the most vigourous and productive sorts. This work has met with much appreciation and a considerable degree of success.

Instructions have been given by the Hon. Minister of Agriculture to make a similar distribution this season. Owing to the very large number of applications now received it is not practicable to send more than one sample to each applicant, but with this limitation it is hoped that the stock available will be sufficient to permit of every farmer who so desires sharing in the benefits of this useful branch of the Experimental Farms.

The distribution now in progress consists of some of the most promising sorts of oats, barley, spring wheat, peas, field corn and potatoes. Requests for samples may be sent to the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, at any time before the 1st of March, but after that date the lists will be closed so that the applications then on hand may be filled before seeding begins. All communications can be sent free of postage. It is desirable that each applicant should name the variety which he desires to test, also one or two alternative sorts in case the stock of the sort chosen should be exhausted, while no promise can be made that the variety asked for will be sent, the wishes of correspondents will be attended to as far as practicable. The samples of grain will be sent early, but potatoes cannot be distributed until the danger of injury in transit by frost is over.

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THE MELANCTHON SENSATION.

Specific Charges Against the Prisoners Now in the Orangeville Jail Accused of Incendiarism.

Shelburne, Ont., Jan. 14.—Interest in the Melanchthon firebug cases continues very intense here. The specific charges against the men now in jail are as follows:

First—That James Ballard, on or about October, 1894, did conspire with Hamilton Tisdale to set fire to certain buildings belonging to James Ballard;

Second—That David Ballard and Wm. Reid did, on or about November, 1894, feloniously set fire to a certain barn, the property of David Ballard;

Third—That Alonzo Smith, on the 4th of June, 1896, did feloniously set fire to a house and barn, the property of Alonzo Smith;

Fifth—That James Corbett, on June 4, 1894, did set fire to a house and barn, the property of Hamilton Tisdale.

Hamilton Tisdale, who figures in these charges, is the man who the detectives picked on for information, and on his sworn statemnet and that of his brother, J. J. Tisdale, an 18-year-old lad, the Crown relies chiefly to convict the prisoners. These statements, which are in the hands of Inspector Greer, of the Attorney-General's Department, are said to contain the most startling details of a plot to defraud the fire insurance companies—a plot extending over ten years, and over at least ten square miles of farming country.

Inspector Greer and Fire Appraiser Forsythe are collecting evidence at Shelburne, and already one hundred witnesses have been called to appear at the preliminary investigation.

According to his statement, it appears that the gang had grown so audacious in their operations that no farmer wanted to buy land in Melancthon Township. Whatever he might be, honest or dishonest, the insurance companies would not insure his properties. In the gang are said to have been at least 25 farmers of Melancthon Township. They were a close corporation, meeting in turn at the houses of each, and discussing future barn firings as merrily as barn raisings. They were bound to swear each other out of difficulties if they chanched to run foul of the law.

Crown Attorney McKay has five abstracts showing David Ballard's transactions with the registry office during twelve years. One of them, the most comprehensive, indicates that between the years 1884 and 1893 David Ballard registered seven mortgages on his properties. These mortgages were all discharged between 1891 and 1893. The Crown, of course, refers from this that whenever David was in need of ready money he gave a mortgage and whenever he wanted to lift it he built a fire and burned down a house or a barn. Another inference is that there was an especially big number of fires between 1891 and 1893. The last mortgage was placed by David Ballard in 1895. This was discharged in 1896—a very expeditious re-payment.

The best anodyne and expectorant for the cure of colds, coughs, and all throat, lung, and bronchial troubles, is undoubtly, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, the only specific for colds and coughs admitted on exhibition at the Chicago World's Fair.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Cholera, Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus and all summer complaints and fluxes of the bowels in children or adults.

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THE INDIAN TROUBLE

Was Very Much Exaggerated in the Reports.

INDIAN AGENT MARTIN SUSPENDED

Found to Have Been Guilty of Active Partisanship—Trinidad Centennial Will be Marked by a Celebration of an Historical Character—Ottawa News Generally.

Ottawa, Jan. 14.

Hon. Mr. Sifton received a telegram last night from the Indian Superintendent in British Columbia, stating that the report from the Pacific coast about trouble among the Indians regarding potlatching was greatly exaggerated. The telegram stated that there was no difficulty with the Indians other than what the Indian officials and the local authorities could attend to and that they could easily preserve order.

certainly have known about it.

Duncan Robertson, manager of the Bank of British North America here, has received notice of his promotion to the branch in Halifax. Mr. Philpotts will be his successor here.

County Registrar Coney has completed his annual report. It shows that 2089 instruments in all were registered during 1896, as compared with 1955 in the preceding year. Of these 657 were deeds, 619 mortgages, 330 discharges of mortgages, and 84 wills. The considerations in the mortgages registered amount to $594,466.22, as compared with $582,486.92 in 1895.

The celebration in the Island of Trinidad of the centennial of the occupation of that country by the British will not take the form of an international exhibition, as at first proposed. Instead, it is the intention to hold a celebration of an historical character between the 15th and 20th of next month. The decision of the Colonial Government to forego the exhibition has been officially communicated to the Dominion Government, so that, instead of a display of Canadian products, Canada's contribution to this celebration will probably take the form of a congratulatory message to the Government of the colony. It was on Feb. 17, 1797, that Sir Ralph Abercromble took possession of the Island for his sovereign, since which time it has remained a colony of the British crown.

Mr. Rainboth of this city, who was appointed a commissioner to investigate charges preferred against one Martin, Indian agent at Manitwaki, has made his report to the Minister of the Interior, and the agent is under suspension. Martin was charged with having taken the part of an active partisan. A large number of witnesses appeared before the commissioner.

The Minister of Militia, Gen. Gascoigne and Col. Aylmer visited a new site suggested for the proposed rifle range. It is situated about five minutes' walk from the C. P. R. station at Hull. The deputation went very carefully over the land and agreed that it was a most advantageous location.

Exports from Ottawa consular district to the United States last quarter totalled $734,468, a decrease of $77,948.

The funeral of the late Prof. Glasmacher took place this morning. The faculty and students of Ottawa University attended in a body.

The Sentinelle, published under the patronage of the Oblat Fathers of Mattawa, advocates the appointment of a Roman Catholic bishop for that locality on the ground that it is the centre of the Nipissing and Temiscamingue districts.

Senator George A. Cox was in town to-day.

A number of Quebec politicians, including Messrs. Beausoleil, Savard and Langeller, had an interview with Mr. Mulock to-day regarding a readjustment of mail subsidies on the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway.

Prof. Mavor of Toronto University lectured to a large audience here to-night on the subject of Iceland. The lecture was under the auspices of the Literary and Scientific Society and the Field Naturalists' Club.

The new civil service list made its appearance to-day.

The Minister of Trade and Commerce was interviewed to-day by Mr. W. M. Macpherson of Quebec, on matters connected with the Dominion Line mail subsidies.

Mr. McGregor, member for North Essex, is in town.

Mr. W. A. Fuller, agent for the Wallace circus, was in the city to-day to settle up with the Department of Customs for the past season's business. The usual rebate of 90 per cent. has been paid to the Wallace people on account of re-exportation of their cars and circus paraphernalia generally.

Mr. Benny, M. P., and Mr. Lemieux, M. P., arrived here to-night.

The Treasury Board was in session this morning.

The story is revived that Sir Richard Cartwright will very shortly be leaving for an informal conference at Washington or Canton with President-elect McKinley on tariff matters.

Three dwelling houses on Metcalfe-street, tenanted by Mrs. Lambkin, Vincent McCullough and Mrs. McNichol, were badly scorched this morning. The loss by fire and water is in the vicinity of $15,000, with very little insurance.

RHEUMATISM CURED.

Eighteen Months Trying to get Cured—Had the Best Doctors—He Found What he Wanted in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Goderich, Jan. 11—(Special)—A case of great interest here just now is that of Mr. Alexander J. Sharkey, who for some time has been an extreme sufferer from Rheumatism. His statement to the correspondent is as follows:—

"For eighteen months I was a victim of Rheumatism and during the whole of that time was trying every means to cure it. I had the best doctors in Canada and took their prescriptions with faith and patience.

"I got tired at last, for I found the disappointment nearly as killing as the disease.

"But one friend wiser than others convinced me that my disease must be cured by way of the kidneys and recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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THE PLAGUE IN BOMBAY.

Half the Population of the City Have Fled—Cemeteries Overflowing.

Bombay, Jan. 14.—Over half of the population of this city, estimated to amount to about 900,000, have fled from the plague, and the erstwhile crowded streets, docks and bazars are not recognizable. Business in piece goods, metal, crockery and hardware is at a standstill. The money-lenders have vanished, the courts are deserted and the judges and officials have gone to a healthier climate. Many of the native doctors, graduates of the college, have fled, and those remaining refuse to attend plague cases, or, when they do attend them, will not touch the sufferers. Clerks and others whose vocations call them to the city daily have fled to suburban stations, where the people are mostly living in thatched huts. It is estimated that 800,000 persons are encamped at Andheri, whence they will soon be forced to migrate owing to lack of water and sanitation threatening to breed cholera. The cemeteries are already filled to overflowing and the wind is spreading the contagion. The nights are made hideous by cymbals and melancholy dirges.

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That

Extreme tired feeling afflicts nearly everybody at this season. The hustlers cease to push, the tireless grow weary, the energetic become enervated. You know just what we mean. Some men and women endeavor temporarily to overcome that

Tired

Feeling by great force of will. But this is unsafe, as it pulls powerfully upon the nervous system, which will not long stand such strain. Too many people "work on their nerves," and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous prostration," in every direction. That tired

Feel-

ing is a positive proof of thin, weak, impure blood; for, if the blood is rich, red, vitalized and vigorous, it imparts life and energy to every nerve, organ and tissue of the body. The necessity of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for that tired feeling is, therefore, apparent to every one, and the good it will do you is equally beyond question. Remember that

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Preparatory Service.

Service preparatory to the communion will be held this evening in St. Paul's church at eight o'clock. Rev. J. G. Potter will preach.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

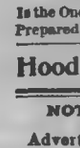
The annual meeting of the Y.W.C.A. to have been held in their rooms Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock has been postponed until Saturday evening at the same hour when we hope to see a large number present.

29TH OF JANUARY is the date fixed for the Forester's Carnival in the Skating Rink, Peterborough. Good Prizes; catchy events. Look for particulars.

Is Spring Returning.

Mr. Alexander Savigny, of the Stewart settlement, Otonabee, observed a robin in his orchard on the ninth of January and also on the eleventh. Is spring returning or was Master Robin Redbreast merely a later stranger or a greebeak?

Reception Biscuit.



Reception biscuits made by the New York Biscuit Co. are the daintiest and most superior article you can use for a light refreshment or 5 o'clock tea. Thirty-nine varieties to choose from. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. 2d12

Put it on Your Memo.

Party fans selling at 25 per cent. discount. Elegant note paper just in. The 10c. kind well worth 15c. Every individual taste can be gratified in our new stock of fashionable society stationery. Diaries for 1897—any kind, size and shape you prefer. Account books and office stationery in splendid variety, at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Riverside Park Skating Rink.

A prize will be offered for competition to boys' hockey clubs, open to all the schools in the county or town of Peterborough. The members of each club competing must be bona fide scholars of some school in the town or county. Those wishing to compete will please send their names to Jos. G. McGowan, secretary, who will give particulars. Box 55, Peterborough. 6d1w

An Extra Licence.

A circular has been issued by the Licence Department of the Province of Ontario, directing that brewers shall not dispose of their products to private individuals without taking out a wholesaler's licence in addition to that of a brewer's license. Until this wholesaler's licence is procured they are notified to sell only to dealers in liquors. County Constable Cochrane has been directed to enforce the law in this respect.

The Rights of Reporters.

Four Buffalo newspaper reporters were caught by the police at a prize fight the other day, and were run in with the gang. But Judge King dismissed the reporters, saying that it was a principle of law, as well as of common sense, that three kinds of men were permitted to go anywhere without blame—doctors, clergymen and reporters. The outcome of the whole business was that badges were issued to the Buffalo reporters to protect them against arrest.

Married in Brantford.

Miss Hattie A. Walsh, well known in Peterborough, and sister of Mr. Joseph Walsh, Cavan, was united in marriage at the residence of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Wickens, of Palmerston avenue, Brantford, on January 6th, to Dr. J. H. Pearson, of Chicago. Rev. W. Walsh, of Brampton, cousin of the bride, performed the ceremony. The bride was attired in white satin, trimmed with lace and pearls, and the bridesmaid, Miss Pearson, sister of the groom, wore cream corduroy, trimmed with lace and pearls. Mr. Grey, of Winnipeg, assisted the groom. After the usual wedding breakfast the happy pair left on the afternoon train for their future home in Chicago.

REMEMBERED BY HER FRIENDS.

Miss Lida Costello Received a Very Handsome Present Last Evening.

Miss Rudkins' millinery parlours were last evening brilliantly illuminated, and were the scene of a bright gathering.

Those connected with the establishment had assembled to bear tribute to the many good qualities of one of their companions, who, it is understood, is about to leave them and also abandon the state of single blessedness.

When all had assembled, Mr. Will Ball read the following address:

Dear Miss Costello:

Having learned of your intention of leaving us, we take this opportunity of showing our esteem and respect for you by wishing you and yours a long and prosperous life, and we hope that the partner of your choice may always consider that he has won one of Peterborough's fairest. We wish you to accept this China tea set, trusting that it may bring to mind the many happy days you have spent in our work room. Signed.

K. RUDKINS, A. O'NEIL, L. MAHONEY, A. O'CONNELL, L. LYNCH, D. LYNCH, A. BELLEGHEM, M. WALL, M. TAGGART, M. MCCORMACK, T. DIANEEN, W. BALL.

After Miss Costello had suitably acknowledged the exceedingly handsome gift, which consisted of a China tea set of forty-four pieces, a most recherche supper was served, and the evening was most pleasantly spent in music and song.

QUIETLY WEDDED.

Celebration of the Gardiner-Thorne Nuptials on Wednesday Evening.

On Wednesday evening last Miss Addie Thorne, daughter of Mrs. Joseph Thorne, of Millbrook, was united in marriage to Mr. M. N. Gardner of Perrytown.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Newton Hill of Omemee, an old friend of both parties, and took place at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. J. D. Armstrong, No. 270 Sherbrooke street.

Only the most intimate friends of the family were present to witness the ceremony, at the conclusion of which Mr. and Mrs. Gardner left for their future home in Perrytown.

NON-COMS. ELECT OFFICERS.

They Will do Away With the Sale of Liquor in the Mess Room.

The members of the non-commissioned officers's mess have for some time been considering the advisability of abolishing the sale or use of liquor in their quarters on Hunter street. At the annual meeting, which was held last evening, the question came to a vote, and it was almost unanimously decided to take out the bar.

As a certain amount of revenue was derived from the sale of liquors, the deficiency will be made up by means of a concert, the date of which will be announced later.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—Sergt. B. Roberts.
Vice-President—Sergt. W. Green.
Secretary—Sergt. G. S. Bell.
Treasurer—Sergt Major Peters.
Executive Committee—Sergt. Rabey and Corporals Jordan and Langford.

HAVELOCK ODDFELLOWS.

Installation Ceremonies and a Banquet Last Night.

Last evening Messrs. W. Patterson and Jas. Edgecumbe journeyed to Havelock and installed the following newly elected officers of Royal Lodge, No. 226, Independent Order of Oddfellows:

T H Patterson	J P G
W H Johnston	N G
W Y Fairman	V G
Edw Fernell	R S
Geo Richards	P S
W H Jeffs, M D	Treas
J Knox	Chap
T Curtice	R S N G
J Watson	L S N G
T Cummings	R S V G
Jos Rose	L S V G
Wm Cole	R S S
Jas Paton	I S S

When the business of the evening had been concluded the members and guests partook of a banquet which had been arranged for the occasion.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 15,—6.30 a. m. ..... 5° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	20°	— 5°

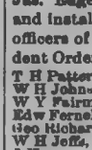
The minus sign (—) signifies below zero.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—There are now fully three hundred season ticket-holders belonging to the Riverside Park rink, the majority of which were issued this week. The rink is becoming most popular, and is managed in such a manner that the least sensitive person cannot possibly find fault with its rules and regulations. All, from the youngest to the eldest, are treated alike in every particular. It is the intention of the management, if suitable arrangements can be arrived at, to have the band each Friday evening during the skating season.

Fine Furniture at Low Prices.



It is seldom that this chance comes to pick up such really fine things in handsome chairs, centre tables, screens, etc., are now being shown in Clegg's furniture store window. The tickets placed on the goods tell the tale of a substantial reduction. No better goods can be had in the cities. Every article guaranteed as superior in design in material and in finish.

St. Luke's Boys' Brigade, Company No 87.

The first annual meeting of St. Luke's Boy's Brigade for the election of officers was held last night in the school house. There was a good attendance. This company, which was organized some three months ago with seventeen members, has now a membership of thirty-five. The following officers were elected:—Captain, C. Rogers; 1st Lieut., S. Tivey; 2nd Lieut., R. Long; Col. Sergeant, Frank Eden; 1st Sergt., Percy Jameson; 2nd Sergt., Evelyn Dormer; 3rd Sergt., H. Graham. Rev. H. Symonds is Warden, Rev. W. L. B. Reed and Mr. H. Adams, Sub. Wardens, and Sergt. Edwards, of the 57th, Drill Instructor. At the close of the election Mr. Mark gave an exceedingly interesting address on the Crimean war, describing in detail the battle of Inkerman. On motion of S. Tivey, seconded by F. Eden, a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Mark, who promised to come again, a promise which evoked hearty applause.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

CHARLOTTE ST. CHURCH S. S. ANNIVERSARY.

PRESENTATION OF THE SECRETARY-TREASURER'S REPORT.

A Balance of $20.26 on the Year's Expenses — Election of Officers and Teachers for 1897 at the Business Meeting.

At the recently held annual meeting of the Charlotte street Methodist Sabbath School, the secretary-treasurer presented the following report:

I beg herewith to submit the annual report of the school for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1896.

The past year has been one of the most successful years of this school. There has, on the whole, been a marked increase in both teachers and officers. This is no doubt due to our Lookout Committee, which during the past year has faithfully looked up the irregular attendants. The collections have also been above the average of any previous year, and especially the missionary collections, which have an increase of $21.

Total number of pupils on roll	260
Average attendance	235
Total number of teachers and officers on roll	33
Average attendance	29
Total collections for year	$209 63
Average collection	$4 03

During the past year we have suffered the following losses: Resignation of teachers—Miss Hamilton, Mrs. Adlum and Mr. Taylor. Removal from town, teachers, Miss Smith, Mr. Prest and Mr. German. Deaths, scholars, H. Merton and Fred James.

I submit herewith the statement of the receipts and expenditures of the year:

Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of Charlotte Street Sunday School for the Year Ending Dec. 31st, 1896:

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand January 1st, 1896		$ 45 42
Ordinary Sunday collections:		
January	$ 14 18	
February	25 26	
March	17 26	
April	14 35	
May	17 16	
June	7 27	
July	11 77	
August	9 72	
September	18 51	
October	17 23	
November	12 31	
December	14 47	
		$ 174 66

MISSIONARY COLLECTIONS.

First quarter	$ 23 67
Second "	4 23
Third "	5 07
Xmas entertainment	29 05
Orchestra entertainment	20 15
Check from R Neill	8 00
Proceeds of Sunday school picnic	51 05
Proceeds of Library box	1 38
Interest on deposit	45
	$ 165 15

EXPENDITURE.

Peterborough Review $3.25; Sallsbury & Orr, $4.10	$ 6 35
A H Stratton & Co, Xmas presents	31 35
J D Craig, $2; Jordan, $3.50	5 50
W H Hamilton	4 40
Miss Goard, 90c; R J Kidd, $1	1 95
Gumpright	2 10
John Crane (Armenian fund)	25 67
Express, 35c; P O order, $1.65; stamps, 13c	3 11
Leaf Cluster	4 00
Wm Briggs	35 48
Rev J J Rae, S S fund	10 05
R M Roy, $6; John Steele, $12.10 (orchestra fund)	18 40
D C Cook Publishing Co, $40.77; express, 35c	41 12
W Buller (carting) 50c; W H Hamilton (groceries) $2.55	3 05
T E Bradburn (charter boat)	45 00
Geo Carton, $2.39; Peterborough Review $2.42	4 81
China Hall	27
F Snider, $1; A H Stratton & Co, $2.05	3 05
Jordan Bros, $2; EXAMINER, 30c	2 30
J Giles	50
S R Armstrong	5 00
J Richardson	57
Rev J J Rae (missionary collections	22 00
Balance	20 26
	$365 15

At the annual business meeting of the School, the following teachers and officers elected:

Superintendent—Mr. R. J. Kidd.

Assistant Superintendent—Dr. M. A. Morrison.

Librarians—W. H. Hamilton and Tom Barrie.

Secretary-Treasurer—P. Hamilton.

Assistant Secretary-Treasurer—W. Davidson.

Teachers—Geo. Tovey and H. Kennedy, Young Ladies' Bible classes; Rev. Mr. Rae, Young Men's Bible class; Mr. I. Richardson, General Bible class; Mrs. Hamilton, Infant class.

Intermediate Classes—Girls, M. A. Morrison, Mr. Dawe, Miss Robinson, Mr. H. Stephens, Mr. Goodwin, Miss Sherlock, Mrs. Jackson, Miss Goodwin, Miss May and Miss Morrow. Boys, Miss Darke, Miss Thomas, Miss Goard, Mr. Hart, Mr. Lewis, Miss Deland, Miss Collins, Miss Cook and Miss Elliott.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., is in London to-day.

Mrs. Michael Hanrahan, who has been at Bad Axe, Mich., for the past seven weeks, has returned home, accompanied by her nephew.

Mr. Robt. Junkin, Superintendent of the Manufacturers' Life Assurance Co., and Mr. W. H. Holland, Superintendent of the Manufacturers Accident Insurance Co., are both in town, inspecting the local agency of Mr. G. J. Horkins.

RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

The first revolving circular telegraph table yet placed in Canada is located in the Grand Trunk offices at the Hamilton station. The Grand Trunk officials and others who have examined it speak highly of its many advantages. Each operator is assigned a table, on which are six instruments, an elevated box, sounders and keys, and by the sounder the operator knows the calls, and if the call is not in front of him or convenient near he swings the circular table around till the proper instrument, sounder and key are in front of him. This obviates the necessity of an operator rushing around a room or along a table to take up and answer calls, and in the case of Hamilton station leaves the operator always seated, looking out on all incoming and outgoing trains. Mr. C. K. Domville, mechanical superintendent of the G.T.R., is the builder, his son, F. J. Domville, the designer, and Mr. Goodwin, G.T.R. electrician, father of the thought. It is a boon to the operator, as it is estimated that in a 12 hour shift of work, as compared with the ordinary table, from 10 to 15 miles walking from key to key is saved to the operator.

Just Arrived.

We have imported for your special benefit a choice lot of British Columbia canned Salmon, Cross & Blackwell's celebrated English pickles. Sardines in oil; also in mustard. We have the finest line of groceries obtainable always in stock. A call will not disappoint either you or E. BROWN & Co., 328 George street.

P.S.—We have made special arrangements to handle Gooderham & Worts' whiskey on draught.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

The Granites are playing up as well in the Innes medal series, as in the Kendry cup competition, and unless the Thistles bestir themselves, not one but both of these trophies will be held by the Granites this year.

Last night's games for the Innes medal resulted as follows:

Granites.		*Thistles.*	
RINK NO. 1.			
H Waddell,		A H Terrill,	
W Manson,		R D Kerr,	
G M Roger,		G Fitzgerald,	
E B Edwards, sk	17	J B Pentland, sk	15
RINK NO. 2.			
Col H C Rogers,		Herb Hall,	
G Giroux,		J S Knapman,	
W Salisbury,		D Davids n,	
T P Attrill, sk	19	W G Ferguson, sk	12

The contest now stands as follows:

J Connal	25	R H Kells	7
Geo Edmison	15	H LeRun	12
R M Dennistoun	11	R B McKee	14
E B Edwards	17	J B Pentland	15
T P Attrell	19	W G Ferguson	12
	87		80

Majority for Granites, 27 shots.

A friendly game was played with the following result:

W F Nelson,		D Walker.	
G E Whitten,		H R H Kenner,	
E H D Hall,		J Jeffries,	
D W Dumble, sk	10	Judge Weller, sk	12

HOCKEY.

The trip of the Hockey Club to Napanee and Brockville has been declared off, and it is, perhaps, just as well, as the trip to the latter city is a long and tedious one. An effort will be made to bring a team from Toronto composed of the pick from the bank hockeyists of that city. Such a team would give the Peterboroughs all the practice they require, as it is acknowledged that the banks could each furnish a man or two, who could be classed as being amongst the best in Canada to-day. Too great pressure cannot be brought to bear on the executive to induce them to arrange a match of this nature in the near future.

On Monday night the Intermediate team plays its first game in the League series at Norwood, and a big crowd will in all likelihood accompany the boys down, as the team is composed of an extremely fast lot of young hockeyists, who are capable of keeping the Seniors working hard in the practice matches.

A Hockey team composed of lacrosse players went up to Lakefield last evening, and enjoyed a game with the team of that village which resulted in a victory for the lacrosse boys by the score of 8 to 7. The teams were composed as follows:

Peterborough.		*Lakefield.*
R Denne	Goal	McBurney
G Dixon	point	Gus Sawers
F Logan	cover point	J Ridpath
P Rubidge	forwards	McKenzie
B Borland		T Ridpath
R Scott		S Ridpath
A Thompson		J McDonald
F Lynch	umpire	F Strickland

Referee—G Reiley.

All the local boys played up in fine style and for the Lakefield's, McBurney in goal, was a wonder. If it had not been for his great work the Peterborough boys think they could have doubled the score.

The Queen's team won from the Frontenacs last night in an exhibition game at Kingston by eight goals to four. These are the two teams which the first and second Peterboroughs have to play in the O. H. A. schedule.

The following members of the Hockey club will practice to-night:

Dixon	goal	Wason
Logan	point	Montgomery
Borland	cover point	Thorne
King	forwards	Phelan
Graham		Lefevre
Crossley		Hollingshead
Belleghem		Adams

Have You Seen it?

The little store around the corner south of Mason's greenhouses and north of the post office. Good stock of New Year's gifts at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, No. 426 Water street. Stamping done neatly. Ladies should call and see my stock.—MRS. APPLEBY. dw

PANTS....

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Also Heavy Canadian Tweed Pants Made to Order for .. **$3.00**

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C. F. KUTZBACH

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Playing Cards.

Special prices for Evening Parties, whether Progressive Games, Pedro or Euchre—5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c per package.

Crokinole.

Combination Crokinole, Checkers and Table. Readily taken up, and adapted to old and young of both sexes. A very social game, as it admits of free conversation and furnishes entertainment to any number of spectators as well as the parties playing. Sufficiently fascinating to make home the most attractive place.

Fort.

Purely a game of skill. Everyone present can take part. Played with cue and balls.

Louisa.

Parchesi Revised. Combines chance with moderate skill. Played by the throws of two dice, four men of each player are entered.

Steeple Chase.

A mimic horse race. Horses are entered and moved over the spaces on the race track according to the throws of dice.

Parcheesi.

The back gammon board of India. The Eastern Rajahs are passionately fond of Parcheesi.

Halma.

A magnificent game to while away a pleasant hour. It is for two, three or four players, but even one may play a lone hand and improve the mental faculties by studying its "solitaires."

Go-Bang.

One of the most remarkable games. It is tit-tat-to improved. Yet with all its simplicity it fascinates old as well as young.

Lotto.

A set of cards, laid off in properly numbered squares and a set of ninety numbered pieces. Well-known and largely played.

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AUTHORS.	SNAP,
NATIONS.	CROKINOLE,
PERRYWINKLE.	CHESS,
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We constantly aim to keep a very fine stock of Invitation Note Paper and Envelopes to match, Invitation Cards with Envelopes, and delicately tinted Invitation Note Paper with tinted Envelopes to match.

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Regular Price 65c
Drive Price - - 39c

300 yards All Wool Dress Goods,
Regular Price 50c
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35 Pair Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves
Regular Price 20c
Drive Price - - 13c

Only one to each customer while they last.

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DAY AND EVENING CLASSES
—AT THE—
Peterborough Business College
—RE-OPEN—
MONDAY, JAN. 4th, 1897

It will be to the advantage of those who purpose attending, either for a Shorthand or Commercial course, to enter at the beginning of the term.

HOURS—Day Lessons, same as Public Schools. Evening Lessons, 7 to 9 p.m.

PRINGLE & McCREA,
BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1897

OBITUARY.

The Late Johnston Wesley Cooney, of Otonabee.

The death is recorded with deep regret of Mr. Johnston Cooney, fourth son of Mr. Johnston Cooney, one of the most estimable and promising young men of the township. His death took place on Sunday, Jan. 10th, from a pulmonary affection with which he has suffered since last March. He was 34 years of age. He was the only one of five sons remaining on the homestead, and had full charge and entire management of the 150 acres. He was a young man of very sturdy principles and strength of character. He was quiet and unobtrusive in his demeanor, and so conducted himself as to win universal respect. He was a Liberal in politics, but took no active interest in practical politics, pursuing the even tenor of his way, fulfilling faithfully the duties of the station of life in which he was placed. The very high esteem in which he was held was shown by the very large concourse that followed his remains to the Little Lake Cemetery on Jan. 12th. The afflicted family has the deep sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

LEFT FOR PARTS UNKNOWN.

Mr. E. D. Orde, of Lindsay, Gives the Local Financiers a Shaking up—Leaves Many Mourners, Not so Much for Departed Worth as Departed Wealth.

Mr. E. D. Orde, of Lindsay, financial agent, who for many years enjoyed—and, according to recent events, made use of the confidence of the people of that town and vicinity to his own profit—has recently folded his tent like an Arab and silently stolen away, leaving numerous persons to bewail the confidence reposed in him. Mr. Orde was trusted with the management of investments, and no matter how successfully he administered the affairs of his clients in his own interests, he evidently was serenely oblivious of the interests of those who employed him. An estimate of the amounts that represent Mr. Orde's financial eccentricities, places the figures at $50,000.

Among the losers is Mr. J. J. Lundy, town, whose business relations with Mr. Orde represent a shortage of between $6,000 and $9,000 above what is covered by the "blanket" mortgage he holds on Mr. Orde's Lindsay and Winnipeg properties. Mr. Geo. Dunsford, town, is also entitled, through Mr. Orde's comprehensive courtesy, to a seat among the mourners in the funeral procession of departed cash—to the extent of between $2,000 and $3,000—not to mention the cost of prospective litigation arising out of the operations of Mr. Orde. Mr. Dunsford's experience with a member of the same family should, one would have thought, have operated as a warning to be on the look-out for the cropping up of hereditary tendencies. The Bank of Montreal and the Bank of Ontario are also said to be interested or rather dis-interested to a considerable degree, the former to the larger extent, not to speak of numerous persons in Lindsay, who are mourning over the effects of man's inhumanity to man. Mr. Orde's present address is strictly confidential.

If the good town of Lindsay could collect all its absent citizens who have departed that place under the same cloudy conditions as Mr. Orde, and establish them in some remote corner where the extradition treaty does not reach, the aggregation would constitute a colony to which the rendezvous of the forty thieves would be but a tiny hamlet.

Boys' Ulsters.

If the boy is anywhere from 22 to 32 chest, we have something good for him this weather.

Ulsters made from heavy all wool frieze, lined with strong tweed, storm collar, well made.

Boys' Suits.

The prices are all lowered to clear the stock, but the Suits are just as good as before the reductions took place.

We have some fine Remnants for Boys' Suits at a bargain.

Mercer's

WILL AMALGAMATE.

The Separate and Public Schools in Hastings.

The Hastings Star says:—"We are informed that an effort is being made in Hastings to amalgamate the Separate school of that village and the Public school. The trustees of the former have made proposals to the latter with a view to improving the condition of things in this way, and they have been favourably entertained, and as a result the erection of an eight room school may be undertaken at no distant day. The move will no doubt meet with universal approval."

WESTWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Edith McMillen has returned home from visiting friends here.

Miss Edith Stewart of Hastings, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Sargent.

Mrs. Fred English and her children are the guests of Mrs. John Drummond.

Mr. Jas. Ryan, our cheese maker, is taking a course in Kingston Dairy College.

Mr. John Doherty, jr., lately residing in Chicago for the purpose of having his eyes attended to, has returned home looking well. We are pleased to hear of an improvement in his eye sight.

Mr. Robert Breckenridge of Norwood has been taking in the country air with friend Jim.

Messrs. Hugh Breckenridge, Tom Lancaster and A. Eason have gone to Belleville. They intend taking a business course in the Belleville Business College.

Last Sunday the service in the Methodist church was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Robinson of Warsaw. His text, a missionary topic, was Luke xii, 32, "Fear not little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom." He explained in his remarks why Christ gave these words to His disciples before His ascension. These statements were given to the church to restore confidence and equanimity among the faithful few. The same words are to be heard today, and the assurance of the last clause is being fulfilled. Yet many unsaved ones have to be brought to the knowledge of the Saviour. Out of the 1,500,000,000 of people on the globe only one fifth of these are Christians in deed. Then there are about 900,000,000 people who are accountable to God, without the knowledge of the saving grace of the Master. Is there any work for us to be done? Think ye we have time to idle? Are we not commanded to go into the world and preach the Gospel to every creature? God was, and is, always anxious to save the lost. "Will He not leave the ninety and nine and seek that which is lost?" Then are we, who are God's stewards, to neglect the keeping of our brother? We should give our sympathy, our help, if we cannot preach or teach. Freely give for we have freely received.

In conclusion he asked for a liberal collection. It was a liberal one, about $60 being subscribed.

The following are officers of Epworth League for 1897:—

President	Mr G A LaHumphries
1st Vice-President	Miss L Blizard
2nd "	Miss H Blake
3rd "	Mrs H Elmhirst
4th "	Mr D C McColl
Recording Secretary	Miss M Slade
Corresponding Secretary	Mr D M Hunter
Treasurer	Mr W G McMillen
Organist	Miss M Comstock

Officers elected for W. F. M. S. of Presbyterian church for the ensuing term are:

Mrs J Hope, jr	President
Mrs Wright	1st Vice President
Mrs T Eason	2nd Vice President
Miss M Harrison	Treasurer
Mrs McNaughton	Cor Sec

At the last regular meeting of the I.O.F. 793, Westwood, the following officers were elected:

Bro Dr McNaughton	C D H C R
" G A Humphries	C R
" T Nelson	V C R
" D Brackenbridge	Fin Sec
" M Breckenridge	Rec Sec
" J G Robb	Treas
" E Christie	Chap
" W Garnet	S W
" W McColl	S B
" Jas Morgan	J B
" Dr McNaughton	Physician

The Y.P.S.C.E. had a large gathering to hear the report given by Mr. F. D. Roxburgh, Knox College, Toronto. He gave an excellent address on the work and experience in the mission field, describing the picturesque scenery of the Rocky Mountains, together with the character of the people whom he met. He was listened to with marked attention and interest by the audience, which seemed delighted with the remarks made.

Saturday Bargains at Grafton & Co's.—Boys' Grey Persian Lamb Caps, worth $3, reduced to $1.98, See them.

Just So.

It is the man who never advertises, or those who do it after a fashion, that complain of results. It is the puny egotist who has never read a whole chapter of the Bible at a time, that is the most pronounced skeptic; it is the bilious-tempered misanthrope that votes life not worth living; it is the crusty, old bachelor, with not enough soul to animate a mosquito that snarls out his complaint about marriage being a failure.

No one who has ever followed a wise and judicious course of advertising has ever failed to obtain results that have told on his business prosperity. There have been some who have advertised much in the manner of the timorous bather who takes a plunge in the cold surf only to rush out again and stand shivering upon the strand until nerved for another dip.

STARTLING EVIDENCE.

An Audacious Plot to Steal An Election.

EXCITEMENT AT CARBERRY.

FEELING AGAINST THE REAL OPERATORS.

The Macdonald Ballot-Box Stuffing Cases — Deputy Returning Officers Sent For Trial.

Carberry, Man., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The court room was filled all day with an intensely interested crowd of spectators. Excitement reached a culminating point when the evidence of Freeborn and Scammell was given. No legal proceedings growing out of an election in the Dominion ever disclosed a more scandulous state of affairs. It is only just to add that the feeling of indignation in this community is very strong against the men who conspired together to rob the electors of Macdonald of their franchise. It is not so strong against the deputy returning officers who lent themselves to the practices disclosed in the evidence as against those who made them their tools. Not only was Dr. Rutherford, the Liberal candidate, deprived of many votes properly cast for him, but the Patron candidate, Mr. Braithwaite, seems to have suffered in a similiar manner.

CLARKE AND ANDERSON.

In the case against Wm. Clarke, deputy returning officer at Pleasant Point, 30 electors swore they marked their ballots for Mr. Rutherford, and the evidence of a number of other voters, believed to be for Mr. Rutherford, could not be procured. An examination of the ballots showed that only nineteen ballots were placed in the ballot-box and counted for Mr. Rutherford and there was one rejected ballot marked for him. In addition to this the ballot-box contained two ballots more than the number of votes cast.

In the Anderson case two more witnesses testified that they had voted for Mr. Rutherford, bringing the total number up to 23 at the Arizona poll. There were no rejected ballots, and the number of ballots for Mr. Rutherford found in the box was only fifteen.

Freeborn swore to conversations with both Clarke and Anderson which took place after polling day. The witness showed with pieces of paper how the "ballot racket" was worked, and the worthy electors of Macdonald present in the court room, some of whom had acted as scrutineers, were amazed at the ease and deftness with which the witness substituted another paper for the one he was supposed to place in the ballot-box.

Both Clarke and Anderson were, at the close of their cases, committed to stand their trial at the next court of competent jurisdiction.

The first witness in the case against Henry Waller was Mr. W. G. Rogers, who gave evidence as to the holding of an election in Macdonald on June 23rd last, the names of the candidates and other formal evidence.

FREEBORN'S REVELATIONS.

Freeborn swore that he was seen by Mr. Boyd, one of the candidates, at Carberry about May 22nd, and was told by him not to go out of town next morning as a man was coming in to see him. Next morning before the witness was up Waller came to his room and told him about the proposed manipulation of ballots, and showed him how it was done. Witness said Waller stated he had got the scheme in a letter from Mr. Birmingham, of Toronto, Conservative organizer for Ontario. Witness stated that Waller asked him to go out along the line of the M. & N. W. Railway and educate the deputy returning officers. Witness said Saunders, at Gladstone, against whom there is sworn evidence of stuffing a ballot box, was one of his students, but did not learn the trick as quickly as most of the others, and had to get two or three extra lessons. Witness was present while Waller gave Saunders a lesson in manipulating the ballots. Freeborn stated that he was named as returning officer, but declined to act just before the election. He stated his instructions were to substitute ballots for those handed in by Grit voters or by Patrons, to take from the the other side, whichever might be the strongest.

SCAMMELL'S TESTIMONY.

Scammell, sworn, said that before the election he met Waller and Anderson at Holland by appointment made through a telegram from Dr. Lipsett. Waller took him up to a room in the hotel.

Mr. Howell, Crown prosecutor—What was the first thing he said to you?

Witness—He asked me if I could play cards.

Mr. Howell—He thought that the first qualification for a deputy returning officer?

Witness—I suppose so.

Q.—What was then said? A.—I said I could. Waller said, "You will do."

Witness then told how Waller showed him how to substitute ballots for those handed in, and told him that some "stuffin'," meaning money, would be sent him. Some days afterwards he got $25 from Thos. Anderson. Witness said that on polling day he acted as deputy returning officer at Rathwell, and that he took a number of ballots marked for Mr. Rutherford and substituted others marked for Mr. Boyd. The witness caused much amusement by stating that he had made Mr. Paul Cain and Mr. Reeve Forbes, two of Dr. Rutherford most prominent committeemen, vote for Mr. Boyd. Witness said that after the close of the poll he had burned the ballots that he had purloined from the voters. At the close of the evidence Waller was committed for trial.

Much sympathy is expressed for those committed for trial. All unite in saying that the men responsible for the introduction of this infamous scheme into the Prairie Province must be unearthed, and the principal made to sure the extreme penalty of the law.

Portage la Prairie, Jan. 14.—Anderson, Waller and Clarke are in jail here. Application will be made to a Judge of the Court of Queen's Bench to fix bail.

WINNIPEG TO BE VACANT.

Hugh John Will Throw Up the Sponge to Avoid Investigation Into the Ways by Which Winnipeg was Won.

A special despatch to the Mail and Empire, Jan. 14th, foreshadows that Mr. Hugh John Macdonald will cease to represent Winnipeg when the trial comes on. The despatch says:—"The petition to unseat Mr. Hugh John Macdonald will come up for hearing to-morrow. The general impression is that the first witness examined will admit having been guilty of illegal acts as an agent of Mr. Macdonald, and of course this will be sufficient to declare the election void. It is believed the petitioners will not then proceed further."

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5 50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

Big Bargains in Boys' 2-piece Suits, sizes 22 to 28 inches, regular prices $2 to $3.50. Grafton's special price $1.50.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

Egg, Stove or Chestnut	$5 50 per ton
No. 2 Nut	5 00 "
Anthroxolite	4 50 "
Pea	3 50 "

Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 230 Charlotte street. Telephone 36d.

M. L. Henry & Co. to Their Customers.

The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to use our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their accounts without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Cadadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

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NOTICE.

Mr. John D. Craig, furniture dealer, corner of George and Brock streets, has been appointed local agent for the Williams Piano Co., Messrs. George Dies, Thomas Dunn and J. J. Callaghan having withdrawn their business connection with the company. A general travelling agent will visit Peterborough monthly.

THE WILLIAMS PIANO CO.

SPOT CASH.

FULL DRESS SUITS Satin Lined and up-to-date, Only **$29.50.**

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CASH IS KING

and we intend to prove to every customer that if any grocer can afford to sell groceries at the lowest possible margin it is WALLER & CO., who buys for Cash and sells for Cash the very best goods the market affords.

Give us a trial order, and if we can't prove our case, don't give us another trial.

QUICKCURE

Oh! how it does ache.

A change of Expression

But Quickcure did its work.

Children's teeth are often sacrificed by neglect—too often extracted before their successors appear—too often cause needless suffering. Every mother should have in the house

"Quickcure"

Dr. S. J. Andres, Montreal, says; "'Quickcure' overcomes the pain quickly; gives relief for a long time; is especially valuable for children's teeth which should not be extracted until their successors appear. It is perfectly safe to use at all ages, and does not injure the teeth as many other remedies used for toothache do." Ask your druggist for it.

QUICKCURE QUICKCURE QUICKCURE QUICKCURE

A CAR LOAD OF STEARN BICYCLES

Will arrive next week at TALBOT BROS., the leading Tobacconists of Peterborough. Watch for their coming if you think of riding a wheel when the spring time comes.

Better Cigars or Better Tobaccos are not manufactured than you can buy at TALBOT BROS. The new Smoking Mixture—"Creme de la Creme" is a daisy for all connoisseurs of a cool, sweet smoke.

Our Big 4 Combination is getting a great gait on. Think of it—4 first-class 10c Cigars for only 25c.

Great inducements to Hotelmen, Town and County Store Keepers and Jobbers, buying in quantities.

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough, Sign of the Indian Queen. **TALBOT BROS**

DRESS GOODS! DRESS GOODS!

W. W. JOHNSTON

Will have a special sale of Dress Goods of the D. O. LeGendre Stock

Commencing SATURDAY, January 9th.

Included in the sale is a nice lot of those New Wrapperettes, the most fashionable goods in the market for Ladies Wrappers, which will be sold at 10c per yard, usually sold at 15c.

There is a splendid stock of Black and Coloured All Wool Dress Goods, in all the different Fabrics.

Also received Two Thousand Dollars worth of Furs, the balance of the Bankrupt Stock of the noted furrier Joseph Rogers, Toronto. These goods are not intended to be placed in competition with the fag end of the Lugadin and other stocks lately brought to town by a local furrier. All are invited to call and see our stock.

NOTE THE PLACE, 323 George St., Opposite Market Arcade.

W. W. JOHNSTON.

THE HOUSEKEEPER'S CHANCE.

We Want Your Gold and Will Pay You Well For it.

These .. TEAS Will Please You

The prices will make you happy. We're selling lots of goods below the market these days. In order to unload a big stock of Teas we will sell for the next 30 days at wholesale prices:—

50c Tea at 35c per lb.	Soaps at 6 Bars for 25c.
40c Tea at 30c per lb.	Canned Salmon (a1) 10c can
30c Tea at 22½c per lb.	Corn, Tomatoes,
25c Tea at 20c per lb.	Beans, Peas,
or 2 lbs. for 35c.	4 cans either, 25c.

These prices are cash and cash only. The goods are all fresh and fine stock. Just as long as water runs down hill will we continue to keep our wheel in the stream.

THOS. BRADY

Corner Brock and George Streets.

N. B.—Outstanding accounts must be paid, as we require a large sum within the next thirty days. Brady's need is the housekeeper's opportunity.

The Little Lake Cemetery Co.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the Little Lake Cemetery will be held at the

Town Council Chamber, Peterborough,

—ON—

MONDAY, 18th JANUARY INST.

at Three P. M., for the purpose of Electing Directors for the present year, the presentation of the Financial Statement and Reports of the past year, and the transaction of other necessary business.

E. A. PECK, SECRETARY. HENRY DENNE, PRESIDENT.

Dated the 9th day of January, 1897.

Central Canada

LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY, OF ONTARIO.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual General meeting of the Shareholders of the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company of Ontario, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors for the past year, election of Directors for the ensuing year and other general purposes connected with the business of the Company, will be held at the office of the Company in the Town of Peterborough, on Wednesday, the 27th Day of January, 1897, at 2 O'clock in the afternoon.

E. R. WOOD, Secretary.

Peterborough, January 13th, 1897.

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For this week you will get greater bargains than ever, at

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C. H. King, Water Valley, Miss., cured by
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"For five years, I suffered untold misery from muscular rheumatism. I tried every known remedy, consulted the best physicians, visited Hot Springs, Ark., three times, spending $1000 there, besides doctors' bills; but could obtain only temporary relief. My flesh was wasted away so that I weighed only ninety-three pounds; my left arm and leg were drawn out of shape, the muscles

being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 165 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

AYER'S
The Only World's Fair Sarsaparilla.
AYER'S PILLS cure Headache.

WHO'S TO BLAME?

That Trouble Between the Grand Trunk and Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound Railway Discussed.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—(Special.)—The Citizen takes The Mail pretty sharply to task over the Scotia Junction matter. After pointing out that the Parry Sound Railway is not in fault, but that the Grand Trunk is solely to blame for the existing difficulty, it says: "There are two points in issue: (1) The construction of a union station, (2) the time table. As to the former, the Parry Sound offered to pay half the expenses of building a station. The Grand Trunk refused and insisted that the O., A. and P. S. should make the whole outlay, charging the G. T. R. 4 per cent. of half the amount. Can The Mail and Empire show where the reasonableness of this proposition is to be found? Then, as to the time schedule, The Mail and Empire complains that the O., A. and P. S. train passes Scotia Junction an hour ahead of the arrival of the G. T. R. train from Toronto, and that freight and mail from Western Ontario are thus delayed 23 hours. This is merely another way of saying that the G. T. R. train arrives an hour late. The remedy is easy. Let it reach Scotia an hour earlier and the whole difficulty will be removed. It is not to be supposed that a system having to make provision for through traffic between Parry Sound and New York and Boston can be run to suit the convenience of a Toronto side line."

CANADA AND INDIA.

The People of This Country Flourish While Our Fellow-Subjects Starve —Our Trade With Britain.

Montreal, Jan. 13.—(Star special cable from London.)—Canada flourishes while India starves. "The Indian grain shortage, which brought such prices and bright prospects to the Canadian west, brought dire famine to from 60 to 70 millions of fellow-subjects of the Queen. Yet, no single Canadian name appears on the Lord Mayor's relief fund."

So remarked a leading London banker to The Star's correspondent today. And he added that if the Dominion of Canada wishes to justify her talk about Imperial sympathy she will loosen her purse-strings forthwith.

The Canadian Gazette to-day urgently appeals to Canadian bankers and merchants here to show the reality of their Imperial professions.

Canada did well in the British markets in 1896. The Board of Trade returns show that while the imports from all countries increased 6 per cent. over 1895, the imports from the Canadian Dominion increased 18 per cent. The chief increases are: Wheat, £535,000; bacon, £195,000; hams, £170,000; butter, £186,000; cheese, £.54,000; [illegible] £22,000; fish, £39,000; meals, £31,000; hewn wood, £191,000; sawn wood, £783,000. The decreases are: Oxen, £13,000; sheep, £202,000; wheat and flour, £187,000. The British exports to Canada decreased less than one per cent., and British exports to all countries increased six per cent.

AS WELL AS EVER.

A Brickmaker Listens to Reason—Uses Six Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and Tells It.

Brockville, Jan. 4 (Special)—Mr. W. H. Odell, perhaps one of the best known citizens of this town has lately recovered from a long continued and painful kidney ailment. He tells the story of his experience to the correspondent as follows:

"I have suffered for over a year from kidney disease, the pain in my back being so severe that I was unable to stand to my work."

"Noticing the published cures of what Dodd's Kidney Pills were doing for others I concluded to use them."

"Having used only six boxes I can say that I am perfectly cured and well so that I can attend to business as well as ever I could."

That hacking cough can be quickly cured by Hagard's Pectoral Balsam. Price 25c.

WANTS McKINLEY TARIFF.

Judge Daniels Enters a Plea for Protection of Farmers Against Canadian Competition.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 13.—A Washington special to The Commercial says that Judge Daniels, who represents one of the Buffalo districts in Congress, has sent to the Ways and Means Committee a letetr requesting the restoration of the customs duties on agricultural products, similar to those which were contained in the McKinley law of 1890. He shows that a large part of his district lies along the Canadian border, and is greatly affected by the competition in agricultural products brought from the Province of Ontario. The products are mainly the same as those in the western part of New York. The land in that province is cheaper than in New York State, and agricultural laborers are paid lower wages than those on this side of the line. As a result, the Canadian farmers carry their products to Buffalo and Lockport, and, after paying the present duties, sell them at prices below those charged by the American farmer.

Judge Daniels specifically mentions hay as one of the articles in which the Canadian undersells the American and this is also true of nearly all agricultural products. The effect of this competition extends far into the interior of the State. The present rates on Canadian imports are from one-fourth to one-half less than they were under the McKinley law, and tend to benefit the Canadian producers.

Judge Daniels shows that the McKinley law proved of great benefit to the American farmer. The latter has been a sufferer from low prices for a number of years, and the present law has greatly aggravated his misfortunes by reducing his prices and greatly assisting his Canadian competitors. Judge Daniels does not wonder that the Western New York farmer asks himself the question, Of what advantage to us is our Government, which we help to support? He regards the enquiry as a natural one, which cannot fail, as long as the present conditions continue, to create dissatisfaction in the minds of intelligent constituents. Judge Daniels concludes his letter with the observation that other governments endeavor to advance the property of the people, and that this great republic cannot wisely do less.

The letter will be referred to the sub-committee of which Mr. Dolliver of Iowa is chairman. This committee has direct control of the agricultural schedule, and is composed of men whose constituents are demanding the same protection as is demanded by the farmers in Western New York. It is a safe prediction that when the new tariff bill is framed the agricultural schedule will not differ materially from that embodied in the McKinley law of 1890, which experience shows to have worked advantageously to the interests of the American farmer.

THE LAKE CARRIERS

Want New Rules for the Soo Canal and a First-Class Gunboat for Use on the Lakes.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 13.—At the morning session of the Lake Carriers' Association a committee was appointed to revise the rules in force governing navigation in the Soo River. Resolutions were adopted condemning the further maintenance of the fourth-class gunboat Michigan on the Great Lakes, and protesting against her future use, and asking such steps of the Navy Department and needed legislation by Congress as will provide the Great Lakes with a fully equipped man-of-war, suited for best protecting the interests centered in the lakes, and further, that such vessel shall be built by a lake shipyard company. The committee on the grain shovelling contract at Buffalo has not yet reported.

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand is limited, and prices heavy. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.90 to $4, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The market continues dull, with transactions few. The feeling is unsettled, with millers holding off. White is held at 81c to 82c, and red at 80c outside. Manitoba No. 1 hard is quoted at 89c, North Bay, and at 93c, Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is firm. No. 1 sold at 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and feed at 22c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are steady. White sold at 19c west, and mixed at 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices easier, with sales at 41½c north and west.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 22½c to 23c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 25c to 26c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 35c west.

Oatmeal—The market is dull at $2.95 to $3.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 13.—Spring wheat, 6s 11½d to 7s 0½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2d to 7s 3d; corn, 2s 9¾d; peas, 4s 6½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 26s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 6d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 52s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast quiet and on passage 3d higher. English country markets steady. Maize off coast quiet.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; futures steady at 6s 9½d for Jan., 6s 10½d for Feb., 6s 11d for March, 6s 11¼d for April and 6s 9¾d for July. Maize quiet at 2s 9½d for Feb., 2s 9½d for March, 2s 9¾d for April and 2s 10d for May.

Paris—Wheat, 22f 70c for Feb.; flour, 48f for Feb.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures quiet at 6s 9d for Jan., 6s 9¾d for Feb., 6s 10¼d for March and May and 6s 9d for July. Maize quiet at 2s 9½d for Jan. and Feb., 2s 10½d for March, 2s 9¾d for April and 2s 10d for May.

London—Close—Wheat on passage firm. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 22f 80c for Feb.; flour, 48f 50c for Feb.

Ringing noises in the ears, snapping, bussing, roaring, caused by catarrh, all disappear with the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Mrs. P., says: My daughter was pale and weakly for two years; she took Miller's Compound Iron Pills for one month and is now well and strong. 50 doses 25 cents Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Shiloh's Cure, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket tin contains twenty-five doses only 25c Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 399 George Street.

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The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

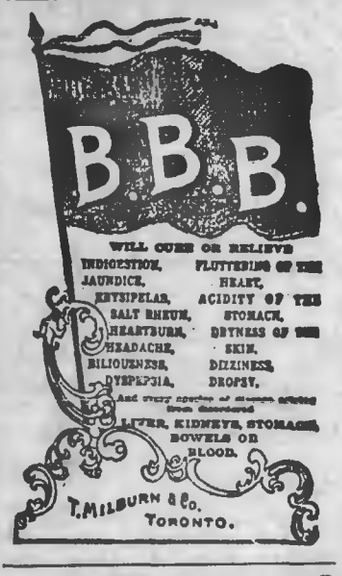
POINTERS FOR FARMERS.

Prof. Saunders Gives Information as to the Results of Experiments in Growing Crops.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—(Special.)—A bulletin was issued by the Department of Agriculture to-day, prepared by Dr. Saunders, Director of Experimental Farms, giving results of a large number of experiments which have been carried on at all the experimental farms during the season of 1896 with oats, barley, spring wheat, peas, Indian corn, turnips, mangolds, carrots and potatoes, in uniform plots. This work was undertaken with the object of gaining information as to the relative productiveness and earliness of the many varieties under test. The result shows wide variations in the weight of the crops grown, and points to the importance of greater care being exercised by farmers in choosing varieties of seed for sowing.

"Let parents not live for their children, but with them." The mother should allow no false modesty to stand in the way of her daughter's knowledge of herself, of her possibilities, of her perils. For over thirty years Dr. Pearce has used his "Favorite Prescription" as a strengthener, a purifier, a regulator. It works directly upon the delicate, distinctly feminine organs, in a natural, soothing way. It searches out the weak spots and builds them up. A woman who would understand herself should send 31 cents to the World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y., for Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser, a book of 1008 pages.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego Cal. says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 399 George Street.



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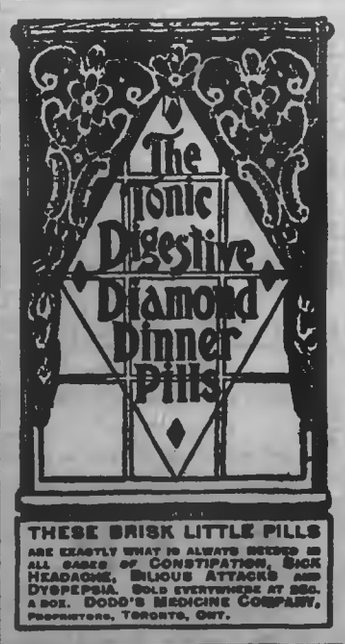
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CAMPING OUT IN WINTER.

The Rare Pleasure of Tenting in the Ice and Snow.

The early morning of Thursday, the last day of January, was clear and still. The heavy snowstorm of the day before had ceased during the night, leaving a new layer, a foot in depth, upon that which already lay deep over mountain and lake, and piling itself high upon every branch and twig of the dense forest about us, writes C. Grant La Farge, in the Atlantic. I had awakened at 3, still conscious of the effects of yesterday's long tramp of eight hours following fresh caribou tracks through heavy timber and in deep, soft snow, only to find that the waning day bade us strike out for camp for the further route of our game was still to be disentangled from a labyrinth of tracks, made where they had stopped to feed. We had eaten our lunch as we marched, delay being a thing to avoid and fire out of the question on so fresh a trail, and when we reached camp again, just as darkness closed in, we were a tired and hungry pair. So it was with difficulty now that I summoned up resolution to perform the duty of which the biting cold upon my face and the snapping of the log walls of our camp apprised me, and resisted the insidious argument that I really was not awake. To leave the snug shelter of warm blankets in order to rake together a few almost extinct embers, nurse them into a glow and pile the stove full of wood is not an alluring task at such a time, but campfire etiquette, sometimes relaxed in the milder autumn season, must be rigidly adhered to, even indoors, in these long, frigid winter nights. Therefore my companion and I had made the usual agreement that he who awoke should forthwith replenish the fire, and as his deep breathing was now proof that nothing was to be expected of him I conquered my slothful disinclination and a roaring blaze at last rewarded my efforts. I opened the door upon such a night as only the northern winter can show.

Silence, absolute and supreme; the rich purple-black of the sky revealing its immeasurable depth, in which hung, clear and round and at many distances, the myriad stars which filled it; in the north the great pale arc of the aurora reflected faintly on the white snow lying over the open space of the river in front of us. But the keen air allowed little time for more than a swift glance, then a match lighted showed the mercury at 18 degrees below zero—not extreme, but cold enough to make blankets desirabel; so I got back into them without further delay and fell asleep.

THE WOMEN TOO.

Back Talk Not Man's Monoply.

Mrs. Jemima Cole, Havelock, told the following wonderful story:—"For a great many years I have suffered from disease of the kidneys. The pains in my back and side were sometimes excruciating.

"My limbs were so swollen that I could scarcely lift my feet from the floor, and I was in great agony nearly all the time. I thought that I would surely die from the pain.

"I have taken dozens of advertised remedies, but got no better during their use. I was also treated by several doctors, but am sorry to say they did me little or no good. In fact they stated that they could do me no good, which made me despair of ever getting better.

"When I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised I sent to W. H. Jeff & Co's. drugstore and got a box thinking I would try them as a last resort.

"The change from the start was very great and now after one month I am free from all pain. The swelling has gone down and I feel quite strong and healthy.

"I was also troubled with rheumatism and neuralgia which have completely disappeared, thanks to the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. In fact I do not think there is a medicine in the world that in such a short time could have taken me from the almost dying condition in which I was to the healthy and vigorous state that I am in now.

"I recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for their wonderful virtues in curing kidney troubles."

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BIG FIRE IN MONTREAL.

A Large Warehouse Belonging to Crathern & Caverhill Destroyed—Loss $300,000.

Montreal, Jan. 14, 2 a.m.—Montreal was the scene of another big fire tonight, which resulted in a loss of several hundred thousand dollars. The fire started shortly after midnight in a large structure on Colborne-street, occupied as a warehouse by Crathern & Caverhill, wholesale hardware merchants. The warehouse was stored with a large and valuable stock of all kinds of hardware, heavy and light, the firm being probably the largest hardware merchants in the Dominion.

The origin of the fire is a mystery, but it seemed to have started in the heart of the warehouse, and when the firemen reached the scene, the flames were furiously shooting out from all sides. The warehouse and stock burned likea furnace and the firemen had great difficulty in handling the fire. The warehouse, which extended nearly a whole block from Colborne to Ann-street, was soon ablaze from end to end, and, as it was impossible to save the structure, the firemen turned their attention to confining it to the warehouse. The Dominion Transport Company's stables, which were situated on Ann-street, and in which there were over 100 horses, were saved. he fire at this hour is under control. Crathern & Caverhill's warehouse is almost a complete ruin. The warehouse contained a stock valued at $300,000, on which there is insurance for $100,000.

William Hutchinson, farmer, of Mount Charles, has been arrested by High Constable Broddy of Brampton, charged with fraud in having endorsed a note under false pretences, and with removal and concealment of goods to defraud creditors.

Michael Brennan, the Barrie murderer, is said to have become angry when told that his sentence had been commuted to life imprisonment, and to have exclaimed: "My God, why did they not hang me next Tuesday; I would rather hang."

Bert Davis Given a Term.

Welland, Jan. 13.—To-day Judge Fitzgerald sentenced Bert Davis to three years' imprisonment for shooting Fred Grenville with intent to kill. Sentence was deferred to give the prisoner a chance to leave this country.

"Old, yet ever new, and simple and beautiful ever," sings the poet, in words which might well apply to Ayer's Sarsaparilla—the most efficient and scientific blood-purifier ever offered to suffering humanity. Nothing but superior merit keeps it so long to the front.

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One pint of fine salt mixed with two pints of wood ashes and mixed with water will mend cracks in stoves. When clinkers accumulate in the grate, throw in a handful of salt, let stand a few minutes and they will be easily removed.

A teaspoonful added to the water in which cut flowers are placed will preserve them for a considerable time, and a little rubber on the griddles before greasing will prevent cakes from sticking. Damp salt will remove the discoloration caused by tea on cups and saucers; if sprinkled immediately over any spot where something has boiled over on the stove, there will be no odor, and the spot will be easily cleaned. A tablespoonful put in a kerosene lamp will make the oil give a brighter light, and a small pinch added to the starch will prevent it sticking to the irons. If your ingrain carpet looks dingy sprinkle a little salt over it and let it lie for at least five minutes, then sweep it thoroughly, and you will be surprised to see how much brighter it will look.

One of the best things for cleaning brass is salt dissolved in vinegar Cotton fabrics are less likely to fade if allowed to lie for a short time in a strong solution of salt and water.

Sprinkle damp salt around where there are moths and they will speedily take their departure.

If a small pinch is added to the whites of eggs they will froth quickly.

Small doses given at short intervals will stop hemorrhage of the lungs; for stings or bites of any kind of insects apply it damp and bind tightly; for neuralgia or severe pains in the stomach, fill a muslin bag, heat it and lay it against the aching place.

If the throat is very sore, wring a cloth out of cold salt water and bind it around the neck, covering with a dry towel; a weak solution gargled will also help the throat. A sponge bath in salt water will arrest night sweats, and if used cold is one of the best solutions for restoring firmness of the flesh; bathe the face upward and then wipe dry. One-half a teaspoonful dissolved in water will almost instantly relieve dyspepsia, or cure colic in a grown person.

Two teaspoonfuls in about a half pint of tepid water will act as an emetic, or if snuffed up the nostrils will relieve a cold in the head or catarrh.

Salt should be eaten with nuts to aid digestion.—Home Queen.

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TO INCREASE THE ARMY.

A Bill to Augment the Forces by 5000 Men—Two New Artillery Regiments.

Washington, Jan. 13.—To give the United States army a moderate organization and enable it to fight on even terms with European armies, employing moderate armament and methods, is the purpose of a bill that was ordered to be favorably reported to-day by the House Committee on Military Affairs. The bill increases the list of enlisted men from 25,000 to 30,000, the number of companies in each regiment from 10 to 12, and adds two regiments of artillery to the army. With the new methods in force each infantry regiment will contain in future three majors instead of one, as at present. The effect of this will be to promote 50 captains to the rank of major, 50 first lieutenants to captains, and 50 second lieutenants to first lieutenants. If the Military Academy at West Point cannot furnish the additional number of cadets necessary to fill these second lieutenantcies the appointments may be made from the enlisted men or from civil life. The bill has the approval of the Secretary of War.

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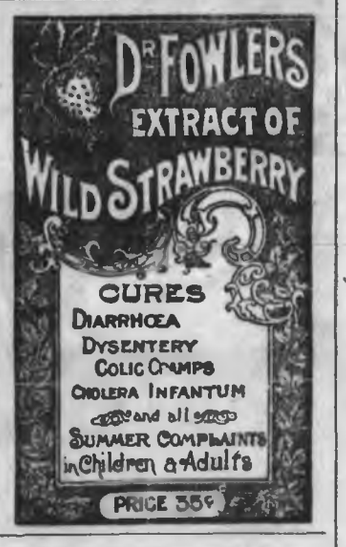

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(*Correspondence of The Examiner.*)

At the conclusion of the business of the new council, the newly-appointed officers of the village for 1897 addressed the council. Mr. Maidens, treasurer, expressed his thanks to the council for again reposing their trust in him. He felt especially honoured by the appointment this year, and it was gratifying to him to know that he had continued to receive the confidence of every council since the incorporation of the village. Mr. Archer, assessor, was pleased to be re-appointed to the office. He had endeavoured to give fair and impartial assessments, and would continue to do his duty in this respect without fear, favour or partiality. Mr. Philips, clerk of the village for the third time, made his maiden speech. He said that if they knew how hard it was for him to get on his feet and make a speech, they would have excused him, because he never had made a speech in his life. If he had them over in his own store he could "talk the arm off them," but here he was completely lost. It occurred to him however that he had something to be thankful for—they had re-appointed him their clerk for another year and he was pleased with their expression of confidence. At the end of his first term as clerk he was by no means anxious for re-election. It had its worries and vexations, because he did not know his duties, but now he had got over that and felt a pleasure in performing his duties.

Reeve McAuley addressed a few words to the council. He said they were his cabinet officers and he looked to them to do their duty during the year and give him the very best assistance they could. He was pleased with the material in the new council and with their officers. It had been said of him that he intended to use his influence against the appointment of Mr. Maidens as treasurer. His action to-night, however, would show how little truth there was in the statement. He was opposed to changing any of the old officers of the council so long as they gave the council satisfaction, because he believed it it was a mistake to be electing new men who were not familiar with the duties of their respective offices. It was the intention of the new council to pursue as economical a policy during the year as was possible, consistent with good service to the municipality. Several important public works would have to be undertaken, which would call for their careful consideration. He was hopeful that if the negotiations started to-night for a new lock up was successful, that steps would be taken during the year for building a suitable public hall for the village, which every ratepayer knew was sadly needed. Some steps should also be taken towards securing suitable fire protection for the village, as well as for the lighting of the streets, both of which were very urgently needed. By the one, the ratepayers' property would not be left entirely at the mercy of the flames, as they were a year or two ago, and it will also have the result of reducing the cost of fire insurance on their properties. By the other, the danger of accidents would be reduced, as well as the liability of the corporation for costs, in cases of injury to life or limb.

A new mammoth covered skating and curling rink has been erected by Mr. Jos. Knox and Mr. Wood, opposite the post office. The structure is a very commodious one, and permits of both skating and curling. The flooding of the rink is done by pumps from driven wells, ice being formed quickly and evenly. The erection of this building for the favourite winter sports is likely to receive the encouragement which the enterprising proprietors deserve.

There is talk of curling and hockey clubs being formed in the village.

The contract for a supply of ice for Swift & Co's icing station here has been given again to Messrs. McDonald and Mercier, of Peterborough. Over 350 cars of ice are required. Mr. Jas. Bryans, the capable local superintendent for Swift & Co., expects to begin loading up his big building shortly.

The village is improving rapidly—even the winter weather being no barrier to the progress of building. Village lots are getting scarce and shrewd citizens are investing now with the idea of a rapid advance in the price of property.

The additional new story to Graham's Hotel has made a very decided improvement in the appearance of the building. It is now a large and commodious hotel, the new addition having given twelve new rooms to the house. Since the fire which so badly damaged the furniture and effects, the whole house has been over-hauled by Mr. Graham. Every room has been fitted with new furniture, carpets and other furnishings.

Mr. William Dineen, formerly proprietor of the Queen's Hotel, Peterborough, is fully installed in his well known brick hotel in the west end, formerly occupied by Mr. T. Smith, also an old Peterborough man. Mr. Dineen has been long known as a good hotel man, and has the advantage of having been a former resident of Havelock.

One of the handsomest dwelling houses recently erected in the village is that of Mr. James Bryans. The style of architecture is attractive, the front especially having an excellent effect, the windows and doors being quite modern and unlike any other in the village.

The new Methodist church, which has lately received its finishing touches, is an ornament to the village. It is built of red brick with a splendid stone foundation used as a Sunday school room. The whole edifice is fitted up in a very comfortable and convenient manner, and shows evidences of careful construction in every detail. Mr. Joseph Knox was the contractor and it is another substantial proof of his good workmanship as a practical builder.

Mr. Herb Williams is building a new blacksmith shop next to Joyce's harness shop.

The Freemasons of this village are a growing body, and are composed of some of the best and most influential of our citizens. Their next meeting takes place on Monday, the 18th inst., when the election of officers and other business will take place.

The supply of wood coming into Havelock is smaller this year than usual. On account of the want of good sleighing, farming have not been able to haul it in.

Mr. Terrance Smith has moved his livery business to the east end, near Gould's old stand, where he has fine stables and keeps a good full stall of horses and rigs.

Mr. Arnold Richards has bought out Hull's livery on George street.

Mr. Hugh Dryden's central grocery is now one of the flourishing business places in the village. The location is a very eligible one, being situated immediately opposite the post office. Mr. Dryden keeps a good full stock of groceries and provisions, and is well satisfied whith the business which is coming his way.

Courtice's drug store is another excellent addition to the business of the village. Being centrally situated, opposite the post office, and carrying full lines of medicines, etc. It will prove a great convenience to the public.

Mr. William Paterson has made a number of improvements to his fine property on Oak street, near the school. A new kitchen has been erected, the main building completed, the exterior painted in a clean white colour and otherwise increasing the value of his whole premises.

Mr. W. Spinks has bought the house formerly owned by Mrs. Edwards on Mathieson street.

YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Angus McPherson, sr., of Peterborough, is spending a few days here.

Mr. Harry Andrews spent Christmas and New Year's at his home in Norwood.

The Rev. Mr. Hartley, of the English church, held a Christmas tree in Mr. Heard's Hall on Monday night, the 11th inst., the object being to give presents to the children of his congregation.

An entertainment will be held at South Beach House on January 21st inst. Songs, recitations, dialogues, etc., will be produced and the whole entertainment to conclude with a comical farce, "Ici On Parle Francaise," the characters of which will be as follows:

Mrs Spriggins.....Miss Ella Young
Mrs Rattan.....Miss Lottie Kearney
Angelia.....Miss Louisa Karney
Victor Dubois.....Mr Harry Andrews
Annie Maria.....Miss Lilly Macfarlane
Major Rattan.....Mr Harry Kearney
Mr Spriggins.....Mr C T Taylor

The Young's Point dramatic club held their regular weekly meeting on Thursday night. A short programme was produced by the following members:

Recitation.....Miss Louisa Kearney
Song.....Mr Matthew Young
Recitation.....Miss Lottie Kearney
Song, "Billy Daily's Girl,"..Mr Harry Kearney
Song.....Mr Wm Brooks
Trio, two violins and organ.....Miss Jennie Kearney, Miss Lottie Kearney and Miss Maggie Kearney
Recitation.....Mr S Applesey
Instrumental music.....Miss Maggie Kearney
Chorus.....Club

Mr. W. J. Doughty, of Warsaw, was in the village on Tuesday.

Sleighing is fair around here, but we would appreciate a little more snow.

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ON POLITICAL LINES

The Mayoralty Election in Vancouver Was Run and the Liberal Captured the Plum.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The mayoralty contest to-day was run on political lines, resulting in the election of William Templeton, chairman of the Liberal Association, over J. J. Banfield, Conservative, by a majority of 319 in a total vote of 2067. There is great jubilation among the Liberals and a monster torchlight procession is in progress.

THE PRINCESS AND RIGO

Have Decided to Go to Egypt and Find Quiet and Freedom.

Buda Pest, Jan. 14.—The Princess de Chimay, who eloped from Paris a short time ago with a Hungarian gypsy musician named Rigo Jancsi, has written a letter to The Pesth Naplo, requesting that paper to deny the recently circulated reports that she has engaged herself to give public performances on the stage in conjunction with Rigo. She and Rigo, the Princess writes, will start to-day for Africa, where they hope to find quiet and freedom from the annoyances to which they have been subjected by a morbidly curious public.

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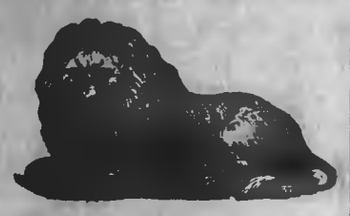

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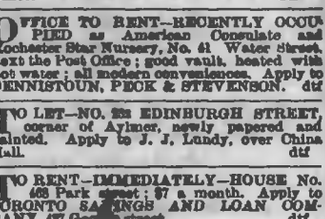

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E. B OSLER'S REPLY

To the Government's Request for Information.

TORONTO BOARD OF TRADE HINTS

As to the Kind of Men That Should be Selected for Agents Abroad—How Emigrants Should be Cared for on Arriving—The Railway Policy.

The following letter speaks for itself: The Board of Trade of the City of Toronto:

Toronto, Jan. 15, 1897.

W. B. Parmalee, Esq., Deputy Minister Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, Ont:

Dear Sir,—Your circular bearing date Aug. 26, 1896, has had the attention of the Board of Trade of the City of Toronto and has been submitted to the different sections of the board, and my report to you for the purpose of brevity will cover the expression of opinion of the several sections of the board without supplying in utmost detail the several reports.

I am instructed to say to you that it is the opinion of the Board of Trade of Toronto that the broadest principles should be followed in determining the future action of Government in relation to the conservation of trade interests and the extension thereof, and inasmuch as an increase of population is of the first importance, it is recommended that an immigration policy should be adopted which will give promise of such efficiency as has not characterized the policy and methods of the past.

It is suggested that in the selection of agents business capacity should be held prominently in view, and that men should be selected with due reference to their availability for the country to which they may be accredited, and their qualifications because of their knowledge of the language history and social conditions of the people to whom they may be sent.

It has hitherto been the custom to provide temporary agents and lecturers who, passing from point to point in the country to which they were accredited, have supplied information regarding the status of the Dominion as to trade and political conditions without remaining to effect by a continuous contact a permanent result.

We would recommend that in establishing or continuing an emigration agency it should be determined whether the prospects are favorable to secure from the country in question, under any circumstances, a satisfactory result for the investment made. This question being determined, the agency should be fixed upon a permanent basis resembling a consulate, the instruction being to work definitely to establish in the minds of probable emigrants the following facts:

(a) That our system of government in Canada, as regards the liberty of the subject and freedom from militarism, is more favorable than in the case of the United States, or any American nation.

(b) That our country supplies climatic conditions as favorable as any in the world.

(c) That intending emigrants will be cared for from the time of their start until they are placed on the land in whatsoever Province they may elect to settle.

(d) That the Government of Canada will provide all necessary assistance to establish emigrants upon the ground, including the supply of a house, with the necessary articles of furniture at prices and on terms more favorable than can be secured in any other country—such advance to be repaid on a basis likely to be favorably received by intending emigrants.

(e) That the Government will not, under any circumstances, give assistance of the kind indicated to emigrants who are without means of their own.

It is recommended that parties of emigrants leaving Europe should be under the sponsorship of the Government from the time of their start until they reach the point of destination and that population thus secured should be settled in districts and not scattered broadly over the country, and that such districts should be carefully supervised, pending the establishment of a municipal system by the people themselves.

Among the articles recommended to be supplied to settlers in addition to the house, are the usual farming implements, the idea being that the establishment of centres of population of satisfied emigrants will result in a steady flow of emigration from the points of departure, prompted by reports of those who are satisfactorily settled upon the land. It is believed that this plan, if pursued, would ultimately entail no greater outlay than has obtained in the past, with a good promise of efficiency that has hitherto not been realised.

The opinion is expressed that such agencies should have the function that now attaches to the English Consulate of recommending to our Government the lines of trade in manufactures and other products which may be found desirable for introduction into the several countries thus covered, and it may be that such Consulates, at least some of the countries, would have attached to their agency facilities for the exhibition of Canadian products. This is felt to be specially the case with reference to food products, such as grains, butter, cheese, canned goods, grapes, apples, etc., and such points as Liverpool, Manchester, Glasgow, Birmingham, Leeds and London were specially mentioned. On this condition it is thought desirable that certain of these products should be classed by officers of the Canadian Government and branded so as to command the consideration of the countries into which they are sent.

The experience of the members of the Board of Trade prompts the suggestion that there is a larger market in Europe for the following lines of goods: Woodenware, furniture, etc., steam, hot water, hot air and other apparatus for the heating of dwellings, public buildings, etc. It is recommended that while it will be better to make the experiment suggested in Europe, it is probable that such a system, so far as exports are concerned, might prove desirable in South Africa, South America, West Indies, Japan and China.

The Board already having made representation to the Government favoring a system of cold storage, does not in its present report consider it necessary to touch that subject, although it is pertinent; the same remark applies to the question of subsidy to a fast Atlantic service.

In justification of the suggestions made (while I do not propose to burden you with figures) it may be expedient to suggest that of the 310,000,000 pounds of butter imported into Great Britain, valued at $70,000,000, Canada supplied but 4,000,000 and a fraction pounds.

The present attitude of the British people to Canada is such that I am warranted in believing, and in this my board agrees, that a successful effort may be made now to increase the business of Canada, not only in this line, but in all lines of products adapted to their requirements. The statistics covering such imports of prepared oat meal and wheat meal, bacon, etc., would be found to be exactly parallel to those quoted.

The Board of Trade of Toronto is of the opinion that the people of Canada in their liberal gifts to railway enterprises have not in the past properly conserved their own interests, and would recommend to the Government such action as will secure equity in freight arrangements, especially where, in the absence of such equity, the American shipper is more favorably treated than the Canadian.

As to methods—the Board of Trade of Toronto will be prepared to co-operate with the Government at any time ascertaining how this may be and should be accomplished.

Touching the further contribution of Government to railways, it is recommended that there should be some principle established by which the railway so assisted will not be the final arbiter.

As to the question of rates of freight, both as applies long hauls and short—thus should the Government determine to honor a railway to reach the mining districts of British Columbia, or any other section of the Dominion, the interests of the shipper should be well considered and a rate of freight be guaranteed upon a basis of cost to the shipper at least as favorable as that of the American railways to the same point of delivery; and regarding the rates between local points as favorably as those existing under similar circumstances in mining districts within the territory of the United States.

The Board of Trade of the City of Toronto has no facilities within its reach of supplying statistics touching the extent of foreign trade other than those within reach of the Government through the Customs Department.

I have not sought to do more than make a broad statement of the matters and things which have come before me through the different sections of the Board of Trade, and while I shall be glad to furnish any further information or suggestion that may be called for by the Government, I do not think it expedient at this time to do more than provide the outline which is herein suggested.

I have the honor to be, dear sir, your obedient servant,

E. B. Osler,
President.

BARN-BURNING CONSPIRACY.

Shelburne People are Still Gossipping About the Case Organized Gangs Were in the Plot.

Shelburne, Ont., Jan. 15.—Interest in the barn-burning conspiracy is fully maintained here and every man and woman in the neighborhood has a story to tell about the Ballards and those said to be associated with them. About the only new feature that developed to-day is the statement that three distinct gangs of eight men each were engaged in the plots to rob the insurance companies and take revenge on enemies. Alonzo Smith, Dave Ballard and James Ballard were the captains of the respective corps, with Dave Ballard in command of the whole. Another Crown witness is said to have been secured in Mrs. Armstrong, known to Dundalk folks as Mother Armstrong.

The gang had a most ingenious fashion of being aware and yet unaware of all the fires that occurred in their preserves, and the circle would meet one of its members, who would express his desire to have his house or barn burned down. The circle would tell the candidate that on such a night his property would be destroyed by fire, and on that night the candidate took care to be some distance from home, and when he came back, he lacked a house or a barn, and he never knew who was the incendiary; he only knew that one of the circle had applied the torch. This ignorance saved his insurance, and kept him free of perjury in the witness box.

The Crown is said to have a strong case, and, for the present, Dave Ballard has entrusted his case to I. B. Lucas, of Lucas & Wright, Markdale, and, at the preliminary investigation here on Monday, it is understood that the prisoners will waive defence, and elect to be tried by a judge and jury.

The Crown has already in its possession the names of certain members of each gang, not all of them, to be sure, but enough to get on the trail of the rest. In Alonzo Smith's circle were William Reid, one of the prisoners, and two men named Thompson. In James Ballard's circle were James Corbett, his first lieutenant, and two men, Robinson and McCoy; and in David Ballard's circle were the two Tisdales and Jackson. The other names to make up the respective eights will be divulged shortly.

HE WAS ALMOST DEAD.

A Young Man in Hamilton Drugged and Robbed by Strangers.

Hamilton, Jan. 15.—(Special.)—A young man named Charles Southon, who lives at 294 King-street east, was found behind the butter market building to-night unconscious and suffering from violent spasms. It was supposed that he had taken poison, as a small empty vial was found in his pocket, and he was immediately taken to the City Hospital. Emetics were administered, and after vomiting a great deal, the patient regained consciousness, but at a late hour to-night was still in dreadful agony. He denies having attempted to take his life. He states his illness was the result of having drunk what he supposed was whiskey from a bottle given him by two strangers in the Central Market. When the victim was found his trousers pockets were turned inside out, and he states that the men who gave him the liquor robbed him of his week's earnings. Southon was employed as a tinsmith with J. H. Riddell.

MARLBORO BUYS LONGSHOT.

London, Jan. 14.—One of the most notable transactions in Canadian horseflesh has just been completed between Adam Beck, the noted horseman of this city, and the Duke of Marlborough. The horse Longshot, the hunter, which carried off the first prizes at the New York Horse Show and also at Toronto, has been purchased by His Grace and will be expressed to New York at once, thence to be taken to England by steamship. The price paid was private, but a very high one.

NEWS FROM OTTAWA

No Government Agents Sent to Washington.

EMPHATIC DENIAL OF THE REPORT

That Messrs. Farrer and Charlton are at the U. S. Capital in an Official Capacity—Influx of Population From the West of England Probable—The Art Gallery Crowded.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 15.—(Special.)—Ministers give an authoritative denial to the report from Washington that Mr. John Charlton, M. P., and Mr. Edward Farrer are there on business for the Canadian Government in regard to the tariff. The Government has not sent either of them to Washington, and, if they happen to be there at present, it is their own business which has taken them. Whatever Mr. Charlton may have to do with any commission that may be appointed to go to Washington in the future, The Journal says certainly Mr. Farrer will have no connection with it. Meantime there is no commission, and no one has been appointed by the Canadian Government to go to Washington or elsewhere in connection with the subject of reciprocity or any tariff arrangement with the United States.

Mr. E. H. McAlpine, barrister of St. John, has been appointed a commissioner to investigate into charges of political partisanship preferred against certain fishery officers in New Brunswick. Captain Bloomfield Douglas, who was deputed to investigate into the charges in the three Maritime Provinces, will confine his enquiry to Nova Scotia and P. E. Island.

Mr. J. W. Dunn, Canadian agent at Bristol, England, writes the following well-informed remarks to a friend in this city: "The good crops in Manitoba and the Northwest, with advance of prices, are now getting pretty well known, and I am certain that if the people in this country can only find the money they will emigrate in large numbers next spring, and Canada will get the cream of this western portion of England. Hundreds are now writing for pamphlets, etc., containing information respecting the country."

The Militia Department has been informed that the Maxim guns ordered by Col. Lake, Quartermaster-General, last year are now en route from the Old Country, and may be here any day. There are 15 of these quick-firing machines, and they will be distributed at different points Nothing has been heard yet concerning shipment of heavier cannon to be placed on the fortifications at Quebec and Kingston, or of the field artillery guns to be distributed among the Canadian batteries.

President Van Horne was asked today as to the proposed new station for Ottawa, and replied that the company had taken no steps in the matter as yet. The Montreal and Ottawa road was still 40 miles from this city, and they would not decide where the depot would be built until the road reached the city. He, however, stated that the decision arrived at some months ago to build at the northern end of Bank-street had been abandoned, as it was too expensive and not convenient enough. He stated that there was another site in view, the location of which he did not feel free to state.

There has been another shuffle round of the pictures in the National Art Gallery on O'Connor-street to make room for a fine large historical painting by George P. Renagle, a Royal Academican of 1802-30. The subject is the death of Nelson, and it is a worthy representation of that memorable event. The picture was procured in Europe at a great bargain by the late Minister of Public Works, Judge Ouimet. A splendid specimen of the work of the late Paul Peel, entitled, "A Venetian Bather," is also now on the walls. The time is near at hand when the Government must do something to find new quarters for this collection of pictures. The fisheries exhibit is cramped, the space in the art gallery is limited, while in the geological museum hundreds of valuable specimens are stowed away out of sight for want of show case room. Before long the Government will be compelled by force of circumstances to put up a new geological building, and it is to be hoped when that time arrives the Government will see its way clear to provide more room for the National Gallery.

The Premier formally inaugurated the open air rink of O. A. A. C. and delivered a very pleasant address. He congratulated the Athletic Club on its success and said it was one of the few institutions in the Capital which was not looking to the country for financial aid.

It is announced that the infraction of prison rules by Father Cloutier, chaplain at the Stoney Mountain Penitentiary, consists of leaving his post without the sanction of the Minister. Father Cloutier wanted to accompany Archbishop Langevin on his eastern trip to Quebec, and applied for leave of absence. Before an absence was received from the department Father Cloutier started off with the Archbishop. The reply to Father Cloutier's request from the department was that he could not get away. The result was that the priest was suspended, and the matter is now before the Cabinet. Father Cloutier's salary is about $800.

It is announced that until the civil service and superannuation legislation passes Parliament appointments to the public service will be very few. It is claimed for the Postmaster-General that since he assumed his portfolio he has not made a single appointment. He has arranged a number of transfers and managed several dismissals, very urgent in the public interests, but his policy is to cut down the staff as far as possible.

Mr. Casey, M. P., is in the city, as also Lieut.-Col. Stacey of St. Thomas.

Hon. Col. Tisdale was in town to-day.

Sir William Van Horne, President of the C. P. R., was in the city to-day and saw the Premier and Sir Richard Cartwright. It is said, on the subject of the Crow's Nest Railway.

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Daily Examiner.

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THE AUDITING OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTS.

The following from the Toronto World emphasizes the evil resulting from the laxity with which the average municipal corporation discharges its duty of having its municipal accounts annually investigated:

"Another municipal treasurer gone wrong. The woods are full of them. This time the treasurer of a school section in York township is charged with a shortage of $800. It appears his accounts were audited at the end of 1895, when it was reported by the auditor that some $500 was on hand. It now transpires that the auditor had signed the report at the request of the trustees, with the readiness with which a man would attach his name to a petition for a new sidewalk. As a matter of fact there was not a cent on hand when the auditor had assured the ratepayers there was over $500 in the bank. The Government must do something to inspire more confidence in the administration of the public funds by municipal officers. A better system of auditing must be adopted. Only competent auditors must be employed, and to ensure competence it will be necessary for the Government to nominate them or prescribe their qualifications. The Government must also close up many of the rat holes by which so many delinquents escape. It was with the greatest difficulty that the ex-treasurer of Guelph was convicted and then he was sentenced for only three months. The ease with which these offenders escape stimulates others to follow their example in wrongdoing. To remedy the situation the Attorney-General must follow up every case that is reported and a new system of auditing all municipal and school board accounts must be devised.

The EXAMINER has repeatedly insisted upon the necessity of having the municipal accounts subjected to rigourous investigation. The importance of such a course is emphasized by the recent cases of fraud and peculation on the part of treasurers, by which municipalities were subjected to heavy losses. Since municipalities seem unable to protect themselves through the audit of their accounts, there is reason to believe that the present system of auditing school board and municipal accounts is radically defective. There is, therefore, much force in the World's demand that a new system of auditing such accounts must be devised and put into force. As a rule our treasurers are honest and capable, and it is not such officials that need watching. There seems to be an epidemic of fraudulent malversation, and to protect the public against these, it is necessary that all municipal accounts be subjected to close and effectual audit. From such an audit the honest and capable official has nothing to fear, and the rascal has everything to fear. In this wicked age, the best way to keep officials to honest methods is to compel them to be honest. By all means let some thorough and effective system of auditing be devised and put into force with inexorable minuteness. It is always bad enough to pay taxes, and we cannot entirely guard against them being, at times, and too often, unwisely and extravagantly expended, but we certainly can guard against the public money being stolen outright in the manner that careless and perfunctory auditing permits, and, more than that, absolutely invites.

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DUMMER.

Council Meeting.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Dummer council met in the town hall on Monday, Jan. 11th, 1897, at 11 o'clock, a.m., when Henry A. Moore, reeve; Thos. Webster, deputy reeve; Christopher John Darling, Wm. Crowe and Nathan Payne, councillors, made and subscribed the declaration of qualification and office before the clerk and organized as a council. Minutes of previous meeting read and signed.

Moved by Thomas Webster and Wm. Crowe, that William Fitzgerald be township auditor—Carried.

The reeve appointed A. F. Choate associate auditor.

For assessor the following applications were heard from: S. S. Spence, W. J. Doughty, Taylor W. Crowe, Albert R. Wigmore.

Moved by Wm. Crowe and Jno. Darling, that Taylor W. Crowe be appointed assessor for Dummer for 1897.

Moved in amendment by Thos. Webster and Nathan Payne, that A. R. Wigmore be assessor.

The reeve voted for motion which left Taylor W. Crowe, assessor for Dummer for 1897.

Moved by Jno. Darling and Thos. Webster, that George Kirk be re-appointed member of the local board of health, H. A. Moore, reeve, chairman, and that bylaw be drawn up to cover same—Carried.

Moved by Thos. Webster and Jno. Darling, that the account of Peter Hamilton re. scraper, be left over until next council, and that the clerk write Mr. Hamilton re. same, and report at next meeting—Carried.

Application from Wm. Baskins, respecting loss of horse on boundary between Dummer and Asphodel. Moved by Wm. Crowe and Jno. Darling that whereas it appears that Mr. Baskins has made application during last year respecting same and as the matter was left in the hands of of Mr. Hawthorne, ex-reeve, to consult with the reeve of Asphodel as to whether the same was a just claim and as Mr. Hawthorne's report recommended that this council give an equivalent to Asphodel, and as Asphodel has already given Mr. Baskins $20 towards same, resolved that this council give Mr. Baskins $15 in full compensation for his loss and that an order be drawn on the Treasurer for same.—Carried.

Moved by Thos. Webster and Jno. Darling that the following orders be paid:—A. R. Wigmore, D. O. O. P. S. D. No. 1, $3; Sam S. Spence, D. R. O. P. S. D., No. 2, $3; Thos. Campbell, D.R.O. P. S. D., No. 3, $3; F. R. Darling, D. R. O. P. S. D., No. 4, $3; James Gardiner, house for election, $2; Mrs. D. Padget, house for election, $2; Jno. Darling, Orange hall for election, $3; and orders drawn drawn on treasurer for same.—Carried.

Moved by Thos. Webster and Nathan Payne, that the clerk be authorized to notify the collector to return the roll to the treasurer not later than the 1st Feb., 1897.—Carried.

Moved by Wm. Crowe and John Darling, that an order be drawn on Treasurer for $20, in favour of Mrs. Geo. Matthews as charity.—Carried.

Bylaw No. 622 to appoint auditors, assessors, clerk and local board of health, received its several readings and was sealed and signed.

Bylaw No. 623, to provide for payment of certain money, received its first reading.

Council adjourned to meet Saturday, 13th February.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Items of All Kinds Taken From the Despatches and Paragraphed for the Convenience of Readers.

The Springhill, N.S., coal miners' strike is still on.

When Mr. McKinley goes to Washington his mother, wife, brother and nieces will accompany him.

The Treasury deficit at Washington for the 1st of January is $6,860,065, and for the fiscal year to date $44,763,300.

Fraser, the transcontinental trotter, was a Morrisburg, Ont., yesterday, seven days ahead of schedule time, and in good shape.

Lieut.-Gov. Kirkpatrick is doing as well as could be expected in the hospital at London, Eng., but will need careful attendance.

Mrs. La Francis of North Chatham, Ont., has a pearl valued at $100 which her husband found last night in an oyster on the half shell.

The Panama Canal Company is increasing the force of laborers at work on the canal. Five hundred more men are expected to arrive shortly from Carthagena.

Mr. Muckleston, teller of the Bank of Commerce at Chatham, broke through the ice while playing hockey yesterday and had a hard struggle to get out of the icy water.

The Canadian Bridge Company of Montreal are in liquidation, Mr. J. W. Ross being appointed liquidator. The liabilities will reach about $100,000 and assets about the same amount.

Dr. D. H. Muir has been chosen as the Conservative candidate in Colchester, N.S., for the Commons seat vacated by Mr. Dimock being unseated. The Liberals have not yet chosen their man.

At Philadelphia Patrick Donohue got married on Wednesday and the pair, it is said, went on a drunk. During the night the woman died and now Donohue is under arrest on suspicion of having killed her.

Frank Harris of Chatham, Ont., on Tuesday night was dying from pneumonia; he was better on Wednesday, but that night took peritonitis, and was given up to die. He is now out of danger and proposes to live a while.

Henry B. Morrison and Isabella Brown, members of the "Wang" Company, which passed through Ontario recently were married in Bay City, Mich., on Thursday night. They were New Yorkers, and it was a case of love at first sight.

The ice was blown out of the bay at Marinette, Wis., yesterday, and 30 or 40 fishermen were carried out towards Lake Michigan. All but five of the men were saved by boats, but it is feared the five will be lost. Many nets are lost.

Ocean steamship men, representing Canadian and other lines, had a secret meeting in New York yesterday, and talked over steerage rates. It was decided to let the present rates—$27 to $23.50—stand until March 15, when another conference will take place.

A Forty-Year Old Grievance Removed.

In Bath, Ont., Chase's Kidney Pills are a standard remedy. Joseph Gardner, of this town, suffered for 40 years with indigestion and its ever present accompaniments—constipation and headache. K. & L. Pills are the only remedy that gave him relief. 25c. a box, of all druggists.

Had Lost Her Screw.

Southampton, Jan. 14.—The British steamer Rhosina, Captain Thompson, which arrived here from Baltimore yesterday, reports that on Jan. 9, lat. 49 north, long. 14 west, she spoke the German tank steamer Geestemunde, from Hamburg Jan. 1, for New York. The Geestemunde had lost her screw and was returning to the British Channel under sail.

Boston Municipal Elections.

Boston, Ont., Jan. 14.—The municipal elections, held here to-day, resulted as follows: Reeve—G T Somers. Councillors—G Claryatal, H Mitchell, T Meggison and R Scott.

Fuad Won't Go.

Constantinople, Jan. 15.—The Sultan has tried to exile Marshal Fuad Pasha by appointing him to the military command of Bagdad, but Fuad refuses to go. He is hated by the palace officials because he has prevented massacres and trouble is expected.

Death of an English Baronet.

London, Jan. 15.—Sir Thomas F. Grove, Bart., is dead. He was born in 1822 and served for some years in the army. From 1885 to 1892 he was a member of Parliament for the South Division of Wiltshire.

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But just 20 cents and 40 doses in a vial of Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills.

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IN THE OPINION OF PROF. DEAN

Close of the Successful Creameries Convention at St. Mary's—Prof. Robertson on Bread and Butter for the Nation—Officers Elected for the Coming Year.

St. Mary's, Jan. 15.—The Ontario Creameries Convention closed at 5 o'clock this afternoon what is considered on all hands the most successful convention held in the twelve years of its existence. The attendance was large and the interest throughout the sessions of the three days never flagged, in fact increased, making this afternoon's session in many respects the most interesting and most profitable of the week.

Prof. Lean of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, discussed the question of the butter and cheese industry of Canada. He treated his subject in an exhaustive and able manner and argued there was much more for the people of Canada in the dairy industry of Ontario than in the mining industry of British Columbia. Gold out of the soil, which would ultimately become exhausted, would never better the country as much as butter out of the acre.

Hon. Sydney Fisher, ex-Governor Hoard of Wisconsin, C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture; J. Dillon of Prince Edward Island, all gave able addresses.

Prof. Fletcher of the Dominion Experimental Farm, Ottawa, interested the large number of ladies who were in attendance by an address on beautifying our homes.

Prof. Robertson, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, ably handled the subject, "The Nation's Bread and Butter," and at a later stage took up the subject of packing butter for shipment, and detailed to the dairymen present the result of the most recent experiments in packing and shipping. He advocated the raising of hogs in connection with cheese and butter-making, and urged upon his hearers the importance of system in every work they undertook and cleanliness in everything connected with dairying.

Prof. Fletcher occupied the greater part of the afternoon with the subject, "Injurious Insects." It was one in which the farmers were particularly interested, as was evidenced by the scores of questions asked from the audience, all of which were handled to the entire satisfaction of the questioners by Prof. Fletcher, who was as painstaking in his endeavor to give the most detailed information on the various points raised as the readiness of his answers showed him to be capable of doing. No more thorough or exhaustive address on this subject was ever given to an audience in this section of the country.

A caucus of creamery men was held at the Windsor Hotel last night and, as a result of it, a resolution protesting against the action of the Joint Committees at Toronto in abolishing the Ontario Creameries Association was put to the meeting and carried unanimously.

The association then elected officers for 1897, as follows: President, A. Wenger; first vice-president, J. Croil; second vice-president, F. J. Miller; directors, W. D. McCammon, A. Campbell, C. R. Tousaw, John Sprague, A. A. Wright, F. T. Green, James Carmichael, W. J. Walton, A. R. Robler, Daniel Eckstein, James Struthers, William Halliday, W. H. Snider.

DEATH FROM SUFFOCATION.

Almost a Fatality but for Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart—Strange Story of a Northwest Lady.

A death to be dreaded is that from suffocation, and yet this is one of the usual phases of heart disease. Mrs. J. L. Hillier, of Whitewood, N.W.T., came as near this dangerous point as need be. She says: "I was much afflicted with heart failure, in fact I could not sleep or lie down for fear of suffocation. I tried all the doctors in this section of the country, but they failed to give me relief. A local druggist recommended Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. I tried it, and with the result that I immediately secured ease that I did not know before, and after taking further doses of the medicine the trouble altogether left me. It is not too much to say that it saved my life." Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

MAGOWAN SETTLES.

The Case Brought by J. A. Barnes, Formerly of Toronto, for Alienation, Compromised.

Trenton, N.J., Jan. 15.—Counsel for both parties in the suit brought against ex-Mayor Frank A. MaGown by J. A. Barnes, formerly of Toronto, for alienating the affections of the latter's wife, formerly Miss Edith Riddell of Toronto, stated to-day that the case had been compromised out of court, and the suit would be withdrawn. Mr. Barnes claimed damages to the amount of $100,000. How much MaGown paid to settle the case is not known. Mrs. Barnes secured a divorce from her husband in Oklahoma, where MaGown at the same time secured a divorce from his wife.

RHEUMATISM CURED.

Eighteen Months Trying to get Cured—Had the Best Doctors—He Found What he Wanted in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Goderich, Jan. 11—(Special)—A case of great interest here just now is that of Mr. Alexander J. Sharkey, who for some time has been an extreme sufferer from Rheumatism. His statement to the correspondent is as follows:—

"For eighteen months I was a victim of Rheumatism and during the whole of that time was trying every means to cure it. I had the best doctors in Canada and took their prescriptions with faith and patience.

"I got tired at last, for I found the disappointment nearly as killing as the disease.

"But one friend wiser than others convinced me that my disease must be cured by way of the kidneys and recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I have used two boxes of these pills to effect a perfect cure, and I don't care who knows it."

Cobourg Lovers of Flowers.

Cobourg, Jan. 14.—The Cobourg Horticultural Society was organized in the Town Council chamber here last night. The membership list contains nearly 100 names of local residents who take delight in the culture of fruits and flowers. The following officers were elected: President, J. D. Hayden; first vice-president, John Fisher; second vice-president, Col. Skill; secretary, Major Snelgrove; treasurer, J. G. Orr; directors, A. R. Hargraft, Prof. L. E. Horning, D. Denton, E. J. Baker, Mrs. John W. Kerr and Mrs. John Hayden.

They Were Well Insured.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The insurance on the Crathern & Caverhill property, burned this morning, is as follows: On the stock, Liverpool, London and Globe, $50,000; Royal, $40,000; London, $40,000; Phoenix, $40,000; North America, $30,000; total $220,000. On the building there was an insurance of $20,000, which was carried by the London.

Mr. Hugh Alexander Allan was today elected director of the Montreal Telegraph Company in place of William Rae, deceased. Andrew Allan was re-elected president and the report adopted.

HAD INDIGESTION!

For a Matter of Some Forty Years or More.

Joseph Gardner, stove dealer, of Bath, Ontario, is a great believer in Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills for indigestion, constipation, dyspepsia, Bright's disease, rheumatism, and kidney, liver and stomach troubles generally.

"I was troubled for over forty years with indigestion and constipation," he writes. "At intervals I suffered from severe headache. I spent dollars and dollars without result until Mr. Ball, our druggist, advised me to try Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I did so, and must say that they are the only remedy that gave me relief. I would not be without them for anything."

Many people suffer from rheumatism. Bad blood and diseased kidneys bring it on. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will remedy all this and cure rheumatism, sciatica and all kindred complaints. Here is a sample case:

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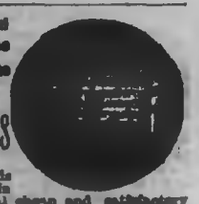

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Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

—New Boucle Effects Dress Goods at 35 cents, at Turnbull's.

T. V. C. Burglary.

The boarding house at Lock No. 5 on the T.V.C. was entered by burglars the other evening. No person was in the house at the time, and what was taken is not yet known.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5 50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

29 TH OF JANUARY is the date fixed for the Forester's Carnival in the Skating Rink, Peterborough. Good Prizes; catchy events. Look for particulars.

Reception Biscuit.

Reception biscuits made by the New York Biscuit Co. are the daintiest and most superior article you can use for a light refreshment or 5 o'clock tea. Thirty-nine varieties to choose from. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. 2d12

An "At Home."

Court Forest Queen, Canadian Order of Foresters, is issuing invitations to an "At Home" to take place on the 20th inst. A public installation of the court will take place, followed by a short programme of unusual merit. Refreshments and an informal hop will follow.

Runaway Accident.

This afternoon, as Mrs. Chas. Westlake and her sister were out driving the pony took fright at the electric car on George street, near McDonel, and ran away. On the corner of Hunter street their buggy collided with a delivery wagon, when Mrs. Westlake's sister was thrown out, slightly injuring her ankle and elbow. The pony was caught near the Peter Hamilton foundry.

Keene Carnival.

Quite a crowd went down to the Keene Carnival last night. The prizes were carried off as appended: Best dressed lady—Miss Bessie Campbell; best dressed gentleman—Reg. Turner, Peterborough; comic costume, gentleman—John Kirby; partners' race—Harry Bell, Peterborough, and Miss Lizzie Campbell, 1st; Stanley Mather and Jennie McGregor, 2nd; open race—Harry Bell, won; F. Quinn, second.

Peterborough Business College.

During this week a large number of new pupils have registered at the Peterborough Business College. To carry on the work successfully the Principals have found it necessary on account of the very large attendance to secure the services of another teacher. They have been fortunate in their choice—Miss Maud Datcher, who is well qualified in every respect to keep up the high standard of the work at this institution.

Riverside Park Skating Rink.

A prize will be offered for competition to boys' hockey clubs, open to all the schools in the county or town of Peterborough. The members of each club competing must be bona fide scholars of some school in the town or county. Those wishing to compete will please send their names to Jos. G. McGowan, secretary, who will give particulars. Box 55, Peterborough. 6d1w

Wedded In Winnipeg.

On Wednesday, December 30th, 1896, a quiet wedding was solemnized in St. John's Cathedral, Winnipeg, when Rev. Clement Williams, rector of St. Alban's, Mooselmin, diocese Q'Appelle, was united in marriage to Mary Helena, youngest daughter of Frank Elmhirst, of Pleasant Point, formerly reeve of Burleigh, and for a term Warden of the County of Peterborough. The ceremony was performed by Canon Matheson of St. John's cathedral.

The Ice Harvest.

The weather has not been very favourable to the formation of deep ice, but the quality is excellent and clear. The blocks being harvested are about fourteen inches in thickness. Apropos of the ice harvest, it may be mention that the "Banner Ward" is being unduly favoured in the matter of sleighing. There is excellent sleighing at one point, from the Little Lake to the G.P.R. station. But the energetic contractors who are shipping ice to Swift & Co., Havelock, had to draw the snow collected on the lake to make the excellent sleighing they enjoy—with less thanks to the clerk of the weather than to their own enterprise.

PRESENTATION TO MR. WM. MILLER.

His Bible Class Gives Him a Handsome Easy Chair.

Last evening the members of Mr. W. Miller's adult bible class of the George street Methodist church Sunday school assembled at the residence of Mr. H. P. Lindsay and an invitation to be present was extended to Mr. Miller.

On his arrival Mrs. Faint took the chair and called upon Mr. R. J. Winch to read the following address:

To William Miller, Esq., Peterborough:

DEAR TEACHER,—We, the members of your Bible class, avail ourselves of this opportunity of extending to you our good wishes and thankfulness for the zeal, energy and earnestness you have always displayed for our welfare in the past. You have used every available means to glean all possible information on each succeeding lesson and you have in a most clear and comprehensive manner given us the benefit of your researches, so that by your teaching you have not only increased our fund of information but have lifted us to a higher plane of life. Will you kindly condescend to accept this easy chair as a slight token of gratitude. You will accept it as a memento of that bond of Christian love and sympathy that exists between you and your class. As you rest in its embrace may it suggest to you that your class, is ready at all times to ease your burdens and lighten your labours, and may it still further suggest the glorious possibility of a united class, with teacher, of enjoying "that rest which remaineth for the people of God." May God in His mercy spare you to labour among us as teacher of the senior Bible class in George street Sabbath school, a position you have so long occupied and filled so well.

Signed on behalf of the class,

MRS. FAINT, MRS. H. P. LINDSAY, MRS. H. BRENTON, R. J. WINCH, K. MARK, J. SPENCE.

Mrs. Lindsay made the presentation, and after Mr. Miller had made a suitable acknowledgement of the unexpected gift a social hour or two were spent, refreshments being served by the ladies.

A NEW BRIDGE CONTRACT

Awarded to the Central Bridge and Engineering Works.

The Central Bridge and Engineering Works have been awarded the contract for the construction of a steel high level railway bridge in Hamilton. This bridge will be 380 feet in length, with a central arch span of 180 feet, and with two end spans of 115 and 85 feet respectively.

The bridge crosses at an angle the new C.P.R. entrance into Hamilton, and also the Desjardins Canal. It is 62 feet above the canal, 30 feet in width, and will carry the C.P.R. trains, as well as the cars of the Lake Shore Electric Line. This bridge will require in its construction about 130 tons of steel, and is to be completed by the first of May.

COUNTY COURT.

Judgment Delivered in the Case of Davis vs. the Chamberlen Estate.

His Honour Judge Weller, after taking evidence for several days in the case of Davis vs. the Chamberlen Estate, has leaned his judgment.

The action was adjourned from the December sittings of the court, and involved the taking of accounts for a considerable number of years. The plaintiff also claimed damages for excessive distress. The defendants paid into court the sum of $25 with their defence in satisfaction of the plaintiff's claim.

The judgment is for the plaintiff for the sum of $19 with costs down to the time of payment in court, and with costs to the defendants subsequent to that date. Messrs. Dumble & Johnston for the plaintiff, and Messrs. Dennistoun, Peck & Stevenson for the defendants.

PERSONAL.

Miss Lola Pettit left this afternoon on a visit to friends in Toronto.

Miss White, of Lindsay, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. R. Stratton, returned home yesterday.

Rev. R. Allin, of Bethany, will preach the annual missionary sermons in Mark street Methodist church to-morrow morning and evening.

The Lindsay Post says: His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, of Peterborough, arrived in town on the 2 o'clock train to-day, and is the guest of Monsignor Laurent.

Mr. Wm. P. Cashman, brother of Mrs. E. D. Gough, of Belleville, was married on Tuesday to Miss Florence Dombey Fahey. Miss Dollie Cashman and Mr. J. H. Cashman filled the posts of bridesmaid and groomsman. The young couple will live in Barrie.

—Turnbull is selling Men's and Boys' Scalette Caps at 60c. each.

Cheap Sleigh-riding.

The youngsters haven't had much chance for coasting this winter so far. That may be one reason why the Peterborough Book Store has more hand-sleighs in stock than usual; but it's no reason why there should be lots of fun yet and plenty of snow to make a brisk demand for hand-sleighs. However, come what may, these sleighs must be sold and to hurry them out we have marked them down to bare cost. P. S.—Simply this, more and better Sunday reading for you money than ever before at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CHILDREN'S AID.

THE YEARLY REPORT OF THE SOCIETY'S SECRETARY.

An Increased Interest Being Manifested in the Work Undertaken by This Most Excellent Organization — A Large Attendance of Members.

The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society took place yesterday, with an attendance which was most gratifying to those interested in its progress and welfare.

The president, Sheriff Hall, presided, and amongst those present were the following: Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, Mrs. Aaron Cox, Mrs. Birdsall, Mrs. Beck, Mrs. O'Sullivan, Miss Beck, Miss Dunlop, Miss Stewart, Miss Nicholls, Mrs. John McKee, Mrs. John Gilchrist, Mrs. B. F. Ackerman, Mrs. J. G. Potter, Mrs. Chas. McGill, Rev. H. Symonds, J. H. Burnham, Geo. Cochrane, F. W. Miller, H. S. Macdonald, A. C. Dunlop, Peter Campbell, J. J. McBain, Rev. J. J. Rae and Rev. J. G. Potter.

Letters were read by the hon. secretary, Mr. Hampden Burnham, from Miss Code and Mrs. Kendry, expressing regrets at being unable to be present and expressing the desire to retire from the Board of Management, though still continuing as active members of the society. A like communication was also received from Lakefield in which was an enclosure of ten dollars. The donor wished the name suppressed in this case.

The secretary then read his annual report as appended:

SECRETARY TREASURER'S REPORT.

Fourth annual report of the Secretary of the Children's Aid Society of the town and county of Peterborough:

The work of the Society continues to grow in usefulness. It has taken a long time for the Society to become acquainted with the circumstances and requirements of the less fortunate portion of the community, but the time has been well spent and may be expected to bear fruit. One very noticeable feature in the increasing number of people who ask advice of the society's officers. A vast amount of good work is being done by the other societies in town, and they have not been slow to assist your society in every way possible. The management of the Protestant Home and of the hospitals cannot be too sincerely thanked for their patience in providing temporary care for the sick and neglected children coming into the Society's control. It will be interesting to give as usual a few cases which are more more or less typical of the long list of the year. A widower with five small children did everything in his power to shirk his responsibility to them and to throw them helplessly upon the world. He was promptly brought before the magistrate by the society, which agreed to take one for adoption—a girl aged 9 years, but put the others in temporary shelter only. He was warned to look for work at once. He did so, secured it and earned two dollars a day. Again it was necessary to bring him to time, when, to escape punishment, he paid for the temporary care of four children and took them into his keeping. This was some time ago, but the result has continued satisfactory in every particular. The second case was when the husband and wife living in the country had separated. The prospect of reconciliation was remote. Careful inquiries were made and the complaint against the man was found substantiated. He was then brought before the magistrate for non-support of his children. After a long examination the cause of the misunderstanding was cleared up. A complete reconciliation followed between husband and wife and a letter of gratitude was afterwards received by the society. The reconciliation has been permanent. The third case was that of an orphan boy sent into the country by an orphanage. He ran away and came into town but had no idea who had put him in his foster home. He was given temporary shelter and inquiries resulted in finding the orphanage. He was taken back to the Home in Toronto, which expressed their gratitude and said he was in the worst condition of any boy sent out by them. A fourth case is that of a family in the country in great poverty, whose eldest boy, aged 10, was growing up without any of the advantages of a decent life. The father and mother asked the Society to take him and this was done. He is still in the temporary shelter, but is going to school for the first time, and bids fair to be a success.

For some time the management has been of opinion that all cases of charity should be investigated in order that the growing evil of shiftless pauperism might be checked. The town is about to appoint a relief officer to act as general secretary, and to whom the church and charitable societies may report. As this forms a necessary part of the Society's work, the relief officer cannot assist us much, but will, no doubt, be an improvement on the previous method of administering charity.

To the Management of the Protestant Home and of the Hospitals, we cannot be to grateful for their patience and kindness. To the press we are under the deepest obligation, and from the police court of town and county we have received every assistance. As usual Mr. Finch Miller, the agent, has proved an invaluable officer. A wider interest than ever ever before has been displayed in the Society's work, and it is not too much to say that the committee heartily approves of it. The Charity Committee of the town council in their last report to the council, say as follows: "We would recommend the Children's Aid Society to the support of all classes."

Number of children placed during the year in adoption, 12.

Number of children about whom complaints were made and inquired into, 60.

Cases in police court, 9.

Number in temporary shelter and awaiting adoption, 4.

Some warnings were also sent for ill treatment of wives and children.

During the year $304.78 has been received and $324.83 expended, leaving $99.95 in the bank.

HAMPDEN BURNHAM,
Hon. Sec.-Treas of C. A. S.

On motion of Mr. Peter Campbell and Rev. J. J. Rae the excellent and comprehensive report was adopted.

A report was then read from a constable of Dummer, descriptive of a family living in that township, the members of which are in great need. The mother and father are described as "incapables" and there are eight children, which are enumerated as appended:—William aged 14 (imbecile), Abbey 12, Minnie 10, James 8, Ben and Mandy (twins) 6, Martha 4, Emmie 2. The shanty in which they live is a miserable one and the shakedown in the corner, on which the whole family sleeps, is described as a "terror" by the constable.

Sheriff Hall stated that the family had been brought into gaol some time ago and only released on the undertaking of the township of Dummer to support them. The township, he stated, should be brought to time regarding this matter and made to live up to its undertaking.

County Constable Cochrane gave a graphic description of the needs of the family, the members of which, he stated, ran about half clothed, summer and winter. The shake down spoken of by Constable Crowe consisted of a bunch of brush thrown into the corner.

On motion of Mr. J. J. McBain and Rev. H. Symonds the matter was handed over to the Board of Managers for settlement.

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS

was the next order of business, and resulted as follows:

Pres.—Sheriff Hall.
1st Vice-Pres.—A. C. Dunlop.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. J. B. McWilliams.
Sec.-treas.—Hampden Burnham.
Asst.-Sec.—F. W. Miller.
Solicitors—E. B. Edwards and R. Max Dennistoun.
Auditor—H. S. Macdonald.
Agent—F. W. Miller.
Board of Managers—Mrs. G. F. Ward, Mrs. A. L. Davis, Mrs. Beck, Mrs. John McKee, Miss Martha Dickson, Mrs. O'Sullivan, Miss Beck, Mrs. John Gilchrist, Rev. Father Scanlan, Rev. Dr. Torrance, Rev. J. J. Rae, Rev. H. Symonds, J. J. McBain, W. B. Bamford, Peter Campbell, J. L. Hughes and Mayor Yelland.

The selection of the Advisory Committee was left to the Board.

In moving the re election of Mr. H. Burnham to the office of Secretary-Treasurer, Rev. Mr. Symonds, took occasion to congratulate the Society on having amongst its officers one who devoted so much time to the Society's calls. It gave Mr. Symonds a great deal of pleasure to hear so excellent a report read. By these signs it could be seen that the people were becoming aware of the grand work of the Society and, that they were taking an interest in it, was shown by the subscriptions which came in. Those interested in it at the beginning knew with what difficulties the Society had to contend, and the speaker had no hesitation in saying that but for the zeal and determination of the Secretary, the Society could never have prospered to the extent which it was now doing.

A vote of thanks was passed to the press, the hospitals, the Peterborough Protestant Home and the town and county councils for courtesies and kindnesses exthnded during the year.

Before the meeting adjourned, Sheriff Hall thanked those who were present, stating that it was a great encouragement to find the Society awakening such an interest in the community as to occasion so large an attendance.

A TORONTO SOCIETY EVENT.

In Which a Former Peterborough Lady Shines as Hostess.

Saturday night says: Senator and Mrs. Cox gave a large afternoon reception on Saturday last, which would have been a crush of the most suffocating description in almost any other house in town. But the spacious and excellently planned home in Sherbourne street defies an ordinary crowd; the rooms are in themselves so large and so admirably connected that ingress and egress gave everyone a chance to make room when the guests clustered too close. The Senator and Mrs. Cox, with Mrs. Davis, (nee Cox) received in the south room, and a glance at their kindly faces assured everyone that they love to welcome their friends to such informal gatherings. Like good father Noah, the Senator has his three sons and their three wives, and they were able aide to entertain the many guests. Mrs. Ed. Cox and her young soeur adoptee, Mrs. Bert Cox, with handsome Mrs. Fred (nee Swan) were three busy women, reinforced by a pretty party of young girls in the drawing-room, where the buffet was loaded with dainties and made beautiful with Dunlop's choicest blooms.

Scrofula

Infests the blood of humanity. It appears in varied forms, but is forced to yield to Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies and vitalizes the blood and cures all such diseases. Read this:

"In September, 1894, I made a misstep and injured my ankle. Very soon afterwards,

A Sore

two inches across formed and in walking to favor it I sprained my ankle. The sore became worse; I could not put my boot on and I thought I should have to give up at every step. I could not get any relief and had to stop work. I read of a cure of a similar case by Hood's Sarsaparilla and concluded to try it. Before I had taken all of two bottles the sore had healed and the swelling had gone down. My

Foot

is now well and I have been greatly benefited otherwise. I have increased in weight and am in better health. I cannot say enough in praise of Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. H. BLAKE, So. Berwick, Me.

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Special prices for Evening Parties, whether Progressive Games, Pedro or Euchre—5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c per package.

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Combination Crokinole, Checkers and Table. Readily taken up, and adapted to old and young of both sexes. A very social game, as it admits of free conversation and furnishes entertainment to any number of spectators as well as the parties playing. Sufficiently fascinating to make home the most attractive place.

Fort.

Purely a game of skill. Everyone present can take part. Played with cue and balls.

Louisa.

Parchesi Revised. Combines chance with moderate skill. Played by the throws of two dice, four men of each player are entered.

Steeple Chase.

A mimic horse race. Horses are entered and moved over the spaces on the race track according to the throws of dice.

Parcheesi.

The back gammon board of India. The Eastern Rajahs are passionately fond of Parcheesi.

Halma.

A magnificent game to while away a pleasant hour. It is for two, three or four players, but even one may play a lone hand and improve the mental faculties by studying its "solitaires."

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One of the most remarkable games. It is tit-tat-to improved. Yet with all its simplicity it fascinates old as well as young.

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Only one to each customer while they last.

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It's more like investing money than spending money when you buy underwear—especially now, from us. The prices on all lines of Underwear in our stock are forced down as low as possible. We want to sell while the demand is strong.

Infants' Long Sleeve Wool Vests, were 15c., for 10c.

Ladies' Heavy Merino Vests and Drawers, were 60c., for 35c.

Ladies' Wool Vests, fine finish, were 50c., for 39c.

Ladies' Wool Drawers, ribbed, were 75c., for 50c.

Ladies' Health Brand Wool Vests, were $1.25, for 97c.

Ladies' Health Brand Wool Vests, were $1.00, for 75c

Ladies' Health Brand Wool Combination Suits, $2.50, for $1.75.

Misses' and Children's Wool Vests, were 50c. to 70c., for 35c. each.

Men's Scotch Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, fine rib finish, natural facings, were $1.00, for 75c.

Man's Heavy Ribbed Wool Underwear, were 75c., for 59c.

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LOCAL NEWS.

—Zephyr and Berlin Wools in all shades at Turnbull's.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

Don't forget the annual meeting of the Y.W.C.A. in their rooms this evening at 8 o'clock.

Saturday Bargains at Gratton & Co's.—Boys' Grey Persian Lamb Caps, worth $3, reduced to $1.98. See them.

Right You Are!

The Lakefield News says:—"Ex-Reeve Casement sat in the Council nine years as reeve, and never missed signing the minutes during his long office. Where is there another municipal officer who can say as much?"

Corns! Corns!

Tender, painful corns, bleeding corns painlessly removed in twenty-four hours. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor acts magically. Try it and be convinced.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

Egg, Stove or Chestnut	$5 50 per ton
No. 2 Nut	5 00 "
Anthroxolite	4 50 "
Pea	3 50 "

Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 230 Charlotte street. Telephone 306.

Woman's Leap Year Privileges.

And now the maiden lady
Resumes her humble sphere;
Her dangerous perogative
Died with the ended year.

The bachelor now may walk abroad
Beset by fears no more;
The maid may not the question pop
Till 1904.

Rubbing It In.

Never use a liniment for rheumatism, says a high medical authority. Do'nt rub it in—drive it out. Take something that removes the acid poison from the blood—take something that will improve your digestion, and build up the body to the perfection of robust health. That "something" is Scott's Sarsaparilla, a medicine that obtains the best results in the shortest time. $1, of all druggists.

Officers of the 57th Buglers.

At a meeting of the buglers of the 57th Battalion last night, the following officers were elected: President, Fred Browne; Vice-President—Thos. Meredith; Secretary-Treas.—W. L. Sharpe; Executive—A. Burleigh, W. L. Sharpe and Thos. Meredith. A meeting of the members is called for Monday evening, when arrangements will be made for attending the Lakefield carnival, where the boys have been engaged to play.

M. L. Henry & Co. to Their Customers.

The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to use our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their accounts without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

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A SNAKE STORY.

Mr. Robert Fife, of Smith, Goes Mr. Savigny One Better.

Mr. Robert Fife, of Smith, was in to tell the EXAMINER this morning that although Mr. Savigny, of Stewart's, Otonabee, had seen a robin early in the week, he knew of several men who had seen a snake crawling around near the town hall in Dummer, on January 4th.

The story would not have been so surprising, in the dead of winter, if instead of several men seeing one snake, one man had seen several.

Mr. Savigny will now have to take a back seat, for although robins are certainly scarce in winter, yet snakes are even of a more retiring disposition and generally are out of sight for their long winter sleep long before the first frost sets in.

AT THE COLLEGIATE.

Students Getting in Trim for the Mid-summer Exams.

The students who intend writing at the examinations at the Collegiate Institute are all in attendance. Those who were unable to report the first week began work last Monday morning.

There are some changes made in the form and requirements of the examination for next year, which many of the students do not apparently understand. The Junior Leaving examination for next year will be divided into two parts. Part I. will be arithmetic, grammar and English history. Part II. will be, composition, literature, algebra, geometry, ancient history, chemistry and (a) physics and botany, or (b) Latin, or (c) Greek, or (d) French, or (e) German.

Any person who has passed on the subjects of Part I. may complete the examination by passing on the subjects of Part II. and vice versa.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—If the party who took the ladder belonging to J. J. Turner & Son from the front of P. H. Green's photograph gallery does not bring it back they will be prosecuted, as they are known.

—In the assault case of James Cummings vs. Miles Coon, the defendant was fined $2 and $10.71 costs. The defendant failed to respond to a summons on Nov. 28th, and therefore the costs were somewhat heavy.

—Piece Dress Goods cut down to one length, marked at a bargain to clear at Turnbull's.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

Four more matches were played off in the Jones medal draw yesterday, with the result that the Thistles gained two points on their opponents. The games yesterday were as appended:—

Granites.		*Thistles.*
	RINK NO. 1.	
E B Stone,		R Hay,
R H Fortye,		C LeBrun,
G E Whiten,		C Rutherford,
G W Hatton, sk....	17	Geo J Hopkins, sk... 11
	RINK NO. 2.	
C Matthews,		W E Lech,
R E Wood,		J S Knapman,
W L Allen,		J Stanger,
H M Allen, sk.....	11	S Ray, sk..... 20
	RINK NO. 3.	
A C Milne,		H Snowden,
H J Grassette,		John McKee,
W Salisbury,		A St A Smith,
W D Parker, sk.....	18	J McClelland, sk..... 10
	RINK NO. 4.	
J D Collins,		R H Fortye,
Geo Giroux,		C N Brown,
E H D Hall,		Geo Fitzgerald,
D W Dumble, sk....	13	D Belleghem, sk..... 20

The following is the standing of the respective clubs in the contest:—

J Connal	25	R H Kells	7
Geo Edmison	15	H LeBrun	12
R M Dennistoun	11	R B McKee	14
E B Edwards	17	J B Pentland	15
T P Attrell	19	W G Ferguson	12
G W Hatton	17	Geo J Hopkins	11
H M Allen	11	S Ray	20
W D Parker	18	J McClelland	10
D W Dumble	13	D Belleghem	20
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Majority for Granites, 25 shots.

The following rinks have yet to play off:

Dr Boucher	vs.	John McKee
Judge Weller	vs.	S Clegg
R S Davidson	vs.	T Rutherford

Skips LeBrun and Brown contested on the curling ice yesterday for a double set of brooms, with the following result:

Geo Lee,	A J Gough,
M Snowden,	H Phelan,
D Belleghem,	R S Davidson,
E Brown, sk..... 7	H LeBrun, sk..... 19

HOCKEY.

A large crowd will accompany the intermediate team to Norwood on Monday evening when they will play their first O. H.A. match of the season. The party will go down at eight o'clock on the local and return on a special.

The following players are called out for practice this evening:

Dixon	goal	Wasson
Thorne	point	Montgomery
Adams	cover point	Borland
Rubidge	forwards	Grubbe
Belleghem		Davidson
Crossley		King
Graham		Phelan

H R H Kenner—Referee.

A junior team is in Lindsay playing a return match to-day.

The Brantford Expositor, speaking of Codling, a new player on that town's team, says: His relieving was phenomenal. He seemed to lift the puck from one end of the rink to the other with the utmost nonchalance. Three times he scored from the other end of the rink—a remarkable feat, and one which was never equalled to our knowledge in the history of hockey.

SAD FOREBODINGS OF AUTUMN WEATHER.

Thousands Who Dread an Attack of Catarrh as Winter's Cold Approaches—Yet Catarrh Can be Banished Under the Magic Touch of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder.

This is not a dogmatic statement, strong as it may seem. Leading members of parliament, the most prominent clergymen of the Episcopal, Presbyterian, Methodist, Baptist and Roman Catholic churches, have borne testimony to the effectiveness of this medicine. Mr. John MacEdwards, the popular purser of the Canadian Pacific steamer "Athabasca," is one who was cured of intense suffering from catarrhal troubles by the use of this medicine. Good Samaritan-like, he has ever since recommended it to any who suffer. Head off an attack of catarrh by having this medicine at your hand. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

Just Arrived.

We have imported for your special benefit a choice lot of British Columbia canned Salmon, Cross & Blackwell's celebrated English pickles. Sardines in oil; also in mustard. We have the finest line of groceries obtainable always in stock. A call will not disappoint either you or E. BROWN & Co., 393 George street.

P.S.—We have made special arrangements to handle Gooderham & Worts' whiskey on draught.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

Messrs. Mercer & Co. have Decided on its Adoption on Feb. 1st.

Beginning with the 1st of February next, the business of Messrs. Mercer & Co. will be conducted upon a strictly cash basis. An experience of forty years has demonstrated to them them that while the Credit System was suited to the conditions of business in the early history of the town, it is now neither in the interest of the merchant nor the customer. Competition in all lines has become so keen that it is necessary in order to meet the demands of customers, that prices be reduced to the lowest possible plane, consistent with effective service. This the cash system alone will effect.

Everyone can understand that the very best figures are accorded the merchant who enters the wholesale market cash in hand. To do this he must insist on ready money transactions with his patrons, who receive the benefit of the very lowest possible prices, for, in addition to the advantage of cash buying there is no margin required to cover uncollected accounts or to meet bank discounts. In fine, everything is in favour of reducing the cost of doing business, and, of course, the customers get the full advantage.

In view of these facts, Messrs. Mercer & Co. decided to adopt the STRICTLY CASH SYSTEM, both in buying and selling, firmly believing that it will permit them to furnish the very best quality of goods at the lowest prices possible. They will, therefore, they reasonably claim, be in a position to furnish the most exclusive lines of cloth, tailoring sundries and general gentlemen's furnishings at figures that will be found to be the lowest representation of good values ever offered the public of Peterborough. With the help of the confidence inspired by forty years honourable dealing with the public—since 1857—the firm of Mercer & Co., under the new departure feel that they are in a position to meet the wants of the public under more favourable conditions and able to furnish the most fashionable fabrics, high class styles and generally acceptable goods on terms that will ensure the highest degree of satisfaction. The advertisement of the firm in another column, as well as those that will appear during the year, may be studied with profit to the reader.

POULTRY AND PET STOCK ASSOCIATION.

An Important Meeting of the Directors of the Peterborough Central Poultry and Pet Stock Association—An Energetic Programme Inaugurated.

A meeting of the directors of this association was held in the Morgan House, on Friday evening, January 15th, for the purpose of drafting constitution bylaws, rules and regulations and other business. The President, Mr. J. Fred Davidson, was in the chair. There were also present Directors Geo. Pratley, J. A. Davidson, W. H. Taylor, Harry Lush, W. C. Rightmyer, R. Cockburn, Smith, Milburn, J. H. Garbutt and Mr. Collins, secretary. Among other business transacted, John A. Davidson was elected second Vice-President. The secretary was instructed to get copies of constitution, bylaws, etc. The date for the annual meeting was fixed for March (except this year)—the newly elected officers holding office till 1898. It was decided to hold an exhibition in the latter part of December, 1897, also to hold public meetings in the interest of the association early in the months of November, December, January, February and March to discuss the poultry interests by the giving of short addresses, readings, essays or papers. The first meeting will be held (place of meeting to be announced later on Monday, February 1st, at 7.30 p. m., when it is expected the Farmers' Institute deputation, composed of Messrs. Rawlings, Myer and Caston, who will be at Bridgenorth on Saturday, January 30th, and North Monaghan on Monday, February 1st, will be present and address the meeting. A paper on "the general management of poultry" will be read by R. Cockburn, of Lakefield. Discussion invited and all are welcome.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 16,—6.30 a.m. ..... 29° above zero

There was a sudden rise in the temperature last night of 18°, or from 11° to 29°.

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	21°	3°

The minus sign (—) signifies below zero.

Exposure to Disease

Does not necessarily mean contraction of disease provided the system is in a vigorous condition, with the blood pure and all the organs in healthy action. When in such a condition contagion is readily resisted and the disease germs can find no lodgment. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best medicine to build up the system because it makes pure, rich blood, and pure blood is the basis of good health. In cold weather it is especially necessary to keep up the health tone because the body is subject to greater exposure and more liable to disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the safeguard of health.

Fine Furniture at Low Prices.

It is seldom that this chance comes to pick up such really fine things in handsome chairs, centre tables, screens, etc., are now being shown in Clegg's furniture store window. The tickets placed on the goods tell the tale of a substantial reduction. No better goods can be had in the cities. Every article guaranteed as superior in design in material and in finish.

—Best place in town for vellings at Turnbull's.

CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be two masses celebrated, the first at 8 a.m., the second at 10.30 a. m., and Vespers at 7 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate. Second Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 17th. 8.30 a.m. Celebration of Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon; 3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible classes; 7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon by Rev. H Symonds. Ushers on duty—Messrs. R. Fair, W. G. Howden, H. Clurton and W. J. Montgomery.

ST. JOHN'S MISSION CHAPEL.—Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets, 2nd Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 17th 11 a.m. Sermon and celebration of Holy Communion; 3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class; 7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. Baptisms in the chapel by appointment with the clergy.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B. A., pastor. Jan. 17th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. conducted by pastor. Sabbath School and Bible class 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Monday at 8 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Seats free. Junior C. E. meets every Sunday at 4 o'clock.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance D. D., pastor, Sunday, Jan. 17th. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Communion service will be held at 11 a.m. Subject of the evening sermon—"Is Life Worth Living?" Special collections for colle es Sunday School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Y.P.S. C.E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. J. Rae, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 17th.—Service at 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday school and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. H. Young, B. A., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 17th. Services at 11 and 7 p.m. conducted by the Pastor. Sunday school and Bible class at at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats. Grace church Sunday School at 10 a.m.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 17th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 3.00 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all are welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. F. Tapscott, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be cordially welcomed. Regular meeting of Young People's Society on Wednesday evening.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST.—Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., in the rooms in the Bank of Commerce Block, entrance on Water street, same as Business College. Public meeting every Friday night at 8 o'clock. A welcome extended to all.

—Fullcloth, best quality, at 40c. a yard at Turnbull's.

The weather for to-day:—Mild, with snow storm coming.

One of the things much needed around the house and the office is a good paste—always ready and willing to stick. We have a kind used in the government offices at Ottawa—30 cents for a large jar, worth 40c; small bottles, 10c.

SAILSBURY & CO.

Can Accommodate a Few More

Our rooms have rapidly filled during the last two weeks, but we have still room for a few more.

DAY STUDENTS.

Any one contemplating entering this season should make arrangements at once.

NIGHT SCHOOL.

The Night School will close the last of April. Those entering now will only be charged for THREE MONTHS COURSE.

PRINGLE & McCREA, BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

TOWNSHIP OF ENNISMORE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL Ratepayers of above township are required to present their Tax Bills to the Collector when paying their taxes.

By order of council,

MICHAEL MURRAY.

January 7th, 1897. 2w3

SPOT CASH.

FULL DRESS SUITS Satin Lined and up-to-date, Only $29.50.

ROBT. WEIR,

Merchant Tailor,

ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES,

422 George Street.

WALLER & CO.

It is NOT true that Waller & Co. have closed their business, or ever had any intention of doing so, but it IS true that they have closed their Books, parted company with CREDIT, and are selling strictly for CASH and One Price, and that the lowest in town.

CASH IS KING

and we intend to prove to every customer that if any grocer can afford to sell groceries at the lowest possible margin it is WALLER & CO., who buys for Cash and sells for Cash the very best goods the market affords.

Give us a trial order, and if we can't prove our case, don't give us another trial.

A CAR LOAD OF STEARN BICYCLES

Will arrive next week at TALBOT BROS., the leading Tobacconists of Peterborough. Watch for their coming if you think of riding a wheel when the spring time comes.

Better Cigars or Better Tobaccos are not manufactured than you can buy at TALBOT BROS. The new Smoking Mixture—"Creme de la Creme" is a daisy for all connoisseurs of a cool, sweet smoke.

Our Big 4 Combination is getting a great gait on. Think of it—4 first-class 10c Cigars for only 25c.

Great inducements to Hotelmen, Town and County Store Keepers and Jobbers, buying in quantities.

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough, Sign of the Indian Queen. **TALBOT BROS**

DRESS GOODS! DRESS GOODS!

W. W. JOHNSTON

Will have a special sale of Dress Goods of the D. O. LeGendre Stock

Commencing SATURDAY, January 9th.

Included in the sale is a nice lot of those New Wrapperettes, the most fashionable goods in the market for Ladies Wrappers, which will be sold at 10c per yard, usually sold at 15c.

There is a splendid stock of Black and Coloured All Wool Dress Goods, in all the different Fabrics.

Also received Two Thousand Dollars worth of Furs, the balance of the Bankrupt Stock of the noted furrier Joseph Rogers, Toronto. These goods are not intended to be placed in competition with the fag end of the Lugadin and other stocks lately brought to town by a local furrier. All are invited to call and see our stock.

NOTE THE PLACE, 323 George St., Opposite Market Arcade.

W. W. JOHNSTON.

THE HOUSEKEEPER'S CHANCE.

We Wan't Your Gold and Will Pay You Well For it.

These . . TEAS Will Please You

The prices will make you happy. We're selling lots of goods below the market these days. In order to unload a big stock of Teas we will sell for the next 30 days at wholesale prices:—

50c Tea at 35c per lb.	Soaps at 6 Bars for 25c.
40c Tea at 30c per lb.	Canned Salmon (a1) 10c can
30c Tea at 22½c per lb.	Corn, Tomatoes,
25c Tea at 20c per lb.	Beans, Peas,
or 2 lbs. for 35c.	4 cans either, 25c.

These prices are cash and cash only. The goods are all fresh and fine stock. Just as long as water runs down hill will we continue to keep our wheel in the stream.

THOS. BRADY Corner Brock and George Streets.

N. B.—Outstanding accounts must be paid, as we require a large sum within the next thirty days. Brady's need is the housekeeper's opportunity.

Well Stocked Again!

C. B. ROUTLEY'S

Reliable Old Stand has been re-stocked again by

C. F. KUTZBACH

With all the newest lines in the market. All old customers and as many new ones that will come will be respectfully and leniently dealt with. All goods of the best. Lowest price will prevail.

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(Successor to C. B. Routley.)

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BARRISTER, &c., &c.

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In the County of Peterborough and surrounding district at 5% on Gilt Edge Securities.

Only

A LITTLE COUGH but it may develop into some serious malady.

Only

A LITTLE DELAY but it may make all the difference in the world to you in your health.

Madill's Pulmonic Cough Syrup

Is guaranteed to cure or money refunded.

25c. and 50c. PER BOTTLE.

FOR SALE ONLY BY

WM. MADILL

Chemist and Druggist.

142 Hunter St. Peterborough.

The Little Lake Cemetery Co.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the Little Lake Cemetery will be held at the

Town Council Chamber, Peterborough,

—ON—

MONDAY, 18th JANUARY INST.

at Three P. M., for the purpose of Electing Directors for the present year, the presentation of the Financial Statement and Reports of the past year, and the transaction of other necessary business.

R. A. PECK, SECRETARY. HENRY DENNE, 626lw PRESIDENT.

Dated the 9th day of January, 1897.

UNTOLD MISERY FROM RHEUMATISM

C. E. King, Water Valley, Miss., cured by

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

"For five years, I suffered untold misery from muscular rheumatism. I tried every known remedy, consulted the best physicians, visited Hot Springs, Ark., three times, spending $1000 there, besides doctors' bills; but could obtain only temporary relief. My flesh was wasted away so that I weighed only ninety-three pounds; my left arm and leg were drawn out of shape, the muscles

being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 165 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

AYER'S

The Only World's Fair Sarsaparilla.

AYER'S PILLS cure Headache.

AFRAID OF THE PLAGUE.

France and Italy Taking Measures Against England and India.

London, Jan. 15.—France and Italy are taking strict precautions against England and India on account of the cholera and the bubonic plague, the former on account of the British steamship Nubia, which recently arrived at Plymouth with cases of cholera on board and from which all the troops except a few who are in hospitals have been landed. The Nubia has been docked in London, and no further cases of serious sickness among her recent passengers have been reported. There is no excitement at Plymouth, although the Hamburg-American line steamers will touch at Southampton instead of at Plymouth for the present on their trips from New York to Hamburg. France now subjects all passengers from Plymouth to five days' inspection. Both countries have issued decrees providing against the possible introduction of the plague.

Relief for Famine Sufferers.

Bombay, Jan. 15.—The Maharajah of Durbhangah has remitted eight lacs of rupees of his revenue and will expend a similar amount in the famine relief work.

COULD NOT TURN IN BED.

Terrible Suffering of an Elora Lady From Rheumatism—Fifteen Years a Sufferer, but Cured by Two Bottles of South American Rheumatic Cure.

No pen can describe the intensity of suffering that may come from an attack of rheumatism. "For fifteen years," says Mrs. John Beaumont, of Elora, Ont. "I have been more or less troubled with rheumatism, which took the form of pains in my back, often confining me to my bed, and rendering me part of the time wholly unfit for my duties. At times I suffered so intensely that I could not turn in my bed, and the disease was fast reaching a point where both myself and my husband had become thoroughly discouraged of recovery. A friend recommended South American Rheumatic Cure, and after the first bottle I was able to sit up, and before four bottles were taken I was able to go about as usual, and have been in excellent health ever since. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

Mrs. P., says: My daughter was pale and weakly for two years; she took Miller's Compound Iron Pills for one month and is now well and strong. 50 doses 25 cents Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

That hacking cough can be quickly cured by Hagard's Pectoral Balsam. Price 25c.

PYNY-PECTORAL

Positively Cures

COUGHS and COLDS

in a surprisingly short time. It's a scientific curiosity, tried and true, soothing and healing in its effects.

W. C. McCOMBE & SON,
Beauharnois, Que.,

report in a letter that Pyny-Pectoral cured Mrs. G. Gagnon of chronic cold in chest and bronchial tubes, and also cured W. C. McCombe of a lung disorder, &c.

Mr. J. H. HUTTY, Chemist,
328 Yonge St., Toronto, writes:

"As a general cough and lung syrup Pyny-Pectoral is a most invaluable preparation. In fact, Pyny, the newest contribution to all who suffer from lung disease, comes to me of the highest character from all who have tried it. It is suitable for old or young, being pleasant to the taste. In sale with me it has been wonderful, and I can strongly recommend it as a safe and reliable cough medicine."

Large Bottle, 25 Cts.

DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO., Ltd.
Sole Proprietors
MONTREAL

VICTORY FOR CANADA.

Uncle Sam's Curlers Beaten at the Big Bonspiel in Toronto.

Toronto, Jan. 15.

The third quinquennial curling contest between representative curlers of the United States and Canada is over and Uncle Sam's brithers have still an unbroken string of defeats. The game was played yesterday afternoon and evening on Victoria and Granite ice.

There were 26 rinks a side in the game, or 216 men.

The total was 471 points to 287. Although beaten, the visitors thoroughly enjoyed the game. They have several rink scalps to show and the possessors of these finished in an unusually merry mood.

"They talk about going to Florida for the winter," said one of them. "My choice would be a month of curling here every season."

The ice was keen, and nearly perfect, the contests invariably spirited and everywhere the best of good-nature and fellowship prevailed. In some quarters there was an impression that some of the visitors were not up to the fine points of the game, but every spectator was soon convinced that Uncle Sam's brithers are foemen worthy of any Canadian's steel. Of course they were beaten, but it must be remembered that the pick of the Dominion curlers from Winnipeg to Montreal were playing their cousins, and their hundred and odd minority is no disgrace.

The visitors were dined at the Granite and Victoria at 7 o'clock, and the afternoon gomes were played over again. Besides the jolly brithers recounted matches played years ago and a most pleasant time was spent.

President Thomas Woodyatt was at the head of the Victoria table. There was little time for speeches and he briefly proposed the health of the visitors. Louis Kirkover, the veteran Buffalo skip, responded.

At the Granite, C. C. Dalton, one of the officers of the association, was in the chair. He was happy in his little speech, and they drank to the health of their guests with enthusiasm. David Foulis of New York replied.

—At the Granite—Afternoon—

St. Mary's		N. Y. Caledonian	
J D Moore		W Archibald	
W Somerville		R Archibald	
T O Robson		T T Archibald	
W Andrews, sk.	27	D Foulis, sk.	6
Toronto Press		N Y Thistles	
F H Elmore		F McKay	
F J Nelson		Alex. McKay	
A N Garrett		John Watt	
C W Taylor, sk.	15	Thomas Watt, sk.	22
Winnipeg		John O'Groat's	
W Ellersly		J Waters	
C Cormell		G Munson	
F Payne		D McKaskill	
Dr Jamieson, sk.	24	D Oag, sk.	15
Granite		Utica	
K Dunstan		Frank Jones	
O F Rice		A H Bellew	
R C McHarrie		R Kilin	
G R Hargraft, sk.	18	J E McLaughlin,	19
Granite		New York	
C Boeckh		A Sims	
B C Webber		A J Fulton	
R Watson		W Hogg	
C C Dalton, sk.	27	C S Ogden, sk.	16
Montreal		N. Y. Thistles	
C H Whitelaw		George Turnbull	
A J Hubbard		T Watson	
G H McKenzie		James Thaw	
T Williamson, sk.	24	A Fraser, sk.	16

—At the Victoria Rink—Afternoon—

Toronto		Utica	
D Gilbert		E L Munson	
A E Plummer		F J Cronin	
H A Drummonds		H I Johnson	
Dr J W Leslie, sk.	14	A C Salisbury, sk	14
Toronto		Empire City	
R Southam		Geo. W Peene	
W W Belding		J L Robertson	
J Bain		A Manwell	
J S Russell, sk.	19	Jas. F Couley, sk	12
Toronto		Buffalo	
R Myles		J B Weber	
R D Gamble		E P Smith	
Hon. A M Ross		P A Vogt	
Col Sweny, sk.	20	L Kirkover, sk.	14
Brantford		Buffalo	
H W Bickell		S E Plewes	
K H Cameron		W Denzinger	
A Cecil Gibson		W A Wilson	
T Woodyatt, sk.	14	Geo. Metzger, sk.	13
Hamilton Thistles		Buffalo	
J Leggatt		G McArthur	
D R Dewey		E J Meyer	
Jas. Thomson		W McCracken	
J Kerner, sk.	27	J F Berrick, sk.	15
Hamilton Thistles		Buffalo	
R R Bruce		J Knauss	
J B Young		C O'Nink	
S Balfour		P Heins	
T C Hazlett, sk.	24	Dr Frost, sk.	14
Lindsay		Buffalo	
R A Miller		O Rudolf	
W Needler		J Weyand	
I A McMillan		J A Nebelhoer	
J D Flavelle, sk.	31	Geo Bleistein, sk.	10
Total	149	Total	92

—Granite—Evening—

Prospect Park		Utica	
Thos. Mounce		A T Whitney	
A Matthews		F J Cronin	
N L Patterson		H J Johnson	
J G Gibson, sk.	28	A C Salisbury, sk.	6
Parkdale		New York	
A Fraser		A F Fuller	
George Duthrie		A P Roth	
A D Harris		W Hogg	
J P Clemes, sk.	19	C S Ogden, sk.	4
Queen City		Buffalo Caledonians	
W Eastwood		J B Webber	
J W Flavelle		M O Smith	
Joseph Lugsdin		P A Vogt	
B B Rice, sk.	17	L Kirkover, sk.	7
Granites		N. Y. Empire City	
J B Miller		G W Peene	
Joe Irving		J L Robertson	
George Gooderham		A Manwell	
W J McMurtry, sk.	17	J F Connelly, sk.	3
Granites		N. Y. Thistles	
W Crooks		George Turnbull	
W T Jennings		Thomas Watson	
C McGill		James Thaw	
Dr Sylvester, sk.	10	Alex. Fraser, sk.	5
Granites		Buffalo Caledonians	
Dr. Richardson		J Krauss	
J W Morse		C Quinke	
T S Williamson		P Heins	
W C Matthews, sk.	11	Dr H C Frost, sk.	4

—Victoria Rink—Evening—

Lakeview.		N. Y. Thistles.	
G. McKenzie.		A. McKay.	
J. Daly.		D. Duy.	
W. Scott.		John Watt.	
R. Hunter, sk.	7	Thos. Watt, sk.	12
Tor. Caledonians.		N.Y. Caledonians.	
W. McKay.		W. Archibald.	
Geo. Vair.		R. Archibald.	
A. Burgess.		T. F. Archibald.	
W. Ross, sk.	9	D. Foulis, sk.	12
Toronto.		Buffalo.	
A. H. Baines.		G. McArthur.	
C. J. Leonard.		E. J. Meyers.	
A. Hood.		J. Crusoe.	
T. Edmunds, sk.	11	J. F. Berrick, sk.	10
Total	471	Total	287

Majority for Canada 184 shots.

—Queen City—Evening—

Parkdale		Utica	
G Schofield		Frank Jones	
H J Crawford		A H Balfour	
J B Hall		Robert Hilin	
J B Perry, sk.	12	J E McLaughlin	16
Queen City		John O'Groat's	
A H Hayward		George Munson	
George Clapperton		J Watson	
J P Rogers		D McKaskill	
R B Reanie, sk.	14	G Oag, sk.	8
Prospect Park		Buffalo	
B Lowden		O Rudolf	
H Williams		J Weyand	
Q D McCulloch		J Nebelhoer	
D Carlyle, sk.	26	J Bleistein, sk.	5
Montreal		Buffalo	
C H Whitelaw		S E Plewes	
A J Hubbard		C W Desninger	
T Williamson		G Thomas	
G H McHenry, sk.	11	G J Metzgorf, sk.	6

Do not allow your system to get weak and debilitated. It is easy to keep well and strong by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Ex-Mayor Hodgens of London Kicked in the Head by One of His Horses and Nearly Killed.

Fire destroyed the big furniture manufacturing plant of Haywood Bros. & Co. at Baltimore.

Mr. Thomas Platt was yesterday elected Senator for New York State. He received 142 out of 149 votes cast.

Mr. John Sargent has been elected a member of the Royal Academy, and Messrs. Alfred Parsons and J. J. Shannon have been elected associates of the same body. All three are artists of note.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bender, relict of the late Philip Bender of Niagara Falls, Ont., died yesterday, aged 91 years and 5 months. She was an exemplary Christian and retained her faculties to the last. Mrs. Bender was the mother of ten children. Old age was the cause of death.

Ex-Mayor Hodgens of London, Ont., when examining the horses in his stable on Wednesday, dropped one of his gloves. On stooping to pick it up the horse kicked him in the head and he lay unconscious in the stall for one hour, when he was found and taken home. He did not regain consciousness for six hours. He was better yesterday.

William Post, mail robber; Michael Eagan, counterfeiter; George Polyeramisa, a Greek, counterfeiter, and another prisoner sawed their way out of Ludlow-street jail, New York, last night. The last-mentioned was recaptured, but the others are at large.

Bagby & Rivers' furniture factory at Baltimore suffered damage of $40,000 by fire of unknown origin last night. The loss is covered by insurance.

"Let parents not live for their children, but with them." The mother should allow no false modesty to stand in the way of her daughter's knowledge of herself, of her possibilities, of her perils. For over thirty years Dr. Pearce has used his "Favorite Prescription" as a strengthener, a purifier, a regulator. It works directly upon the delicate, distinctly feminine organs, in a natural, soothing way. It searches out the weak spots and builds them up. A woman who would understand herself should send 31 cents to the World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y., for Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser, a book of 1008 pages.

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T. MILBURN & Co.
TORONTO.

We all like mince meat. Many would have it often if it were not for the trouble of making it. But why make it yourself? You can get

Laing's English Mince Meat

ready for use. Put up in 1 and 2 lb cans, 5, 10, 20 and 25 lb. fancy pails, and in tubs and barrels. The quality is the best, we guarantee it so. Ask your dealer for it, if he does not keep it let us know, we will see you are supplied.

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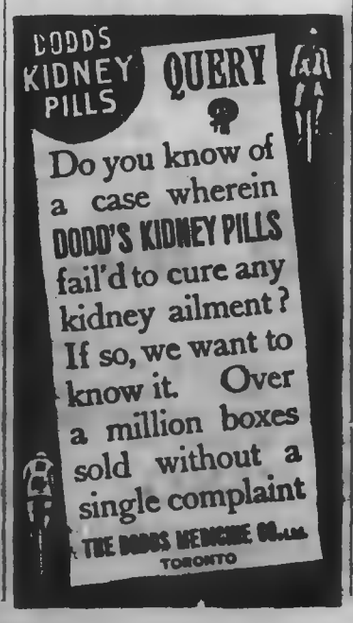
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QUERY
Do you know of a case wherein DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS fail'd to cure any kidney ailment? If so, we want to know it. Over a million boxes sold without a single complaint
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The First of these Monthly Competitions will commence January 1st, 1897, and will be continued each month during 1897.

$1,625 IN BICYCLES AND WATCHES GIVEN FREE EACH MONTH FOR Sunlight SOAP WRAPPERS

As Follows:

10 First Prizes, $100 Stearns' Bicycle,	$ 1,000
25 Second " $25 Gold Watch	625
Bicycles and Watches given each month	1,625
	12
Total given during year 1897,	$19,500

HOW TO OBTAIN THEM.

Competitors to save as many "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper—that portion containing the heading "SUNLIGHT SOAP." Those (called "Coupons") are to be sent enclosed with a sheet of paper on which the competitor has written his or her full name and address, and the number of Coupons sent in, postage paid, to Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., 43 Scott St., Toronto, marked on the Coupon Wrapper (top left-hand corner), with the NUMBER of the DISTRICT Competitor lives in.

NO. OF DISTRICT	NAME OF DISTRICT
1	Western Ontario, consisting of Counties York, Simcoe & all Counties W. and S. of these
2	East'n Ontario, consisting of Counties Ontario, Muskoka & all Counties E. & N. of these
3	Province of Quebec
4	Province of New Brunswick
5	Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island

The Bicycles are the celebrated Stearns', manuf'd by E. C. Stearns & Co., Syracuse, N.Y., & Toronto, Ont. Each wheel is guaranteed by the makers and has complete equipment.

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897, in each of the 5 districts, prizes will be awarded as follows:

The 5 competitors who send in the largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Bicycle, value $100.

The 5 competitors who send in the next largest numbers of coupons from the district in which they reside, will each receive, at winner's option, a lady's or gent's Gold Watch, value $25.

2. The competitions will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closes.

5. Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., will endeavor to award the prizes fairly to the best of their ability and judgment, but it is understood that all who compete agree to accept the award of Messrs. Lever Brothers, Ltd., as final.

LEVER BROS., Ltd., 43 Scott St., Toronto

Facts About Furs and Bankrupt Stocks.

Some dealers in Furs believe in selling Bankrupt Stocks but others there are who do not; yet, at the same time have offered several bankrupt stocks for sale within a short time, while claiming also to sell nothing in Furs but of their own manufacture. We certainly must stand away ahead of our competitors as we do not require the aid of such stocks but stand on the merits of our own manufactured goods, which we can always guarantee as such. Our reputation of 36 years standing without a failure is the best proof that customers believe in us and support us so well. We do not require to make any bombastic statements regarding the size or quality of our stock; both are only too well known in the town as well as in many other places at great distances. We wish to thank our customers for their patronage through the late season.

WM. LECH & SONS

413 GEORGE STREET.

There is Such a Thing

As wearing Glasses when you shouldn't, and not wearing them when you should.

It is a mistake to do either.

We only give Glasses when they will be beneficial to the wearer.

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Discharge the Doctor and Stick to the Creamy

DIAMOND ♦ ALE

For a Spring Tonic This is both Medicine and Advice. In Pints and Quarts Brewed from the Finest Hops and Choicest Malt by the Toronto Brewing and Malting Co. L'td.

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Liquor Act Notice.

INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor Licenses Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough with the bona fide name and address of the sender, will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO COCHRANE
License Inspector West Peterborough

Crooks Act Notice.

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License Inspector East Peterborough

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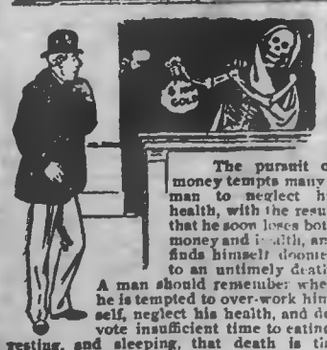

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School Girls Are to Wear Pretty Frocks of Bright Materials.

The school girl has a style quite distinctly here own, and in the selection of her frocks and school fittings in general the wise mother will do well to study the appropriateness of each article.

First, they must be selected to please the wearer, and that means they must be pretty. Then the color must harmonize with her skin and eyes, and they must be warm, though light in weight. The most sensible material to choose for a school frock to be worn during the winter months is a storm serge, with the twill running crosswise, or a heavy cheviot.

No matter what the goods selected for the school frock it is essential that the linings be good and durable.

Silk is not advised for school wear. It cuts too quickly.

Percaline makes a suitable skirt lining. It is not heavy, nor will it pull out of shape.

Good cambric or sateen makes the best waist lining, as they conform well to the figure. The wrist and throat facings should be of silk in pretty contrast to the frock.

In selecting the proper color it is always safe to choose a navy blue, as it is becoming to nearly everybody. Brown is good for warm skins, but is far more hard to combine with other colors than is generally supposed.

Green is good with bright coloring, but red is essentially the most beautiful of all for winter days. It looks warm and furnishes that vivid dash of color so inspiriting in dreary weather. A dark face may have the dull tones, while the fair-haired child should be given the bright ones. The school girl's frock has become longer during the last year or so, doubtless because of the fact that the young Princesses of Wales no longer set the fashion for young girls' dressing, and the school maiden is free to lengthen her dress more nearly like that of her elder sister, the result being that instead of having knee frocks, the standard, the correct length is down to the tops of her boots.

To give the proper air of finish to a school girl's frock there must be no ribbons or hangings to tangle or catch and the entire garment should be fashioned in a way to allow of perfect freedom of movement; while for warmth and protection must fit well, but not tightly.

It is well to make it all in one, so that the weight may come from the shoulder.

Pockets should never be made in the skirt. They are sure to be filled with school girl trinkets and quickly give a dragged and untidy effect.

In chosing a hat, try to avoid the Alpine or Fedora shapes.

The Tam o' Shanter is very fetching and suits most young faces. It should be properly made on a nice frame of the material to match the frock, and turned up as it best suits the face beneath it. Instead of the conventional one or two quills, have a bunch of five. It takes away the bare look and ought to be very stylish and pretty.

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For the depth of winter a muff will be needed. It may be made of fur if not of cloth like the dress, with afrill on either side of dark blue velvet faced with scarlet or brown.

The gloves must be well fitted and in the darker tones of tan and red. Above all, no fancy or light colored gloves should be worn.

A school girl's boots should be low-heeled, round toed, of strong kid, water proof and with uppers reaching halfway to the knee.

Boots that are too small are no longer worn; indeed, pinched feet are considered distinctly vulgar. The freedom of action of the foot alone is considered.

The Divided Pompadour.

The new style coiffure in vogue among London fashionables, in which the hair at the back is arranged in a series of loops and twists.

The Use of Fur in London.

For winter evening cloaks, fur makes the most delightful of all trimmings, and I recently saw a most exquisite evening mantle with a trimming of white Thibet goat, which is well worth describing, as it is specially typical of the mode of the moment. The material employed was a very beautiful floral brocade, with sprays of loose-leaved pink roses and pale-green foliage scattered over a kind of shot opalescent background, which seemed to be pink and green in some lights, and in others palest heliotrope faintly shot with gold. The mantle was very wide and full, covering the gown beneath completely, and the deep sling sleeves were quite novel, giving ample space for the sleeves of an evening gown, and yet being cut in such a way that they kept the arms perfectly warm. They were lined with white fox, the same dainty fur being used to line the whole of the mantle, while the deep roll collar was of white Thibet goat. Wide bands of white Thibet also trimmed the front of this beautiful cloak, reaching like two long stoles from throat to feet.

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China Dinner Cards

China dinner cards are little plaques of ware about two inches in diameter, with a raised plain space across the centre for the name. They are seen in Delft and Dresden decorations.

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THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—Business is very dull, and prices heavy. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.90 to $4. Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The feeling to-day was a little better, but not much business was transacted. White is held at 81c to 82c, and red at 80c outside. Manitoba No. 1 hard is quoted at 90c, North Bay, and at 93c to 94c, Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is firm. No. 1 sold at 35c. No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and No. 3 at 23c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are steady. White sold at 19c west, and mixed at 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices easier, with sales at 41c to 41½c, north and west.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 22½c to 23c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 25c to 26c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 35c west.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and featureless. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 14.—Spring wheat, 6s 11½d to 7s 0½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2d to 7s 3d; corn, 2s 9¾d; peas, 4s 6½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 28s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 52s.

London—Wheat on passage nominally unchanged, Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures dull, at 6s 8¾d for Jan., 6s 9d for Feb., 6s 9¾d for March, and 6s 8¾d for July. Maize dull at 2s 9d for Jan. and Feb., 2s 9¼d for March, 2s 9½d for April, and 2s 9¾d for May. Flour 24s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage dull. Maize on passage rather easier.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 22f 80c for Feb.; flour firm at 48f 10c for Feb.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat weak at 6s 8¾d for Jan., 6s 9d for Feb., 6s 9¾d for March and April, and 6s 8¼d for July. Maize quiet at 2s 9d for Jan. and Feb., 2s 9¼d for March, 2s 9¾d for April, and 2s 9¾d for May. Flour lower at 24s.

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British Military Station Burned.

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 14.—A special cablegram to-night reports the total destruction by fire early this morning of the division offices of the Royal Engineers at Prospect, Bermuda. The building contained many valuable documents and military plans and a large stock of telegraph apparatus, all of which was burned. No estimate of the loss is given, but it will be heavy. The fire is supposed to have been started by an incendiary. An official enquiry will be held.

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Thursday—Science Association. Paper on Science and Religion, by Rev. H. Symonds. Collegiate Institute.

Friday—Lecture in Y. M. C. A. Hall, by Rev. Prof. Clark, Trinity College, on "Berns." Sheriff Hall will preside.

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Tennyson's "Palace of Art."

The hero of "The Palace of Art" is a very different type from the hero of "A Vision of Sin." The latter is a sensual man, the former intellectual, but both miss the true interpretation of life, and, judged by any worthy standard, are failures.

In the poem before us there is a man prosperous, and of high intellectual and imaginative powers. He sets before him one object—to be happy. To this end he chooses "a huge crag platform," isolated from the abodes of men, and having no means of communication therewith, and here he erects his "Palace of Art." He resolves to live alone and calm, unmoved by the interests or the sorrows of the race of men.

His palace is an epitome of all forms of beauty and art. It is full of corridors that lead from room to room, and in the rooms are hung numberless pictures whose subjects are culled from the choicest beauties of nature and poesy. Here he sits and contemplates the common world below, saying—

"All these are mine,
And let the world have peace or wars,
'Tis one to me."

At last the climax of his self-assertion is reached, and he says—

"I take possession of man's mind and deed,
I care not what the sects may brawl,
I sit as God, held by no form of creed,
But contemplating all."

This mere sketch gives no idea of the pictorial richness of the poem, which is indeed marvellous. But what is the moral significance of the picture? Some men choose to be happy by indulging in their lower appetites and tastes. This man is not one of these. In him is the highest refinement. It is in beauty that he seeks his happiness, and that beauty is of no low order, but the beauty of high art and noble thought. With the giants of mankind he seeks to dwell; for the race of men he feels only scorn. Of living men he loves none, pities none. In him are embodied the highest refinement of thought and imagination, and absolute selfishness. Is he noble or contemptible? He would scorn to the dust a being in whom coarseness and selfishness were embodied, holding himself the antipodes of such an one. Is he so, or is he kin to him? Beauty is his god, refinement his highest virtue—of humility and self-denial, of sympathy and pity he knows nothing. Is he noble or contemptible? Intellectually, he is the antipodes of the selfish boor, morally is he not akin to him?

It will not be denied that one tendency of civilization is to produce such characters as this which is here idealized. The worship of refinement grows upon us. Is it true worship or idolatry? Of refinement, as such, no word but good. But I think that refined selfishness is a civilized devil.

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This selfishness grows out of want of sympathy. Not only the pleasures of men, but their sorrows, not only their sorrows, but their hopes and creeds, are apt to be looked upon by the highly cultivated man as phenomena of a lower order of being, and thus he comes to think of himself as a sort of god. This is a danger common to all those who are striving after that cultivation of their powers which is one of the highest happinesses of life. Where culture intensifies men's sympathies with their fellowmen, and provokes an earnest desire to use every gift and every opportunity in their service, there culture is doing its true work upon the moral as well as upon the intellectual nature; where this result is not produced, there the moral nature is stunted in proportion as the intellectual nature advances.

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The sequel of the poem shows the Nemesis and the cure. After three years of prosperity the very isolation and self-centredness which he had made his glory become his punishment—

"Deep dread and loathing of her solitude fell on her"—(i.e. his soul.)

Weird, haunting fears turn the palace into a ghastly tomb—

"Back on herself her serpent pride had curled.
"No voice," she shrieked in that lone hall;
"No voice breaks through the stillness of this world:
One deep, deep silence all!"

The thought of time and of eternity grows dreadful to him; loveless, comfortless, he who seated himself above sympathy, perishes for want of sympathy. The universe is a great tomb to him, which he alone inhabits. Then comes repentance—

"Make me a cottage in the vale
Were I may mourn and pray."

And then comes the brighter hope beyond—

"Yet put not down my palace towers, that are so lightly, beautifully built:
Perchance I may return with others there,
When I have purged my guilt."

Not in the love of beauty lay the evil. Keen sensibility and high culture are not sin. Refinement and love make the true man, and a "Palace of Art" built for himself and men, his brothers, should be a noble monument to the greatness of a man.

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LENGTHY SESSION OF THE CABINET

The Writs Issued for the Three Ontario Bye-Elections—Rumor That Mr. Haggart Has Resigned the Leadership of Eastern Ontario Conservatives—Other Notes.

Ottawa, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Sir Richard Cartwright, Messrs. Fielding and Paterson left for Quebec last night to continue the tariff enquiry. They will be joined there on Tuesday by Mr. Borden and then proceed to the Maritime Provinces. Returning to Ottawa, Messrs. Fielding and Paterson will proceed as far as Winnipeg, when the tariff investigation will close.

An important meeting of the Cabinet, lasting seven hours, was held yesterday. A large amount of business had to be disposed of, as several Ministers are to be away from Ottawa for some days. The writs for South Brant, North Ontario and East Simcoe were ordered to be issued. In each riding nomination is fixed for Jan. 28 and polling for Feb. 4. Mr. Mulock will direct the Government forces in these bye-elections, and left for Toronto last night. He will not return until about polling day.

It is about settled that the Canadian building at Bisley will be erected under the personal supervision of Major Perley, formerly Chief Engineer of Public Works, and who has for years taken a great interest in rifle shooting and the D. R. A.

Major-General Gascoigne is at work on a pension system for the permanent force in the Dominion. When the present Minister took office he found that, although the Government was annually paying a certain sum of money for pensions, there was yet no system to it, and it had never been fully worked out in detail as the subject deserves to be.

Members of the medical profession who recently resigned from the staff of the Protestant Hospital intend going ahead with the construction of a new hospital in the city. Official notice is given of their intention to ask for a charter at the coming session of Parliament. St. Luke's General Hospital will be the name of the new institution. It is proposed to lease the Perley residence on Wellington-street for the purpose, if that building can be had at a reasonable rental. It is thought this building would be very suitable for the purposes

Among the notices for federal legislation this week is that of the British Pacific Railway Company, an enterprise backed by British Columbians, and which is intended to rival the C. P. R. The project is for a railway starting at Victoria, B. C., thence running north on Vancouver Island as far as the Seymour Narrows, crossing at that point to Butte Inlet, to the mainland, and thence westerly through the Yellowhead Pass to Edmonton and Prince Albert, thence to Winnipeg.

Another concern of which notice is given this week is the Toronto and Parry Sound Railway, from Toronto to Gravenhurst and thence to Parry Sound.

A number of Americans, mostly Philadelphia men, are seeking incorporation to build a traffic bridge across the St. Mary's River between the Canadian and American towns.

Capt. Sinclair has resigned his position as Governor-General's secretary on his acceptance of the Liberal nomination for Forfarshire. He is appointed acting Governor-General's secretary without pay from this date.

Lieut. Grant Hardie of this city, a graduate of the Royal Military College, who was recently appointed to a position on the Indian staff corps, has been attached to the Royal Fusiliers and stationed at Mhow, in the Central Provinces. Lieut. Hardie has notified his friends here of his safe arrival at Bombay.

The return of Mr. T. O. Davis, the new member for Saskatchewan, was gazetted yesterday. His election was contested by the rival Liberal faction.

Sub-Collector Battle of Thorold has been transferred to Hamilton, and T. F. Pattison has been appointed sub-collector at Thorold.

Evidently the two commissioners appointed to investigate into the affairs of the Kingston Penitentiary are in need of assistance. Neither of them has any legal knowledge. Accordingly O. K. Fraser, barrister, of Brockville, has been appointed third commissioner to act with them.

The time for commencing the election trials in the Lisgar and Selkirk cases has been extended for a period of six months. This application was necessary owing to the fact that the period mentioned for bringing an election petition on for trial under the Controverted Act expires in both cases on Jan. 31.

An order in council has been passed extending for two years from the first of January last the privilege to Icelanders to make entries on their reserve west of Lake Winnipeg on the odd-number sections.

Dr. Montague is visiting friends in Southern Manitoba. Mr. Haggart is at Brandon waiting for the doctor to proceed to the Pacific coast.

William Shears, Customs appraiser at Victoria, B.C., has been dismissed for misconduct. His salary was $1500. He was appointed in 1890.

Some prominent Liberals have bought Le Temps, the Capital's French-Canadian daily, and it will be run in the Liberal interest in future. It is understood Mr. Oscar MacDonell will remain editor. The paper was Conservative originally, and the Liberals had to run a little campaign sheet called Echo D'Ottawa during the general election.

The following new postoffices were established in Ontario on Jan. 1: Brown's Nurseries, Lincoln; Dryden, Algoma; Havermehl and Mulock, South Grey; Highland Grove, East Peterboro. The postoffices at Dolsen, Kent; Keith, Bothwell; Reidville, Addington; Rodgerville, South Perth, and Violet Hill, in Cardwell, have been closed.

There is a prospect of another lively fight between the Hull and Ottawa electric roads, the former company giving notice of application for permission to enter the territory of the Ottawa company. The application of the Hull company will be strongly opposed by the local concern.

SEVEN MILLION DOLLARS.

That is the Amount a Telegraph Operator's Single Invention Brings Him In.

Sleepy Eye, Minn., Jan. 16.—The sale of the Bramble rotary engine to the Allen syndicate of London, Eng., has been consummated, and Bramble, a telegraph operator, who was the inventor, has letters of credit on the Bank of England for $6,700,000. The amounts paid were: For the English patent $1,000,000; for France and Germany $2,000,000, and for the United States $3,100,000.

POOR LITTLE ORPHANS!

Sixteen Children Burned to Death in a Home Down in Texas.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 16.—Fire completely destroyed the Bucklers' Orphans' Home, near here, early this morning. Sixteen children were cremated and nine injured, three of them fatally. The dead are: Bertie Britton, 10 years old; Martin and Milton Britton, 8 and 6 years old; Carlos Jones, 6 years old; Willie Richards, 9 years old; Grover Cleveland Yarborough, 12 years old; William Miller, 7 years old; Virgie Nelson, 9 years old; Eugene Black, 9 years old; Richard Marks, 9 years old; Arthur W. Edwards, 10 years old; Oscar Coward, 7 years old; Ray King, 8 years old; Charles Axbannon, 3 years old.

Injured: Dick Richards, 10 years old, fatally; Danny Gray, 6 years old, fatally; Charles Friend, 10 years old, fatally; Sadie Britton, 13 years old; Bennie Ware, 8 years old; Samuel Henderson, 11 years old; Earl Doodle, 7 years old; James Scott, 8 years old; Frank Chaffin, 7 years old.

All the dead except one were buried last evening in the cemetery of the Home.

The farmers in the vicinity turned out and assisted in making coffins, digging graves and burying the victims. There were 147 boys and more than 100 girls in the Home, but all are accounted for.

The fire was discovered about midnight by Mrs. Britton, the boys' matron. The attaches were hastily aroused and sent in all directions to arouse the children. Such was Mrs. Britton's anxiety for the safety of the inmates that she forgot her own children, and despite her frantic efforts at rescue they were burned to death. The fire is believed to have originated in the room under that occupied by Mrs. Britton, and was caused by hot coals falling from a stove on the floor. The fire spread with incredible rapidity. The children were hastily aroused and hurried out of the building, wrapped in their night clothes and bed quilts. All were badly frightened, and when the shrieks of those who were being cremated in the roaring mass of flames reached their ears they became almost unmanageable and were with difficulty prevented from rushing into the fire in an effort at rescue. The building was soon destroyed, and at daylight the work of searching the ruins was taken up. All the children were accounted for by noon. The Home is ten miles from Dallas, and it would have been impossible to get aid out in time had it been requested. The matter will be investigated.

A Motion to Arrest Judgment Has Been Filed in the Circuit Court.

Boston, Jan. 16.—Counsel for Thomas Bram, the convicted murderer of Captain Nash of the barquentine Herbert Fuller, to-day filed a motion in the United States Circuit Court for an arrest of judgment. The motion is based upon the ground of legal defect apparent upon the record of the case. It is in substance: That the judgment of the court should not be pronounced upon the prisoner, although found guilty, for the reason that legal objections lie to the indictment, or else to some other vital pleading in the case. The motion will be argued before the court with the motion for a new trial on Jan. 30.

The Evening Record says that Seaman Otto Roswell, who shipped at Hamburg as one of the crew of the schooner Mary Sanford, agrees with Captain Bryne of that vessel as to the probability that the belligerent cook of the schooner was Mate Thos. Bram, convicted of murder on the barquentine Herbert Fuller.

THEY DIDN'T READ IT

The Mandement Still Stays in the Background,

BUT THE DOCUMENT IS ALL READY

It is Supposed the Bishops Want Sanction From Rome to Make Themselves Safe An Explanation in Regard to Mr. Laurier's Treatment at the Funeral.

Montreal, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—There was no mandement read in the churches here to-day, and people are asking if the religious authorities have come to the conclusion that discretion is the better part of valor, and will abandon all action in the matter. This, however, is not the belief in well-informed circles. There can be no doubt that a document is ready and that it has been signed not only by the prelates of this province, but of the whole Dominion, but what the end of it will be few venture to say. Your correspondent has been informed that it is the intention of the bishops to have their pronunciamento on the school question bullet-proof, and that this is the cause of the heretofore unaccountable delay. In a word, the ecclesiastical disapprobation of the Manitoba school settlement has been submitted to Rome, and it is quite probable that the Papal authorities will have pronounced upon the wording of the joint letter or mandement and the advisability of its promulgation before it sees the light of publicity. Last evening your correspondent telephoned to a leading member of the French-Canadian clergy and he said there would be no utterances on the subject this Sunday. "And when will there be?" asked the correspondent. "Time will tell," was the rather unsatisfactory reply.

The Archbishop's organ treats as follows the story set afloat to the effect that Hon. Mr. Laurier had not been treated properly at the funeral of Mgr. Fabre: "This is an accusation which is injurious to us and we believe it to be our duty to say a word. As the space at our disposal in the cathedral was very limited, everyone knows that on the very day of Mgr. Fabre's death the chapter had decided that there would be no official invitations sent out, and, as a matter of fact, none were sent. When His Excellency the Governor-General wired us that he wished to be represented at the funeral service and His Honor the Lieut.-Governor of the Province of Quebec informed us also that he would attend it was decided to reserve for them a chair on each side of the catafalque. We had thought of doing the same thing for the Hon. Mr. Laurier and the Hon. Mr. Nantel, who represented the Provincial Government, and we would have done so if Hon. Mr. Geoffrion, coming himself to the Archbishop's palace and making known the Prime Minister of Canada's intentions, had not advised us to give the chairs of honor to the representative of the Governor-General and to Sir Adolphe Chapleau, for the reason that another policy would cause a thousand incumbrances as to questions of precedence. This advice appeared to us to be very wise and we adopted it. Now, can anyone see preferences or political preoccupation in all this?"

Duncan Kinsella, formerly a broker of this city, at present detained in the St. Jean De Dieu Lunatic Asylum, petitions the court for a writ of habeas corpus. He alleges: "That against his will, desire and consent, without any proceedings, civil or criminal, having been instituted against him, he is detained in the asylum and deprived of his liberty."

Kinsella has for years been very weak-minded, but the writ will issue.

Mr. D. B. Bogle, President of the Victory-Triumph Gold Mining Company, is at present in Montreal, and reports that the stock is selling quite freely in this city.

Dr. Webb, President of the St. Lawrence and Adirondack Railway, is in the city.

It is said that as soon as Hon. Dr. Borden returns from the Maritime Provinces he will appoint a commission to enquire into the trouble between the lieut.-colonel and several officers of the Royal Scots' Regiment.

THAWING DYNAMITE AGAIN.

Four Men Badly Mutilated at Hammond's Camp, Near Saw Mill Lake, Up in Algoma.

Port Arthur, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—There was a dynamite explosion at Hammond's Camp, near Saw Mill Lake, yesterday morning. Four of the men, Edward Gulshaw, John P. Wrns, William Duchaine and Joseph Drainville, were pretty badly mutilated. Gulshaw had his ear blown off and his face pretty well cut up. P. Wrns had his leg badly cut. Duchaine had a leg broken and was otherwise mutilated. Drainville had both a broken leg and a broken arm. The accident appears to have occurred while a dynamite can was being thawed near a fire outside, when it exploded and did all the damage. The men were brought to the track by the Saw Bill and Hammond teams, and came down in a caboose from Bonheur this morning. They are all now quartered in St. Joseph's Hospital, Port Arthur.

NOW FOR A RATE WAR.

The Soo Road Makes a Break of Thirty Cents on Every Class of Freight.

St. Paul, Jan. 17.—The Minneapolis and Sault Ste. Marie Railroad Company created a sensation last evening by announcing that Jan. 25 it will put into effect a freight rate between New York, Boston and Atlantic seaboard points and St. Paul and Minneapolis based on $1.05 first-class. This is a cut of 30c a hundred on every class of freight. The slash may cause the biggest rate war in years. The trunk line associations, whose rate is $1.35, are expected to meet the reduction if no go below the Soo's figures.

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Daily Examiner.

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OTONABEE.

(From an Own Correspondent.)

The newly elected council met pursuant to statutory enactment, and after making delaration of office and qualification, Reeve Johnston took the chair. The following officers were appointed: D. P. McFarlane and Andrew Shearer, auditors; James Lavell, assessor; Wm. Drummond, collector; J. M. Drummond, clerk and treasurer; John Bell, sanitary inspector for that part of the township west of the 11th concession line, south of lot 21, and west of the 9th line, north of lot 20 to the Douro boundary, and John Dinsdale for the eastern half of the township, east of the above described line; Dr. Shaw, medical health officer. The following will compose the local Board of Health: A. Weir for three years, John Grady for two years, John Devell, whose term has not expired, Reeve Johnston and Clerk Drummond, ex-officio. The following communications were received: From R. Carey, Jas. France and G. B. Cooney, recommending that James Cooney be paid the sum of $5 for filling in a gravel pit on road allowance opposite his lot. The council after carefully considering the matter concluded that no compensation should be given. From J. Coyle Brown, in reply to a letter from the clerk re Otonabee and Asphodel school arbitration; the clerk was instructed to say in reply to Inspector Brown that this council refuses to pay any of the cost of arbitration until it is informed of the reason for the adjourned meeting of arbitrators. The clerk was instructed to have the town hall insured for $1000, contents $100, and to procure a hanging lamp for the hall. Councillor Weir was instructed to confer with the Curling and Skating Club Co. about paying a ground rent for the rink. The following indigent persons were allowed the following sums:—Jas. Rennie, $4 per month to the 1st of June; Jas. Metcalf and A. McDermott, $3 per month; St. Joseph's Hospital for keep of Mrs. Barry $1 per week; Jas. Armstrong and wife, $2 per week, and the reeve to allow Ed. O'Brien what he thinks necessary. On motion the following taxes were remitted:—Jas. Metcalfe, A. McDermott, Jas. Armstrong and the Agricultural Society. On motion the resolution passed at the last meeting of council, granting A. McFarlane $9.33, the township's portion of the cost of excavating a ditch through the old Cobourg railway dump, was rescinded, as he refused to accept it. The reason why that amount was granted was because Mr. McFarlane stated to the council at the November meeting that the work could be done for $25, and it was on that basis that the council agreed to pay one-third of the cost.

The following accounts were passed:—J. M. Drummond, 1896 salary, $240.00; refund postage, $20.00; Government returns, $5.00; jury selecting, $8.00; attending the meeting in Peterborough when dividing the county into districts, $2.00; refund express on statement of accounts, 35c.; J. Sullivan, gravel, $3.00; R. J. McCamus, widening Town Hall platform and frosting windows, $6.50; John Carey, nails for bridge at Lang's creek, 50 cents.

Council adjourned to 15th February.

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LIBERAL VOTES STOLEN.

EVIDENCE IN THE BALLOT-BOX STUFFING CASES.

Witnesses who Decline to Tell How they Voted—A Stubborn Man has to Submit.

Neepawa, Jan. 15.—The ballot-box stuffing cases were resumed yesterday evening before Provincial Police Magistrate Hay. Twelve more witnessed testified to voting for Mr. Rutherford at Renwick's poll, making the total poll 28 there, when only 27 ballots marked for Mr. Rutherford were found in the box at the close of the poll. Seven or eight more witnesses are yet to be heard in this case.

Evidence in the Hamilton and McFadden cases is going on to-day. The number of electors who swear they voted for Mr. Rutherford is greater than the number of ballots in each box.

Carberry, Jan. 15—(Special)—The cases against Brooks, James Waller and M. Finklestein, were taken up this morning. In the Brooks case already 38 witnesses are still to be examined whose attendance could not be secured to-day. An examination of the ballot papers in the case showed that there were only 36 ballots in the box marked for Mr. Rutherford, and there are no rejected ballots marked for Mr. Rutherford.

Jas. Waller and Dr. Eaton were examined. Both declared they knew nothing about any scheme for stuffing the ballot boxes and were not supplied with ballots for that purpose.

In the Finklestein case 37 voters have already sworn that they voted for Mr. Rutherford at West Carberry, the polling place presided over by the accused. There are still a number of witnesses to be examined in this case. The ballots in the box showed 36 votes cast for Mr. Rutherford, and there was one rejected ballot marked for all three candidates. Difficulty was experienced in several cases in getting witnesses to answer and disclose how they had voted, and the Magistrate had to threaten several with committal. In the afternoon one witness was very defiant, and positively refused to disclose how he had voted when ordered by the Magistrate to answer. Sworn testimony was then given that the evidence of the witness was believed to be material in the case, and the magistrate issued a summons which was served upon the witness in the court room. He was then recalled and re-sworn, and on his refusal to answer the question was again ordered by the magistrate so to do. The witness still persisted in refusing, and the magistrate then issued a warrant for his committal to jail Portage la Prairie for seven days. The witness was then taken into custody by a constable, and was taken to a room in the hotel to await the next train going to Portage la Prairie. In the evening the witness sent to the magistrate and begged to be permitted to give his evidence, expressing great sorrow at his refusal to answer, and stating his willingness to give his evidence. By consent of all parties concerned the case was taken up again, and in reply to a question the witness stated that he voted for Mr. Rutherford. The witness was then released.

All three cases were remanded until January 22nd, at 10 o'clock, to enable the Crown to procure the attendance of other witnesses.

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GALWAY.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Council met. Present Charles Coben, reeve, in the chair. John Gilmore, James Allen, Michael Collins and George Martin, councillors. All made and subscribed a declaration of office and took their seats.

Moved by M. Collins and James Allen, that the minutes of last meeting be read and signed—Carried.

Moved by James Allen and Geo. Martin, that P. Collins, clerk, be reappointed for the current year, salary $50.—Carried.

Moved by John Gilmour and M. Collins, that John Doherty be appointed auditor in behalf of the council, and the reeve appointed Thos. R. White to audit the treasurer's accounts for the year 1896—Carried.

Moved by M. Collins and George Martin, that Henry Coben be reappointed treasurer for the current year, salary $20.—Carried.

By-laws were passed appointing clerk, assessor, auditors and treasurer for the current year.

Moved by M. Collins and John Gilmour, that no action be taken with regard to the account of Craig and Austin in connection with plank for sidewalk—Carried.

Moved by John Gilmore and M. Collins, that the clerk notify M. Mansfield to hand over the $50, county grant, to the township treasurer, as he has been requested to remit the balance of $154.77 to the Ontario Bank, Lindsay—Carried.

Moved by Jas. Allan and John Gilmore, that the collector's time to hand in the roll be extended to the 1st March next.

Moved by John Gilmore and Geo. Martin, that the following accounts be paid, and orders drawn on Treasurer for the same:

Mrs Hartnett, 3 days' council meeting		3 75
" "	nomination	4 00
" "	election	4 00
Clerk's half year's salary		25 00
Henry Coben, taking financial statement		1 25
Maurice Hartnett, constable		2 00
Wm Hunter, poll clerk		2 00
Ontario Bank, Lindsay, acct for 1896		154 77

Moved by Jas. Allen and Geo. Martin, that council adjourn to meet 1st March next.

CURED OF SCIATICA.

Left Hip Affected—Suspected Kidney Kidney Trouble—Relieved and Perfectly Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 18 (Special)—Mr. H. Playter, is not a difficult man to find as everybody here knows that he is foreman at No. 1 Fire Hall. He was the picture of health when called upon by your correspondent and told his story thus:

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I don't give a cuss for New Year's day.

I'm sorry I didn't smoke more last year,
An' I know I didn't swear half enough—
Things kep' a-goin' so daggone tough;
It's kinder gettin' that I don't keer
If I'm meaner'n pisen to the jays
Who're always "quittin'" on New Year's days.

I ain't got a thing that I'm takin' a-back.
An' I'll keep my pipes, 'n my jug 'n my jaw;
I'm goin' to quit bringin' myself up to taw,
Just 'cause a new calendar is hung on the tack.
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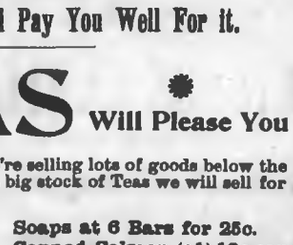

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It is Said Archbishop Langevin Entered His Protest Against the Schools Settlement.

Quebec, Jan. 17.—Through a great deal of enterprise some newspaper men managed to get hold of a strictly private letter intended for the priests of the diocese of Quebec. The document was signed by Archbishop Begin. The first part of the letter dealt with the following:

"No bishop wants nor can approve the so-called settlement of the Manitoba school question, which definitely rests only upon the unjustifiable abandonment of the best established and most sacred rights of the Catholic minority.

"Mgr. Langevin's energetic protest against this settlement was in accordance with the direction of the Holy Father.

"This is not the time to examine this settlement in its various articles, but what I have already said and written is sufficient for you to conclude that I absolutely disapprove of it.

"Following the example led by other bishops of the Dominion, with a view to come to the aid of our brethren of Manitoba until justice is rendered to them, I ask $5 from each curate, $2 from each missionary, vicar and college professor, and $10 from each religious community. This money shall be sent to me before Lent."

The letter also enjoins on the cures to condemn the Laurier settlement of the Manitoba schools, whenever consulted on the subject by the faithful.

The above was not read in churches, but was reserved for the priests and curatee alone.

The only extract read in the churches to-day was the decree rendered by the Congregation de L'Index against Mr. David's book entitled "Le Clergé Canadien, sa Mission, Son Oeuvre."

At the appearance of the pamphlet, which has just been condemned, every sincere Catholic soul was filled with indignation, for under the cover of patriotism and religion were agglomerated wrong principles, cries to the prejudies and passions, abusive interpretations of documents, disguised historical facts, perfidious insinuations, serious irreverences towards the authority and persons of the bishops.

"Every faithful is obliged under the penalty of a grievous sin to immediately destroy or remit to his confessor Mr. David's pamphlet. No one should forget that nobody has any right to judge, condemn or approve authoritatively any doctrine or writings except the bishops. It is an abuse to buy, under cover of the authority of certain personages, dangerous writings. It is through your bishop and priests that you shall receive the teachings and directions of the Holy See.

"The laws of the church's government do not change under the caprice and passions of the public, as the laws of parliaments and governments do."

Then the letter eulogises Mr. David for having withdrawn his book from sale, and congratulates the gentleman on his submission to the decrees of the church.

This letter will be followed by a mandement shortly.

The reading of the letter in the churches to-day did not create much sensation, but that part of the private letter which was published in evening papers Saturday night was the subject of much discussion on the streets to-day.

As much as ten dollars was offered Saturday night for one copy of the letter, but it could not be got for love or money.

MAGOWN SPEAKS.

He and Mrs. Barnes Have Been Married Twice Over and are Now in Their Trenton Home.

Philadelphia, Jan. 17.—The friends of J. A. Barnes, formerly of Toronto, and of his former wife, who was a Miss Edith Riddell, a daughter of Dr. Riddell of Orangeville, Ont., and later of Parkdale, a suburb of Toronto, will read with interest the following statement made by ex-Mayor Frank A. Magown, ex-Mayor of Trenton, N.J.: "Mrs. J. A. Barnes and I were married at Milwaukee, Wis., immediately after her divorce was secured last June, I having received my decree the previous March. We were re-married yesterday by the Rev. W. A. Hunsberger in this city, in order to defeat any attempt that might be made by my too active political enemies and false friends, who have demonstrated in the past only too clearly their inclination to interfere in my family affairs."

Mr. and Mrs. Magowan are at the Hotel Waltan in this city, but will return to their home in Trenton to-morrow. Mr. Magown declined to state anything about the amount paid to Barnes in connection with the settlement of the latter's suit for $150,000 for the alienation of his wife's affections.

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CATTLE QUARANTINE

The Regulations Arranged With the United States.

ANY OUTBREAK OF CONTAGION

Shall be Reported From Either Country—When Disease is Found Ninety Days' Quarantine Will be Enforced—Horses for Racing or Show to Go in on Inspection.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The agreement between the Secretary of Agriculture and the Canadian Minister of Agriculture relating to quarantine of animals between the United States and Canada provides that:

1. Each country shall adopt the veterinary certificates of the other.

2. That the chief of the bureau of animal industry and the chief inspector of stock for Canada will mutually inform one another of contagious animal diseases in either country, or of disease in animals imported from either country.

3. A 90-day quarantine shall be enforced by both countries upon all cattle imported from Europe or from any country in which contagious pleuro-pneumonia is known to exist; a 15-day quarantine shall be enforced upon all ruminants and swine imported from countries in which foot-and-mouth disease exists, within six months, and upon all swine imported from other countries.

Breeding cattle admitted into this country must be accompanied by a certificate that they have been subjected to the tuberculine test and found free from tuberculosis, otherwise they shall be detained in quarantine one week and subjected to the tuberculine test. All cattle found tuberculosic must be returned to the country whence shipped or slaughtered without compensation. Cattle for feeding or stocking ranches must be accompanied by a certificate showing that they are free from any contagious disease, and that (excepting tuberculosis) no such disease exists in the district whence they came. Cattle in transit will be admitted at any port of the United States and Canada in bond, for exportation by sea from any Canadian port or from Portland, Boston and New York in the United States. No animals covered by this memorandum may be placed on board cars till the litter from previous loads has been removed and the car thoroughly cleaned and disinfected. Inspectors may cause such work to be done at the expense of the railroad company or prohibit the use of the cars until it is done.

Sheep may be admitted subject to inspection at port of entry and accompanied by official certificate that sheep scab has not existed in the district where they have been fed within six months. If the disease exists in any of them they may be returned or slaughtered. Sheep may be admitted for transit in bond from one port to another in either country, and if for slaughter they may be admitted without inspection. Subject to inspection at shipping port, they may be admitted into either country for transit to any shipping port in Canada for export by sea, or to the United States for export from Portland, Boston and New York.

Swine may be admitted without inspection for slaughter in bonded cars to bonded slaughter houses or when forming part of settlers' effects and accompanied by a certificate that swine plague or hog cholera has not existed within six months in the district whence they came. Lacking such certificate they must be inspected at port of entry, and if diseased will be slaughtered without compensation.

Horses may be admitted in bond from one port to another in either country without inspection at the shipping port. Horses may be admitted for racing, show or breeding purposes on inspection at port of entry. Horses may be admitted for temporary stay, teaming or pleasure driving at points along the frontier for a period not exceeding one week on port of entry upon permit of Customs officer. Should he observe any evidence of disease he will detain the animals and report to the district inspector, who will decide whether the animals may be admitted, and horses used for driving or riding to or from points in Manitoba, Northwest Territories or British Columbia, on business connected with stock raising or mining, and horses belonging to the Indian tribes may be admitted without inspection, but must report to Customs officers both going and coming. Under all other circumstances horses must be inspected at port of entry.

RHEUMATISM CURED.

Eighteen Months Trying to get Cured—Had the Best Doctors—He Found What he Wanted in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Goderich, Jan. 11—(Special)—A case of great interest here just now is that of Mr. Alexander J. Sharkey, who for some time has been an extreme sufferer from Rheumatism. His statement to the correspondent is as follows:—

"For eighteen months I was a victim of Rheumatism and during the whole of that time was trying every means to cure it. I had the best doctors in Canada and took their prescriptions with faith and patience.

"I got tired at last, for I found the disappointment nearly as killing as the disease.

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A LAYMAN PROTESTED.

Made a Sensation at the Confirmation of Dr. Creighton as Bishop of London.

London, Jan. 15.—During the course of the ceremony at St. Marylebone to-day confirming the election of Dr. Mandell Creighton as Bishop of London, in succession to Dr. Temple, now Archbishop of Canterbury, John Kensit, a layman, read a protest against Dr. Creighton's election, on the ground of the prelate's alleged desire to "undo the work of the Reformation by introducing the trinkets of Rome." He added that Dr. Creighton had been unfaithful to the promises made at his ordination to drive out all erroneous doctrines and punish the "disobedient clergy who are trying to introduce Popish doctrines." The Vicar-General refused to listen to the protest, and Kensit later protested again, twice asking why the Vicar-General did not call upon the objectors to come forward, and why he did not hear them. This called forth applause and stamping of feet, mingled with cries of "Hear, hear," and counter cries of "Remember this is a church," etc. After the ceremony Kensit and his friends distributed copies of the protest among those present.

Death of Sir Travers Twiss.

London, Jan. 15.—Sir Travers Twiss, the eminent English jurisconsult, is dead.

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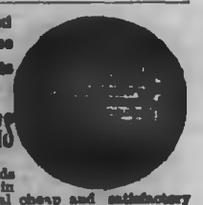

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Advertisers in the DAILY EXAMINER to ensure a prompt change of their advertisement, will please hand in their copy the evening previous to the date the "ad." should appear.

Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, JANUARY 18, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Burned With Oil.

Mr. Bert Guy was badly burned at the Central Bridge Works, about the face and neck on Saturday, through some burning oil from the furnace under the rivet forge flying up on him.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5 50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

Grand Pool Contest.

On Tuesday evening, January 19th, the two most expert pool players in the town will contest for the championship at the Oriental billiard rooms, the winner to obtain the best 11 out of 21 games. 2d

What is a Junior?

In the open competition for the silver medal for the junior figure skating championship, to be held at the beginning of the Foresters Carnival, Jan. 29th, a "junior" is held to be one who has never won a first prize in an open competition.

Lantern Lecture at St. Luke's.

A lecture on "The Reformation in England" will be delivered in St. Luke's school house on Wednesday evening by Rev. H. Symonds, illustrated with beautiful coloured lime-light views by Mr. R. M. Roy. Admission 15c.

Warsaw's Hockey Club.

The hockey craze has reached Warsaw and a strong club has been formed in that village. The boys would like an invasion of the Lakefield forces. The Ashburnham seven will likely give them a call before the winter is much older.

St. Andrew's Church.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. F. M. Society of St. Andrew's church, will be held in the school room on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. A reception will be held between 6 and 8 o'clock, to which all the ladies of the congregation are invited.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

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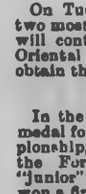

Reception biscuits made by the New York Biscuit Co. are the daintiest and most superior article you can use for a light refreshment or 5 o'clock tea. Thirty-nine varieties to choose from. MASON & CO., 429 to 431 George street. 2d12

Riverside Park Skating Rink.

A prize will be offered for competition to boys' hockey clubs, open to all the schools in the county or town of Peterborough. The members of each club competing must be bona fide scholars of some school in the town or county. Those wishing to compete will please send their names to Jos. G. McGowan, secretary, who will give particulars. Box 55, Peterborough. 6d1w

Out on Suspended Sentence.

Albert Swayne was in the police court this morning, charged with the larceny of some clothing from Charlie Cavanagh. It will be remembered that Swayne was boarding at the Cavanagh's last spring, and left one morning taking with him more clothing than he brought. As the prisoner had just served a term of six months in the Central Prison he was allowed a chance to reform and let off on suspended sentence.

An Important Secret.

It is generally conceded that the handsomest advertising pamphlets issued by any proprietary medicine house in Canada come from the office of the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and one which has just reached us is no exception to the rule. The cover is printed in colors, the main feature being the reproduction of painting from the brush of a famous German artist, entitled "An Important Secret." The pamphlet contains calendars for 1897 and 1898, together with a mine of information as to the curative qualities of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. This handsome pamphlet will be sent post paid to any of our readers who write their address on a post card and mail it to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

The Annual Meeting Held on Saturday Evening Last.

The annual meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held in their rooms on Saturday evening, and the reports read by the officers of the Board and Association were of an encouraging nature, and showed that the work was being pushed forward in a practical way.

During the year 1896 the Board of Managers have held eleven regular and nine special meetings, with an average attendance of six. A house on Brock street is being got in readiness, and is to be opened very shortly as a boarding house in connection with the Association. Since April last 342 young women have made application to the employment bureau, and in mady instances situations have been obtained for them.

The following ladies were elected members of the Board for 1897: Mrs. (Dr.) Scott, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. McGill, Miss Davis, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Walsh, Miss Forsyth, Miss Beck, Mrs. Fairbairn, Mrs. Beck, Miss Moore, Miss Nicholls, Mrs. A. L. Davis, Mrs. (Dr.) Burnham, Miss Smith, Miss Chamberlain, Miss Mann, Miss Stevenson.

The treasurer being absent from town, that report has not yet been presented.

A special meeting will be held on Tuesday at 3 30 p.m., for the purpose of electing officers for the Board.

THE C. I. L. SOCIETY.

The Regular Meeting Held Friday Evening—An Interesting Programme.

The regular meeting of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute Literary Society was held January 15th, with the Vice-President in the chair.

After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, the following programme was rendered:

Reading.....Miss M Yenney
Selection.....Glee club
Recitation.....Miss M J McDonnell
Journal.....Miss S Kelly
Instrumental duet.Misses Coveny and Morrow
Recitation.....Miss Fisher
Instrumental solo.....Miss McBurney
Debate,—Resolved, "That the daily newspaper does more harm than good." The affirmative was supported by Mr H Cragg and Miss A Hill; the negative by Mr P H Clark and Miss H Burnham. The judges, Messrs Boswell, Beer and Fessenden, decided in favour of the affirmative.
Selection.....Glee club
Critic's report.....Miss E Judge

The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

ASHBURNHAM BRIEFS.

Mark Street Church Sunday School Holds its Annual Business Meeting on Wednesday Evening Next.

Mark street Sunday school will hold its annual business meeting on Wednesday evening, Jan. 20, at half-past eight, immediately after the prayer meeting.

Rev. Roger Allan, of Bethany, preached two powerful missionary sermons in Mark street Methodist church yesterday. In the morning his text was from Isaiah xlii., 4. The purpose of Christianity is the conquest and conversion of the world. Some claim that this can never be accomplished, claiming that the aim is too great, that the agency seems inadequate, that there is a conflict between science and religion, etc. The preacher ably showed that these claims are fallacious, and gave some interesting and encouraging figures about the progress of missionary work in various lands.

In the evening his text was Acts x., 44, from which he gave an interesting and profitable discourse.

Rev. W. C. Beer was in Bethany preaching missionary sermons for Rev. Mr. Allan.

CHURCH CHIMES.

Rev. W. L. Armitage preached in St. Luke's church last night.

Rev. H. Symonds, rector of St. Luke's, took the sermon in St. John's church last evening and delivered a most able address.

"O Lord be Merciful" was the title of the morning anthem in the Charlotte Methodist church. Miss F. Hall took the solos very sweetly.

The offertory solo in the Charlotte street Methodist church was taken by Miss Hendren yesterday morning. It was entitled "Flee as a bird."

Last evening Mr. A. L. Davis' fine baritone voice was heard to advantage in the Charlotte street Methodist church in the solo "Abide With Me."

"A woman standing on the moon" will be the subject of the sermon to be delivered next Sunday evening by Rev. Mr. Dykeman in the Murray street Baptist church.

There was a believers' baptism last night at the close of the regular service in Bethany Mission. Ten adults were publicly immersed by Pastor Zimmerman, assisted by Mr. J. C. Turnbull.

The new branch of the Women's Auxiliary, organized by the country members of St. Luke's church, called St. Luke's Sunnyside, will despatch a bale to the Sarcee Home this week. The Sarcee Indian reserve is situated about 10 miles south of Calgary. The Ven. Archdeacon Tims is at the head of the mission and there are about thirty-five children in the Home.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

Unfortunately no arrangements have been made for a special train to bring the hockeyists back from Norwood to-night, and therefore so large a crowd will not accompany the boys as would otherwise have been the case. The following players will represent the Intermediates and play against Norwood's first team:—Goal, Dixon; point, Thorne; cover point, Adams; forwards, Graham, Davidson, Crossley, Bellegham.

The team and its supporters go down on the 7.53 local on the C.P.R. this evening and will probably return at seven o'clock in the morning.

Port Hope hockeyists won from Whitby by six games to one on Friday last in Port Hope. Peterborough should lose no time in endeavouring to get on a game with Port Hope before the championship matches begin.

The O.H.A. Executive have a pretty kettle of fish on their hands in the MacDonald-Dixon professional business, as it will lead to a wholesale investigation, if the charges against these players for Berlin are sustained. MacDonald claims that there is nothing in the matter, and if affidavits count for anything he will elude the board this time. It is alleged that the Brampton club is responsible for the protest, which is based on utterances which the duo concerned are said to have let slip in an unguarded moment when the Berlin team played in Brampton. The matter should certainly be shifted to the bottom, as professionalism would speedily deprive hockey of all interest.

The Globe says: The Frontenacs of Kingston now think that there is no reason why they should be forced to play in Peterborough, since the R.M.C. have defaulted, and thereby lessened the travelling of the Peterborough team.

CURLIANA.

The results in the Innes medal series Saturday evening were as follows:

Granites.	*Thistles.*
RINK NO. 1.	
R E Wood,	W G Morrow,
W Manson	J Cameron,
T E Bradburn,	J S Knapman,
Judge Weller, skip..8	A McNeil, skip.....16
RINK NO. 2.	
F H Dobbin,	H Snowden,
Geo Giroux,	A Blade,
J Jeffries,	C Rutherford.
R S Davidson, skip..11	T Rutherford. skip..19

Appended is the standing of the respective clubs in the contest:—

J Coanal.....25	R H Kells 7
Geo Edmison 15	H LeBrun.....12
R M Denoistoun...11	R B McKee.....14
E B Edwards.....17	J B Pentland.....15
T P Attrell.....19	W G Ferguson.....12
G W Hatton.....17	Geo J Hopkins.....11
H M Allen.....11	S Ray.....20
W D Parker.....18	J McClelland.....10
D W Dumble.....13	D Bellegham.....20
Judge Weller.....8	A McNeil.....16
R S Davidson.....11	T Rutherford.....19
165	156

Total majority for Granites, 9 shots.

There yet remains one more match to be played, viz., John McKee vs. Dr. Boucher, and to Skip McKee the Thistles are pinning their hopes of winning the medal. If he does not win from Dr. Boucher's rink by ten shots the medal follows the Kendry cup into the possession of the Granites.

A scratch match was played Saturday afternoon with the following result:

W Manson,	C Fessenden,
D Bellegham,	H R H Kenner,
C Rutherford,	J Jeffries,
H M Allen, sk.....11	S Ray, sk.....19

It is proposed to hold the Colts bonspiel for the Northern Division a week from Wednesday. This year the bonspiel will be played off in Peterborough. The draws for this group are as follows:—

Campbellford.....vs.....Peterborough
Lindsay.....vs.....Norwood

Campbellford will probably come up the evening before to play in order that, if beaten by Peterborough, the players can return home in the morning without having to lose a day. Of course, if they win from the local Colts they would be so overjoyed that a day would be neither here nor there, with them.

Two rinks of curlers from Port Hope went to Millbrook on Friday to play a friendly match. They were met at the station by Millbrook curlers, who escorted them to the Queens's hotel, where they were entertained at a most excellent, supper, after which they adjourned to the ice. The game resulted in a win for Millbrook, as shown by the following score:—

Millbrook.	*Port Hope.*
H Allen,	G A Holmes,
G Hetherington,	R A Lee,
Capt Winslow,	B P Ross,
Chas Needler, sk....24	W Colwill, sk 15
R Edmunds,	Capt Peacock,
J W Walsh,	Capt Henning,
J C Steele,	J Miller,
J A Vance, sk 13	E Mossell, sk.....15
43	30

Majority for Millbrook, 1 shots.

The Lindsay Post, in speaking of the great bonspiel which opens there to-morrow morning, says: Nine sheets of ice have been prepared on the river, and three in the agricultural building. To-night the committee will get possession of the skating rink, when it will be flooded, and all day Monday men will be at work upon it to put it in good condition. Four sheets will be marked out there, and with the four sheets at the curling rink, the committee will have twenty sheets in all. These will be numbered as follows: The sheets on the curling rink, Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4; the ice at the skating rink, Nos. 5, 6 7 and 8; at the agricultural grounds, Nos. 9, 10, 11; on the river, Nos. 12 to 20. The river rinks are a little above the Dundas & Flavelle Co.'s mill. These rinks will be used only in the day time when the weather is suitable; all the evening games will be confined to the three covered rinks. No charge is made for admission to any of the rinks—every person is made welcome. We would be very glad indeed if our citizens, ladies and gentlemen, would show to our visiting curlers the interest they take in the game by turning out in large numbers at the different rinks. We trust it is not necessary to ask the onlookers to accord to our visiting players the same fair treatment that they would like to be given to our own players when away from home.

THE DRAW IN GROUP SEVEN.

Umpire D. Carlyle has made the following arrangements for play in Group 7 of the Ontario Tankard primary competition:

A.—Peterborough Granites vs. Hamilton Thistle, at Victoria Rink, Toronto, at 9.30 a.m., Tuesday, Jan. 26; winner to play Toronto Granite same day at 2 p.m., at Victoria Rink.

B.—Toronto Caledonian against Galt, at Hamilton Thistle Rink, at 9.30 a. m., on Thursday, Jan. 21; winner of A plays winner of B at 9.30 a.m., Wednesday, Jan. 27, at Victoria Rink, Toronto.

ICE RACES.

Belleville ice races are now an assured thing. They will take place on the 21st and 22nd of this month. On each day two races will take place, best 3 in 5, mile heats. The entries close on the 20th inst. Following is the programme: First day—named race, $75; 2.29 class, $100. Second day—2.50 class, $100; free-for-all, $150.

Mr. Wm. Budkins' black gelding "William Henry," is entered in the named race. He is in fine condition, though perhaps a little fleshy.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer. Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 18,—6.30 a. m.....29° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	40°	31°

Rain fell yesterday and last night to the depth of .34 of an inch.

RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

Mr. W. Price, of the G.T.R. staff at Gravenhurst, has been transferred to the Toronto shops, to take the position of locomotive foreman.

The annual report of the Order of Railway Conductors shows that over 20 per cent of the death and disability claims paid were for accidents. Of $2,500,000 paid by out by the order, $1,000,000 was for accidental injuries.

A popular work on railroading estimates the ordinary load for a ten ton freight car as follows: Whiskey, 60 barrels; salt, 70; lime, 70; eggs, 130 to 100; flour, 200 sacks; cattle, 18 to 20 head; hogs, 50 to 60; sheep, 80 to 100; lumber (green) 6,000 feet; lumber, (dry) 10,000; barley, 300 bushels; wheat, 340; apples, 370; corn, 400; potatoes, 430; oats, 680; and bran, 1,000.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Wm. Matheson, Havelock, was in town Saturday.

Mr. Alex. McAuley, reeve of Havelock, was in town Saturday.

Mr. Henry Greene has returned from a business trip to Belleville.

Mr. Harry Brightman, town, was in Belleville on Saturday on a business trip.

Mr. Herbert McMaster, of Deseronto, is the guest of Mr. Fred Hubbs, Brock street.

Mr. J. D. Armstrong was registered at the Anglo American Hotel, Belleville, on Saturday.

Mr. Fred Smith, of Campbellford, was up spending Sunday with his brother-in-law, Mr. G. J. Horkins.

The Belleville Sun says: Mr. L. V. O'Connor, B.A., Peterborough, is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. A. M. Dempsey, Grier street.

Miss Gertie Guy, of town, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Toronto and the west for several months, has returned home, and is the guest of Mrs. Walter Guy, Sophia street, Ashburnham.

There are great bargains at Grafton's Great Clearing Sale.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Lansdowne Lodge S. O. E. meets to-night for installation of officers.

—Remember the sale of periodicals at the Public Library to-night.

—The rink is open to all the hockey players of the club to-night from seven until eight o'clock

—The town auditors, Messrs. Sheriff Hall and A. N. Clarke, began their work at the town buildings this morning, beginning with the accounts of the Clerk of the Police Court.

—A number of grosbeaks have been seen around town lately, feeding on the berries of the mountain ash. These birds are supposed to make their home near the Arctic Circle, but occasionally make a trip south during cold weather.

—A medical practictioner was before the magistrate this morning charged with a violation of the Health Act in neglecting to report a case of diphtheria. As he had the patient removed to the hospital before the symptoms were fully developed, he thought there was no need to make a report. The charge was dismissed.

—At the public debate held under the auspices of the Fortnightly Club in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, on Tuesday evening, the subject will be "Resolved that the Christian religion should be a subject of compulsory education in our public schools." Affirmative, Mr. Hampden Burnham and Rev. W. R. Young; negative, Mr. D. W. Dumble and Mr. Sheriff Hall.

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Stomach, sometimes called waterbrash, and burning pain, distress, nausea, dyspepsia, are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. This it accomplishes because with its wonderful power as a blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla gently tones and strengthens the stomach and digestive organs, invigorates the liver, creates an appetite, gives refreshing sleep, and raises the health tone. In cases of dyspepsia and indigestion it seems to have "a magic touch."

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Stomach

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A mimic horse race. Horses are entered and moved over the spaces on the race track according to the throws of dice.

Parcheesi.

The back gammon board of India. The Eastern Rajahs are passionately fond of Parcheesi.

Halma.

A magnificent game to while away a pleasant hour. It is for two, three or four players, but even one may play a lone hand and improve the mental faculties by studying its "solitaires."

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One of the most remarkable games. It is tit-tat-to improved. Yet with all its simplicity it fascinates old as well as young.

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LAKEFIELD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. W. R. Montgomery, of Hawkesbury, spent a few days in the village.

Mr. C. Bell, of Toronto, was in the village last week.

Mr. J. H. Frise, of Brighton, was in the village last week.

Mr. W. Traill, of Brandon, Man., is visiting his grandmother.

Mr. James Duff, of Brandon, Manitoba, is here on a visit to his mother.

Mrs. Catharine Parr Traill, our authoress, completed her 96th year on Saturday last. A great many of her friends called on her, extending their congratulations.

Rev. J. G. Potter, of St. Andrew's, Peterborough, was in the village on Tuesday, attending the Sunday school Convention.

Mr. Geo. Preston, of Birtle, Manitoba, is visiting friends in this neighbourhood.

Dr Caldwell, of Peterborough, was in the village on Monday.

The Sons of Scotland will hold their regular meeting on Thursday evening.

Fur muffs, fur mitts, fur collars, fur ruffs, fur capes, fur caps, robes, etc., at prices away below regular values for cash only, at R. Graham & Sons. Now is the time to purchase during the cold snap.

Court Lakefield, No. 43, C.O.F. will hold its regular meeting on Thursday evening of next week.

The annual meeting of the Lakefield Presbyterian church was held Monday night with a small attendance. After devotional exercises by the pastor, the following reports were read:

The report of the Board of Management was read by Mr. Benson, and Treasurer's report by Mr. Chas. Tanner as follows:

STIPEND ACCOUNT.

Bal on hand	$ 57 70
Receipts for year	616 00
" from North Smith	170 00
	$844 30
Salary to Rev A C Reeves	$ 80 00
Balance on hand	44 30
	$844 30

MISSIONARY ACCOUNT.

Contributions for year	$ 32 00
Expenditure	$ 10 00
Bal on hand	72 20
	$ 82 20

GENERAL FUND.

Bal on hand	$ 51 64
Plate collection for year	203 61
Sundries	26 94
	$272 19
Expenditure	$218 20
Balance	$ 53 99
	$272 19

SABBATH SCHOOL GEN. EXPENSE ACCT.

Bal on hand	$ 27 07
Receipts for year	58 22
	$ 85 29
Expenditure	$81 61
Bal on hand	3 68
	$ 85 29

S. S. MISSIONARY FUND.

Receipts for year	$ 32 22
Expenditure	$ 7 15
Bal on hand	75 07
	$ 82 22

Reports of the W. F. M. S. and Mission Band were also read.

Rev. A. C. Reeves presented the report of the session for the year.

All of which were on motion received.

The retiring managers, Messrs. T. H. Benson, E. A. Tanner and John Fairbairn, were re-elected.

The auditors, Messrs. W. H. Casement and F. J. Burgess, were re-elected.

The meeting was then brought to a close by singing and the benediction.

On Tuesday afternoon the annual meeting of Lakefield District Orange Lodge was held in the Orange Lodge at which the following officers were elected for the year:

Bro W M Graham	P D M
" Dr D Fraser	W D M
" W Northcott	D D M
" R Waram	D Chap
" S Harrison	D Rec Sec
" R Nugent	D F Sec
" J W Stuart	D Treas
" W P Chase	D D of C
" T G Eastland	D Lecturer

The semi-annual meeting will be held at North Smith on Monday, June 14th at 6 p. m.

The Sabbath school convention for the Township of Smith was held in the Presbyterian church on Tuesday afternoon and evening, a report of which will appear next week.

All parties indebted to R. Graham & Son are requested to settle their accounts on or before Feb. 1.

The officers of Exeter Lodge, S. O. E., Lakefield, were installed Tuesday night by Bro. Wm. Saxby, District Deputy, assisted by several brethren of the local lodge and by Bros. Wm. Taylor, Walter Stocker, Alf. Kingscott and Charles Cheverill. The officers are as follows:

Geo Biddle	Past President
A Wood	President
G J Burgis	Vice President
E Warren	Chaplain
W Waldron	Treas
R Q Dench	Secy
A J Jory	1st Guide
H D Dunford	2nd Guide
R J Jory	3rd Guide
W Hill	4th Guide
Fred Abbott	5th Guide
W Edwards	6th Guide
W Cox	O G
J E Kelly	T G
Grand Lodge Delegate	R Q Dench

After installation there were speeches, refreshments and a pleasant hour of social amusement.

Owing to lack of space the report of the council meeting is held over until next week.

First Meeting of the New Council.

The first meeting of the new council for 1897 was held in the town hall at 11 a.m. on Monday, as required by statute.

Present,—J. F. Lillicrap, reeve, and Councillors Dr. Fraser, Bradin, Moore and Burgis.

After routine a bylaw appointing Messrs. W. A. Eastland and W. M. Graham auditors was passed; also a bylaw appointing ex-Reeve W. H. Casement a member of the Board of Health for three years.

Moved by Messrs. Bradin and Burgis, that the standing committees for 1897 be as follows:—

Finance—Dr. Fraser and Burgis.

Roads and Sidewalks—Bradin, Moore, Fraser and Burgis.

General—Moore, Burgis, Fraser and Bradin.

Council adjourned to meet at 8 p.m.

ADJOURNED MEETING.

The reeve in the chair and all members present.

Tenders from Mr. John Edwards and McIlmoyle & Calder, for the snow ploughing, were read.

A bylaw re-appointing Wm. Doidge to the combined offices of assessor, collector, etc., was passed.

The Finance Committee presented a recommending payment of the following accounts:—

Pay sheet No. 1	$102 23
Village clerk, expenses	16 00
Lakefield News, printing account	16 50
Rathbun Co., engine coal	2 00
Municipal World, blank forms	2 39
Grand Trunk R.R., charity ticket	1 50
Total	$141 44

Report adopted.

Moved by Messrs. Bradin and Moore that the council subscribe for six copies of the Municipal World for 1897 at a cost of $5.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Moore and Bradin that the cleaning off of snow from the sidewalks be given to John Edwards as per tender on condition that he start at Matthews' corner, Hunter street in the morning, thence by main sidewalk to school, and that he will be held responsible for all the work, and that he follow the instructions of the Roads and Street Committee or Roadmaster.—Carried.

A communication from Jas. Linton & Co., bankers, applying for the village treasurership, was laid over for consideration at the next meeting.

Moved by Messrs. Bradin and Dr. Fraser that the use of the town hall be granted to the directors of the Public Library for a concert or entertainment on the 19th inst.

Moved by Messrs. Bradin and Moore, that Messrs. Fraser, Burgis, Moore and Bradin be a committee to enquire into the conditions of the electric light contract, and report at next meeting as to cost and service as compared with other places.

Council adjourned to meet at call of Reeve.

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The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to use our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their accounts without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

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THE COLLECTION OF TAXES.

Several of the members of the town council have declared in favour of the principle of the collection of municipal taxes in instalments, and doubtless all the members believe in the principle; but, just how to apply it in a practical way seems to be a little of a difficulty. It is impossible, it seems, to apply the instalment plan this year. The assessors are not yet appointed, and, according to the assessment law, they have till the last of April to complete their work. The law allows the entering of appeals by the ratepayers till the 14th of May. The Court of Revision is allowed till the last day of June. The right of appeal to the County Judge lies till the 5th of July. Then the Judge has to give notice and is allowed till the 31st of July to complete the roll, and after that the council will have to strike the rate. The collectors' roll has to be completed and accordingly, it will be well on to the end of August before the payment of taxes can be demanded.

But it is possible under the present law to bring on the early collection of taxes next year. It is allowable to take the assessment in the months of July, August and September. Then, mutatis mutandis, the same course of procedure is adopted, which would permit the county judge to complete the assement roll on the last day of December. The council could at the beginning of the next year strike the rate as early as they choose, and the collectors roll could be ready, say, the first of April.

The principle of paying the taxes in instalments admits of wide variation, and doubtless many plans will be proposed. Mr. W. H. Law has given some attention to the subject of the collection of taxes, and suggests a plan something like the following. He proposes having the taxes payable on the first of October with five days grace, which would bring the last day for payment on the 5th of October. Then a discount of one-half of one per cent. per month, equivalent to six per cent. per annum is to be allowed on all taxes paid before they became due. For instance, suppose a ratepayer wishes to pay his taxes on the first of June, he is to be allowed a discount of two per cent.; on the first of July one and a half per cent.; on the first of August, one per cent.; on the first of September, one-half per cent.; on October first, par. Payments after that date are to have the one-half per cent. per month added. Thus, November first, one-half per cent. added; December 1st, one per cent. added; January 1st, one and a half per cent. added and so on.

The half of one per cent. is specified because that is equivalent to the normal rate of interest (six per cent.) that the best of investments now bring. This system seems to be fair. The discounts for early payments afford the taxpayer interest at the highest current rate on his money, and the town loses nothing; the percentage added for overdue payments also protects the town from loss.

It is stated that some of the councillors are in favour of procuring private legislation to permit the earlier collection of taxes this year, but that seems to be hardly practicable or advisable. A private bill would involve a cost of about $100, besides a private bill could not be completed before April 15th, and therefore it would not be possible to have the taxes collected much earlier than is possible under the present statutes. The existing law, if taken advantage of, will permit the earlier collection of taxes if it is thought desirable, next year. It does not seem to be so urgent a matter as to require a special Act of Parliament.

The EXAMINER would be glad to receive concise letters from any persons having plans to propose for paying the town taxes in instalments—in the multitude of counsel there is wisdom.

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SMITH, ENNISMORE AND LAKEFIELD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

Held Their Annual Meeting on Monday Last—The New Officers Elected.

On Wednesday afternoon last the annual meeting of the Smith, Ennismore and Lakefield Agricultural Society was held in Lakefield town hall, quite a number of the members being present.

The secretary read the annual report which was received, and the financial statement was also read, there being a small deficiet.

The report showed a membership of 82 to start the year with.

The following is a table of the number of entries and the amount of the prize money at the last exhibition:

	No. of Entries.	Amount Offered.	Amount Paid.
Horses	163	$ 140 00	$108 00
Cattle	56	59 50	49 50
Sheep	42	30 50	27 00
Swine	18	18 00	9 00
Poultry	34	12 00	5 50
Dairy products	20	18 50	12 00
Grain and seeds	71	39 75	31 75
Roots and other hoed crops	121	16 25	11 75
Orchard and garden products	164	22 25	17 85
Implements and manufactures	5	27 50	5 75
Fine arts	16	6 00	4 50
Ladies' work	252	76 50	61 00
Miscellaneous	55	4 50	4 50
	1014	$452 25	$360 85

The following officers were elected:

Hon. Pres.—I. Garbutt, Sr.

President—R. H. Braden.

Vice-Pres.—H. C. Garbutt.

Sec.-Treas—W. Sherin.

Directors—Messrs. E. M. Elliott, Levi Payne, E. Fitzgerald, Wm. Abbott, J. H. McWilliams, R. Q. Dench, G. W. Fitzgerald and S. Wallace.

Hon. Directors—Messrs. Jos. Walton and G. J. Galvin.

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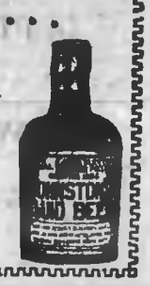

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Robert Hall, of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Dry Goods Merchant, Insolvent.

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE ABOVE named has made an assignment to me under the Provisions of R. S. O. 1887, Chapter 124, of all his estate in trust for the general benefit of all his creditors.

A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby called and will be held at the office of Messrs. Stratton & Hall, in the Town of Peterborough, on Thursday, the Seventh day of January, A. D. 1897, at 3 p. m., for the appointment of Inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate.

All the creditors of the said estate are hereby required to fyle their claims and prove their security on or before the date of said meeting. After the second day of February next I shall proceed to distribute said estate having regard only to such claims as I shall then have due notice of and proof and I shall not be held responsible for the assets of said estate nor any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim shall not then have been fyled.

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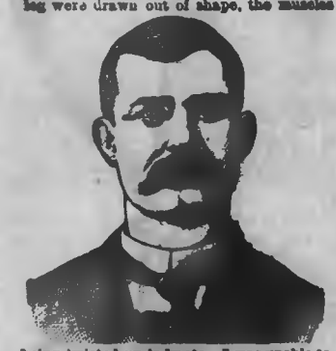

being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 165 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

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MR. BLAKE'S CHANCE.

The Canadian Orator will have the Opportunity of his Life in Moving the Taxation Amendment.

Montreal, Jan. 15.—(Star Cable.)—At a Cabinet Council yesterday in London it is stated Ministers considered the way in which the amendments to the Queen's speech will be allotted. Though in no danger of defeat over a vote on the Irish taxation amendment, the defections in the Unionist ranks from that Island are not pleasant for the Government to contemplate. The Nationalist-Unionist coalition grows in strength, until in Hon. Edward Blake, who will move the amendment to the address, all parties are represented.

Ireland will not await a deliverance by a new commission through which the Government designs to delay dealings with the Irish demands for financial redress. If the Irish members of all political faiths fail to obtain some better satisfaction of their demands than the appointment of a new commission, they can make the whole session a campaign of obstruction, which would blast the Government program. The Irish Unionists are led by Col. Saunderson, member for North Armagh, and the vitality and intensity of the popular interest in the tax question in Ireland has been fully evinced by the great meetings held in Dublin, Limerick and Belfast, which attracted a strongly influential attendance, composed of men of all shades of political and religious faith, all eager to impress upon the British Government their demand for the redress of their financial grievance, whereby Ireland pays an annual excess of £2,500,000, as reported by the commission. This body's report showed that, "While the actual tax revenue of Ireland is about an eleventh of that of Great Britain, the relative taxable capacity of Ireland is very much smaller, and is not estimated by any of us as exceeding one-twentieth."

It is the duty of Mr. Blake, in representing the Dillonites, Healyites, Redmondites and Unionists, to voice this great grievance in such a way that all parties in Ireland will be satisfied. In moving the amendment to the Queen's speech, the Canadian statesman has the chance of his lifetime. He was chosen because he represents the cool-headed, argumentative and logical type rather than the hot-headed, warm-hearted enthusiast. That Mr. Blake will do the matter justice no one who has heard him before the Privy Council doubts. The subject calls for technical reasoning and in this Mr. Blake is a past master. It will be the greatest speech that Mr. Blake has made since he entered the British Parliament in August, 1892, after being triumphantly elected member for South Longford.

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DEEDS HORRIBLE AS HELL

Eye-Witnesses Tell of the Armenian Massacres—Big Meeting in Massey Hall—$4000 Collected.

Toronto, Jan. 16.

Five thousand people shuddered in very horror last night as they listened to the young men and the young woman from down-trodden, persecuted Armenia tell blood-curdling tales of personal experience and of scenes they had been forced to witness in that land where rapine and murder had reigned untrammeled. Sympathy, too, took a very substantial form, for the result of the great mass meeting will be that over $400 will be placed in the hands of the Army for the immediate relief of the 24 Armenians present, as well as for those that are left of their friends in their Asiatic home.

Kriker Avalian addressed the audience in his native tongue, his speech being interpreted by a fellow-countryman, Garabet Binatian. He had seen a Turkish call to arms suddenly followed by a massacre of over 7200 Armenians. He told how he had contrived to escape to Constantinople, thence to Egypt and on to London, where he had been taken care of by the Salvation Army and brought to Canada.

Marcar Seropian of the city of Divrik was interpreted by Mr. Misrob Bayhdasanium, who has been for three years a student of McMaster University. The speaker's two brothers were murdered. He had, with a number of his countrymen, been huddled together in a restaurant, and when let out had been forced to witness his friends bayoneted, until the streets ran with blood. They had then been compelled to throw the reeking corpses of friends and relatives into a large room. He had been afterwards warned by a Greek friend that his turn was to come next, and had sought the protection of the Greek consul at Constantinople, who, in turn, had put him into the hands of the British consulate at Athens. Thence he was sent to London. His father had recently written him that he had since seen a young child covered with kerosene and burned to death. The young man's uncle had been murdered.

Mrs. Dildabarian, the only woman in the party, was vigorously welcomed, as with slow and graceful step she approached the chairman. Her address, as interpreted, was punctuated with expressions of grief at her wretched condition, for she had seen nearly every relative she had fall by the sword of the Turk. One scene in connection with the two massacres she had witnessed she could never forget. It was when the brutal Turks had rushed into her neighbor's house and carried on the end of a bayonet their little baby. She had made her escape from the country by means of the intervention of the British ambassador.

Garabet Binatian, the interpreter, gave the experience of a fellow-countryman. His friend, with hundreds of others, had been promised by the Turks that if they would give up Christianity they would not be molested. They had answered, "We might better die than give up the Christian religion."

Proceeding, he told of the manner the Turks had treated the pleadings of a mother for the safety of her only son. "We will save him," they replied, "but watch the fun." They then tied each arm to a post in the middle of the street. The ringleader cried out, "Who will cut off his nose?" "I will, I will," came a score of voices. One of them was deputed to do it, and he did his work well. With blood gurgling into his mouth, and down his throat, the young man looked piteously toward his mother, who was compelled to stand by and watch the "fun." After his nose was taken off they hacked off his ears. Concluding the speaker exclaimed, "God will avenge us if the powers do not!"

The Commissioner rendered "There'll be no more sorrow up there," in her usual feeling manner and followed with an earnest appeal for help in the Army's undertaking. The Armenian refugees, she said, had been taken care of by the Army on whatever shore they had landed throughout the world.

Miss Booth then announced a number of the subscriptions, which were headed by $5 from the Mayor, and $2 from Mrs. Henry Cawthra. A large number of other donations, varying from $1 to $10, were also announced.

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—Business is very dull, and prices heavy. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.90 to $4, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The decline in Chicago to-day had an unsettling effect on the trade here, and prices are inclined to be heavy. The demand is poor, except at reduced figures. Twenty cars of red and white sold at 90c outside west. No. 1 Manitoba hard is dull at 94c to 95c, Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is steady. No. 1 quoted at 34c to 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 28c and No. 3 at 25c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are steady. White sold at 19c to 19½c west, and mixed at 18c to 18½c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices unchanged, with sales at 41c to 41½c north and west.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 22c to 22½c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 25c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 35c west.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and featureless. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

There was a better market in live stock to-day. Receipts were about 60 carloads, and nearly all were sold out. Export cattle are firmer, with sales of 14 loads at 3½c to 4c per lb. Bulls for export, 3c to 3½c. Butchers' cattle in fair demand, with prime selling at 3c to 3½c per lb. The bulk of the offerings was of medium and inferior qualities, which sold at 2c to 2½c per lb. Milch cows sell at $25 to $35 each, and calves at $4 to $7 each.

Sheep and lambs in moderate supply and prices steady. Choice sheep sold at 3c to 3½c per lb., and butchers' at 2½c to 2¾c. Lambs are firm, there being sales at 4c to 4½c per lb., according to quality.

Hogs are firm, with good demand. The best sold at 4½c to 4¾c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c, lightweights at 4c, sows at 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

W. H. Cadney, Port Burwell, Ont., says: "I was afflicted with Rheumatism and tried all cures. I did not get relief until I tried Miller's Compound Iron Pills, and before I had finished two boxes I was completly cured, and now feel like a different man." Only 25 cents a box. Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

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HUGH JOHN IS OUT.

But There is a Possibility That the Supreme Court May Restore Him to the Vacant Chair.

Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—(Special.)—The Winnipeg election trial was called at the court house at 11 o'clock this morning, and within an hour Hon. Hugh John Macdonald was declared unseated. A hackman was called and testified that he had been hired by an agent of Mr. Macdonald to drive voters to the polls. Mr. Tupper, counsel for Hugh John, admitted this charge and the judges declared the election void. However, there will be a stay of judgment until the decision of the Supreme Court in the matter of preliminary objections. Should the Supreme Court decide upholding the preliminary objections, Hugh John would be confirmed in his seat. By agreement, no order was made as to costs. The effect of the preliminary objection before the Supreme Court is that it has not been proven that the petitioners were legally qualified voters, and, therefore, had no right to petition. There is the same preliminary objection before the Supreme Court in the case of Nat Boyd, M. P. for Macdonald, whose election was also voided.

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RED NOSES.

Causes Which Induce Them Pointed Out—Their Cure.

The bravado with which the summer girl is wont to carry off her tanned face, her nut-browned hands and even a crop or more of unmistakable summer freckles is worthy of respect, says Harriet Hubbard Ayer in the San Francisco Examiner. I believe no woman really ever enjoyed being freckled or tanned a real bronze color, but the natural fun-loving, out-of-door, healthy girl will say that she dotes on getting as black as an Indian, and contents herself with the reflection that at least no one knows she hates the brown line around her throat, but when it comes to the bright red nose for a continuous companion it is by common accord acknowledged the bete noir of many a maid and matron. The red nose has no defenders nor champions.

Red noses are superinduced by exposure to the heat, but are almost invariably associated with imperfect circulation and dyspepsia, not uncommonly also with tight corsets, tight garters or shoes. There is some disturbance of the health where the nose suddenly gets red and swollen, and both anemic and plethoric women will frequently, from opposite causes, suffer from this painful condition, and the scarlet flush often covers the middle of the brow and the upper part of both cheeks as well as the nose. The treatment therefore cannot be the same for all afflicted, since the thin-blooded women should have recourse to nourishing and tonic foods and the stout one to the diet advised for reducing flesh; both, however, require plenty of oxygen and unrestricted freedom of the body.

Hysterical women are troubled with flushed noses because they yield to emotions that disturb the cutaneous blood vessels. The best way to cure red noses of this kind is to overcome the cause.

Women subjected to flushed noses should rest an hour after each meal. Reading, writing, sewing, any occupation which involves activity of the brain or special strain of the eye muscles immediately after eating, will with certain women inevitably produce a red nose.

External treatment for a too blooming nose is at the best but temporary. Dr. Anna Kingsford recommends bathing the face itself in very hot water. I have not found this treatment efficacious. I have, however, seen the flush subside in a few moments as a result of putting both hands and feet in a hot mustard bath. Ice placed behind the ears will sometimes reduce the color.

Women subjected to red noses should religiously abstain from hot drinks—tea, coffee, highly spiced food, shell fish, any food difficult to assimilate. Green vegetables, ripe fruits, acid drinks (such as lemonade or lime-juice) are excellent acids to out-of-door exercise and frequent ablutions in overcoming a tendency to flushed nose and cheeks.

Bathing the face in Vichy water 'genuine' will sometimes take the redness as well as the swelling which often accompanies it from the nose. Soda baths are also recommended. A famous French authority, Dr. Cheron, advises arsenic as a positve remedy for red noses. The following is Cheron's treatment:

Arseniate of Soda .....0.05 grammes
Distilled water .....150 grammes

Dose—A tablespoonful at each meal in a glass of water colored only by a little light claret.

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The Rev. F. S. Bortain of Puebla, according to the Mexican Herald, writer as follows: "It may be of interest to some of the readers of the Herald who visit Puebla to know of one of the less visited attractions in the vicinity of the City of the Angels. I refer to the 'Coxcomate.' It is about twenty minutes distant from Puebla over the street-car line to Cholula. Any street car conductor can point it out to the curiosity seeker. It is to the right of the car line, about 500 yards distant.

"It looks from the car window to be a pile of white stones or a well-bleached haystack. But upon closer inspection it proves to be a tumulus of white calcareous stones evidently of water formation, about fifty feet in height and one hundred feet in diameter at the base. The form is that of a truncated cone. At the apex is an elliptical-shaped opening about twenty-five feet along the minor and fifty feet along the major axis. It is a bell-shaped cavity and lined with ferns of various descriptions. I should judge the depth to be at least 100 feet, and at the bottom, so far as visible, the opening must be sixty feet in diameter. In the bottom, on one side, are to be seen some gorgeous ferns and on the other side a pool of water.

"Tradition says that the ancient Aztecs were accustomed to worship here the genius of the spot, and occasionally threw in a live victim to appease his subterranean majesty. It is said a few victims of the Inquisition were thrown down here to reflect upon the controverted points of doctrine. At all events, it is a most singular freak of nature, as it is in teh middle of a level plain or rather a barley field. It looks to have been some volcanic bubble, of which the great Mexican upland is so full, and is well worth a visit on the part of the curious.

"Attough I have inquired among my Mexican friends, I have found no one who could tell me the meaning of the name 'Coxcomate.'"

The folly of prejudice is frequently shown by people who prefer to suffer for years rather than try an advertised remedy, The millions who have no such notions, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla for blood-diseases, and are cured. So much for common sense.

That hacking cough can be quickly cured by Hagard's Pectoral Balsam. Price 25c.

HERE IS A NEW SENSATION.

The Princess De Chimay Suspected of Being a Russian Spy.

London, Jan. 15.—A despatch from Buda Pest to The Pall Mall Gazette says that before the eloping Princess Chimay and her Hungarian gypsy paramour, Rigo, left Buda Pest for Nice yesterday the police made a raid upon the apartments which the couple occupied, upon the strength of information furnished to the police authorities that the Princess was a spy in the employ of the Russian secret service. The police found no evidence of the woman's connection with the Russian secret service, but in the course of their search found a packet of letters that had been addressed to her by a European monarch, which they seized.

TWO OFFICERS ESCAPED.

Capt. Boisragon and Consular Officer Locke Got Away From the Benin Tribe.

London, Jan. 15.—Despatches received at the Foreign Office this morning say that Captain Boisragon of the Niger Coast force and Consular Officer Locke, who were of the British Commercial Expedition, recently massacred by wild tribesmen in the territory of the King of Benin and were supposed to have perished with the others, have arrived at New Benin wounded and exhausted. They succeeded in escaping from the onslaught of the natives, and wandered in the bush for a week before reaching New Benin. All of the others of the party, Consul Phillips, Consular Officer Campbell, Major Crawford, Captain Maling, Dr. Elliott, two civilians and about 250 Kroomen and native carriers, with the exception of seven Kroomen, who made their escape and brought the news of the massacre to the officials of the Niger protectorate, are believed to have been killed.

AS WELL AS EVER.

A Brickmaker Listens to Reason—Uses Six Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and Tells it.

Brockville, Jan. 4 (Special)—Mr. W. H. Odell, perhaps one of the best known citizens of this town has lately recovered from a long continued and painful kidney ailment. He tells the story of his experience to the correspondent as follows:

"I have suffered for over a year from kidney disease, the pain in my back being so severe that I was unable to stand to my work."

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Muffs from 50c up; Sable Muffs (special) $7.00, and Seal at $12.00, worth $18.00.

Grey Lamb Caps, $1.25 to $2.50; Coney Caps $1.25; Astrachan $2.00.

Alaska Seal Caps, $9.00, worth $14.00; Otter Wedge Caps, $8.50.

30-inch Greenland Seal Capes, $22.00, 24-inch Greenland Seal Capes $13.50

Several shorter Fur Capes, worth from $10.00 to $12.00; now $5.00.

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MINING NOTES.

Ontario Graphite.

The Ontario Bureau of Mines received from the Ontario Graphite Company two lead pencils, being the first samples of Ontario graphite turned out. Accompanying the pencils was a letter stating that after testing samples of their graphite, Johann Faber, the famous manufacturer of led pencils in Bavaria, and M. Schneider, of Nuremburg, another large manufacturer, had found it equal to their own Bohemian graphite and had given a trial order for forty tons of it for immediate shipment. The company's deposits are situated in Brougham, township, about twenty miles west of the town of Renfrew.

DEVELOPMENT NEEDED.

The London, England, Mining Journal says:—"Now that it is universally admitted that Ontario is probably one of the greatest depositories in the world of the precious and economic metals, it is to be hoped that the Ontario Government will move with the times and give mining all the prominence it is entitled to. It is surely time that more was done towards making known the mineral resources of Ontario, and considering the great importance of the country, generally, of a mining industry, the Ontario Government would be justified in spending large sums in aiding in opening up means of communication and advertising its resources. At present it requires considerable effort to get at the wealth, and it is most essential that railways should be built, telegraphic communication established, an improved mail service given, etc. The absence of railway and telegraphic facilities has, and will, seriously retard the development of mines." The Mining Journal will find that the Ontario government will be equal to the occasion, so far as the financial resources of the province will permit.

WARSAW.

(Correspondence of The Examiner.)

Dont miss the carnival.

Jim Greystock has returned from town.

Miss Lena Fletcher, of South Monaghan is the guest of Miss Sarah Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Payne have been spending a few days with friends in Lakefield.

Miss Laura May, of South Monaghan, is visiting at Mr. John Tucker's.

Rev. Mr. Hyde, pastor of the Presbyterian church here, will exchange pulpits with the Rev. Mr. Reeves, of Lakefield, on the first Sunday in February.

The Normal School in connection with the Presbyterian church will be resumed on Thursday.

The hockey club has been organized, and the boys would be pleased to hear from their Lakefield friends at any time now.

An entertainment in connection with the Bethel church will be held in the church on Monday evening next at 7 p. m. An address will be delivered by the Rev. Mr. Speers, of Toronto, after which a number of dialogues, recitations, etc., will be given by the children.

The first grand masquerade carnival of the season will be held in the skating rink on Friday evening, January 22nd, when a number of valuable prizes will be given for fancy and comic costumes, racing, fancy skating, etc. The event of the evening will be a mile race, in which several local flyers will compete.

The boys deserve credit for the energy displayed in completing the rink, which is now under the capable management of Mr. John Lowry. The ice has so far been kept in firstclass condition and providing weather is favourable on Friday it is to be hoped that a good crowd will turn out and give the boys all the encouragement possible.

Mrs. Irwin and daughter, who have been visiting at Mr. John Doughty's during the past week, left for their home in Perrytown on Saturday.

PROCEEDINGS OF BELMONT COUNCIL.

(From Our Own Correspondent.

Pursuant to statute the council elect met in the town hall on Monday, Jan 11th, when the following gentlemen took the declarations for 1897: W. Burgess, Esq., reeve; J. A. Sexsmith, Esq., deputy-reeve; Messrs. John Vansickle, Alexander McArthur and Samuel McConnell as councillors.

W. Burgess, Esq., reeve, in the chair. Minutes of former meeting read and confirmed. On motion of Councillor Vansickle $2 was appropriated on the side lots 31 and 32, on the east half of the fourth concession, Methuen; Edward Youmans to be commissioner, he to report to the council.

After adjournment the application of E. Perry, to have his time extended two years to cut and remove the timber on 5th concession line, across the south-east quarter of lot 9 in the 6th concession. On motion of Councillor McArthur, Mr. Perry is to have to the 1st January, 1899, to cut and remove same, and Mr. Vansicle to have till January 1st, 1899, to cut and remove the timber on 1st concession line Methuen, across lot 3.

On motion of Deputy-Reeve Sexsmith, the cost of holding municipal election, 1897, $32, was paid as follows:

Clerk and deputy-returning officers	$10 00
W H Johnston—No 1	4 00
W Anderson—No 2	4 00
W J W Mellville—No 4	4 00
Stewart Post—No 5	4 00
Use of school house $1 50 each, 4 schools	6 00
	$32 00

On motion of Councillor McArthur the clerk was instructed to notify the county treasurer to make out tax deeds in favour of the municipality of the undermentioned, owned by the municipality:—Part of lot 28, concession 5, Belmont, 28 acres; part lot 28 in the 5th concession, Belmont, 82 acres; part lot 22 in the 6th concession, Belmont, 175 acres; east half lot 26 in the 5th concession, Belmont, 100 acres; south half lot 25 in the 7th concession, Belmont, 100 acres; north half of lot 3 in the 11th concession, Methuen, 100 acres.

Application of C. Youmans to purchase timber on side road lots 25 and 26, across the 4th concession of Belmont: Would give $1 50 for the timber, the money to be paid before timber is cut.

A bylaw not to collect the tax on dogs and bitches for the year 1897 received its several readings and passed.

A bylaw to appoint certain township officers was also passed, appointing Walter Wilde assessor, salary, to cover all, $40.00; Wellington Burgess and Frank Wilson, auditors.

A bylaw to appoint a local board of health, a medical health officer and a sanitary inspector was passed and signed:—Board of Health—Wm. Burgess, Esq., reeve; Porter Preston, clerk; and Messrs. J. L. Aunger, W. Coon and Robert Burgess; W. H. Jeff, M.D., medical health officer; W. H. Johnston, sanitary inspector.

On motion of Councillor Vansickle, the deputy reeve and the clerk are a committee to examine the boundary line between Belmont and Marmora across lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, also examine the side road lots 15 and 16, across the 1st concession Belmont, and make an estimate of what it would cost to open the boundary line across those lots; and also an estimate to open side road, and estimate of cost to make a road across lots 14 and 15, and also to attend Marmora council if deemed advisable to ask council of Marmora to be at one-half of cost of opening boundary.

Also to be a committee to rebuild Plaster creek bridge, near Chas. Wilde's, and to report to council.

Application of W. W. Ellis to purchase the old cedar taken out of bridge near Pettibone's. Would draw three loads of gravel on bridge near Mrs. Pettibone's. Application granted.

Claim of Thos. Morrow for one sheep killed by dogs on Jan. 2. After Mr. Morrow has taken the affidavit as required by law, on motion of Councillor Vansickle Mr. Morrow was paid $2.37, that being two-thirds value.

Application of J. J. Sexsmith to purchase the timber on 6th concession line across lot 17, and that part of lot 18 to the Bay. Would give $2.50. On motion of Councillor Vansickle Mr. Sexsmith is to have the timber on those terms.

Application of Peter Buchanan for a grant of money to draw stone to fill in 10th concession line on lot 8. Received and laid over.

On motion of Councillor Vansickle the reeve was appointed to attend the land sale.

On motion of Councillor McArthur, J. J. Sexsmith was appointed caretaker of town for the year 1897, he to receive $6 for same.

On motion of Councillor Vansickle, T. Anderson was paid the sum of $2 for acting as poll clerk, polling subdivision No. 2.

On motion of Councillor Vansickle, the reeve is to procure a stove for town hall.

On motion of Councillor Vansickle, Wm. Bell, of Marmora, was paid the funeral expenses of Peter Palmater, and the taxes of the late Peter Palmater for 1896 are rebated. Amount voted 11th January, 1897, $146.

On motion of Councillor McArthur, the council adjourned to meet at the town hall on the first Monday in March, 1897, at one o'clock a. m.

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SHERMAN TAKES IT.

The Well-Known Senator Accepts the State Portfolio in McKinley's Cabinet.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Senator Sherman arrived in Washington this morning after his brief visit to the President-elect. He confirmed the press despatches that he had agreed to accept the Secretaryship of State, and said the information had been given out in Canton authoritatively. As to who his colleagues in the Cabinet might be, the Senator declined to even make a prediction. That was a matter, he added, that rested entirely with Mr. McKinley, and the President-elect would make his selection public when he thought the proper time had come.

Senator Sherman declined to discuss the subject of our foreign relations save in the most general terms.

WALTZED TO DEATH.

John Roche While Enjoying a Dance Fell Dead in His Partner's Arms.

Niagara Falls, Jan. 16.—While the dance of Division No. 1, Ladies' Auxiliary of the A.O.H., at St. Mary's Hall, last night, was at its height, and the dancers were enjoying a waltz, John Roche, a well-known young man in the West End of Toronto, fell dead in the arms of his partner. Heart disease was the cause.

The hall was crowded at the time, and great excitement prevailed. The ball came to an end at once. Roche was 20 years of age, and was in the employ of John O'Neil. He was a nephew of Mrs. Robert Perrie of the Old Fort, Toronto.

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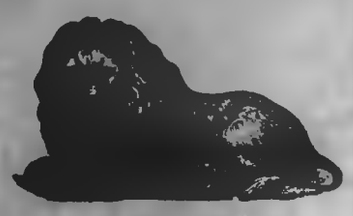
R. F.



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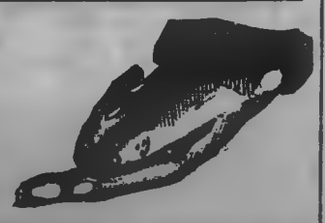

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THE OTTAWA BUDGET

Hon. Mr. Mulock in the Matter of Mail Contracts.

WORKING IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST.

Contracts Let to the Lowest Tenderers Regardless of Politics—Project for Quick Transit to the Old Country—From St. John's to Ireland in Half a Week.

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—(Special.)—During the absence of the Postmaster-General from Ottawa there will be a suspension of the work of renewing postal contracts, upon which Mr. Mulock has been engaged for several weeks. The contracts which have been cancelled were in all cases those which had been renewed by the late Government without tender. Mr. Mulock has let new contracts invariably to the lowest tenderer, provided the sureties were good. The politics of the tenderer has not been taken into consideration.

A good story is told of the way in which he received the deputation which waited upon the Government the other day to ask for an increased mail subsidy for the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway. The plea put forward by the deputation was that this was a colonization road and that therefore, in the interests of colonization, the increased subsidy should be given. It is said the Postmaster-General tilted himself back in his chair and very quietly informed the deputation that under those circumstances they had made a mistake, and had come to the wrong department.

"What do you mean?" ejaculated one of the astonished visitors.

"Why, this is not the Colonization Department," replied the Postmaster-General. "If you want to encourage colonization you must see the Minister of the Interior."

The deputation had to be content with this reply, and went away wondering what sort of a man the Premier, who happened to be present, had chosen for a colleague.

When Mr. Schreiber, Chief Engineer and Deputy Minister of Railways and Canals, was in New York last week he was waited upon by Mr. R. G. Reid, who has nearly completed the Newfoundland Railway from St. John's to Port Au Basque, on the west coast. Mr. Reid has just returned from England, where he has placed the contract for a fine steamer, which is to run from Port Au Basque to Sydney, were it will connect with the Cape Breton Railway. Mr. Reid's object in interviewing Mr. Schreiber was for the purpose of providing for close connections between the steamer and the railway.

Mr. Reid's contract with the shipbuilders calls for a first-class, high speed, screw steamer, 230 feet in length with 32 feet beam, at a cost of $260,000. The steamer will make three round trips per week between the two points. This will be the first fruition of many schemes for shortening transatlantic travel.

When the Intercolonial Railway was built it was intended to connect at Miramichi, N.B., by steamer with Western Newfoundland. From St. John's, Nfld., to Ireland the distance is about 1600 miles, which would be accomplished, at the rate of 20 knots, in 80 hours, or three days and a half. The Intercolonial scheme of fast steamers from Miramichi to Newfoundland was never consummated, but early next June, when the Newfoundland Railway has been completed and the new steamer placed on the route between its western terminus and North Sydney, the shortening of the ocean voyage by at least three days will be an accomplished fact. Some idea of the importance of North Sydney as a port of shipping may be gathered from the Harbor Commissioner's report for 1896, which shows that during the season of navigation 2195 vessels arrived there, representing a capacity of 762,000 tons. Of these 635 were ocean steamers of a capacity of 613,800 tons.

Mr. Justice Burbidge delivered judgment in the case of the Queen v. St. Louis. The information was exhibited to recover from the defendant the sum of $143,881 and interest, being part of an amount of $220,550 paid to him on certain contracts made between him and the Crown, whereby he undertook to furnish labor and stone for the construction of th Wellington-street bridge and the Grand Trunk bridge over the Lachine Canal at Montreal, and for the construction of lock No. 1 of the said canal. The total amount of the claim made by the defendant under such contract was $384,192, of which the Crown paid him $220,550. For the balance, $63,642, the defendant prosecuted a petition of right, which was dismissed by the Exchequer Court, but on an appeal being taken to the Supreme Court, the judgment of the Exchequer Court was reversed. With its defence to the petition the Crown had filed a counter claim for the same amount as the information in the present case is exhibited for, but withdrew it before judgment by consent. The defendant pleaded to the information, amongst other things, that the matters in issue in the present action were the same as the issues decided on the petition of right, and that the Crown was, therefore, precluded by the judgment of the Supreme Court from maintaining a new action. The learned judge of the Exchequer Court holds that the plaintiff's objection is well founded, and that the doctrine of res judicata may be invoked against the Crown. In the result, the information is dismissed, the Crown getting costs of the proceedings prior to March 7, 1896, and the defendant applied to amend his statement in defence, and all costs subsequent to that date to this allowed to the defendant and set off against the former. If the amount of the Crown's costs exceeds that of the defendant, the Crown to enter judgment for such balance of costs.

Mr. Fisher and Prof. Robertson leave for Hamilton to-morrow night to attend a meeting in that place on Wednesday morning of the fruit growers of the Hamilton, Grimsby and Niagara districts, who desire to discuss with the Minister of Agriculture the question of cold storage accommodation on Atlantic steamers. On Wednesday afternoon the Minister and the commissioner go to Brantford to attend the annual convention of the Dairymen's Association of Western Ontario.

Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia, left for Quebec this afternoon.

Mr Tarte, Minister of Public Works, arrived up from Montreal to-day, but he did not go to his office. He still feels pretty shaky.

Mr. A. H. Taylor, who was for nearly 30 years Grand Trunk ticket agent in this city, but who was recently superannuated, has been appointed customs appraiser at Ottawa, in succession to the late Mr. Patterson.

Mr. George Casey, M. P., of Elgin, who was here on Saturday, had a conference with the authorities of the Agricultural Department regarding the hog plague in Elgin. The disease is not the same as that which is playing such havoc in the Counties of Essex and Kent. It is a lung trouble, but is said to prove equally destructive.

Major Bliss, Assistant Adjutant-General, has a plan for making the Militia List a self-sustaining publication, and will have it issued semi-annually instead of annually.

Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, Deputy Minister of Railways and Canals, is back after a trip to New York with Mr. Pottinger, General Manager of the Intercolonial.

In the Supreme Court Justice Sedgwick announced that, for unavoidable causes, the court was further adjourned until Jan. 25, for the purpose of rendering judgments only. No judgments were handed down.

Mr. T. A. Duff of Toronto and Mr. C. A. Zavitz, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, are in town. They are making a tour of the eastern counties addressing meetings. They spoke on Saturday night before a large audience at South Indian and were given a splendid hearing. Both gentlemen paid a visit to the Experimental Farm this afternoon. They leave to-morrow for March Corners.

Andrew Onderdonk is in town, also Engineer Thomas Monro of the Soulanges Canal.

The City Council decided to-night to petition the Ontario Legislature to amend the Municipal Act by providing that no municipality shall have power to exempt manufacturers from taxation. This action is in line with the request of the Hamilton corporation last year.

WILL PUSH IMMIGRATION.

The Manitoba Immigration Agency at Toronto to be Reopened—Other Items From Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Jan. 18.—(Special.)—Premier Greenway says that in Quebec everybody he came in contact with endorsed the school settlement. He intimates that it gives as much satisfaction to the French as to the English. Mr. Greenway says his Government will again engage earnestly in immigration work. The Manitoba Immigration Agency at Toronto will be reopened.

Nicholas Flood Davin has applied to the courts to commit Walter Scott, editor of The Regina Leader, to prison. Mr. Davin charges Scott with contempt of court in connection with the libel suit of Davin v. Scott.

Shareholders of the defunct Commercial Bank estate asked that J. M. Ross be appointed sole liquidator, but the courts to-day appointed William Hespeler.

A Rothschild Suicides.

New York, Jan. 18.—Charles Rothschild, thirty years old, of Brooklyn, committed suicide in the Cable building at Houston-street and Broadway to-day by jumping from the eighth floor to the bottom of the light shaft.

Another British Steamer Wrecked.

London, Jan. 18.—A despatch from Calcutta says the British steamer City of Canterbury, from the Clyde, Dec. 2, for Calcutta, has been wrecked at Hoogly Point. All on board reached the shore in safety.

The Church in Quebec Warned.

London, Jan. 8.—The Pall Mall Gazette this afternoon, in a long leading article, warns the Catholic Church in Canada that, unless it abandons its arrogant assumption of governmental powers and clerical interference in politics, will endanger its existence.

AS TO RECIPROCITY.

Interview With Mr. Charlton at Washington.

MUTUAL BENEFITS WOULD RESULT

In the Opinion of the Member for North Norfolk—Conditions of Trade Between the Countries Analyzed—Canada Stands at the Parting of the Ways.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Mr. John Charlton is now in Washington. He has been a frequent visitor here in previous years. Mr. Charlton states that he is not here in an official capacity. In an interview to-day with a reporter of the United Associated Presses, Mr. Charlton, in discussing the question of the desirability of more liberal trade relations between the United States and Canada, stated that the recent change of Government in Canada had brought the question of reciprocity to the front. The Liberal party of Canada had always favored more intimate trade relations with the United States. The Conservative party, on the contrary, had uniformly been adverse to reciprocity except upon unattainable conditions. Now, Canada was governed by broader-minded and more liberal men. Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, the Premier of Canada, is a man of advanced views. He is a Liberal of the Liberals. His knowledge of American affairs is accurate and extended, and he ardently hopes for more intimate and friendly business and social relations between the two countries. Canada, said Mr. Charlton, will unquestionably attempt in the near future to obtain a treaty of reciprocity in trade with the United States, a treaty that will admit to freedom of mutual interchange, all natural products, and will cover in addition, as wide a list of manufactured articles as the establishment of a just equilibrium of mutual interests shall require.

When the conditions of trade between the two countries are carefully analyzed, said Mr. Charlton, it will be found that the advantages to be derived from a free interchange of natural products are not entirely upon the side of Canada. The removal of the Canadian duty on Indian corn would lead to an enormous consumption of that grain in Canada for stock feeding and other purposes. American pork would be largely used by Canadian lumbermen, if admitted free, and the repeal of the Canadian duty upon flour and meal would enable the United States to supply Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island with breadstuffs, to the exclusion of Ontario and Manitoba.

Fresh beef from Chicago packing houses would find extensive sale in Canadian cities and towns and the repeal of the duty of 60 cents upon bituminous coal would crowd out the use of Nova Scotia coal in all of Canada west of and including Montreal.

The latest complete Canadian trade returns are for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1895. The total export of agricultural products to the United States for that year was $3,710,000 and the total export of animals and their products, the product of Canada, to the United States for the same period was $3,713,000.

The same year Canada imported from the United States a large quantity of animal produce and $4,800,000 of grain, flour, meal, garden seeds and broom corn, of which there was entered for home consumption $1,700,000. This statement of agricultural products does not include raw cotton, vegetable fibres or tobacco. The Canadian exports of forest products to the United States for 1895 amounted to $12,482,000. Of this amount over $3,250,000 consisted of sawlogs, shingles, bolts, stave bolts and pulpwood for American mills, and of tanbark and firewood. The entire importation of sawn lumber, shingles, laths, pickets and palings amounted to about seven hundred million feet, board measure, or less than 1-20 of the annual lumber product of the United States. The same year Canada imported lumber, timber, shingles and other forest products from the United States for consumption to the amount of $1,550,000.

As to the evident fear of the American farmer and lumberman that the free admission of Canadian farm products and lumber will lower prices in the United States, Mr. Charlton expressed the belief that these fears were ill-founded. The Canadian sought for free admission under the belief that he would receive increase of price. But for this belief he would be indifferent as to whether concessions were made or not. The amount of lumber or farm products admitted free would be so trifling when compared with the great bulk of American production, as to be likely to influence prices in the United States only slightly, if at all.

To the objection raised that reciprocity would make Canada rich, Mr. Charlton said that it would make both Canada and the United States richer, and that the benefits conferred would be mutual. If free intercourse between the States or groups of States, such as the eastern, the middle, the southern, the western and the Pacific slope, was advantageous, the same system could be extended with equal advantage to the group of States known as the Canadian provinces, and no influence, natural or geographical, would interfere with the harmonious operation of the principle in case of such extension. Canada, he said, would gladly meet the United States in the middle of the stream. She was prepared to settle the vexed Atlantic fisheries question on the basis of good neighborhood and modern commercial comity.

He was prepared to make arrange-

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POST OFFICE REFORM.

The Post Office Department is one in which the spirit of reform has entered in earnest. Much cry is made that heads are dropping into the basket, but there is evidence that any action taken in this direction is in the public interest—in the interest of economy—in the interest of increased efficiency of the postal service. The policy of Hon. Mr. Mulock in regard to public contracts is plainly stated in the following letter, which was recently received by Mr. W. S. Calvert, M. P., West Middlesex, from the Postmaster General:

"I have your letter of the 23rd inst., stating that much exception is taken to the action of this department in cancelling the contracts for the Napier and Strathroy and Appin and Mayfair mail service, and asking for an explanation. In reply I beg to state that the reason that these contracts were cancelled is that they were let without tenders being asked. I am strongly of opinion that my duty to the Department obliges me to put all contracts for mail service up to tender before they are let, such being the only means of obtaining services at the lowest possible rates. The late Government took advantage of the power conferred on the Postmaster-General to receive contracts on the same terms and conditions to make the mail service contributory to their party necessities, and as a consequence the payment of exorbitant rates, even with full knowledge of the facts, has been habitual with the department. This I am determined to remedy, and I hope that in my efforts to put the service on a proper footing I shall have your hearty support. The result of the tendering so far is most encouraging, and I am satisfied that any temporary unpopularity we may suffer from the application of business methods in our work will be more than offset by the results. I would like you to assure the contractors in any such cases as these that the cancelling of their contracts implies no dissatisfaction with the manner in which they have attended to these services, and that I would be glad to receive tenders from them, which will have the same consideration as any others."

This is doing public business on business principles.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Mr. Boyd's, of Macdonald is about the first case on record in which a seat in Parliament was won by sleight of hand. Their is not even honour in a Parliamentary seat won like a disreputable game of draw poker, by marked cards.

Mr. N. Boyd and Mr. Hugh John Macdonald have been unseated for corrupt practices—in effect they resigned their seats to save investigation into the gross alleged and in one case, proven irregularities that prevailed in the elections they were heralded as winning.

The opposition organs are urging the Government to bring on the session, and with it their tariff bill. The Government will not probably be unduly hurried into bringing in a crude measure at the risk of its being chiefly composed, like Hon. Mr. Foster's notorious bill, of "clerical errors."

The opponents of the present Dominion Government, in their excessive zeal of criticism, in order to make a charge lie, very often have to lie to make a charge. The concoction published in various opposition journals, with a view of discrediting the Government by associating the notorious Ed. Farrer with Mr. John Charlton as ambassadors to Washington, to negotiate a reciprocity treaty, is a sample. The Government has sent no delegates to Washington, and any statement to the contrary is pure invention.

LAKEHURST.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

At the annual meeting of the Harvey Agricultural Society, the following business was transacted: The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. The report was then adopted by the meeting, which showed a balance on hand of $100.64, which leaves the society in very good circumstances.

The following officers were elected:
Pres.—Robt. Renwick.
Vice-Pres.—Thos. Elliott.
Directors—Wm. Weir, Jas. Weir, A. Thompson, A. G. Shearer, John Smith, H. G. Nesbitt, Wm. Mollmoyle, Absolom Hunt and John Chase.
Auditors—John Elliott and W. P. Chase.
Sec.-treas.—Archie Wilson, jr.

It was then resolved that the society hold its annual show for 1897 on October 6th. Other surrounding societies will please take notice, and try to avoid coming in contact with that date, as ours is one of the most enterprising shows of the day.—[Com.

TARIFF ENQUIRY.

Quebec Gentlemen Lay Their Views Before the Commission.

Quebec, Jan. 18.—Before the Tariff Commission this afternoon Mr. Lemoine of the flour and grain firm of J. B. Renaud was examined, and gave several reasons showing the faulty points of the present flour and grain tariff.

F. H. Andrews and A. E. Vallerand, oil men, were examined. Mr. Vallerand thought that the refiners in Canada could make a cheaper oil with American crude oil than by the Canadian product. The refiners should be more protected, by raising the protection to seven cents. A gentleman in Petrolea had written Mr. Vallerand that two months after the adoption of a higher protective tariff he would employ 500 hands more in his works and oil would be dealt out to farmers at a much cheaper figure.

Mr. Belanger of St. Thomas, Montmagny, manufacturer of plows, harrows, etc., demanded more protection on Canadian material, Canadian steel, etc.

Mr. Archer, coal merchant, thought it advisable to favor the coal trade between England and Canada. Our own mines do not produce the coal we get from England or from the States. Hence better terms should be given to English coals. If this was done Quebec and Montreal would benefit by it, as cargoes of coal would be an inducement to shippers and our lumber trade would thus get an indirect encouragement.

George M. Webster, coal merchant, was against the importation of Scotch coal, as it would interfere with the Sydney coal.

Mr. Francis Gunn, coal merchant and ship chandler, said North Sydney or Nova Scotia coal can equal the Scotch product. Vessels seeking freights in England would fix for a load at Quebec or Montreal if there is an inducement of some kind in the coal trade. Coal ships pay their own expenses very liberally, hence the shipping trade of the St. Lawrence would be encouraged by better terms on coals.

Mr. Felix Carbray, M.L.A., commission merchant and agent of the Nova Scotia mines, says that consumers are getting much cheaper coal to-day than ever before.

The sale has increased in twenty years or so from 500 tons to about 900,000 tons a year in the Province of Quebec alone. Any preferential terms to Scotch coal would be most disastrous to the Nova Scotia trade.

George Madden is in favor of encouragement to Scotch coal. It cannot injure the Nova Scotia coal trade in the least.

Mr. Marsh, shoe manufacturer, gave a nomenclature of overtaxed material in the shoe trade. In some circumstances leather was taxed 10 per cent. for glove makers and 17 per cent. for shoemakers. The tariff on the patent and enamelled leather was really too heavy, because it is not manufactured in the country at all. The tariff should be so arranged as to produce a reduction in leather used in shoemaking, but he advocates an increase of 10 per cent. on American shoes.

Mr. F. Gourdeau of the Tanners' Association wants 15 per cent. increase on shoe leather and 25 per cent. on enamelled leather. The tariff revision of 1894 has been injurious to Canadian tanners and, as a matter of fact several tanners have been run out of the trade by American competition.

Ald. Charles E. Roy, merchant in shoe findings, leathers, etc., says that he is a believer in the 10 per cent. revenue tariff. American competitors, he says, have ruined his business. The Canadian dongola combine is the cause of many evils. The bad produce made has been responsible for American importations.

John Ritchie, shoe manufacturer, pronounced himself in favor of more protection.

George E. Amyot, corset manufacturer, gives many examples of the defective arrangement of our tariff. His industry is one of the most unprotected, and the trade can't be maintained with the present state of things. American competition is keen and is getting sharper every day.

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LATEST CABLE NEWS

Ivory Faces the Criminal Court in London

ON THE CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY

The Case for the Prosecution Outlined—An Effort to Shut Out Foreign Witnesses Failed—The Prisoner Pleaded Not Guilty and Appeared Cool and Unconcerned.

London, Jan. 12.—The trial of Edward J. Ivory, alias Edward Bell of New York, who was arrested in Glasgow, Sept. 12 last, charged with conspiracy to destroy life and property by the use of dynamite, was begun in the Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey, this morning, Justice Hawkins presiding. Ivory is accused of having engaged in a conspiracy with P. J. P. Tynan, alleged to have been the "No. 1" of the Irish Invincibles, who was so frequently mentioned during the trial of the persons charged with the murder of Lord Frederick Cavendish, Chief Secretary for Ireland, and T. H. Burke, Permanent Under Secretary, in Phoenix Park, Dublin, on May 6, 1882; John F. Kearney of New York, J. S. Wallace, alias Haines, of New York, and others. Tynan was arrested in Boulogne sur Mer, France, on the morning of Sept. 13 and Kearney and Haines were taken into custody in Rotterdam, Holland, on the same day. Tynan, Haines and Kearney were subsequently released by the French and Dutch authorities upon the ground that the offences with which they were charged were not included in the list of crimes mentioned in the extradition treaties of Great Britain with France and the Netherlands Kingdom.

When Ivory was arrested in Glasgow, where he had given the name of Bell, letters and other documentary evidence were found among his effects and upon his person, which disclosed his connection with Tynan, Kearney and Haines, and the Scotland Yard authorities demanded his extradition to London, which was granted, and after several arraignments in the Bow-street Police Station he was formally committed for trial. Ivory's counsel comprised J. F. Taylor, T. Matthews and Cecil Dwyer, Solicitor-General Findlay, Solicitor Sutton, Q. C.; C. F. Gill and Mr. Bodkin appeared for the prosecution on behalf of the Treasury, J. R. Carter, second secretary of the United States Embassy, and United States Consul-General Patrick A. Collins were present in court. Ivory was well dressed and appeared to be perfectly composed. He pleaded not guilty.

After the prisoner's plea had been entered Solicitor-General Findlay proceeded to narrate the events leading up to the arrest of Ivory in Glasgow, beginning from the time he left New York.

Mr. Taylor, for the defence, objected to the introduction into the case for the prosecution of anything that had taken place outside the jurisdiction of the United Kingdom which was calculated to operate to the prejudice of the prisoner.

Justice Hawkins overruled the objection.

Mr. Findlay then stated to the court and jury that there were two charges against the prisoner. The first of these charges, he said, was that of conspiring with Tynan and others to cause explosions endangering life, and the second was that of conspiracy with the same parties to cause explosions which would endanger property. Mr. Findlay then went on to trace Ivory's movements and actions after his arrival in Great Britain, and called attention to the fact of his having endeavored to find certain men whom he could engage to effectually cause the explosions. He next spoke of the prisoner's letters, in which, he said, the words "finding stock" meant finding agents. These letters, he contended, showed that the prisoner was acting in concert with Tynan and Kearney.

The Solicitor-General proceeded to read another letter, in which the prisoner had written these words, "Things look very bad for me as regards London stock; so much so that Billy Burt won't do."

This letter, he said, proved that Ivory had been engaged in making enquiries in London similar to those he had made in Glasgow in an attempt to engage men to cause an explosion. Counsel then read a letter written to Ivory by Tynan, in which the writer said: "We must have self-respecting men, not men who are losing their manhood through drink. We are both capable of doing the business personally in any event."

Mr. Findlay, continuing his argument, said that the evidence which the prosecution would produce would link Ivory with the doings of Kearney in Antwerp, and also show that the prisoner belonged to the Order of United Irishmen. He would also bring evidence to show that Ivory had attended a secret meeting of United Irishmen in Chicago, and that he left the United States in concert with Tynan, Kearney and Haines.

At the conclusion of the opening argument the taking of testimony was begun.

The first witness called was Julius Opholser, a waiter employed in the Victoria Hotel in Amsterdam. Opholser produced the register of the Victoria Hotel, showing the arrival on Aug. 30, 1896, of an American who gave the name of Wilkins. He was accompanied by a man supposed to be a German.

Clerks employed in the St. Panoras Station Hotel, London, identified the prisoner as having arrived at the hotel on Aug. 26 last and registered under the name of Edward Bell.

A chemist named Peckham identified Ivory as having applied to him for the purchase of a large quantity of sulphuric acid.

Thomas Charles Jones, a chemist in Holloway-road, testified that Ivory had called at his place of business and asked to purchase 25 pounds of chlorate of potash, saying that he wanted it for the purpose of making experiments.

Solicitor Taylor, for the defence, cross-examined the witness with great severity as to the identity of the prisoner as the man who had called at his laboratory.

Associated with the prisoner's counsel, which also includes Solicitor Charles Russell, son of the Lord Chief Justice of England, is Mr. John F. McIntyre, formerly Assistant District Attorney of New York County, who was engaged by Ivory's friends in New York to come to England and assist in his defence. It had been said that Mr. McIntyre would, perhaps, be permitted to plead in behalf of Ivory, but it is now known that his action in court will be limited to aiding the other counsel for the defence in an advisory capacity. Mr. McIntyre watched the proceedings closely, and occasionally conversed with the other lawyers as the case went on.

Witnesses from Antwerp were called to testify, when Mr. Taylor interposed, saying that no sufficient foundation had been laid by the prosecution on which to show concerted purpose or action on the part of Ivory with the other alleged conspirators, Tynan, Kearney and Haines. Ivory and the others, he admitted, had been seen drinking together, and there had also been an exchange of letters between the prisoners and Tynan, but these circumstances furnished no evidence of the existence of a conspiracy. The admission of the Antwerp testimony was postponed.

The manager of the Hotel Havre at Havre testified to the arrival of four men at his hotel who were supposed to have been Ivory and his three alleged associates. The court then adjourned.

REPORTS ARE SERIOUS.

Lieut.-Governor Kirkpatrick's Condition Causing Anxiety, According to Latest Accounts.

London, Jan. 18.—(Montreal Star Cable.)—Though the morning reports gave favorable accounts of Lieut.-Governor Kirkpatrick's condition, this afternoon the reports are more serious. His friends speak very seriously of his condition this evening.

THE QUEEN'S SPEECH.

Her Majesty's Utterance Expected to be Brief and to the Point.

London, Jan. 18.—It is understood that the Queen's speech at the opening of Parliament to-morrow will be unprecedentedly brief. It is expected to congratulate Parliament on the signing of the arbitration treaty with the United States, and upon the more satisfactory working of the alliance of the powers of Europe for promoting reforms in Turkey, and will express regret at the Benin disaster, and at the necessity for a punitive expedition. The legislative proposals are believed to be few, and the important measures promised will be confined to the relief of voluntary schools and an employers' liability bill, supplemented by minor measures relating to the improvement of agriculture in Ireland and enabling the military manoeuvres to be more conveniently carried out. A hint is also expected of the increased sums to be demanded for military services.

TWEED TOPICS.

Mrs. James Davenport Makes a Statement for the Benefit of Others.

Mrs. Davenport is well-known in Tweed, and this is how she spoke to our representative concerning Doan's Kidney Pills. Said Mrs. Davenport:—

"I have suffered for some years from dizziness puffing under the eyes, pains in the side and back, sleeplessness, poor appetite, and in fact, was in a bad state generally

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Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego Cal. says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 339 George Street.

Burdock Pills, small, safe, and sure, regulate the liver and cure constipation.

MACEO IN FLORIDA.

The Cuban Leader Hidden in the Southern State—Badly Wounded But Will Recover.

Troy, N. Y., Jan. 16.—A special to The Troy Budget to-night says: Dr. E. Vallencourt Deuil, one of the leading citizens here, has just made public the fact that Antonio Maceo is not dead, but is secluded in Florida. The information comes to him from Mrs. Victor Vuillame, a sister of Dr. Deuil, who resides at Daytona, Fla., in a letter to him bearing date of Jan. 1. Mrs. Vuillame positively asserts that Maceo has for some time been at the Palmeto Hotel, at Daytona. She states he is terribly wounded, but will recover, and thus far has seen only a few intimate friends. Daytona is located on Halifax River, near Mosquito Inlet, and is full of Cuban sympathizers. Maceo's presence there was kept a secret as far as possible.

HIS CAREER WAS SHORT.

A Very Ambitious Boy From Boston Who Had an Idea of Starting Business in Montreal.

Boston, Jan. 16.—Herbert L. Berry, 18 years of age, was arrested this morning for the embezzlement of $400 from the firm of Hutchins & Co. Berry was employed in the office of the firm, and on Dec. 23 last absconded with $400, with which he intended to go into the fur business in Montreal. The police last night learned that he had returned to Boston, and he was arrested. He said that on his way to Montreal he fell in with some strangers, who took from him $200 of his funds. When he reached Montreal he found it impossible to put his business schemes into effect, so he remained in that city while his money held out. He left for home last Thursday.

STILL IN HIS PRIME.

North Hastings' Oldest Inhabitant Hale and Hearty.

Josias Moore, of Bancroft, Ont., one of the oldest and best-known residents of Hastings County, can boast of wonderful health and vigor for his age.

"Although I am over 84 years of age," he says, "I feel as young as ever I did."

Mr. Moore, however had a narrow escape from death about a year ago. "I was so bad with indigestion," he writes, "that the doctors gave me up. I tried various alleged remedies but found them no good. One day our popular druggist, F. C. Humphries, sent me a sample of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to try. The result was marvellous. After taking two I was able to get up. Then I sent for a box. I could soon eat anything. In a short time I was able to walk two miles, to Bancroft and back, with ease."

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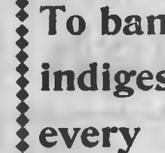

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual General meeting of the shareholders of the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company of Ontario, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors for the past year, election of Directors for the ensuing year and other general purposes connected with the business of the Company, will be held at the office of the Company in the Town of Peterborough, on Wednesday, the 27th Day of January, 1897, at 7 o'clock in the afternoon.

E. R. WOOD, Secretary.

Peterborough, January 13th, 1897.

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WHAT WE FIND WE ARE SHOVING OUT TO QUICK BUYERS.

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200 Men's Suits of one line, all sizes and patterns at..... **$4.90**

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The quotations which we are prepared to give are unprecedented, but quite consistent with High-Class CASH Tailoring.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Grand Pool Contest.

Do not forget the pool contest to-night at the Oriental billiard rooms. It promises to be the most exciting match of the season. 1d

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Lantern Lecture at St. Luke's.

A lecture on "The Reformation in England" will be delivered in St. Luke's school house on Wednesday evening by Rev. H. Symonds, illustrated with beautiful coloured lime-light views by Mr. R. M. Roy. Admission 15c.

Seizure of Moose Skins.

The chief game warden for the northern district made an important seizure of moose skins at Orillia last week, and has notified the department to this effect. No names are given, but instructions have been given to prosecute the parties who had them in their possession.

Complimentary Benefit Concert.

A complimentary concert will be given in the Opera House on Feb. 4th for the benefit of Mr. J. A. Rogers, who has long been suffering from paralysis and unable to follow his occupation. A good programme of music and elocution will be presented and as the object is a most worthy one, it is to be hoped that a very large audience will assemble in the Opera House on Feb. 4th. Further particulars hereafter. 3d15

Riverside Park Skating Rink.

A prize will be offered for competition to boys' hockey clubs, open to all the schools in the county or town of Peterborough. The members of each club competing must be bona fide scholars of some school in the town or county. Those wishing to compete will please send their names to Jos. G. McGowan, secretary, who will give particulars. Box 55, Peterborough. 6d1w

"Previous" Growth.

In illustration of how the "January thaw" tempted vegetative growth to take on spring tricks, Mr. Pete Simons, jr., has left at the EXAMINER office a branch of the common elder (sambucus niger) with buds swollen to bursting. Anyone doubting this statement, is invited to come into Pete Simons' back yard, Rubidge street—not for pugilistic purposes, but to see the shrub mentioned "rushin' the season."

Grand Removal Sale.

Immense bargains for the next few days. W. W. Johnston will have a sweeping sale of the D. O. LeGendre stock before removing it to his own stand, 410 George street. Anyone can see at a glance that the stock is fresh, new and up-to-date. This is a good opportunity of buying fine dry goods at greatly reduced prices. Note the address—333 George street, next door to G. Carton's grocery. 4d15

Just Arrived.

We have imported for your special benefit a choice lot of British Columbia canned Salmon, Cross & Blackwell's celebrated English pickles. Sardines in oil; also in mustard. We have the finest line of groceries obtainable always in stock. A call will not disappoint either you or E. BROWN & Co., 328 George street.

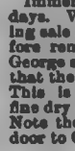
P.S.—We have made special arrangements to handle Goodertham & Worts' whiskey on draught.

Mistakes Will Occur.

In newspapers, as in the best regulated families, accidents will happen. Yesterday an advertisement of Hall, Gilchrist & Co. was inserted, in which "6 Ladies' Health Brand Combinations, regular price $2.75, drive price for one day, only 25c.," appeared. This should have read as the copy of the advertisement read, "$1.85" instead of 25c. To show how the ladies study Hall, Gilchrist & Co's advertisement, and, at the same time, how they read the EXAMINER, by nine o'clock this morning several ladies were at the store, quoting the advertised figures. It pays to advertise, and it pays merchants to live up to their advertisements, which Hall, Gilchrist & Co., mean to do; hence the above correction of a plainly erroneous quotation.

"Very, Very Good."

A prominent lady visiting Peterborough from New York City was so highly pleased with the photographic work she saw in



Mr. Whiten's art studio that she made an appointment and had a dozen sent to her address, 170 Lexington Avenue, New York City. She writes Mr. Whiten: "Photos arrived all right; they are very, very good; I am much pleased with them." Three different persons recently on a visit here from Montreal also had a dozen each taken by Mr. Whiten and forwarded to their address in Montreal. The above speaks well for Peterborough and the high-class work turned out by Mr. Whiten. Entrance to studio, 186 Hunter street, opposite Oak Hall. d15tf

PETERBOROUGH II. WINS.

The Intermediate Team Downs Norwood I.

There were not many from town who accompanied the Intermediate team down to Norwood last night, but the game was one well worth witnessing and is described as being very fast.

The Peterborough team was composed of Dixon, goal; Thorne, point; Adams, cover point; Davidson, Graham, Crossley and Belleghem.

Though light in weight as compared to the Norwood men the Peterborough II. team showed conclusively that they had the staying powers, and though on a rink more than twice the size of their own, they speedily adapted themselves to the change and by their dexterous stick handling and good combination fairly outplayed their opponents, though only after the hardest and closest game which the Norwood rink has ever witnessed.

The attendance was large and the puck was faced at 9.20 and taken from the face off by Belleghem. Honours were even for the first few minutes, but the first game went to Norwood, being scored by Ashe, as the result of a magnificent rush up the rink. Time, 4 minutes.

In the next game everything seemed to be going Peterborough's way, but the boys had hard luck in shooting on goal. Norwood was finally able to relieve and carrying the play down into Peterborough territory, scored in seven minutes.

Three minutes later Norwood tallied again making the score 3-0 in their favour.

Even now the Peterborough boys did not lose heart in the least, being confident in the ability of the team to even things up once they got working together.

The next two games went to Peterborough in five and three minutes respectively, but the latter was disallowed as a claim of offside play. The boys, however, were ready to do the trick again, and tallied one more in seven minutes, making the score 3—2, at which figures it remained until half time was called.

The Peterboroughs went on the ice, confident after their rest, but Norwood pushed the play with such a rush from the face off, that Ashe scored in one minute. Score, 4—2.

The checking became very close in the next game, and Hendren pressed Graham too hard with the result that a "Fitzsimmons hook" caught him in the jaw and laid him low. Both men were sent to the fence for fifteen minutes.

Peterborough scored again in five minutes, and a half a minute later did the trick again, evening the score.

Norwood got the next two goals, but Peterborough tied their opponents by scoring twice in succession.

When time was called the score was even and it was decided to play on until the next goal was scored.

Peterborough did the trick in three minutes, thus winning the match.

Mr. Perry, of the Norwood High School, proved a most satisfactory referee.

It is said that all the Peterborough boys played up so well that individual mention is uncalled for. For Norwood Ashe and Code did great work.

The boys were treated to an oyster supper by the Norwood team and spent a very pleasant evening, returning on the seven o'clock express this morning.

INSTALLATION CEREMONY.

Officers of Queen's Own Lodge Placed in the Chairs.

Bro. W. H. Wilson, D.D.G.M., at a large and enthusiastic meeting of Queen's Own Lodge No. 48 Loyal True Blues, installed the following officers last night:—

W H G Armstrong	W M
R Sutherland	P M
G o Collins	D M
S Adlum	R S
T Lang	F S
T Green	Treas
Geo Evans	Chap
W Crowe	D of C
Wm Wilson	Inside Tyler
J Steele	Outside Tyler
Geo Sloan	1st Com
J A Harper	2nd "
J Rome	3rd "
W Gibson	4th "
W Moncrief	5th "

W H G Armstrong, Geo Bartley, Wm Crowe—Auditors.

John G Evans, G Steele—Trustees.

There are great bargains at Grafton's Great Clearing Sale.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

Egg, Stove or Chestnut	$5 50 per ton
No. 2 Nut	5 00 "
Anthroxolite	4 50 "
Pea	3 50 "

Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 220 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

A Sale of Local Importance.

When the clear-the-table time comes around at the Peterborough Bookstore, business takes on a fresh start and fresh interest of local importance springs up. The business that is too regular gets into ruts. The announcement of stock-taking at Stratton's Bookstore does not mean that any waste time is going on. On the contrary, investing time is the time when the nimble sixpence doctrine is pushed to its utmost extremity, and quick sales are the symbols of this business. Goods are now being snapped up at the reduced prices that hang fire before January, and genuine bargains lighten the labours of stock-taking. See advertisement. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

CEMETERY COMPANY ANNUAL MEETING.

SATISFACTORY REPORTS PRESENTED.

Favourable Financial Position—Improvements of the Past Season—Directors and Officers Elected—Superintendent's Work Appreciated.

The annual meeting of the Little Lake Cemetery Company was held yesterday afternoon in the Town Council with Henry Denne, the president in the chair and the following in attendance:—Messrs. R. M. Dennistoun, James Stevenson, J. J. Lundy, W. H. Moore, Chas. Stapleton, C. W. Sawers, John Burnham, Q.C., T. E. Bradbura, Robert Weir, E. H. D. Hall, John Sawers, B. Morrow, John Irwin, W. J. English, Benj. Shortly, James English, E. A. Peck, — Brown, — Turner, — Breckenridge and Walter Patterson.

THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR 1896

was submitted as follows, with the auditors report appended:—

RECEIPTS.

Balance from 1895	$ 857 25
Cash from Superintendent	2,507 55
Interest on debentures	210 00
Interest on bank deposits	26 60
	$3,621 40

EXPENDITURE.

Superintendent's salary	$ 600 00
Secretary-Treasurer's salary	100 00
Auditors' salary	10 00
Wages	893 49
Horse and team work	85 73
Lumber, supplies, repairs, etc	270 46
Flowers, trees, etc	25 20
Printing, stationery and postage	39 05
Painting contract	49 50
Insurance	11 25
Miscellaneous	5 00
Balance in hand	1,525 59
	$3,621 40

We certify that we have examined the above balance sheet, the treasurer's books and vouchers and the superintendent's fortnightly statements, and find the same correct. The balance in hand at the end of the year was $1,525.59 as above stated. In addition, there are held by the company four debentures of the town of Peterborough, amounting to $5,000 00.

JAS. A. HALL,
JOHN J. HALL, } Auditors.

Adopted.

Mr. Peck, the secretary-treasurer, then read the following

DIRECTORS' REPORT.

The Directors of the Company beg to submit the following report for the past year:

The affairs of the Company have been carried on with the strictest regard to economy. It has become necessary to make some repairs to and to repaint the fence on the west of the grounds and to make some repairs to the dwelling house and other minor repairs and improvements. In other respects the expenditure for the year has been of the ordinary character. Ordinary receipts of the year were less than in any of the previous four years. This is attributable to the number of interments and the number of lots sold being below the average. However, the net balance in favour of the Company on account of the year's operations is $656.00, the largest sum realized (except in the year 1893) in the past ten years. The balance in the bank is $1,525.59, and the Board has made application for another town debenture of $1,000.00 as an investment for so much of this balance.

The Board has again considered the question of obtaining a more satisfactory supply of water for the Cemetery, but so far has not been able to make such arrangements as it would consider satisfactory.

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY DENNE,
President.

Dated, 18th January, 1897.

Adopted on motion of Messrs. Charles Stapleton and W. H. Moore.

Mr. W. H. Ford submitted, as appended, his annual

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to submit the following report of the interments made at the cemetery for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1896.

In the spring maples were planted on the road in front of the land purchased from Mr. Bradbura, which are doing well. At the entrance in front of the stone steps three traps have been made, and turn gutters of cobble stone, with the interstices filled with Portland cement; also a drain laid with tile to carry the water from the traps. The road at the entrance has been gravelled with fine gravel. In the pine grove, at the east side of the cemetery, the black stumps have been removed, and 150 feet of the east river bank rip-rapped with large rocks and partly graded. Also a stone gutter, similar to those at the stone steps, has been made on Hillside Avenue, running north to Range Avenue, and the fence enclosing the cemetery repaired and painted.

I would recommend that additional drains be made in section "C" to connect with present drain on Ravine Avenue; that the marble grave marks which stand up out of the ground have initials or names cut on the top and set down in the ground to allow the mowing to pass over them. This work could be done for about $75, or would not exceed $100, which would be saved in a few seasons in the expense of cutting grass, and would greatly add to the beauty of the cemetery.

I append herewith my financial statement for the graves, ending December 31st, 1896.

Yours respectively,
W. H. FOORD,
Superintendent.

RECEIPTS.

To sale of lots	$1,019 90
To sale of graves	87 50
To digging graves	373 75
To vault fees	20 75
To miscellaneous work, other sources	1,005 65
	$2,507 55

EXPENDITURE.

By superintendent's salary	$ 600 00
By workingmen's wages	893 49
By horse hire	85 73
By balance	923 33
	$2,507 55

Received, on motion of Messrs. C. W. Sawers and Chas. Stapleton.

THE AUDITORS.

On motion of Messrs. J. J. Lundy and Chas. Stapleton, Sheriff Hall and J. A. Hall were re-appointed auditors.

Mr. Foord stated in answer to a query of Mr. Denne, that about $370 more money is outstanding than at this time last year.

Mr. W. H. Moore asked if all the iron fences had been removed from the cemetery. Mr. Foord replied that only a few remained, and that several of the owners of them wished to consult other members of the family before making any change.

Mr. Denne said he thought it was the wish of the Board that the fences should be removed by the families, and that there should be no compulsion exercised, if at all avoidable.

The directors were re-elected as follows: John J. Lundy, James Stevenson, Henry Denne, Chas. Stapleton, John Burnham, Q.C., Benj. Shortly, R. M. Dennistoun, W. H. Moore, C. W. Sawers.

At a subsequent meeting of the board the following officers were elected:—

President—Henry Denne.

Secretary-Treasurer—E. A. Peck.

Managing Committee—James Stevenson, Chas. Stapleton C. W. Sawers and the president.

On motion of Messrs. Stevenson and Dennistoun it was resolved to authorize the president and secretary to invest from $1,000 to $1,500 of the surplus in town debentures at 4 per cent.

The question of running a water main into the cemetery was discussed, inasmuch as Mr. Burnham stated that a new pipe would be laid to the corner of Romaine street in the spring. The Managers' Committee was instructed to wait on the Company, and ascertain at what rate the privilege could be obtained. A former proposition of the Water Company was to put in the service for $600, and supply water at the rate of $110 a year, but the Board is anxious to obtain the service at a lower figure.

On motion of Messrs. Charles Stapleton and Benj. Shortly, a resolution was adopted adding $50 per annum to the superintendent's salary, to date from March 1st, next.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 18,—6.30 a. m. ..... 13° below zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	20°	0°

SONS OF ENGLAND.

Lansdowne Lodge Installed its Officers Last Evening.

The members of Lansdowne Lodge, Sons of England, assembled for the purpose of installing its officers last evening. The chairs will be filled this year as appended:

E A Peck	Worthy President
A Bridgewater	Worthy Vice-President
H L Beal	Worthy Financial Secretary
A Kingscote	Worthy Recording Secretary
F J R Mitchell	Worthy Treasurer
Dr H Pigeon	Worthy Chaplain
" "	Worthy Surgeon
Wm Taylor	1st Committeeman
Jas Booth	2nd "
C Cheveral	3rd "
G Grange	4th "
H Darke	5th "
W J Roberts	6th "
R Record	Inside Tyler
S Coveney	Outer Guard
J Steers	Pianist

The installation ceremonies were performed by Bro. Wm. Saxby, D. D.

When the business of the evening had been concluded refreshments were served and a social hour or two spent in speeches and song.

Mothers

Anxiously watch declining health of their daughters. So many are cut off by consumption in early years that there is real cause for anxiety. In the early stages, when not beyond the reach of medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla will restore the quality and quantity of the blood and thus give good health. Read the following letter:

"It is but just to write about my daughter Cora, aged 19. She was completely run down, declining, had that tired feeling, and friends said she would not live over three months. She had a bad

Cough

and nothing seemed to do her any good. I happened to read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and had her give it a trial. From the very first dose she began to get better. After taking a few bottles she was completely cured and her health has been the best ever since." MRS. ADDIE PECK, 12 Railroad Place, Amsterdam, N. Y.

"I will say that my mother has not stated my case in as strong words as I would have done. Hood's Sarsaparilla has truly cured me and I am now well." CORA PECK, Amsterdam, N. Y.

Be sure to get Hood's, because

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, reliable and beneficial. 25c.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Owen Sound Work," will be received at this office until Friday, the 5th day of February next, inclusively, for the construction of sheet piling at Owen Sound, Grey County, Ontario, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the office of the Town Clerk, Owen Sound, and at the Department of Public Works Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, *for one thousand five hundred dollars* ($1,500.00), must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
E. F. E. ROY,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 31st Dec., 1896. 3d15

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby notified that I will not be responsible for any accounts or debts contracted in my name by any person or persons without my written order.

PHILIP CROUGH

January 19th, 1897. 3d15-1w

"MINING PROFITS WITHOUT MINING RISKS."

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THE EASTERN MINING SYNDICATE

E. L. SAWYER, Manager. Canada Life Bldg., Toronto, Ont. d&f

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For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best

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We are face to face with stock-taking—weeding thinning counting—and during the precess Price-pruning and Profit-paring play an important part.

It does not matter what part of this store you strike, prices are slaughtered. Our fresh, up-to-date, extensive stock must be reduced during this stock-taking month. It is the clear-up and and clear-out time at the Peterborough Bookstore.

This business will stand no dull times. No stagnation. "No let-up." Buyers count. we are alive to the fact that we must make sacrifices. There must be no accumulation of stock from season to season. A $10 bill is now more potent than $15 worth of goods.

Don't let go your dollars until you have seen what we are doing in the way of reducing prices in **Books, Stationery, Wall Papers, Window Shades, Cornice Poles, Fancy Goods, Presentation Goods, Bibles, Hymn Books, Prayer Books, Games, Sleighs.**

A. H. Stratton & Co.

THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

WATCH THIS SPACE

—FOR—

Hall, Gilchrist & Co's

Daily Drives.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 20

We will offer at 9.30 a. m.:—

12 More Ladies' White Skirts

Our Regular Price 65c

DRIVE PRICE - - 39c

25 pair Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose

Our Regular Price 40c

DRIVE PRICE 25c or 3 pr. for $1.

12 Ladies' English Made Flannelette Night Gowns

Our Regular Price $1.50

DRIVE PRICE - - 90c

Only one to each customer while they last.

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'Y.

Can Accommodate a Few More

Our rooms have rapidly filled during the last two weeks, but we have still room for a few more.

DAY STUDENTS.

Any one contemplating entering this season should make arrangements at once.

NIGHT SCHOOL.

The Night School will close the last of April. Those entering now will only be charged for THREE MONTHS COURSE.

PRINGLE & McCREA,

BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1897.

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

ST. JOHN'S PARSONAGE,
Lakefield, Ont.,
January 14th, 1897.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—I shall be much obliged if you will allow me the privilege of your paper to correct a false impression held by some concerning the Church of England, as it is in the Mother Country. It is often said that her clergy are paid by the Government, i. e., the State. I daresay some of the clergy in England wish this were true; then they would not have to pay the taxes of a millionaire out of the income of a mechanic or a labourer. But unfortunately for them it is not true, as will appear from the following quotation taken out of Haslit's Annual for 1896, page 111:

"The Churches and services are now provided and maintained solely by churchmen and church endowments, whereby all apparent injustice to non-conformists is entirely removed."

Also the Year Book of the Church of England for 1896 shows that the incomes of the clergy are derived from tithes, glebes, pew rents, funded property, and voluntary offerings. I find no mention of any income received from the Government, except the incomes of a few army and navy chaplains.

The tithes, glebes and other property represent the gifts to the Church of churchmen at various times, and they are as much the property of the Church as any kind of property is of any property owner.

Thanking you I remain,

Yours faithfully,

G. WARREN.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR.

The Charlotte Street Church Branch Elects Officers.

At the meeting of the Charlotte street E. L. of C. E. on Monday evening, the following officers were elected by ballot for the ensuing year:

Rev J J Rae.....Honorary President
Mr G J Tovey.....President
Mr H Goodwin, (Christian Endeavour Dep)....1st Vice-President
Miss L DeLand, (Missionary Dep).....2nd Vice President
Miss M Sherlock, (Literary Dep).....3rd Vice President
Mr P Hamilton, (Social Dep).4th Vice-President
Miss E Goard.....Corresponding Secretary
Miss M Stock.....Recording Secretary
Miss E Thomas.....Treasurer

LILY LAKE LITERARY SOCIETY.

Open Concert to be Held on the 29th of January.

The regular meeting of the Society was held on Thursday, Jan. 14th. Debates are frequent and create considerable interest, as seen by the large attendance at the last meeting. It was decided to hold an open concert on Friday, Jan. 29th. Every effort is being put forth to make this concert a crowning success. Admission fee, suitable to the times, only 15 cents.

Opening chorus.....Glee Club
Address.....President
Report.....Secretary
Critic's report.....Critic
Solo.....Miss E. Tully
Reading.....Cecil Graham
Instrumental.....Fred Agnew
Debate:—"Resolved that single life is better than married life." Affirmative, Lottie Middleton, Jennie Mahood, Sadie Young, W. H. Currens. Negative, Mrs. G. A. Reid, Mrs. J. Ferguson, Mrs. W. Simpson, Mr. Robt. Tully.
Song.....Joe Tully
Recitation.....Herb. McCall
Song.....J. A. Storey
Song.....Mrs. W. Simpson

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The members of Court Forest Queen, C.O.F., are requested to be in attendance at the "At Home" to-morrow evening at half-past seven in order to assist in looking after their guests upon their arrival.

—The St. Luke's Boys' Brigade crosses hockey sticks with the St. John's Mission Brigade Saturday morning at eleven o'clock on the Riverside Park rink. The boys are well matched and no doubt the game will be a hotly contested one.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Brodigan has returned home after a pleasant visit of several week's duration in the west.

Mr. B. E. Brooks, eldest son of Mr. Thos. Brooks, general manager of the Peterborough Lock Company, has returned from Cornell University, where he graduated in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering. Mr. Brooks has passed a very successful course. He took a high standing at all the examinations, and did particularly well at the final. He is to be warmly congratulated on his success, which, it is hoped, will be an earnest of greater success in his future career.

"GET A MOVE ON!"

Many a business man complains of stagnation in business without stopping to consider that, as its name implies, stagnation is the stopping (standing still) of business energy and enterprise. The healthy condition of water is motion. The healthy condition of business is activity. If a business man falls into the habit of "letting up" at this time of the year, he makes his own business stagnation.

Improvement in business comes from individual resumption of business activity. It is wise to start soon; it is wiser never to stop; for "Keeping everlastingly at it brings success." Stir yourself! Stir your help! Stir your customers! To stir things generally, and keep them stirred, is business. For this purpose there is nothing better than newspaper advertising. When about to do little or much of it consult THE EXAMINER.

A CASE OF GREAT HARDSHIP.

Poverty Punished as a Crime in a Christian Community.

A case of great hardship is reported to the EXAMINER as follows: Last Thursday morning a prisoner, just discharged from jail, called upon a clergyman at his residence in an almost frozen condition. He had just completed a six-months sentence for vagrancy. He had on the same summer clothing he wore when committed last summer—thin tweed, trousers, without lining, and without drawers, a thin shirt open at the throat, a thin coat and an ordinary stiff hat. It will be remembered that that morning the thermometer was five degrees below zero. Clad in such summer clothing fit enough for July when he was committed to jail, without gloves or mits, he was in a pitiable state of starvation from cold. Besides he had lost the fingers of one hand at least, and the stumps with their deadened circulation were particularly exposed to cold. Without a home to go to, without clothing suitable for the bitter cold of the day, without a cent of money, without a body accustomed to the outside temperature of winter, but on the other hand, made tender by six months confinement in a warm place, a Christian fellow citizen was sent forth. In making his journey to the clergyman mentioned the unfortunate had to pass four churches, where on Sundays is often heard the words of Holy Scripture—"Inasmuch as ye did it not unto the least of these * * * ye did it not unto me."

There is no disposition to harshly place the blame of such a deplorable condition upon anybody and it is to hoped that some explanation may be made that will mitigate the severity of the censure that should fall upon a Christian community where such an occurrence is permitted. The prison officials doubtless did what was their duty in the case—no matter how great their inclination, they are not provided with the means of meeting the necessities of such cases—but it is greatly to the blame of the authorities that provision is not made to permit officials to see that persons discharged are not sent out into the cold world—cold in a double sense—with an equipment of clothing that is barbarously insufficient for the season. It is wrong that men should be thus thrown upon the world in a condition, which, if they were criminally inclined, would be a temptation to theft—for all that a man hath will he give for his life, and a man rather than freeze or starve will be tempted to steal. In this case the man was not a criminal, his only offence was his poverty and for this he spent six months in gaol, herding with thieves and reprobates, sharing the punishment of criminals, sharing their food and their restraint. This man has, according to his own statement, served his country in the army for eight years, and investigation shows that he is not a bad nor vicious man, but respectably connected. But he committed the crime of being poor, and has suffered the penalty—with the severest punishment and most cruel neglect, when his legal punishment was concluded.

With the multiplicity of charities in town, it would be thought that there would be some organized provision for looking after prisoners when they are discharged from jail—to lend them a helping hand, and to see that the vicious are not tempted with crime, and that those willing and able to work get employment, and to see that all, whether good or bad, receive comfortable clothing, and, temporarily, at least, the bodily comforts that we all have in abundance.

This sad case emphasizes the necessity for the county taking steps to establish a house of refuge for the shelter of those who need relief, where those able and willing to work have a chance to earn their living according to their capacity. A prison cell is not the place to put men and women, who are simply unfortunate or broken in health, and have no means of support. It is a place for criminals, and for the vicious tramp element, who will not work and make it their business to "sponge" upon society. But it is barbarous to the last degree, to treat poverty as a crime, to clothe honest indigence with the uniform of vice, and to turn them adrift uncared for and unprotected—to, in fine, join with the primitive murderer in disclaiming responsibility for the welfare of our brethren.

The authorities of the town of Peterborough have a great responsibility to assume in consequence of their attitude towards the erection of a House of Refuge, and their refusal to co-operate with the county and it is to be hoped that the case mentioned will stimulate reflection, and lead to an appreciation of our responsibilities as a Christian community.

ASHBURNHAM BRIEFS.

The School Board Holds its First Meeting of the Year To-morrow Evening.

The first meeting for the year of the village school board will be held on Wednesday evening, Jan. 20, at the usual hour and place.

Rev. H. Symonds will lecture in St. Luke's school-room on "The Reformation in England." It will be illustrated by views by Mr. R. M. Roy.

Piles Cured by Dr. Chase.

M. Iral, 186 Drolet Street, Montreal. 15 years suffered. Cured of Blind Itching Piles.

William Butler, Pomawan, Ont., Suffered many months. Cured of protruding Piles by one box.

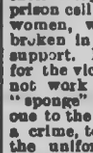
Pabano Bastard, Gower Point, Ont. Suffered for 30 years. Cured of Itching Piles by three boxes.

Nelson Simons, Myersburg, Ont., cured of Itching Piles.

Dr. Chase's Ointment will positively cure all forms of Piles. Write any of the above if in doubt.

See the Boys' Overcoats, sizes 22 to 28, that sold at $3 to $4, your choice now for $1 98 at Grafton & Co.

Fine Furniture at Low Prices.



It is seldom that this chance comes to pick up such really fine things in handsome chairs, centre tables, screens, etc., are now being shown in Clegg's furniture store window. The tickets placed on the goods tell the tale of a substantial reduction. No better goods can be had in the cities. Every article guaranteed as superior in design in material and in finish.

M. L. Henry & Co. to Their Customers

The very encouraging nature of our business during the past year has determined us to use our very best efforts in continuing to give our customers very special advantages in goods and prices during 1897. In order to do this we must have the cash to pay for what we buy. Our customers will therefore help us and help themselves as well by settling their accounts without delay. Our customers owing overdue accounts will confer a favour by calling at the store before January 20th, and make arrangements for settlement of same. M. L. HENRY & Co., Family Grocers Wine and Liquor Merchants.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

The Norwood II team comes up Wednesday evening to play the Peterborough III seven, the first match in the junior series of the O.H.A. As the first team in Norwood was beaten Saturday by their juniors by the score of 2-1 in a practice game, a fine match may be expected Wednesday. The puck will be faced off at 8 p.m.

Norwood seniors will not play a return match here, arguing wisely that if beaten on their own rink, they would stand no chance in Peterborough.

CURLIANA.

The great Lindsay bonspiel opened this morning at ten o'clock, when the double rink competition draws were started. The two local clubs have sent over four very strong rinks, which will without doubt be heard from before the bonspiel is over. Peterborough is represented by the following players:

Thistles.

J Stanger,	J S Knapman,
E Rutherford,	G J Horkins,
W G Ferguson,	C McGill,
S Ray, sk.	T Rutherford, sk.

Granites.

C LeBrun,	G Giroux,
E H D Hall,	W E Whiten,
T P Attrill,	W L Allen,
R S Davideon, sk.	H M A len, sk.

These rinks will also remain in Lindsay to compete in the single rink competition. It is to be hoped that none of the local men are drawn to play on the river on such an intensely cold day.

The Thistles have been running in hard luck so far this season and have allowed the Granites to wrest the Kendry Cup and Jones Medal from them for the year. The last game in the latter competition was played off last night between Skips McKee and Boucher and resulted as follows:

Thistles.	*Granites.*
Dr Caldwell,	A E Finnemore,
W J Thompson,	W Manson,
J Stanger,	G S Matthews,
John McKee, skip..14	Dr Boucher, skip,....16

As the Granites had a lead of nine points in the competition, they acquire the right to hold the medal for the year and, as with the Kendry Cup, will play off amongst themselves for its possession. The total score is as follows:

J Connal.....25	R H Kells.....7
Geo Edmison.....15	H Lefrun.....12
R M Dennistoun...11	R B McKee.....14
E B Edwards.....17	J B Pentland.....15
T P Attrell.....19	W G Ferguson.....12
G W Hatton.....17	Geo J Horkins.....11
H M Allen.....11	S Ray.....20
W D Parker.....18	J McClelland.....10
D W Dumble.....13	D Belleghem.....20
Judge Weller.....8	A McNeil.....16
R S Davidson.....11	T Rutherford.....19
Dr Boucher.....16	John McKee.....14
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A couple of scratch games during the day resulted as appended:

J McCaig,	A E Finnemore,
C LeBrun,	F J Rogers,
J Cameron,	W Davidson,
J Jeffries, skip.....8	D Belleghem, skip.....5
G S Ames,	W H Meredith,
R D Kerr,	T Connal,
C N Brown,	A Blade,
D Belleghem, skip. 25	Geo Brown, skip.....6

A SPLIT IN A CURLING CLUB.

The Ingersoll curling club is split on the question of whiskey or no whiskey with their match refreshments. The feeling is carried so far that a rink playing in a match with Woodstock left the ice and refused to play after luncheon at which ale and a wee drap whuskey were supplied by the bon vivant wing of the club. If a curler feels that a little sip of spirits helps to keep out the cold, it may not do him much harm—it certainly won't hurt a teetotal curler to "wink with the other eye," when a convivial brother executes a "wick" on his palate with a nip of "Burke's Irish," or "Doctor's Special." The teetotal contends that there is a danger of the absorptive curler becoming a "tee"-totum, and thus we have war declared between the tee-totals and the tee-totums. If the tee-totals persist in their opposition to "club" whiskey, the opposing wing will have to take to arms—to resort to the pocket pistol. It's a question whether the "unco' guid" didn't even up the social score by performing the unsportsmanlike act of deserting the game and inhospitably leaving their visiting opponents standing like fools on the ice with nobody to play with.

The drawing for positions in the Lindsay double rink competition took place in the parlour of the Benson House at nine o'clock last night, and was attended by a large crowd of enthusiastic and interested curlers from different points:

FIRST DRAW.

Millbrook v. Orillia.
Fenelon Fal's v. Bobcaygeon,
Lindsay v. Keene.
Lakefield v. Hamilton.
Peterborough Granites v. Peterborough Thistles.
Whitby and Oshawa have a bye.

SECOND DRAW.

Winner No. 1 v. winner No. 2.
Winner No. 3 v. winner No. 4.
Peterborough Granites v. Peterborough Thistles.
Whitby v. Oshawa.

The first draw was played this morning, commencing at 10 o'clock. The second draw was played in the afternoon. Drawing for the single rink competition will take place this evening. A large number of entries have been received for the singles, and a large number was expected for to-day. Some disappointment is felt by the local curlers at the absence of the Toronto men, only one single rink having entered. It was hoped that sufficient entries in the single rink competition would be received to-day to bring it up to the most sanguine expectations of the promoters of the bonspiel. The weather is clear and cold, and a fine week's sport seems assured. Owing to the limited number of entries it is probable that all the competitions will take place in the covered rinks.

The famous Winnipeg quartette has arrived. Chris Cornell, the vice-skip, is an old Lindsay boy, and he is receiving a royal reception in his native town.

Lindsay's Civic holiday will come some time in February, when the curlers will storm Toronto and Hamilton with 12 to 15 rinks.

The great and wonderful City of Toronto is expected to send ONE SINGLE RINK! to the Lindsay bonspiel. The liberality of the Lindsay curlers in supplying such handsome prizes evidently was too much for them. Skip Ferguson writes that the ice is in fine condition, and all games will be played under cover.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

"You Never Miss the Water Till the Well Runs Dry."

Some people never know the value of good spring water until their well gives out, or their pump gets out of repair, or they have tried the Otonabee brand of water. I have talked to lots of them, and sent them away as happy as Moses did when he smote the rock. Come over to Ashburnham with your pump troubles—I can cure them. Do you need a cistern, vat or water tank of any kind? I build them any size. All kinds of wood turning executed—a practical man always at the lathe. Lumbermen's and Electric Company's supplied with cant hooks, pike poles, insulating pins, side blocks, cross arms, etc—G. WALTER GREEN, at Ashburnham Factory, north of Wand's Mill. Telephone 92. 2iw

A Wonderful Entertainment Coming to Peterborough.

It is not often that the people of Peterborough have the opportunity of seeing such a wonderful entertainment as that which will be offered to them on the 21st inst. That most marvellous invention, "the Cinematographe," which was the greatest attraction, and which has been delighting so many thousands in Toronto and other western towns for the past three months, will be at Bradburn's Opera House, Peterborough, for one week, commencing on Thursday, the 21st January. It is impossible to properly describe the wonderful entertainment given by the Cinematographe, but imagine yourself taking a tour in a couple of hours to England, France, Spain, Italy, Germany and other parts of the world, and actually seeing things occurring exactly as though you were on the spot looking at them. Persons and vehicles passing along the streets of London or Paris, busses and street cars running, people riding bicycles and on horseback, all moving naturally life size, soldiers drilling and marching, cavalry charging, artillery firing, the ocean waves rolling, people bathing, buildings falling, processions, trains arriving and the passengers alighting, and many other amusing and entertaining scenes, and you have some idea of what the Cinematographe will show you, as if everyone you see were alive and actually in front of you. It has been spoken of by the press and everyone who has seen it, as something marvellous, and those who do not see it now will miss the sight of a life time. It provides an interesting and novel entertainment lasting over an hour, thirty scenes being given, and those who wish can see them two or three times over, as most of those who patronize it frequently do.

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being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 165 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

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THEY ARE ALL GLAD.

European Nations Express Pleasure at the Signing of the Arbitration Treaty—The Pope Rejoices Too

New York, Jan. 17.—The London correspondents to-day, with the exception of The Sun's, unite in saying that the Anglo-American arbitration treaty gives general satisfaction. Mr. Ford in his despatch to The Tribune says: "The weekly reviews take up to-day the joyful refrain heard all the week from the daily press over the negotiation of the arbitration treaty. England has only one voice on this question. English opinion, however, is less impressive than European opinion. The treaty has commanded the attention of the continental press to an unusual degree, and is described at once in Vienna, Rome and Paris as a fresh landmark in the progress of civilization."

Perhaps the highest tribute presented is an unconscious one from the German press, which complains that so notable an example of the utility of arbitration in Anglo-American relations will encourage unduly the peace party in the Fatherland.

Harold Frederic in his special to The Times says: On all sides, from all Englishmen whose opinions are entitled to respect, here or in the United States, I hear nothing but anxious wishes that the treaty may be ratified, coupled with the desire to say or do nothing which may impede its passage through the Senate or give offence by a seemingly impertinent assumption that the thing is done, before the body in whose power the final direction lies have given their authoritative assent.

In the course of his remarks at the City Temple to-day Dr. Joseph Parker referred to the arbitration treaty recently signed by Great Britain and the United States. The occasion, he said, is too grand to be celebrated by official dinners and holiday making, but instead should be marked by religious services.

Made Themselves Immortal.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Dr. T. Dewitt Talmage, pastor of the Presidential Presbyterian Church in this city, in his sermon this morning referred to the pending arbitration treaty with Great Britain, characterizing it as the mightiest, grandest movement for driving brutal war out of the earth. He said the men who on either side of the sea did most to effect the plan of arbitration have made themselves immortal. The eve of the present administration of the United States Government has been honored with the gladdest event of eighteen centuries. All civilized nations will copy the sublime example. He implored the Senate to promptly ratify the treaty. Mr. Cleveland was not present at the service.

The Pope Is Glad, Too.

London, Jan. 17.—The Rome correspondent of The Chronicle telegraphs that the Pope expressed the utmost satisfaction upon hearing of the signing of the Anglo-American arbitration treaty. He said he had hoped that the Papacy would be the permanent tribunal of arbitration for all nations, but was glad that the principle of arbitration had been adopted by Great Britain.

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Gents,—I was in very poor health for over four years; the doctor said it was constipation. Not wanting to spend too much cash I got three bottles of B.B.B. and took it regularly. I can certify that I am now in the very best of health and feel very grateful to B.B.B.

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MARTIN IT WILL BE.

Belief That the Winnipeg Fight Will be Between the Same Pair as Before.

Winnipeg, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Notwithstanding rumors to the contrary, there is every probability that Joseph Martin will again be Hugh John's opponent when the Winnipeg election is brought on.

Jack F. Jackson, who, through the medium of politics and bogus cheques, achieved much notoriety, was on Saturday sentenced to one month for obtaining money by fraud. Jackson was employed by the Conservatives during the memorable Macdonald-Martin election, and supplied the Liberals with many of the bribery charges on which they were able to void Hugh John Macdonald's election.

John O'Donohue, a member of the Winnipeg School Board, has received an appointment in the custom house here on the nomination of Joseph Martin. O'Donohue is the Roman Catholic who achieved notoriety by opposing his church on the school question, and was elected to the Public School Board.

George Saunders, one of the deputy returning officers in the Macdonald constituency election, was committed for trial Saturday charged with ballot box stuffing. In all these cases, where there have been commitments, the defendants have not put in a defence, preferring to reserve their defence until the trials come before the upper court judges.

Dr. J. K. Barrett, Inspector of Inland Revenue, will be transferred to the Kingston district and the present inspector at Kingston will succeed the Doctor here. Mr. Barrett has been one of the most conspicuous figures in the Separate school agitation, and the title of LL. D. was conferred on him by the Catholic University of Ottawa for the part he took in the agitation. It was in his name that the school case was taken to the Privy Council of England.

Charcoal, the murderous McLeod Indian, who slew another Indian, wounded Farm Instructor McNeill and killed Police Sergt. Wilde, who attempted his capture, has been found guilty of murder.

COME ON WITH YOUR MONEY.

American Capitalists Taking Hold of the Bothwell Oil Fields.

Bolivar, N. Y., Jan. 17.—A company composed of John Wasson, E. C. Root, Asa Root and G. A. Root of Bolivar and J. W. Coast of Olean has just obtained a lease of nearly 2000 acres in the Bothwell oil field in Canada and will soon begin operations. Four of the firm are practical oil men and think well of the Canadian pool that is at present attracting much attention from New York and Pennsylvania oil operators.

THE GOVERNOR'S CONDITION.

His Honor Passes a Restless Night, but Was Reported Better Yesterday.

London, Jan. 16.—(Telegram Cable.)—It was reported this morning at the South-street Hospital that Lieutenant-Governor Kirkpatrick passed a restless night, but is slightly better to-day.

At a meeting on Monday to organize a Canadian branch of the Associated Chambers of Commerce, and at which Hon. R. R. Dobell will preside, the formation of a mining section will be advocated.

You can't be well if your blood is impure, but you may have pure blood and good health by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

A BAPTISM OF FIRE.

Winnipeg Grand Opera House Destroyed—Two Other Serious Fires on Sunday in the Prairie City.

Winnipeg, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The Winnipeg firemen were kept busy on Sunday, several serious fires engaging their attention. About 2 o'clock Sunday morning the Grand Opera House, on South Main-street, was discovered in flames, and within a few hours the theatre and entire block in which it was situated were totally destroyed, scarcely a dollar's worth of stuff being saved. The theatre was only opened a couple of months ago, Beach and Sharp being its proprietors. It was formerly known as Wesley Hall block, and was owned by Mr. McNaught, solicitor of the Northern Pacific Railway. It adjoins the handsome Hotel Manitoba, and that place had a narrow escape, the interior being flooded with water to save it. Under the theatre were three stores: Pangally & Ford, W. R. Richardson and Charles Lacey, all three being in the upholstering business. They lost everything.

How the fire started is a mystery. The loss is about $40,000.

The second fire was at Dawson's fruit and confectionery store, North Main-street, and this place was also completely destroyed.

A third fire occurred at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon and was at the Assiniboine Tenement block, a handsome structure just erected over the ashes of the Cauchon block. The two-storey annex of the Assiniboine block was destroyed, but the main portion was saved, though all the tenants lose heavily by smoke and water.

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Left Hip Affected—Suspected Kidney Kidney Trouble—Relieved and Perfectly Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 18 (Special)—Mr. H. Playter, is not a difficult man to find as everybody here knows that he is foreman at No. 1 Fire Hall. He was the picture of health when called upon by your correspondent and told his story thus:

"In April 1896 I suffered from a severe attack of Sciatica, affecting my left hip and the leg to the tip of my toes. I suspected it came from some form of kidney trouble and as they had been recommended I procured a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

At the end of the fourth day I was entirely relieved, but desiring a permanent cure I continued to use that and another box and am now cured cured and as well as ever in my life. A brother of mine living at Pine Orchard has been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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AFTER FORGERS' SCALPS.

Representative Sherman Will Introduce a Bill for the Protection of Ticket Agents.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Representative Sherman of New York introduced a bill today to prevent the sale of railway tickets by "scalpers," and to punish forgers of such tickets. It provides that all railway ticket agents shall be furnished with a certificate setting forth their authority to make such sales, and that any person not possessed of this authority shall be punished by a fine or imprisonment for each violation of the law. The bill further provides that any unused part of a ticket must be redeemed by the company from whom it was purchased at a rate which shall be equal to the difference between the price paid for the whole ticket and the cost of a ticket of the same class between the points for which the ticket was actually used.

The sale by any person of the unused portion of any ticket, except to the company from whom it was originally bought, shall be punishable by a fine or imprisonment. The bill applies to roads under the jurisdiction of the inter-state law.

"Let parents not live for their children, but with them." The mother should allow no false modesty to stand in the way of her daughter's knowledge of herself, of her possibilities, of her perils. For over thirty years Dr. Pearce has used his "Favorite Prescription" as a strengthener, a purifier, a regulator. It works directly upon the delicate, distinctly feminine organs, in a natural, soothing way. It searches out the weak spots and builds them up. A woman who would understand herself should send 31 cents to the World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y., for Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser, a book of 1008 pages.

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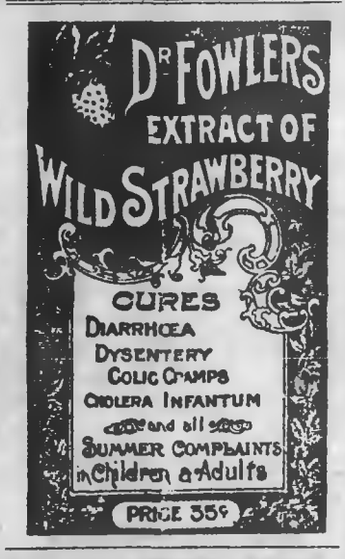

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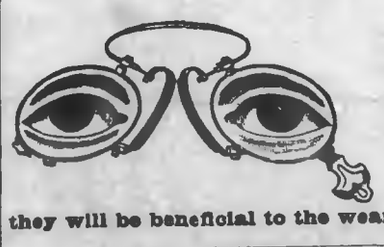

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STYLES TO PREVAIL.

THOSE IN VOGUE TO CONTINUE FOR SOME TIME TO COME.

The Fancy for Bright Colors Waxing Instead of Waning—Some Dainty Blouses—A Beautiful Dress—The Divided Pompadour.

As far as late winter modes are concerned everything is settled, and those high in authority in matters pertaining to dress declare we need not look for any decided changes for at least six weeks or two months. This is indeed most pleasing news, for certainly fashions were never prettier or more fetching than at the present moment.

FANCY WAIST WITH LACE BOLERO.

Outer garments as well as gowns are chic and handsome, and so extremely varied in both design and texture as to prove universally becoming to the maiden or the matron, be she slim and sylphlike or of more generous proportions.

The fancy for bright colors seems rather to wax than wane as the season advances. The subdued greens, the dull blues and the somewhat dingy tones of terra cotta, which seemed to us once upon a time the only colors possible to wear, have vanished altogether. Now the most vivid shades of purple, emerald green and sapphire blue, deftly mingled with deep yellow and brilliant red, shine upon us with varying degrees of brightness from all the newest winter models, whether they help to lighten in a measure the gloom of our rather dismal northern winter. The color that leads in popular favor at the present moment is purple in all its pretty shades, from the brightest to the very dullest tone; and so far is this craze carried in the world of millinery that no hat is considered quite up-to-date which does not boast among its varied trimmings and immense bow of purple ribbon, preferably of a bright tone, and one or more bunches of violets.

The prevalence of fur as a trimming grows in favor from day to day. Look which way you may, the eye is certain to light upon a gown or mantle that has succumbed to its many charms, although it is to be remarked that artists in the modiste world prefer quality to quantity when using this rich garniture. Both narrow and broad bands of sealskin are much sought after for trimming velvet and silken gowns, and strange and incongruous as it may seem, the best results are achieved when this trimming is used in combination with soft chiffon and lace.

Velvet also continues to play a most important part in decorating modish winter garments, and miroir velvet, showing an exceedingly rich and lustrous surface, seems to be the kind most in demand for this purpose. Artistic costumes makers counsel against quantity when this handsome material is used, and also advise against its admixture with fur, wisely reasoning that one but serves to cheapen the other.

Apropos of the bolero, quite the newest thing in this line is formed of four small pieces of velvet cut to so overlap each other as to form sharp points in front. A lovely bolero of this description to be worn at a holiday festivity is made of emerald green velvet, embroidered with small turquoises, and each point prettily outlined with jeweled passementerie. It will be worn over a bodice of fine black chiffon, closely accordion-plated, made high in the neck and with long tucked sleeves extending over the hand in the most proper manner. The collar band is of turquoise-blue satin ribbon, over which plaited frills of pale blue chiffon fall softly, repeating in the most charming manner the turquoise blue of the embroidery.

The illustration shows a pretty separate waist of pink silk and mousseline de soie, has full fronts, a deep belt fastened in shirred headings on the side, and a stock collar with a mousseline ruche and silk tabs edged with mousseline pleatings. The guipure lace bolero forms tabs at the lower edge, and is finished with a pleating. The long wrinkled mousseline sleeves are shirred with headings, and headed by three ruffles on the shoulder.

In spite of all rumors and predictions to the contrary, blouses remain as popular as ever, and never were they more attractive or fascinating than this season. Some of the newest and prettiest models are composed of bright-hued silk and trimmed with rows of narrow black velvet ribbon, while others again have only the standing collar, cuffs and bolero outlined with three rows of velvet ribbon. The blouses are strikingly chic and stylish. One is made of geranium red velvet, a shade of red, by the way, that is marching right along in popular favor, and trimmed with ivory-white silk and lace. It is intended for evening wear, with a plain satin of moire silk skirt. The other is much more simple in both design and material and the home dressmaker will find it an easy model to copy.

A Hall Fireplace.

If you can't have a fireplace both places have one in the hall in preference to having it in the parlor. There is nothing so attractive in a house as a furnished hall. Have an oblong table against the wall; on it a wrought iron bouquet lamp, with a round yellow globe; a tall clock near by, a few rugs strewn around and a short settle each side of the hearth at right angles, and, of course, as many pictures as possible, and you have as cosy and homelike a spot as heart could wish.

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That in a serious burn, as soon as the fire is extinguished, the clothing must be removed.

That if not already thoroughly wet, the injured part should be drenched with water and the clothes cut away.

That in case of fire and severe burns much can be done to relieve the sufferer before the arrival of a physician.

That everything must be sacrificed to getting them off without pulling, as the slightest dragging may bring the skin, too.

That if patches of clothing adhere and will not drop off they must be allowed to remain for a time.

That cloths should be dipped in a thick solution of common baking soda in water and laid over the burned surface, bandaging them over lightly to keep them in place.

That as soon as a dry spot appears on this dressing it must be wet with the soda and water by squeezing some on it, and there will be no smarting while it is saturated and the air is excluded.

That if a rubber sheet is not at hand, a piece of thin oilcloth, a gossamer cloak or any water-proof article should be spread on the bed, with a blanket over it, to receive the sufferer.

Origin of the Phrase "To Eat Crow."

The following is given as the origin of the saying, "To eat crow": During the civil war, or shortly after its close, a United States soldier shot a tame crow, the owner of which came upon him before he had time to reload his piece, and compelled him to eat a mouthful of the bird. This satisfied the owner of the bird, who walked away, but before he had gone a great distance he was overhauled by the soldier, who had loaded up again, and compelled him to return and eat a mouthful or two of the crow. The owner the next day complained at the post. The commander sent for the soldier complained of, and asked him: "Do you know this gentleman?" The soldier drawled out: "Ya-as; we dined together yesterday." In everyday conversation "to eat crow" is understood to mean that an individual takes back all he previously said in regard to a certain matter.—San Francisco Call.

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Wheat.—There is a fair trade, and prices are unchanged. Sales of white and red at 89c outside west. Ten thousand bushels of No. 1 hard sold at 81c, afloat, May, and 10,000 bushels of No. 2 at 75c, in store, Fort William. No. 1 hard is quoted at 88c, Midland, and No. 2 at 87c Midland.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is steady. No. 1 quoted at 34c to 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c and No. 3 at 23c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are steady. White sold at 19c to 19½c west, and mixed at 18c to 18½c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady. Sales at 40c to 41c west, high freights.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 22c to 22½c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 35c east.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 16.—Spring wheat, 6s 11d to 7s 0d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1½d to 7s 3d; corn, 2s 9¾d; peas, 4s 6½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 29s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored 53s.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat steady. Futures firm at 6s 9¾d for Jan., 6s 9½d for Feb., 6s 10¼d for March, 6s 10¾d for May and 6s 9d for July. Maize quiet at 2s 9¼d for Jan. and Feb., 2s 9¼d for March, and 2s 10d for April. Flour 24s.

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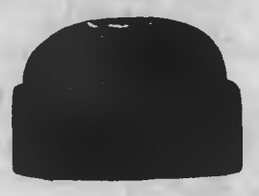
3 Grey Lamb Capes	worth $60.00,	to be sold for	43 00
8 Men's Coon Coats	worth $20.00,	to be sold for	12 50
12 Men's Coon Coats	worth $30.00,	to be sold for	20 00
8 Men's Coon Coats	worth $35.00,	to be sold for	25 00



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CANADIANS IN LONDON.

Mr Dobell and Others Reorganize the Canadian Section of the Chamber of Commerce.

London, Jan. 18.—At a meeting this afternoon, called to reorganize the Canadian section of the London Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Richard Dobell presided. Among those present were Sir Robert Gillespie, the agents general of British Columbia and New Brunswick, and Mr. John W. Laurie, M.P. for the Pembroke and Haverford West district. Mr. Dobell suggested that the topics which the section took up should be the tariffs, the Canadian insolvency laws and the Hudson Bay Railroad. In connection with the latter Mr. Dobell regretted that the British Government had declared the scheme to be impracticable, and would not assist in carrying out the project. Mr. Laurie was elected chairman and Mr. Vernon was elected vice-chairman.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

British Troopship Warren Hastings Wrecked On the Island of Reunion.

London, Jan. 18.—A despatch from Port Louis, Mauritius, says the British troopship Warren Hastings was wrecked off the Island of Reunion on Jan. 14. No lives were lost. The crew of the ship and the troops that were on board have arrived at Port Louis.

The Plague Growing Worse.

Bombay, Jan. 18.—The bubonic plague, which is ravaging this city, is growing worse daily, and the flight of the inhabitants is increasing. It is estimated that nearly, if not actually, two-thirds of the population of the city have fled to the country towns or to other cities, and in many instances have carried the contagion with them.

Kimberley Chosen Leader.

London, Jan. 18.—A meeting of the Liberal peers was held to-day for the purpose of choosing a leader of the party in the House of Lords in succession to the Earl of Rosebery. The Earl of Kimberley was elected and accepted the post.

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Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 22c to 23½c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 35c east.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots are quoted at $2.05 to $2.00.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 18.—Spring wheat, 6s 11½d to 7s 0½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1½d to 7s 3d; corn, 2s 9½d; peas, 4s 0½d; pork, 48s 0d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 37s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 34s 0d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 53s.

London—Wheat on passage steadier. English country markets partly 6d cheaper. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 6s 10d for Feb., 6s 10½d for March, 6s 11d for April and 6s 9½d for July. Maize quiet at 2s 0½d for Feb., 2s 0½d for March and 2s 10d for April and May. Flour, 24s.

Paris—Wheat, 22f 95c for Feb.; flour, 48f 35c for Feb.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures quiet at 6s 10½d for Feb., 6s 10¼d for March, 6s 10½d for April and 6s 9½d for July. Maize steady at 2s 0½d for March, 2s 10d for April and 2s 10½d for July. Flour, 24s.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quiet. Maize quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat, 23f for Feb.; flour, 48f 35c for Feb.

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ments for a deep waterway from Lake Superior to the ocean, providing for the cost of construction on the basis of relative interests and for a fair system of joint control, and in all of these purposes Mr. Laurier and his Government will be actuated, not only by a desire to establish the relations between the United States and Canada upon a mutually advantageous and friendly basis, but also by the hope that such arrangement will prove conclusive to the peace and welfare of the two great Anglo-Saxon nations of the world.

One statement which Mr. Charlton emphasized seems to possess significance. He represents Canada as now standing on the parting of the ways. On the one hand are friendly business and social relations with the United States and the gradual closing of the gap which has been widened since 1866. On the other hand are Imperial confederation, Empire consolidation a distinctively British system, embracing the Mother Land and all her colonies; improved steamship and cable services, differential duties in England in favor of the colonies and in the colonies in favor of England; colonial representation in the Imperial Parliament, and a movement all along the line for the consolidation and unification of all the scattered outposts of Britain's Imperial world-wide domain. When Canada shall present her overtures to the Government of the United States for more extended trade relations the latter will decide upon which of these ways she will enter.

THE WAR IN CUBA.

Insurgents Say the Spaniards are Hemmed in in the Cities and Dare Not Come Out.

Tampa, Fla., Jan. 18.—Passengers by the Olivette bring news of the war situation in Cuba. Port Au Principe and Santiago are practically in the hands of the Cubans, the Spaniards not daring to leave their fortresses except under the protection of a strong escort. In fact the whole eastern portion of the island is now under the government of Cubans.

It is now certain that the Cuban general, Jose Maria Aguirre, died of pneumonia at El Ingles, in the Province of Havana, on the 29th ult. The Spaniards are driven from the country into the cities and are fortifying themselves. The stories published in this country that the Cuban leaders are ready to treat with the Crown on a basis of autonomy are denounced as slanders.

Maceo and His Burial.

New York, Jan. 18.—A Tribune special from Jacksonville, Fla., says: A letter was received here on Friday from Lieut.-Col. Andre Hernandez, now in command of the department of the Cuban army encamped near Havana, giving the true account of Maceo's death and his subsequent burial. As he says that he was in command of the Cuban detachment that recovered the body from Major Cirujeda's command, and afterwards buried it, his statement should settle the matter. It is dated Jan. 8, from the "encampment near Havana." The letter says: "It was on Dec. 7 that we suffered a great misfortune in the tragic death (by ambush) of our leader, Maceo. This is the greatest misfortune we have suffered since the beginning of the war, but it only encouraged us to fight the harder, and avenge his death. We were encamped near the fight that day and heard the firing. Maceo came across the trocha unknown to us, with but 40 men. More than 1500 Spanish, who had been informed of his trip, ambushed him. He rode into it, and was shot at the first fire.

"We heard the firing, and, thinking that some of our friends were attacked by the Spanish guerillas, started off at once to their aid, though we had but 400 men. When we reached the scene of the slaughter it was mostly over, and then we were told that Maceo was dead, and that the enemy had his body tied to a horse's tail and were taking it off. Our men were perfectly frantic over the report, and begged to be led against the Spaniards. We dashed forward with drawn machetes, and what a fight it was.

"The Spaniards met us, and the encounter was horrible. Our men fought to kill, only bent on avenging Maceo's death. Our trusty and sharp machetes fell with regularity, and I think we killed more than 200 of the enemy, and, what is more, we had the consolation of recovering the body of our beloved leader, Maceo. The Spaniards fought hard again to regain it, charging upon us repeatedly, but our sharp machetes were too much for them, and they sullenly retreated.

"Our little force suffered terribly. Our cavalry, which went in 80 strong, came out with only 22 men, and the infantry suffered almost in the same proportion. But for all that we were consoled by the fact that our brave brothers gave up their lives in a good cause, and to save the body of our lamented Maceo from the desecration that the Spaniards would have inflicted.

"We buried the body in a secret and secure place. Only myself and a few selected men and officers know the locality. In due time it will be marked. If known now, the murderous Spaniards would try to get it, and parade it as showing their great triumph. Poor Maceo sleeps in peace, but his brothers remain to avenge him—and that they are doing daily. I have a good many important things to tell you in connection with this, but I don't dare to put them in this, as I am not positive that the letter will get through safely.

(Signed) "Andre Hernandez."

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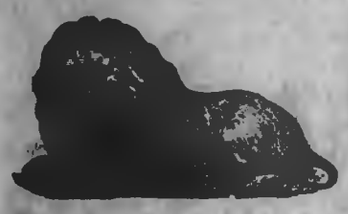

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THE QUEEN'S SPEECH

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IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT OPENED.

Expressions of Gratification at the Signing of the Arbitration Treaty—Lord Salisbury and Mr. Balfour Speak and the Address in Reply Passes—Table News.

London, Jan. 19.—Parliament reassembled to-day, and the members of the House of Commons, as usual, proceeded to the House of Lords to hear the reading of the Queen's speech, which was read by the Lord Chancellor.

The speech starts out by saying that the relations with all foreign nations continue friendly, refers to the appalling massacres in Turkey and notes that the ambassadors and the Porte are still conferring, and goes on to speak in a congratulatory way of the success of the expedition to the Soudan. Her Majesty refers to the Venezuela boundary dispute, and hopes the trouble will be settled amicably without exposing to risk the interests of any colonists who have established rights in the disputed territory.

Regarding the arbitration treaty with the United States, the speech says:

It is with much gratification that I have concluded a treaty for general arbitration with the President of the United States, by which I trust that all difficulties that may arise between us may be peacefully adjusted. I hope that this arrangement may have further value in commending to other powers the consideration of the principle by which the danger of war may be notably abated.

Her Majesty speaks of the trouble in Matabeleland and Mashonaland, compliments the troops for courage and steadfastness and deplores the loss of valuable lives in repressing the outbreak.

The appointment of the commission to look into the causes of depression of the sugar industry is referred to and then the Indian famine is taken up. Her Majesty expresses sympathy with her Indian subjects, and says:

"My Government in that country is making every effort to mitigate the suffering and lessen the calamity by the development of railways and irrigation work. The forethought given through a long series of years to the preparation for the most effective arrangements for alleviating distress caused by famine makes their task more hopeful than in the case of previous visitations. My people throughout my dominions at home and in India have been invited to second with their liberality the exertions of the Government. Papers showing the extent of the famine and the measures taken to relieve the suffering will be laid before you."

The speech says the bubonic plague in Bombay and Karachee shows no signs of decrease, and promises the most stringent measures to eradicate the pestilence.

Regarding the estimates Her Majesty says: "While desirous of guarding against undue expenditure, I have felt that the present condition of the world will not permit you to depart from the spirit of prudent foresight in which you have during recent years provided for the defence of the empire."

In concluding the speech outlines the legislative program as follows:

A measure for the promotion of primary education by securing maintenance of voluntary schools will be laid before you, and, if time permits, you will be invited to consider further proposals for educational legislation.

It is desirable to make better provision for the compensation of working people who suffer from accidents, and a bill with that object in view will be submitted to you.

Your consent will be asked to provisions which, in the judgment of the military authorities, are required for the efficiency of military defences of the empire.

A bill will also be submitted to you to improve the arrangements for the water supply of the Metropolis.

In order to promote the interests of agriculture, which are of paramount importance in Ireland, you will be asked to consider a bill to establish a Board of Agriculture, and further legislative proposals will be brought before you, if the time at your disposal is sufficient for the purposes.

Bills admitting the evidence of accused persons, amending the law in respect of bills of sale and the registration of land, for revising the acts in respect of the formation of limited companies, an amendment to the Agricultural Holdings Act in Great Britain, the exclusion of goods manufactured in prisons in other countries, the establishment of reformatories for inebriates, and for amending the existing procedure in respect of private bills coming from Scotland and Ireland have been prepared.

I heartily commend your important deliberations to the guidance of Almighty God.

The benches of the House of Commons were crowded with members, and the galleries were packed with privileged spectators. Right Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury; Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, and Sir William Harcourt, the leader of the Opposition in the House, were greeted with prolonged cheers as they entered the chamber.

After the Queen's speech had been read by the Speaker, Viscount Folkestone, member for the south division of Wiltshire, moved the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne, and in the course of his remarks referred to the approaching completion of the sixtieth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and expressed hope that the event so unique in the annals of the country would be befittingly celebrated.

Sir William Harcourt said that the most important as well as the most satisfactory statement contained in the Queen's speech was the reference made to the relations between Great Britain and the United States. He heartily congratulated the country upon the conclusion of the differences regarding Venezuela, and gave them unstinted praise for the general arbitration treaty which was recently signed by the British Ambassador at Washington and the American Secretary of State. Sir William's remarks were received with cheers.

Sir William Harcourt, continuing his remarks, said that there could not be a better celebration of the 60th year of Her Majesty's reign than that her Government should be among the first of the nations to set the example of settling their differences by arbitration. He denounced the Nile campaign, and asked the Government to justify their Egyptian policy. In regard to Armenia he was glad to hear that the Government had abandoned hostility to Russia in the matter.

Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, Government leader in the House, made a speech, in which he spoke of the Anglo-American arbitration treaty in terms similar to those employed by Prime Minister Salisbury in the House of Lords, and his references to the subject were greeted with cheers.

Treating of other matters that would come before the House Mr. Balfour intimated that the Government would at a future date deal with the question of the financial relations between Great Britain and Ireland. In the meantime he felt it necessary to say that there were large matters which the former commission had been bound to investigate, but which it had refused to do. The Government would therefore take measures to effect such an investigation, and would shortly announce the terms upon which the investigation body would be appointed. He also intimated that the Government would afford a chance for the House to debate the subject after the debate on the address in reply to the Queen's speech had been finished, and before the budget should be taken up.

Edward Blake (Liberal), member for the south division of Longford, accordingly withdrew a motion regarding the Irish taxation question, which he had proposed as an amendment to the address.

IN THE UPPER HOUSE.

Lord Salisbury Regrets Rosebery's Retirement—The Arbitration Treaty.

There was an unusually large attendance at the opening of the House of Lords, which met at 4 o'clock.

The lately appointed Archbishop of Canterbury, the Most Rev. Frederick Temple, and the recently created Bishop of London, the Right Rev. Mandell Creighton, took the prescribed oath as members of the Upper House.

The Prince of Wales and the Duke of Cambridge occupied a bench, and the galleries were filled with the wives and daughters of the members.

After the Lord Chancellor, Lord Halsbury, had read the Speech from the Throne, the customary address in reply to the speech was moved by the Marquis of Bath, who was attired in the uniform of an officer of the Yeomen of the Guards. The motion was seconded by Lord Kenyon.

Prime Minister Salisbury said he regretted Lord Rosebery's retirement from the leadership of the Liberal party for the moment. He paid a high tribute to Lord Rosebery's patriotic policy as shown in his speech upon the occasion of his retirement, and then proceeded to defend the consistent policy of the Conservatives. The Government, he declared, had not initiated the anti-Russian policy of 1878. It was the Crimean War that initiated it, but the powers were not generally agreed that if reforms were not granted in Armenia material pressure would be applied to the Sultan by the rest of Europe. There were but slightly different wordings, he said, in the communications of the powers in regard to the way it should be done, but all of them were convinced that unless the Sultan should introduce genuine and effective reforms the worst results must follow.

In regard to the Nile campaign the Premier said that Dongola was taken because it was on the route to Khartoum, which place must eventually be taken from the Dervishes. He repeated that it was the intention of the British Government to re-conquer the Soudan for Egypt.

In regard to the treaty of arbitration just concluded with the United States, he said he could not speak fully upon the subject because the agreement had not yet been ratified. Still he would say that the people must not think that they were living in the millennial dispensation. He hoped, however, that something would be done to dimish the risk of war. He would not say that the treaty would remove the greatest risks of war or restrain a Napoleon or a Bismarck, but the policy with the United States was full of an infinite number of small differences which, sometimes exaggerated, caused irritation and enmity. The formation of a tribunal of arbitration would settle these differences, would prevent such and stop the two nations who understand each other so well that unless they are friends they are almost certain to be enemies.

Another advantage would be derived from the treaty in this respect: A Minister dealing with a subject involving the honor of his country, or which some persons claim involves its honor, has to think how to furnish an account of the transaction which will soothe the jingoes. Arbitration would be a bulwark for such a Minister, for it would be impossible to say he had trifled with the honor of the country if he said he had submitted the matter to the decision of an impartial tribunal.

Lord Salisbury pictured the nations groaning under excessive armaments, and declared that the Government believed the measure they had taken was valuable in that it would lead to the gradual disappearance of vast armaments before the growing tendency to substitute judicial decisions for the course arbitrament of war. This would be something to look back upon.

In conclusion, Lord Salisbury said: "I hope that the effort, small as it is, will be successful that more extensive and more successful it will be made."

The Prime Minister was heartily cheered when he finished his speech.

Lord Castletown (Liberal) gave notice that he would raise the question of the financial relations between Great Britain and Ireland.

The address in reply to the Queen's speech was then adopted, and the House adjourned.

PALMER'S AWFUL DEED.

Shot His Brother, Mother and Sister and Made His Escape.

Toronto, Jan. 20.

Mrs. Arthur Palmer is stopping at the residence of Mrs. Gardhouse, 356 Borden-street. She is the wife of the man who on Monday shot his brother dead, and wounded his mother so badly that she died subsequently, and inflicted wounds on his sister from which she may not recover. The tragedy took place at Larchmont Manor, N.Y. The despatches received yesterday give no details as to how or why the crime was committed, but it is supposed to have occurred over a property dispute.

Palmer, after doing the shooting, disappeared, and up to date he has not been traced. One supposition is that he is making for Toronto, where his wife is, with the intention of killing her.

Mrs. Palmer had been stopping with her brother, Mr. Eastbury, at 6 Yorkville-avenue. The police have been notified and are watching both houses. If Palmer shows up he will be arrested quickly.

At 6 Yorkville-avenue, Mr. Eastbury refused to make any statement, but said he would be prepared to talk today.

A late despatch from New York says: Leonard Palmer, who fell before his brother's revolver, was an assistant teacher in Grammar School No. 39, in East One Hundred and Twenty-first-street, whither he journeyed every morning. His sister Gertrude was 32 years old, a handsome woman, of fine physique. The mother was 70 years old. There are three other brothers.

Arthur Palmer, the murderer, was a stalwart fellow, who had been married two years. It is thought that his mind had become unbalanced from overwork.

A pathetic feature of the tragedy is that the mother and sister when called upon to make ante-mortem statements last night protested, with all the energy at their command, against the fugitive being held accountable for the crime.

They did not—they could not—deny that it was he who had fired the shots, but they made excuses for him.

"Arthur could not help it," they moaned. "Spare him! The poor boy did not know what he was doing."

OUR BUTTER AND CHEESE.

Trade in the Former Doubled With England During 1896.

London, Jan. 19.—(Telegram cable.)—The imports of Canadian butter into England for the year 1896 were 33,857 cwt.; for the previous year they were 31,160 cwt. Cheese imports in 1896 amounted to 1,234,297 cwt., and in 1895 1,046,704 cwt.

Much interest is taken in commercial circles here in the development of the trade between the South African colonies and Canada.

The condition of Lieut.-Governor Kirkpatrick during the last three days was considered more or less serious by the physicians, but they are convinced that the result of the operation will be entirely satisfactory.

In addition to the fetes and other celebrations to commemorate the sixtieth anniversary of Her Majesty's accession, many honors and titles will be bestowed, a number of these going to Canada. It is understood that the mayors of the chief cities will be among the recipients of these favors. The Lord Mayor will probably give a great banquet in the Mansion House, to which many representatives of the colonies will be invited.

Navigation Closes Nov. 30.

Detroit, Jan. 19.—Judge Swan, in the United States Circuit Court, has rendered a decision in the case of the Northern Steamship Company against the steamer Selwyn Eddy, in which he declares that the term "season of navigation" means that it ends Nov. 30.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

In the matter of bye-elections, there is some degree of similarity in the methods of the late Conservative and the present Liberal Government. The Liberals fix the date of the elections, and the Conservatives "fixed" the elections. We have ample proof of this, and more is forthcoming.

Mr. Nat Boyd, of Macdonald, and Mr. Hugh John Macdonald, late of Winnipeg, though unseated by the courts, have still some hopes of regaining their seats through appeals on technicalities. They won once by the worst villainies of expert technicalities, and they hope that it is not too much to expect that technicalities will again befriend them.

The Mail and Empire is again coming to Mr. Laurier's assistance, and arranging Cabinet changes. It causes Mr. Tarte's resignation of the portfolio of Public Works, and appoints him to the leadership of the Liberal party in Quebec. The truth that the Mail and Empire doesn't tell gives a certain gentleman some solicitude for his laurels in the matter of mendacity.

The increase in the export of butter from Canada during last year is remarkable. Figures from a reliable source show that the total imports into the United Kingdom from the beginning of September to December 26th (17 weeks) increased 57,268 cwts., of which 37,040 cwts. were colonial. Here is where Canada figures. Her increase for the period mentioned was 34,350 cwts., leaving Australia only the small gain of 2,690 cwts. The 20,228 cwts. increase from foreign countries is pointed out to be only 2½ per cent., while the Colonial, or we may say Canadian, increase is 38 per cent. This is another feather in Canada's cap.

Conservatives are now making the claim that in the case of recent voiding of elections there was no proof of corrupt practices. The very best of proof. The effect of the Dominion election law is that corrupt practices have to be proved to an extent to reverse the majority. In Macdonald Mr. Boyd was returned by a majority of 338, and Mr. Macdonald by a majority of 125. Both these gentlemen "caved" at the outset, practically admitting the fear that there was sufficient corrupt practices to affect, in the two contests, some 426 votes.

The Liberals may not preach so well as Conservatives but they at least practice what they preach. Liberals have always combatted the evil practice of the late government in bringing on bye-elections just to suit their party convenience and to promote party interests. By having bye-elections on different dates, the healers of the party, the faro dealers, the poker experts, the champion teachers of ballot box stuffing, were permitted to exercise their beneficent influence in several ridings in succession. But the Liberals have changed all that. When there were vacancies in North Grey, Queen's and Sunbury, the vacant seats were filled by elections held on the same day and in the vacancies now existing in this province all occurring about the same time—the dates of the elections are fixed for February 4th and the probabilities are that all three seats, formerly held nominally by Conservatives, will be filled by supporters of the present Government.

How many persons are ashamed to go into company on account of their foul-smelling breath, caused by catarrh or cold in the head? If they would study their own interests they would soon have sweet breath like their neighbors. There is one sure cure for Catarrh and that is Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. Give one blow through the blower and you get relief immediately. Price, including blower, 50 cents.

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LAKEWADE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. McLean has the same school for 1897. The trustees are very much pleased to have him another year as he is a good teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson lost their little daughter, Mary, on the 13th. Diphtheria was the cause of her death. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson sympathize with them in their sad bereavement.

Miss Effie Newberry is very low with diphtheria.

Mr. Bennett has gone with a gang of men to work the gold mine on J. Vanalokie's place. They report a very rich mine.

The people are keeping indoors as much as possible on account of the diphtheria.

Mr. Youmans has a small grant of money on C. N. Dingman's new road. A few men are working it out these days.

The annual cheese meeting of this place was held on Saturday last. It was a very quiet meeting. Mr. J. Radcliff, who so ably and creditably filled the office as president for the past four years, resigned. He could not be persuaded by the company to stay in another year, stating he had too much to look after. He has a farm to attend to, is agent for farming implements, and township clerk, and postmaster also, but we are glad he is still with us, as he is a patron and one of the directors Mr. John A. McColl was elected president of the company. After accepting the office urged upon him he got up and made a nice little speech, which was appreciated by all present. I think we are not astray in saying that Mr. McColl is the right man in the right place. We congratulate him and wish him the best of luck in his new office and a happy New Year.

Corey Dingman and Harvey Carroll are here from Rochester. They, with Leslie Carroll were making calls these last few days. They made John Carroll, Bert Carrol, W. Bound and C. N. Dingman a friendly call. They are looking hale and hearty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Caroll were visiting at her parents last Sunday.

W. Rusaw and M. Dingman were visiting at W. Bounds on Sunday last.

There is very poor sleighing here at present. I think there will be less as it is storming now and it is a sleet and is a very warm morning.

It is very dull times around Lakewade, just now, as can be seen by two vacant houses, both on Main street, one at the west and the other at the east side of the post office.

HE WAS WASTING AWAY.

THE CONDITION OF MR. GEORGE SENEY, OF MOUNT PLEASANT.

Doctors Were Unable to Agree as to His Trouble—He Was Almost a Physical Wreck When Relief Came.

From the Millbrook Reporter.

Mr. Geo Seney, who resides near Mount Pleasant, Durham county, Ont., is a man well known throughout the county. He is the owner of the Seney House in Mount Pleasant, and until about a year ago conducted it to the satisfaction of all his patrons. Mr. Seney is one of the multitude who owe health and strength to the healing virtues of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and in conversation recently with a correspondent of the Reporter gave the following particulars of his illness and cure: "I found my health gradually giving way," said Mr. Seney, "but it was not until I had become so emaciated as to be almost unfit for business that I felt alarmed, and then I called in two physicians for consultation. The doctors disagreed as to what my trouble was, but the one to whom I gave the preference informed me that my trouble was due to a secretion of morbid matter in the blood, and accordingly he lanced several little sacs that had formed on my neck. This gave me some relief, but my constitution was so run down that I was almost a physical wreck. My appetite was very poor, and I was wasting away rapidly. My nerves seemed to be all unstrung, and I was greatly depressed in spirits. Medicine seemed to be doing me little or no good, and I did not know where to look for relief. I had read and heard much of the curative properties of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and at last decided to try them. Before I had finished my second box there was a marked improvement in my condition, and after continuing the pills for some time longer, I was restored to my accustomed vigour and good health. It is now over a year since I discontinued the use of the Pink Pills, and I have continued enjoying the blessing of good health. I am strong in my commendation of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and trust that the recital of my experience may be a beacon to some other poor sufferer who may read it."

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DOURO.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

All the schools have re-opened with a very fair attendance, and in several cases there are new teachers. Miss A. Kelly, Dummer, has succeeded Mr. R. A. O'Connor in No. 5, and Miss H. G. Busk, Lindsay, takes charge of No. 8, and Miss E. Kennedy, Peterborough, has taken her sister's place in No. 4.

Miss E. Leahy, who for the past three years has been teaching here, returned to Norwood Jan. 16th to resume her studies at the High School. We wish her success.

Miss D. Dillon, Peterborough, is here visiting friends.

Mr. J. Leahy and Mr. M. O'Leary spent Sunday at their homes. They are attending Norwood High School.

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NEWS FROM OTTAWA

The Scotia Junction Trouble Amicably Settled

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Grand Trunk and Ottawa and Parry Sound Magnates Do the Sensible Thing and New Trains Will Connect—The Walker Failure Was a Pretty Big Affair.

Ottawa, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—General Manager Hayes and Mr. William Wainwright of the Grand Trunk were in the city, and had a conference with officials of the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound Railway Company in regard to the trouble that has arisen over the crossing of the two railways, which has resulted in such serious inconvenience to the people of the Parry Sound district and the deflection of considerable of the trade of that section from Toronto to Montreal and Ottawa. Messrs. Hayes and Wainwright arrived on the Grand Trunk private car, and immediately proceeded to the office of C. J. Chamberlain, general manager of the Booth system. They were in consultation for a couple of hours, and succeeded in amicably adjusting their differences. The terms upon which the two companies have agreed to interchange freight and passengers at the crossing point in question have not transpired, but both parties admit that a satisfactory arrangement has been come to. As a result of this, commencing on Monday morning next, the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound Express will leave Ottawa at 9 o'clock, in place of 8 o'clock, as heretofore, which will enable connection with it to be made at Scotia by passengers going north from Toronto, the trouble being previously that the Parry Sound train passed that point an hour or so before the arrival of the Grand Trunk train from the Queen City. The officials of the companies concerned have agreed to erect and maintain a Union Station at the crossing point, but in the meantime temporary accommodation for the interchange of passengers and freight will be provided by the O., A. and P. S. people.

Dr. Bourinot, C.M.G., secretary of the Royal Society, left for Halifax today, where he is to meet Mr. Sandford Fleming, who is expected by the steamship Vancouver on the 23rd inst. As Archbishop O'Brien, who resides in Halifax, is president of the Royal Society this year, arrangements will be made with him for the meeting of the society, which is to take place in that city from June 21 to 26. It is probable that a brass table with a suitable inscription upon it will be set up in Halifax, to commemorate the famous voyage of John Cabot, who gave England her first claim to the Atlantic coast of North America. Representatives to the June meeting are expected from the historic city of Bristol, whence Cabot sailed for the New World.

Representations have been made to the Fisheries Department for a reduction in the size of mesh used in sturgeon fishing in Lake Winnipeg. As the Minister regards the industry as one deserving of encouragement a reduction has been authorized from 12 to 11 inches. A request was also made for permission to use pound nets in Lake Winnipeg, but the prohibition against them still continues.

An Order-in-Council has been passed abolishing four customs outports of the port of Pictou. There are Wellington, Milliford, Weller's Bay and Pringer. The preventive station of Black River bridge has also been abolished.

The failure of W. H. Walker of Ottawa is a pretty big affair. Notice has been issued from the Prothonotary's office in Hull of the judicial abandonment by Mr. Walker of his property for the benefit of his creditors. The total claims listed aggregate $172,430. The largest creditor is E. C. Hammond of Toronto for $73,000. Hon. R. W. Scott is down individually for sums aggregating over $14,000, and his name appears with Senator Clemow's for a couple of thousand more. Senator Clemow has a claim of his own for $7000, a joint claim with the estate of C. T. Bate for $9000 and another with Sir Adolphe Chapleau and A. Audet for $12,000. The estate of H. C. Pinhey claims $6000, A. A. Audet $10,850, John R. Tilley of New York $6000, and Mrs. Laura Willard of Prescott $12,000. Other creditors are the Ontario Bank $2000, Seybold and Gibson $1500, Blaikie & Co., Toronto, $1500, A. Masson $1000, C. A. Blanchet $1600, and a multitude of Ottawa claims from these down, as well as a considerable number of outside ones, some of large amounts. Mr. Walker some years ago dropped his law business to go into mining. It is said the $172,000 of creditors' claims referred to above does not indicate half of the money he or his associates lost. Mr. Walker's specialty was graphite. He never really tackled anything else, and he tackled that all pretty much in one spot in Ottawa County, a few miles from Buckingham, on the River Lievre.

The Normal School opened to-day. There were 80 students enrolled at the opening. The official list shows an attendance of 100 students, 76 being ladies and 20 gentlemen.

The past 24 hours have been the coldest this winer. At midnight last night the mercury stood 13 degrees below zero; by 6 a.m. it had fallen to 20 below, and at 8 a.m. it registered 32 below.

Mr. Tarte has abandoned his Winnipeg trip for the present.

Mr. Oscar McDonnell, editor of Le Temps, has left for Montreal to undergo another operation for cancer.

Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, and Prof. Robertson left to-night for Hamilton and Bradford.

It is reported that Mr. Allen, ex-M.P., will be appointed Collector of Customs at Windsor, Ont.

Hon. Wilfrid Laurier left for Montreal this evening to attend the Mayor's banquet there to-morrow.

Arthur Brophy, who was with the Dominion Express Co. at Montreal, has been appointed Private Secretary to the Hon. R. W. Scott, Secretary of State.

The sugar-coating, which makes Ayer's Pills so easy to take, dissolves immediately on reaching the stomach, and so permits the full strength and benefit of the medicine to be promptly communicated. Ask your druggist for Ayer's Almanac, just out.

TWELVE STOKERS KILLED.

Appalling Calamity on a French Steamer—Others Died From Scalds by Steam.

San Francisco, Jan. 19.—The steamer Rio de Janeiro brings news that one of the boilers of the French steamer Sachalien exploded while the vessel was off the Chinese coast on Dec. 2, bound from Singapore for Hong Kong. Eleven of the stokers in the fire-room and one engineer were killed instantly by the explosion or by the scalding steam. The chief stoker was so badly injured that he died a few hours afterwards, and four other firemen died the next day as a result of their burns.

The vessel was crowded with passengers, and there was the wildest confusion on board. The passengers had just assembled in the saloon for dinner when there came a loud report like that of a cannon from the direction of the engine room. The deck-boards were torn up, gratings were sent flying in the air and the steamer trembled from stem to stern. A dense cloud of steam and smoke issued from the hatches with a deafening roar of escaping steam.

The officers of the vessel who were on the decks rushed to their places at the lifeboats, and from the cabins came screaming women and shouting men. It was some time before order could be restored and the extent of the disaster ascertained.

As soon as the steam had cleared away men were sent below in the stoke hole. Eleven Lascar firemen lay about the floor before the ruined boiler, dead or writhing at the last gasp, with their flesh parboiled by the terrific bath of superheated steam in which the explosion had plunged them. Ten other firemen were badly burned. Four of them died during the night following the explosion.

It Was Patti.

A lady passenger in a Great Western train was much disturbed in her attempts at a nap by some one singing in the next compartment, so she asked the guard to interfere. That official did so, and got laughed at for his pains, and the singing went on. At the next station the lady sent for the station master, and requested him to succeed where the guard had failed. The station master went to the next compartment, and immediately returned to apologize. "I am very sorry, madame," he said, "but I really cannot ask your neighbor to stop singing. She is Mme. Patti."—London Truth.

IT IS IN THE AIR.

Tweed People Talk About it.

It is in the air.
Can't stop it spreading.
Can't keep down a good thing.
People who don't know about it want to known.
People who do know, want to tell about it.
It is kidney education.
Tweed people are learning fast.
Here are some facts.

One of the best known residents of Tweed is Mr. W. H. Houston, who relates the following interesting facts: Mr. Houston says, "I have been very bad for several years with pains in my side and back.

"I had to urinate very frequently, in fact my rest was disturbed by frequent rising at night for that purpose. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, at Newton's drugstore, and have experienced great relief from the first.

"I am sure that I have been greatly benefited, and can recommend them highly to anyone troubled as I was."

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

W. P. Kellner, aged 77, a wealthy and prominent citizen of Governeur, N.Y., hanged himself yesterday.

A British syndicate has received from the Government of Dutch Guiana a concession of a million acres of gold lands.

Robert Millar, for 30 years associated with the cheese and grain trade of Oxford County, died at Woodstock on Saturday.

The coroner's inquest into the case of Melauction alleged foul play met at Shelburne yesterday and adjourned for a week.

At Buffalo last night, Reakes and Parker wrestled two hours without either gaining a fall, and by mutual consent the match was declared a draw.

Daniel L. McGlashan, Customs inspector at Windsor, died early yesterday morning suddenly, after suffering from a pain in the chest. He was born at North Pelham, Haldimand County, Ont. Mrs. William Balfour of Hamilton is his daughter.

Mr. Rae Stephens, one of the best-known business men in Detroit, died yesterday, aged 52. He was born in Cobourg, Ont., and graduated from Victoria College. He learned the piano business with Vose of Boston, then went to Detroit, and engaged in the music business, being the head of the Rae Stephens Music Company. Mrs. Archie Powell and Miss Hattie B. Stephens of Cobourg are his sisters.

SKIN DISEASES!

One Remedy Which has Never Failed—Tried and Tested Ointment.

Because other alleged remedies for piles, scrofula, eczematic eruptions, scald head, chafing, black heads, salt rheum and skin diseases generally have proved useless, don't condemn Dr. Chase's Ointment. It has never been known to fail. For instance, Nelson Simmons, Mayersburg, Ont., writes:

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Peter Vanallen, L'Amable, Que., had the eczema for three years. He tried three doctors, but received no benefit. One box of Dr. Chase's Ointment and three boxes of Dr. Chase's Pills cured him completely. Large scales covered his legs and body, but the Ointment soon removed them. He will swear to these facts.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual General meeting of the Shareholders of the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company of Ontario, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors for the past year, election of Directors for the ensuing year and other general purposes connected with the business of the Company, will be held at the office of the Company in the Town of Peterborough, on Wednesday, the 27th Day of January, 1897, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

E. R. WOOD, Secretary.

Peterborough, January 13th, 1897

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

—Your choice of 12 Mantles at TURNBULL'S for $1.50 each, also the balance of their Fall Importations cheap.

Married in Kingston.

Mr. C. F. Kurnbach, of town, was married yesterday in Kingston to Miss Free, sister of Mrs. C. B. Reatley, town. Mr. Kurnbach is Mr. C. B. Reatley's successor in business.

Lantern Lecture at St. Luke's To-night.

Rev. H. Symonds will deliver his lecture on "The Reformation in England" in St. Luke's School House to-night. The lecture will be illustrated by lime light views by Mr. R. M. Roy. Admission 15c.

Rev. Professor Clark on "Burns."

The people of Peterborough are offered a great treat by the Fortnightly Club next Friday evening, when Rev. Professor Clark, of Trinity College, Toronto, will lecture on "Burns," in the Y.M.C.A. hall, commencing at 8 o'clock. This is said to be one of the best of the able lecturer's many subjects. Admission free.

The Natural Science Association

will meet on Thursday evening, 21st inst., in the Collegiate Institute at eight o'clock. Rev. Mr. Symonds deals with "The Relation of Religion and Science," after which Mr. Sorsoleil, of the South Central staff, gives an illustrated essay on "Plant Life." He will have some very choice specimens. This is an open meeting to which all are invited. Bring your friends.

Complimentary Benefit Concert.

A complimentary concert will be given in the Opera House on Feb. 4th for the benefit of Mr. J. A. Rogers, who has long been suffering from paralysis and unable to follow his occupation. A good programme of music and elocution will be presented and as the object is a most worthy one, it is to be hoped that a very large audience will assemble in the Opera House on Feb. 4th. Further particulars hereafter. 3d15

Grand Removal Sale.

Immense bargains for the next few days. W. W. Johnston will have a sweeping sale of the D. O. LeGendre stock before removing it to his own stand, 410 George street. Anyone can see at a glance that the stock is fresh, new and up-to-date. This is a good opportunity of buying fine dry goods at greatly reduced prices. Note the address—393 George street, next door to G. Carton's grocery. 4d15

A Fall in Milk.

This morning while Mr. John Newall was delivering milk to his various customers in Ashburnham he came to grief on Lake street through the king bolt breaking in his wagon while travelling at a good rate of speed. The horse made off with the two front wheels, leaving the body of the waggon and the remaining hind wheels on the road. Mr. Newall and milk cans went into the ditch.

Opening To-morrow Evening.

The Cinematographe Company will arrive in town to-morrow morning, and will give the first of its marvellous exhibitions in Bradburn's opera house to-morrow (Thursday) evening. So much has been said of this wonderful entertainment by all who have seen it, and the press wherever it has been exhibited, that it will no doubt be well patronized in Peterborough. No one should miss seeing it, as this will be the only occasion on which it will visit this town. There will be a matinee on Saturday afternoon.

A Change in Business.

Fairweather & Co., manufacturing furriers of Toronto, Peterborough and Lindsay, announced yesterday that an important change in their business will take place on or about the end of February. Amongst other things which will be announced later, the Lindsay branch of the business is to be sold out, and all the capital and energy of the business centred in Peterborough and Toronto. In order to reduce their stock here to as low a margin as possible, they offer all their fine fur goods at actual cost price, also some lines at less than cost, as on 15th of February they commence to take stock preparatory to the change. During this sale all goods will be sold only for cash, and on no account will they be booked. All accounts owing the firm will have to be settled before Feb. 15th, otherwise they will be placed in the hands of a solicitor for collection.

A Sale of Local Importance.

When the clear-to-table time comes around at the Peterborough Bookstore, business takes on a fresh start and fresh interest of local importance springs up. The business that is too regular gets into ruts. The announcement of stock-taking at Stratton's Bookstore does not mean that any waste time is going on. On the contrary, inventory time is the time when the nimble sixpence destrines is pushed to its utmost extremity, and quick sales are the symbols of this business. Goods are now being marked up at the reduced prices that bring fire before January, and genuine bargains lighten the labours of stock-taking. See advertisement. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

A CATHEDRAL WEDDING.

Celebration of the Costello-Herbert Nuptials This Morning.

Peterborough lost one of its fairest belles this morning when Miss Lida Costello was united in marriage to Mr. Bert Herbert, of Rochester, N.Y.

The ceremony took place in St. Peter's Cathedral, at eight o'clock, and was performed by Rev. Father Fitzpatrick in the presence of a large number of the bride's relations and friends.

Miss Costello was charmingly attired in cadet blue with garniture of guipure lace, and wore a chenille hat with white osprey and trimmings of lace and flowers. Her cousin, Miss May Pope, was the bridesmaid and was similarly attired.

The groom was supported by Mr. Angus Macpherson.

Miss McCabe presided as the organ.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the wedding party repaired to the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Daniel Costello, George street, where the wedding breakfast was served. The bride was the recipient of a large number of beautiful presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert were accompanied to the Grand Trunk station at noon by a large number of the bride's young friends. The newly-married couple will visit a number of points west before taking up their residence in Rochester.

LEPLANTE-GIRARD NUPTIALS.

They were Celebrated Yesterday in St. Peter's Cathedral.

A very pretty wedding, though quiet, took place in St. Peter's Cathedral yesterday, when Miss Phedora de LePlante, daughter of Mr. Noah T. de LePlante, was united in marriage to Mr. Alphonse Girard of St. Gervaise, Bellechasse, Quebec.

Ven. Archdeacon Casey performed the ceremony, and in accord with the old Quebec custom there was no bridesmaid in attendance. The groom was accompanied by Mr. A. Letellier.

The bride was becomingly costumed in a handsome cloth travelling suit.

The wedding breakfast was served at the residence of the bride's father, Lock street, and the east bound C.P.R. express bore the newly married couple away to their new home.

DRIVER LAWRENCE SUSPENDED.

He Was Absent From his Post When the Alarm Sounded.

When the alarm was turned in last night for the Dickson Company's conflagration, Driver Lawrence was absent from his post, being, it is said, in the country visiting his mother, whom he states was ill. The hook and ladder waggon was, in consequence, delayed fully fifteen minutes in reaching the fire.

This morning Lawrence was suspended by Chairman White, of the Fire, Water and Light Committee.

The whole matter will be fully ventilated before the Fire, Water and Light Committee.

—Opened out to-day at TURNBULL'S a beautiful black Brocaded Lustre, only 30c.

There are great bargains at Grafton's Great Clearing Sale.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, on Saturday, Jan. 30th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. Hours: 12 to 4. dw

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PERSONAL.

Miss D. Dillon is visiting friends in Douro.

Mr. Alex. Bertram, of Toronto, is in town in the interests of the Viking Bicycle Co.

—Mr. Wm. Gibbie, of Windom, Minn., who has been visiting with friends in Keene, returned home to-day.

Miss Eleanor Courtney of Ashburnham, left on Saturday for Gunther, Hastings county, where she has secured charge of a school.

Mr. Robert Fair of the Golden Lion returned last night from a very successful business trip to New York. On his way home Mr. Fair called upon some friends at Albany, and had the honour of an introduction to Hon. F. S. Black, Governor of the state of New York. Mr. Fair unofficially opened negotiations for the annexation of the United States to Canada. He succeeded to the extent of inducing Governor Black to seriously consider the idea of coming over next summer to sample the fishing in Stony Lake as a preliminary step to the United States throwing in her lot with Canada.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumprichs, practical piano maker and tuner, with 25 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

CONFLAGRATION ON THE RACEWAY.

The Dickson Company's Heavy Loss Last Night.

THE CONSOLIDATED MILLING COMPANY SUFFERS HEAVILY.

Another Big Fire Takes Place on the Dickson Raceway—The Loss is Roughly Estimated at $75,000, on Which There is $41,000 Insurance—The Fire Companies Interested in the Loss.

The fine properties fitted up as a flour mill and an elevator, on the raceway of the Dickson Company, being owned by that corporation, and operated by the Consolidated Milling Co., is a smoking ruin this morning as the result of a most disastrous fire which occurred on the premises last night.

The alarm was sent in by Capt. Mason at about a quarter to ten o'clock. On ascending the hill on the way up from his store on George street to the residence of Mr. Wm. Davidson, Dickson street, where he intended spending the evening, he noticed smoke rising from the mill and hurrying into the house sent in the alarm and the entire neighbourhood was roused in a twinkling.

Mr. Wm. Davidson and Capt. Mason were amongst the very

FIRST ON THE SCENE,

having only to run down the incline at the rear of the garden and cross the raceway. When they arrived the fire had not burst out of the mill, but from the ten inch space between it and the elevator smoke was pouring forth in great volumes, and these two gentlemen think that if hose had been accessible at this juncture, the property could have been saved. The fire brigade arrived immediately afterwards, but the few minutes elapsing between the turning in of the alarm and their appearance was sufficient to doom the mill and elevator, as in an incredibly short space of time the flames took full possession of the interior of the buildings, and were entirely beyond control. The fact that the elevator was covered with sheet iron, prevented the flames from at once breaking forth and enveloping the building, although long tongues of flame began to shoot out of the windows just as the first hose wagon turned the corner from Hunter street to be driven up the raceway. By about

HALF PAST TEN

the fire had worked up through the interior and broken out through the roof, which had been so undermined by the flames as to cause it to fall in shortly before eleven, when the fire enveloped the mill and elevator, as well as a building known as the carpenter shops and formerly occupied by the Lindsay-Saldon firm.

The heat became so intense and the sparks descended in such showers that thousands of citizens who had assembled were forced to move from the side of the hill descending to the raceway and the residences of Messrs. Wm. Walsh and Wm. Davidson at the top of the incline were seriously imperilled. The sparks were showered on the two houses and the outbuildings in such quantities that it was feared these properties were also doomed but through the energy of

MR. DICK MARTIN,

of the Water Co., a stream of water was turned on the premises in time to prevent the fire getting a start. As an evidence that the danger was as great as imagined, the lawns are thickly besprinkled with huge cinders this morning.

Shortly after eleven o'clock the first wall fell, being that in the rear of the main building, and about the same time the planing mill took fire and was so rapidly consumed as to be completely destroyed by midnight.

It is not known how the fire originated but it is thought a spark from the furnace did the mischief. The night watchman, Mr. David McGrath, was in the mill at about ten minutes after nine and replenished the furnace with coal. He then proceeded on his regular round down the raceway, across the Hunter street bridge and up through the company's property on the other side of the river. When just opposite the mill at the corner of the lumber yard, he noticed the

SMOKE BURSTING OUT

at the rear and hurriedly ran up the river and over the company's private bridge to send in the alarm, but Capt. Mason had been before him.

The mill and elevator had been entirely refitted last fall by the Dickson Company for the use of the Consolidated Milling Company. In November the latter company stored forty cars of wheat in the elevator, and of this comparatively little has been used, as the mill only started up on the 1st of January, and had not been operated at night as yet. There was also a quantity of flour in barrels and bags destroyed, although about 75 barrels and 100 bags were taken out by the firemen. The flour, however, was spoiled later through the spread of the fire to the spot where it had been placed.

The entire loss is placed at about $75,000. The Dickson Company estimates the three

BUILDINGS TO BE WORTH

in the neighborhood of $40,000, the mill being fitted up with the latest and best equipment procurable. The general "blanket" policy which covers the entire Dickson property, applies to the destroyed buildings and the insurance is placed at $18,000 to be divided amongst the following fire insurance companies, Royal, North British and Mercantile, Lancashire, Guardian, Phoenix of Hartford, Manchester, British American, and Western, being placed through Messrs. Cox & Davis. The Merchantile also covers a small risk through Mr. W.H. Hill.

On the stock in buildings belonging to the Consolidated Milling Company and valued at about thirty or thirty-five thousand dollars, there is an insurance of $33,000 placed through Mr. W. H. Hill as follows:—London $3,000, National $5,000, Connecticut $2,000, Hand in Hand $10,000, Norwich Union $3,500, and Imperial $1,500.

FANCY DRESS CARNIVAL.

Prizes Worth Competing For.

The following is a list of the prizes offered for competition at the Foresters Carnival in the Charlotte street rink on Friday evening, January 29th:

Best dressed Lady, in fancy costume—Pair of finest Persian Lamb Gauntlets, value $10.

Best dressed Lady, in comic costume—Handsome Onyx Top Table, value $6.

Best dressed Gentleman, in fancy costume—Gentleman's solid oak Rocker Arm Chair, value $6.

Best dressed Gentleman, in comic costume—Fancy Table and Smokers' Set (combined) value $5.

Best dressed Girl, in fancy costume—Album Stand, in plush and silver, value $6.

Best dressed Girl, in comic costume—Lemonade Set and Basket, value $2.

Best dressed Boy, in fancy costume—Boy's Overcoat, value $4.50.

Best dressed Boy, in comic costume—Special prize by A. H. Stratton & Co., Crocinole Set (4 games in one.)

Partners' race (3 laps)—Handsome Work Basket and Stand, value $3.

Mile race (16 laps)—Pair of Hockey Boots, value $2.50.

Boys' race (3 laps)—Pair Nickel Plated Skates, value $1.50.

Curling match, three rinks of Canadian Foresters, against all comers; for the Brooms.

Barrel race—Boy's strong Hand Sleigh, value $1.00.

Potato Race—Hockey Stick and Puck, value $1.00.

Three-legged race—Two pairs of Boys' Boxing Gloves, value $2.

Guessing competition—An Art Study Picture, handsomely framed, will be awarded the party guessing the nearest to the number of tickets taken at the door on the evening of the carnival. Coupons will be attached to admission tickets for the purpose. Coupons to be filled up and deposited in box at the door not later than 9.30 on evening of carnival.

Prizes on exhibition in the window of P. Connal & Co., Grocers, George street.

FIGURE SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Silver Medal, emblematical of the Junior Figure Skating Championship of the town and county of Peterborough, already offered for public competition, will be awarded on this occasion. The competition is to take place in the rink at eight o'clock immediately before the commencement of the carnival. In this competition a junior is one who has never won a first prize in an open competition. Entries to be handed to secretary not later than six o'clock on the evening of 29th.

BIRTH.

FAIRMAN.—In Havelock, on January 18th, 1897, the wife of W. T. Fairman, of a son.

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President Isaac Lewis of Sabina, Ohio, is highly respected all through that section. He has lived in Clinton Co. 75 years, and has been president of the Sabina Bank 20 years. He gladly testifies to the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and what he says is worthy attention. All brain workers find Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiarly adapted to their needs. It makes pure, rich, red blood, and from this comes nerve, mental, bodily and digestive strength.

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Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, *for one thousand five hundred dollars* ($1,500.00), must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
E. F. E. ROY,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 31st Dec., 1896. 3d15

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January 19th, 1897. 3d15-1w

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The Night School will close the last of April. Those entering now will only be charged for THREE MONTHS COURSE.

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Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1897.

RELIGION TO BE TAUGHT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

SO THE FORTNIGHTLY CLUB HAS DELIBERATELY DECIDED.

This is the Decision in Last Night's Debate—An Interesting and Able Discussion—Rev. H. Symonds the Judge—Eloquent Efforts by Messrs. Hampden Burnham, D. W. Dumble, Sheriff Hall and Rev. W. R. Young.

A large and representative audience assembled in the Y. M. C. Hall last night to listen to the debate on the subject—"Resolved that the Christian religion should be a compulsory subject of education in our schools."

Rev. H. Symonds, president of the Fortnightly Club, occupied the chair, and was charged with the important duty of giving a decision on the subject.

Mrs. G. A. Smith furnished a delightfully well-performed pianoforte selection, and after a few introductory remarks of welcome and explanation, the business of the evening proceeded. The first speaker was

MR. HAMPDEN BURNHAM,

who opened the debate by defining the subject and saying that religion as a matter of education could not be said to be the Christian religion, as a matter of worship or belief, therefore the subject of discussion was whether the history of the Christian religion should be placed on the same planes as arithmetic and other subjects which had been considered so necessary by the people as to have been made compulsory. He then went on to say that the information acquired by children in attendance at church and in Sunday schools was not educational nor compulsory and that therefore there was a residue who, since they did not attend Sunday school or church and since the schools did not teach religion, grew up in ignorance. Instruction in the Christian religion was not general at home and we therefore found that education in the Christian religion was very faulty. Reverse the process, said the speaker, and place arithmetic in the place of religion, and what sort of arithmeticians would we turn out, if we had only casual attendance on Sundays and at fitful intervals during the week? It was necessary, therefore, to improve our system. The question was, was it feasible to introduce the teaching of the Christian religion. He contended that as a matter of history it would have no effect in making Methodists, Anglicans or Roman Catholics. We had the history of our country taught in our schools, but that did not Liberals or Conservatives. A bias to political or religious convictions should be avoided in our public schools. He advocated bringing children within the influence of the Gospel, without saying that Gospel was to be in any sense denominational. Since, then, it was feasible, he showed that it was necessary. The present condition of our public schools was breeding secularism—men were becoming humanitarians or secular utilitarians. Mankind was the modern God and utilitarianism was his prophet. It was idle to point to the progress of the world—that progress was material chiefly. It was true that in knowledge, morality, inventions and works of charity, the age was far in advance of proceeding ones, but the apostles of this progress were Herbert Spencer, agnostic, and Huxley, Bradlaugh and Ingersoll, more than agnostics. Their idea was that religion was not necessary to the development of an ideal world. People boasted of liberty—they had mistaken defiance for liberty—shook their fists in the face of all restraint, human or divine, and it must be remembered that the council of God was not a parliament of people, nor was the will of a mere majority a law for God. Men seeking representative offices canvassed for votes like beggars for alms, and when elected by such means instead of, perhaps, far better men, they boasted of comprising bodies that represented the people, and then proclaimed, "vox populi vox Dei." All could admit that it was desirable that all men should have an equal chance to be comfortable and happy, that the family of the poor man should have an equal chance with that of the rich as far as possible, but these things did not comprise more than the material necessities of mankind, and the speaker concluded by quoting the verse of Holy Scripture—"For thus saith the Lord, let the wise man not glory in his wisdom."

MR. D. W. DUMBLE,

the first speaker on the negative, began by criticising the line of argument pursued by the leader of the affirmative—it was self evident that a child in school should know what the Christian religion meant as a matter of definition. He contended that in our state-endowed schools the Christian religion should not be taught. If religion, as a mere theory, be taught, there is little objection, but to teach dogmas as a compulsory subject, was wrong. He defined society as an aggregation of individuals that agreed to accept certain laws, and to make certain mutual sacrifices of opinion for the common good. Laws are made by majorities, and minorities necessarily submit. Laws must be made that are generally acceptable—laws that conduce to the general harmony. Therefore he held it impracticable and impossible to take children of mixed creeds and teach them a one-man theory of religion—trouble and discord would be inevitable. Mr. Burnham's contention supposed an examination of the children in religion. Teachers would differ in their theories, and with a succeeding teacher they would have to unlearn what they were before taught. Every denomination would object to the teaching of another's theory of religion. Compulsory education in religion would bring back the days when persecution was employed to enforce religious belief. The speaker then contrasted the condition of those countries where religious teaching was compulsory with those where freedom in this respect was practised, greatly to the advantage of the latter. If we decided to teach religion in our schools we must first agree upon a common creed. It was asked if it was to be expected that a teacher who was not spiritually-minded could be expected to teach spirituality—religion was a vitality, not a mere bald definition. The most confirmed infidels would accept Christ as the greatest of human teachers, but they denied the truths of the gospel he taught. Moral teaching affected the life. Human law could not compel a man to observe his duty towards his Maker—the conscience could not be taught by the law and religion could not therefore be made a subject of teaching.

REV. W. R. YOUNG

was the second speaker in support of the affirmative of the proposition. After allusion to Mr. Dumble's assertion that the majority ruled and was right, the speaker quoted Noah as a case where the minority was in the right. He said that the real question was the teaching of religion as opposed to mere denominationalism. He thought the Apostles' creed would embrace the general and comprehensive grounds of belief that might be acceptable, to which all denominations could subscribe, but he suggested a broader and more general creed that he thought none could object to—belief in God, in the Trinity, in the Bible as a full and sufficient revelation of God's will, in sin, in the atonement, in regeneration by the Holy Ghost, in the immortality of the soul and in the eternity of rewards and punishment. A process that would develop the physical, mental, moral and spiritual nature of a pupil represented complete education. And we only had all these conditions present—and only complete education—when the Christian religion was taught in addition to other branches. The real question was how we could best bring the spiritual development in true and harmonious relation with the physical and mental and moral. Education without religion fell short of its vital import. The condition of the nations where Christian religion was taught was compared to those that did not teach it with the obvious inference. The highest type of manhood required the teaching of the Christian religion. If we had more religion taught in our schools we should be better morally all round, we should have purer politics, and we should have none of the ballot box stuffing and similar practices that brought the blush of shame to our cheeks. (Cheers.) In reply to the argument that ministers and Sunday schools should teach religion, the speaker pointed out that it was an impossibility to develop the spiritual life in children by devoting one-seventh of the week to the most important part of their education. The speaker concluded his address by declaring that we must, as honest people, face the question and in some way bring about a system of education in which the vital importances of the Christian religion should have adequate recognition.

MR. SHERIFF HALL,

in opening, disclaimed any pretension to the eloquence that was the specialty of the previous speakers. He took the position that the Christian religion should not be made a subject of compulsory education in our schools. He defied any one to show that the Bible anywhere required that religion should be taught in the schools. He pointed out that the great Founder of the Christian religion distinctly disclaimed any connection with the state. He also showed that in the early ages of the Christian church there had been a growth and progress that had never been equalled or approached at any other period, and during this era of increase the state not only did not compel religious instruction, but persecuted Christians with unrelenting severity. The speaker contended that religion was solely a matter of conscience, with which the state had nothing to do. The Christian religion has to do with the inward man, and no man was ever made a Christian under compulsion. Women composed a great majority of the church, and the experience of mankind was that never, under any circumstances, could women be brought to do anything under compulsion. Great agnostics like Huxley, Darwin, etc., had a Christian education, yet it did not make them better men—it made infidels of them. The nations that had refused to adopt a system of compulsory religious education were the greatest. Dilke was quoted to show that the British colonies had freedom in respect of religious education, and here the condition of morality, religious progress, enlightment and advanced civilization were far ahead of any country where state interference with religious education was adopted. Bryce had said a similar thing in respect to the United States, where the system of education was entirely secular. The speaker referring to state instruction, pointed out that the state that taught the most religion of any in history committed the greatest crime that ever was perpetrated in the death of Christ, and in Scotland, where religion was most thoroughly taught the last man to die for the sake of freedom of conscience, was killed because he could not believe in the Trinity.

Mr. Burnham, in rejoinder, pointed out that the affirmative did not contend for compelling belief of any kind. We were now bad, and let us become better, and in order to do so we should learn something of the truths of religion in our schools in theory if not in practice. Religious education was not to be made a matter of belief but of history

THE SUM OF THE WHOLE QUESTION.

Rev. Mr. Symonds in summing up gave a full and judicial analyses of the arguments presented by both sides. He pointed out the difficulties that surrounded the question of the state teaching religion as a compulsory subject, and also pointed out that the true object of education was to influence the whole nature of man—then why should the spiritual nature be neglected? He frankly stated that he had a strong bias in favour of the affirmative, but hoped to be absolved from being influenced by such a feeling. He highly complimented all the speakers on their admirable speeches, but he was compelled to say that the weight of argument rested with the affirmative, which seemed to be the popular decision with the large audience.

In conclusion, Rev. Mr. Symonds announced that on Friday evening in that hall Rev. Prof. Clark, of Trinity University, Toronto, would deliver his celebrated lecture on "Burns," to which all would be welcome.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—As an interested spectator of many of the games in the Innes Medal and Kendry Cup competitions, I would like to enquire how the Granite club can reconcile the fact that in spite of the stringent rules which were adopted regarding the non-strengthening of the rinks when playing off the draws in these competitions, yet in fully four-fifths of the matches played we find the same names recurring again and again.

This is notoriously the case as concerning a particular lead to whom the Granites seemed to pin their faith to such an extent as to play him in almost every match.

In the agreement regarding the draws in these two competitions, it was by mutual consent that the effort was exerted to check such unsportsmanlike conduct as strengthening a weak rink for a game.

I would like to hear what the Granites have to say in their defence, particularly in regard to their continually playing the same lead throughout all the different draws of the series.

I will be indeed pleased to hear of a Granite man coming forward and explaining a matter which has cast somewhat of a blot on their escutcheon. The club has now the two trophies—but at what cost?

Yours truly,
VETERAN.

A despatch from Lindsay announces that the Peterborough Granites won from the Winnipeggers this morning in the Lindsay bonspiel double rink competition.

As will be seen in another column the Granites beat the Thistles out in the preliminary draw of the double rinks competition at the Lindsay bonspell. Skips Ray and Rutherford are both in the single rink competition and have won their first draw.

HOCKEY.

The hockey match at the rink to-morrow night between the third team of the Peterboroughs and Norwood's second team is exciting a great deal of interest and being the first league match of the season should draw a big crowd.

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A prominent lady visiting Peterborough from New York City was so highly pleased with the photographic work she saw in

Mr. Whiten's art studio that she made an appointment and had a dozen sent to her address, 170 Lexington Avenue, New York City. She writes Mr. Whiten: "Photos arrived all right; they are very, very good; I am much pleased with them." Three different persons recently on a visit here from Montreal also had a dozen each taken by Mr. Whiten and forwarded to their address in Montreal. The above speaks well for Peterborough and the high-class work turned out by Mr. Whiten. Entrance to studio, 158 Hunter street, opposite Oak Hall. d15tf

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer. Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 20,—6.30 a. m.....7° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	8°	—13°

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being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 165 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

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SCIENCE OF CYCLING.

ENTHUSIASTS INTERESTED IN THE MECHANISM OF NEW WHEELS.

Experts Say That Riding Is the Only Test of Good or Bad Features—The Chainless Machines — Improvements Forced by 'Cyclists.

There is no question that since the bicycle became popular the knowledge of mechanics has increased wonderfully among the people. This was shown last year at the industrial show, when women and elderly persons examined with the greatest care the internal parts of the machine, and compared them with others they had seen, sought only to follow popular adaptations. It is true that the public must always remain the final judge of constructional features, as well as of appearances, for it is only by riding that the good or bad features of a bicycle can be determined.

The interest that the public has taken in wheeling has been of such a character that the intricacies of the construction of a bicycle have been studied until they are to-day familiar to all intelligent riders. It is for this reason that the reports of agents and traveling salesmen are so important a factor to the manufacturer, and it is not at all uncommon for the latter to submit to his agent any novel idea that he may think of introducing in his production for a certain season and also be largely governed in his decision as to its practicability.

An instance of this has already been seen this season in the attention which the people have paid to the chainless bicycle, even before they have had an opportunity to see it. It has only been in response to a popular demand in the direction of the appearance of the bicycle that the flush joint has been adopted this year by so many makers of high grade wheels.

Wooden rims and narrow treads were forced on manufacturers by the public demand for lightness and these features would not now be discarded under any circumstances. In all the places where the 1897 models are now being shown all the points, cones, ball cases, reinforcements, sections of tubing, adjustments, etc., are separately exhibited and can be handled and examined. It is daily becoming more evident that the time is rapidly approaching when the individual rider will be able to take his wheel to pieces and put it together again with the art of the skilled mechanic.

There is one particular in which a thorough knowledge of the construction of his wheel helps a rider very much; that is in the event of his having to go to a repair shop. Many of these shops have sprung up, and are conducted by people who take advantage of the rider's comparative ignorance, and are bent only on making a good-sized job of anything that comes into the shop. A lady some three months ago was riding on King street, Toronto, when she heard something rattling on her wheel, and proceeded with it to a repair shop.

The man examined her wheel and informed her that it would have to be taken apart and completely gone over, the expense would be about two dollars, and the job would take two or three days.

She left her wheel, with word that her husband would call in the same evening. He knew something of a bicycle, and found that the rattling was occasioned only by the chain striking against the dress-guard, and the remedy involved only a few minutes' time and a cost of 10 cents. The bicycle has been in constant use, and has run splendidly ever since.

There is some discussion going on as to the material and construction of bicycles for children. It has been stated that 1897 will see juvenile wheels which will be duplicates of those made for adults in everything except size. Of course, it is impossible to obtain the same price for a child's wheel as for one built for a full-grown person, and yet the saving in the cost of manufacture is insignificant.

It is acknowledged that nothing is too good for the children, yet machines for juveniles, like others, must be made according to the price for which they can be sold.

It is said that in the wooden frame bicycle there is a solution of the problem of safe and suitable juvenile machines at a reduced price. If this construction can be adapted to this purpose it would be more acceptable than machines of the heavy type sold now, and are the only ones in which economy, safety and durability can be successfully combined at the price for which they must be sold.

A useful article that will be put on the market is an automatic chain lubricator that is attached by a spring placed around the axle, between the sprocket wheel and crank. The body of the lubricator contains a pad-wick or ribbon, which is saturated with an emulsion, and sets between two teeth of the large sprocket wheel. As the chain revolves, enough of the emulsion is deposited between the rivets of the chain to keep it in easy running condition. It is said that the lubricator will run five hundred miles without refilling, and also to have given satisfaction to riders who have tested it.

There is no part of the bicycle that rusts so frequently as the spokes of the wheels. Saturate a rag or piece of cotton waste with kerosene and dip in powdered pumice stone; rub briskly, and the rust will quickly disappear.

It is manifest that during 1897 there will be a call for large sprockets and higher gears on all new machines. Although the merits of large sprockets are as yet a subject not definitely settled, there will be a number eager for something new who will refuse to ride a wheel that has not front and rear sprockets of a much larger diameter than heretofore.

The very class which desires these, however, is the one which advocates featherweight machines. As a consequence, they will be confronted with a perplexing problem when they are ready for the new mount. The manufacturers assert that the larger sprockets, necessitating, of course, an increased length of chain, will increase the weight of the machine.

While to outsiders this increase in weight will not matter much and may seem a small matter to quibble over, to those who will be most anxious for the large sprockets the question is a serious one, as they have decided views on the subject of weights.

Too Expressive a Name.

Smiley—"Guess that new coal-dealer down the street will have to change his name if he expects people to patronize him."

Banga—"Why? What's his name?"

Smiley—"Lyttleton. Some people might not notice it, but I'm afraid most of folks would shy at a name like that on a coal-dealer's sign."

The best way to cure disease is to drive it from the system by purifying the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Early Coinage.

The early methods of coining money were exceedingly imperfect. The metal, having been brought to the required standard of fineness, was melted and cast into small bars, which was reduced into thin plates under the hammer. Square pieces cut from these plates were rounded at the forge and then by means of rude dies—one fixed like an anvil to a block and the other held in the hand and struck with a mallet like a punch—the round lump of metal was flattened and coined at the same time. The difficulty of thus placing the two dies exactly opposite suggested occasional improvements; but it was not till about the sixteenth century that the forge and hammer gave place in France and England to the mill and screw, a method by which the bars were reduced to their proper thickness by rolling and the pieces were coined by the pressure of a screw. In the British mint screw presses impelled by steam are still used, while in the United States, in France and in some other countries the lever presses have been substituted.

Remarkably Rapid Advance.

M. Hanotaux, the Minister of Foreign Affairs at Paris, has come forward as a candidate for the seat of the late M. Challemel-Lacour in the French Academy, M. Hanotaux, who only thirteen years ago was a professor earning a stipend of $10 a week, is the author of some very remarkable historical publications, his work on Cardinal Richelieu having won for him much fame, and his election is considered certain.

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Everything now seems to conspire to kill the breed of horses. When the horseless carriage came into existence it seemed that at least the breed of hunters could not be touched, but the hope was vain. He is to be relegated to the Museum of Antiquities, according to the New York Press. The hunting motor horse has appeared. The dangers of the hunting field will no longer exist; we shall jump the fences with mathematical accuracy; the height and breadth to be cleared will depend simply on engineering skill. The mechanism which is to bring about the result consists of two strong steel bars shaped like skates, which project on each side of the front wheel. A spring causes these to strike the ground with the required force, which propels the machine into the air so that it can clear five feet in height, and about twenty-five feet in breadth, and land you safely—at least, so the inventor says.

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BLOOM ON THE PEACH

SOME GOOD THINGS TO BE SACRIFICED FOR THE COMPLEXION.

Doctors and Dermatologists Are Not so Potent, After All, as Judicious Diet and a Correct Course of Living—A Word in Season.

The complexion of young girls is very often a source of trouble to them, and continues to be so in spite of doctors and dermatologists and medicaments of all sorts. Perhaps when all things else have failed they will find the whole trouble done away with by a judicious diet and course of living. In many places there are no doctors especially skilled in relation to the skin, and mothers content themselves with thinking it will all come right in time. But they need not wait for time if they will follow a wise routine in matters of bath and diet, says a writer in Harper's Bazar.

In the first place, they should abolish the cold bath entirely, understanding that it is only the very rugged who can endure it, and that very few take it to advantage anyway; and they should use only the warm and hot baths, and use them frequently—the hot bath, a quick one taken at bedtime, with proper precautions about taking cold afterward. With this there should be not only exercise about the house in the way of familiar duties, although it is always in the same overbreathed air, but there should be rapid walking and hurrying out of doors, without any other fixed purpose than that of enjoyment, now and then a short run, if it may be taken without discomfort, and sometimes, properly protected, a tussle with a rainstorm, but never exposure, when unveiled, to cold and sharp winds.

And for the rest, diet is to be called upon to work miracles. Pastry is to be abandoned; all sorts of rich cakes and desserts as well; sweetmeats, candies, oily nuts, the whole delicious bonbon tribe, together with the homely old colonial doughnut, the rarebit and cheese in any form. Fruit, too, will be taken with hesitation, and more generally cooked than uncooked; fritters will be forsaken, potatoes will be replaced by bread, and the bread will be, as far as possible, of coarse grain rather than of fine flour.

Neither tea nor coffee will be drunk by our young aspirant for a good complexion, nor chocolate, be it said; she can have milk if it agrees with her, preferably skimmed milk and buttermilk. She will be surprised to find how soon she can dispense with much drinking at her meals, and how refreshing water alone will become. If she drank no water at all while eating, and as much as she wished a couple of hours later, it would be better yet; but if that is too much of a sacrifice, she would do well to try to limit herself to no more than a dozen tablespoonfuls of liquid with each meal. Of course, it is unnecessary to say that she takes no wine nor anything of that sort.

With this she should allow herself plenty of good and well-cooked meats, and dish gravy when it is free from fat; not always a great deal of beef, but rather mutton and poultry and game. Meat increases the muscular firmness and strength, and is supposed to add more to the nervous force than other diet; and often a low condition of the nerves has more to do with the skin trouble than anything else. Some of the most irritating, disfiguring and painful of skin troubles arise from worry or overstrain, or from malnutrition.

It must be understood, then, that the diet is to be bountiful and generous, but that it is to be thoroughly digestible, and never greasy nor too rich, and that all eating between meals and before going to bed is to be given up. Any girl who brings her habits down to these simple ways, and has regular and prolonged sleep, will soon have the peachy skin that belongs to her years, unless she has some more deep-seated and ineradicable trouble than is common.

For those who have no trouble with their skins, of course, such strictness of regime is not requisite; but the bloom will be kept a great while longer, which has not been interfered with by indigestible dainties and lazy habits.

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No newspaper worker has to contend against greater obstacles than does the proofreader, and when everything is taken into consideration the average excellence of his work is little less than marvelous.

His errors of omission may be easily pardoned. Whenever the type calls a lovely young bride a "bird" the offense may lightly be overlooked, since the meaning is not entirely obscured. But the proofreader's errors of commission belong in a different category. Whenever he attempts to straighten out the tangled meaning of something he doesn't understand the result often is something to make the judicious grieve.

At the conclusion of the Li Hung Chang festivities in New York, and just before the distinguished Celestial left for China by the Canadian route, I wrote a paragraph, saying: "Before Li Hung Chang goes back to China he ought to see the United States." It came out in cold type: "Li Hung Chang is visiting the United States before going back to China." Simultaneously I found on my desk a note from the proofreader. It said: "You'll have to keep tab a little closer. That Chinaman has been in New York a week. Don't you read the papers?"

W. W. Naughton, the San Francisco sporting writer, once included in his sporting notes for the Examiner an item saying that "the young salmon are beginning to run." It appeared in print: "The young salmon are beginning to swim."

When Mr. Naughton asked for an explanation the proofreader cheerily remarked: "That's all right, Billy. You had that mixed up with your turf stuff, but I straightened it out for you."

"But why didn't you let it go as I wrote it?" persisted Naughton.

"I couldn't," was the reply. "Who ever heard of a fish running?"—Chicago Times-Herald.

The folly of prejudice is frequently shown by people who prefer to suffer for years rather than try an advertised remedy. The million who have no such notions, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla for blood-diseases, and are cured. So much for common sense.

The Canary Islands Are Cheerful.

A tourist in the Canary Islands, writing for Good Words, says:

"I know nothing more cheerful to the vagabond than the readiness of friendship among the common people of the Canary isles. Go where you will abroad, you may shake the hand of a beggar, loafer, peasant and cottager. All have the same free and hearty welcome for you. They seem to delight in outlandish acquaintances, and if you happen to be a woman you instantly appeal to their better selves. Here, as elsewhere, I have kindly memories of people whose names I never knew and who did not know mine. I remember driving by diligence with a brave and heroic-looking young gentleman beautifully clad, a short, smart jacket and a wide-brimmed hat.

"Men of breeding might go as far as his native village to acquire his perfect manners. Wondering who this picturesque and operatic young man might be I afterward questioned the diligence driver (a rascal I had reason to suspect of stealing my bag with all my things and the wonderful bargains in Orotava lace and embroidery I had driven) and learned that he was a village butcher. So with all the trades people here. I wanted to match some stuff sold me by a woman of Orotava down at Santa Cruz, and was informed I should apply to Don Pablo or Don Pedro, and then to Don Nicholas of the Puerto. Surnames are suppressed—every one is still as well born as they were on the peninsula in the days of Lope de Vega and the German ambassador, asking for a servant's credentials, was presented with proof of his descent from a Gothic king."

The Unspeakable Turk.

She smiled coldly upon him and turned away. He was rich, of aristocratic parentage, and of courtly bearing, and her chill refusal cut him to the heart, says the New York World.

"The time will come, Gwendoline, de Peyster," bemoaned John Smith, half aloud, as with eyes blinded with tears he wandered down the marble steps.

A year passed by. The maid still remained unwedded, and society wondered where Smith had gone. He had sold all his effects and had departed to oriental lands. Whither, no one knew.

Then one morning society looked into the public prints with bulging eyes, for there, in cold type, it was chronicled:

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An Italian inventor named Corsetto has constructed an apparatus which he calls a "methydric sphere," and by means of which he professes to be able to descend to any depth in the sea, says a writer in the Scientific American. In his experiment at Spezzia he stored some 2000 cubic feet of compressed air in his apparatus, which he entered with two friends, and which was then lowered to a depth of some thirty feet. As after an expiration of nine hours the "sphere" had not yet been seen to reascend to the surface a message was sent to the admiral in command of the naval department, who at once sent a diver to the spot. The "sphere" was found still resting on the sea bottom, but the diver heard nothing in answer to his knocks. Some barges having been brought to the spot by a tug, the "sphere" was hauled up with ropes, and as soon as it emerged its door was opened, and the inventor appeared with a livid face and half asphyxiated. His two companions were unconscious, but were quickly resuscitated. They had remained eighteen hours under water. The inventor explains that so far all his experiments were successful, but on this occasion when he intended to return to the surface the air pressure at his command proved insufficient to expel the water ballast, of about two tons weight, which had so far kept his appliance submerged, and hence they had to remain where they were until rescued. At any rate, three persons were enabled to remain under water for eighteen hours, and this experiment may not be without significance as regards the much-discussed problem of submarine navigation.

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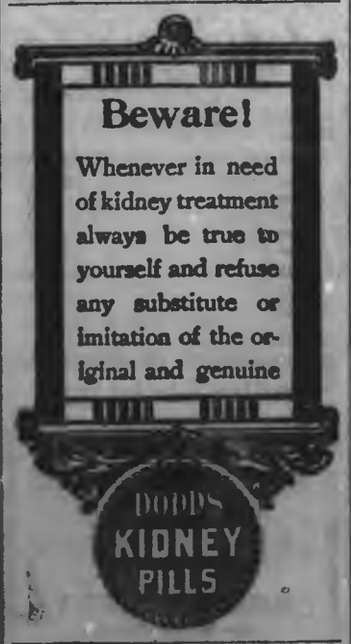
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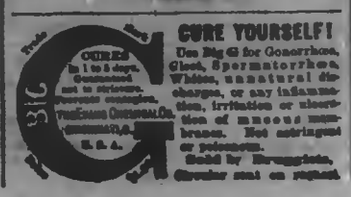
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No. 54,468—James C. Pennycuick, Toronto, vault lights.

No. 54,469—James C. Pennycuick, Toronto, ventilated window lights.

No. 54,472—Andrew Johnston, Peterborough, seeding machine.

No. 54,475—Walter S. McDonald, Montreal, water closet ventilator.

No. 54,488—Isaac N. House, Gravenhurst, automatic band saw filing machinee.

No. 54,496—Robert Etherington, Paris, Ont., apparatus for producing raised figures in carpets and similar woven fabrics.

No. 54,496—William R. Harrison, Toronto, Gold vs. Silver Game apparatus.

No. 54 501—Henry O. Wood, Billing's Bridge, Ont., Ballot Ticket Holder.

No. 54,502—Donald J. McLeod, Harry Scott and Wesley Simmons, all of Tilsonburg, manner of printing on wrapping paper for grocers and others.

No. 54,505—William Marsden, Hamilton, Remedy for Piles.

No. 54,506—John Seymour, Brampton, Gas Metres.

No. 54,550—A. F. Stephens et al, Individual Tea Service Utensil.

No. 54,561—L. Barcelonx, Stanbridge, Bale Tie.

No. 54,563—F. W. Hahn, New York, N. Y., Horse Shoe.

No. 54,576—Louis Rousseau, Montreal, P.Q., Corset.

No. 54,577—O. L. Gadoury, St. Placide, P.Q., Stove.

HUSTLING HAVELOCK.

From Our Own Correspondent.

While Conductor Mitchell's train was entering Havelock yard on Tuesday evening a loose wheel on one of the cars threw the car off the track, wrecking it and scattering about the contents, which consisted of beans. The spectators knew beans when the car "busted."

Mr. Joshua McLoughlin, who has been laid up with cold on the lungs is able to be around again.

Mr. Colin Curtis, foreman for Van Vlack, of Toronto, is busy loading cedar for shipment to that city.

Mr. Wm. Coulter is in the village this week looking after his interests in the wood business here.

Mr. Thos. Fraser, of Norwood, was in the village on Wednesday last.

Mr. Wm. Coulter shipped 150,000 feet basswood lumber so the Massey Harris Company, of Toronto, last week.

Reeve McAuley, Wm. Matthieson and ex Reeve Joyce were in Peterborough on Saturday.

The first carnival of the season will be held in Victoria Rink, here, on Thursday evening, Jan. 21st.

Mr. Jas. Courtice is out introducing the medicines of the Kiota Medicine Co.

Swift & Co. have a number of men employed storing ice in their Havelock ice house.

The most enjoyable place to spend an evening now is at the Skating Rink. The ice is excellent and the managers courteous and obliging.

Rev. J. J. Rae, of Peterborough will deliver a lecture in the Methodist church, here, on Jan. 28. Subject—"Mind your own business."

Rev. Mr. Somerville, of Norwood, preached in the Presbyterian church here on Sunday last.

Piles Cured by Dr. Chase.

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NORTH HARVEY.

From Our Own Correspondent.

A very pleasant time was spent at the basket social on Friday evening last. A very large crowd gathered and the school house, where the entertainment was held, was packed to its utmost capacity. Quite a crowd from Bobcaygeon came and helped to swell the number and all the logging camps in the vicinity furnished their quota. Taken altogether it was the most successful thing of the kind that has been held here and was in a great measure owing to the high esteem in which Mr. McKnight is held by everyone here and in the surrounding country. All classes and creeds were represented, which speaks well for the non-sectarian spirit of the people. There were about sixty baskets which Mr. D. Lavery disposed of by auction in his usual business-like manner. There was some spirited bidding when some of the young men thought there was danger of losing their best girl's basket, which caused considerable amusement to the rest. Those who were not lucky enough to get a basket were supplied with individual lunch bags which were well filled with good things. After tea was disposed of there was a very good programme, but owing to the length of time taken up for tea only a part of it was given as follows:

Several selections ..... Orchestra
Recitation....."Rosny's Story"....F Crowe
Clarionet duet..Masters H Reid and W Moore
Song, "Golden Years are Passing by"....Miss McGuire
Scotch song, "Jessie's Dream"....Miss Beatty
Speech..... Rev Bryce Innis, B A
Speech..... Mr Wm Hickson

Special praise is deserved by Miss Beatty, organist, Miss Bisch, Miss McGuire, Mr. Ross and all the members of the orchestra. The ladies who had charge of the affair deserve great praise also for their trouble in making it a success. The meeting closed by singing the National Anthem. The proceeds amounted to $31.

—You should see the new Black Lustre TURNBULL is selling at 25c a yard.

WARSAW.

From our own Correspondent.

On the afternoon of the 28th ult., the primary class in connection with the Presbyterian church Sunday School assembled in the manse, and presented their teacher, Rev. R. Hyde, with an address and the present of a nice, comfortable library chair. The following address was read by Master Rollie Doughty:

DEAR TEACHER,—We, the the members of your class present you with this small token of our love. Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Signed on behalf of the class.

ROLLO DOUGHTY.
JOHN MCINTOSH.

Masters John McIntosh and Richard Moffat handed the chair to their teacher, who replied very feelingly to the address, and thanked the members of the class for this second token of their affection and love. He likewise wished each member of the class many happy returns of the season, and when our days are completed in this life, hoping that all shall live here, so that in the life to come, we shall spend an eternity in realms of bliss, where parting shall be unknown.

The members of the class spent the afternoon with their teacher, and his estimable wife, entertaining them with readings, recitations and music. About 5 p.m. all the class sat down to enjoy their tea. A pleasant time was spent around the table. As the shades of evening began to deepen, all took their departure for home and thus ended the second happy gathering in the manse.

GALWAY.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Lizzie Coben, who has been visiting friends in Peterborough, has returned home again.

Mr. W. A. Wright, who spent a few months at Castle Nesbitt, has returned home much delighted with his visit. He reports having had a good time and being a favourite among those with whom he was obliged to associate.

Many people are anxiously waiting for snow. Large quantities of tan bark and railway ties are ready to be hauled to market, and if sleighing does not come soon a great many will be disappointed.

The annual meeting of the Galway Agricultural society will be held on Saturday, 23rd inst.

—Do you know that TURNBULL has a department of Fancy Yarns, Berlin, Zephyrs, Andalusian, etc.

Riverside Park Skating Rink.

A prize will be offered for competition to boys' hockey clubs, open to all the schools in the county or town of Peterborough. The members of each club competing must be bona fide scholars of some school in the town or county. Those wishing to compete will please send their names to Jos. G. McGowan, secretary, who will give particulars. Box 55, Peterborough. 6d1w

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AT THE LINDSAY BONSPIEL.

Double and Single Rink Competitions—Hamilton Knocked Out by Oshawa—Winnipeg Wins a Game.

Lindsay, Jan. 19.—The big bonspiel is on, with all that could be desired as regards the weather, below zero and calm. The committee in charge of the arrangements have everything in perfect order, and the first bonspiel at Lindsay is an assured success. The majority of the rinks came from points in the Midland District. The members of the Winnipeg Rink, Messrs. W. E. Allerby, Dr. Jamieson, H. Payne and Chris Cornell, were extended a very hearty greeting on their arrival. This was not alone due to the good feeling engendered by their having come so far to take part in the bonspiel, but also to the fact that they had in the past extended many courtesies to the Lindsay rinks taken to the Winnipeg bonspiel by Mr. Flavelle. Mr. Cornell, as is well known, is an old Lindsay boy, and his reception was especially hearty.

Play began at 10.10 this morning at the curling and skating rinks, many spectators being present. The following is the result of the morning and afternoon games:

Keene.		Lindsay.	
R Brown		L McIntosh	
H J English		J G Edwards	
R Londerville		J A McMillan	
Campbell, sk	8	J D Flavelle, sk	20
M Kennedy		T McConnell	
C Bell		W M Kennedy	
R J McCamus		G A Little	
McIntyre, sk	3	W McLennan, sk	27
Total	11	Total	47
Lakefield.		Hamilton Asylum.	
M Strickland		Dr Herriman	
W Baptie		H Russell	
G B Hilliard		R Benedict	
G W Strickland, sk	20	A Goodall, sk	13
R Graham		R Davidson	
L Payne		J Pearie	
J Strickland		F Pearie	
R C Strickland, sk	13	Dr Russell, sk	14
Total	33	Total	27
Millbrook.		Orillia.	
J W Walsh		H S Holcraft	
J Allan		J Scott	
H Wood		F Toogood	
C Needler, sk	19	W H Harvey, sk	14
H Allen		Dr Gilchrist	
S Bateson		D Harvey	
H Winslow		E A Doolittle	
J A Vance, sk	3	T Main, sk	33
Total	22	Total	47
Fenelon Falls.		Bobcaygeon.	
J Twomey		F Minnes	
J Robinson		W Ginley	
E Chambers		T Gage	
W Brandon, sk	14	A Bottum, sk	16
J Austin		T McCamus	
W Davey		D Ross	
H Austin		W Davis	
T Graham, sk	16	W J Read, sk	14
Total	30	Total	30

—Afternoon at the Curling Rink—

Whitby.		Oshawa.	
T King		Dr Plank	
J Mitchell		E Rouse	
W Hood		R N Punchoon	
Sheriff Paxton, sk	11	F E Dingle, sk	14
W Muir		A Lambert	
J Stanton		A Rankin	
H M Ross		F Lambert	
T E Willis, sk	10	J A Sikes, sk	18
Total	21	Total	32
Peterboro Granites.		Peterboro Thistles.	
G Giroux		J Stanger	
W Allen		E Rutherford	
Whitten		W G Ferguson	
H Allen, sk	14	S Ray, sk	16
E Hall		J S Knapman	
H Lebrun		G Horkins	
F P Attrill		C McGill	
R S Davidson, sk	20	T Rutherford, sk	13
Total	34	Total	29
Fenelon Falls.		Orillia.	
Twomey		Holcraft	
Robinson		Scott	
Chambers		Toogood	
Brandon, sk	13	Harvey, sk	28
Austin		Gilchrist	
Davey		Harvey	
H Austin		Doolittle	
Graham, sk	9	Main, sk	16
Total	22	Total	34
Lindsay.		Lakefield.	
McIntosh,		M. Strickland,	
Edwards,		Baptie,	
McMillan,		Hilliard,	
Flavelle, sk	10	G A Strickland, sk	13
McConnel		Graham,	
Kennedy,		Payne,	
Little,		J P Strickland,	
McLennan, sk	23	R C Strickland, sk	8
Total	33	Total	21

To-morrow evening the principal finals will be played, when Oshawa will play against the Peterboro Granites, and Lindsay against Orillia.

In the single rink competition to-night the results were as follows:

Fenelon Falls—Brandon, skip 14. Lindsay—Ferguson, skip 16.

Whitby—Paxton, skip 13. Lindsay—McMillan, skip 17.

Whitby—Willis, skip 19. Lindsay—Foster, skip 13.

Peterboro—Ray, skip 17. Lindsay—Veitch, skip 16.

Hamilton—F. Pearie, skip 19. Oshawa—Sykes, skip 23.

Lakefield—R. C. Strickland, skip 19. Keene—Campbell, skip 17.

Lindsay—Miller, skip 13. Millbrook—Vance, skip 14.

Lakefield—G. A. Strickland, skip 18. Peterboro—H. M. Allen, skip 10.

Peterboro—T. Rutherford, skip 16. Lindsay—Needler, skip 9.

Orillia—Harvey, skip 12. Lindsay—McLennan, skip 15.

A friendly game was also played between Winnipeg and Oshawa, resulting: Winnipeg—Jamieson, skip 8. Oshawa—Punshion, skip 7.

In the morning McMurtry, Toronto Granites, will play against Edwards of Lindsay, Clemes of Parkdale will play against Bottum of Bobcaygeon, Dr. Jamieson of Winnipeg will play against Davidson of Peterboro.

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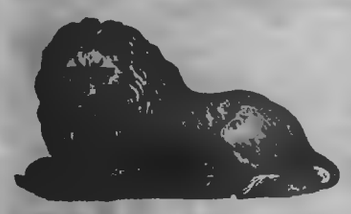
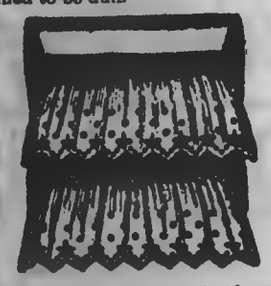


WHITE GOODS SENSATION!

The men are puzzled to know how it is that so many ladies are flocking to the Golden Lion buying Whitewear in January! The remark has been heard that the very thought of it sends a cold chill down his back, but there's a-something about it lady shoppers understand. We have made it worth their while to buy Whitewear here just now—even if it is midwinter! Big stores like ours have to be on the alert to make business interesting, and these special buying chances in January stimulate trade when it is inclined to be dull.



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We are taking a clean one-fourth off the prices of our Mantle Cloths and Dress Goods.

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The Duke and Duchess of York May be Invited.

A NEW ISSUE OF POSTAGE STAMPS

Suggested as One Way in Which Canada May Mark the Queen's Diamond Jubilee — Important Announcement in Regard to Return of Letters - Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Rumor has it that Parliament will be asked to pass an address to the Queen inviting the Duke and Duchess of York to visit Canada during the present year.

Representations have been made to the Postmaster-General that it would be fitting for the Government to recognize the Queen's jubilee year by an entirely new issue of postage stamps. Since the matter was first called to the attention of Mr. Mulock some of the philatelic societies have been moving in the same direction, although doubtless these gentlemen are more in erested from a personal than from a patriotic standpoint. On his return to Ottawa, it is said, the Postmaster-General will decide whether or not to recommend his colleagues to make a change in the present stamp issue.

Capt Spain, in charge of the fisheries protective service, leaves for the Maritime Provinces to-morrow. He will visit all the vessels of the protection fleet now in winter quarters, and make arrangements for such repairs as may be necessary. During his absence from Ottawa Capt. Spain will hold one or two official investigations.

So far as the Fisheries Department is concerned it may be stated that no radical changes in the service will be made pending the decision of the Judicial Committee on the question of fisheries jurisdiction. Until such judgment is given fishery matters will be pretty much at a standstill.

An order-in-council has been passed approving of the draft of the licenses to be issued to American fishing vessels this year. This license will contain the same clause as last year, which declares that it will become null and void if any of the goods, supplies and advantages obtained thereunder are sold or transferred to another United States fishing vessel which has not obtained a license. In 1895 only 45 United States fishing vessels took out licenses, and it was discovered that they were in the habit of selling the supplies procured under license to other vessels without licenses. Last year, with the clause inserted, 78 vessels took out licenses.

The Department of Inland Revenue was notified to-day that Messrs. Hiram Walker & Sons have discovered a firm in Chicago which is putting up an inferior class of whiskey, labelling it Canadian "Club" and imitating the corks, capsules and labels of Messrs. Walker, as well as the Canadian Government stamp. The firm will prosecute the parties to the full extent of the United States law. A few weeks ago the firm was successful in securing a conviction for infringement of their trade marks in the States. The imitation of the Canadian Government stamp on a sample in possession of the department is exceedingly good.

Mr. John E. Redmond, M. P. for Waterford, arrived here at noon to-day. He was met at the station by a number of Ottawa Home Rulers. Mr. Redmond lectured at the opera house to-night on "Fifteen Years in the British House of Commons" to a fair crowd. During the course of the afternoon Mr. Redmond called on Chevalier Heney at his residence on Daly-street and denied all knowledge of the attack of his (Redmond's) paper, The Independent, on Mr. Heney, when the latter was in Ireland attending the Irish race convention. He said he was only a small shareholder in the paper in question, and had no knowledge that the communication was about to appear. Mr. Heney asked him if he had not told a gentleman in Montreal yesterday that the letter had been rent by one Moore from Ottawa to Dublin. Mr. Redmond admitted that he had done so. The Chevalier holds that, in view of this equivocation, Mr. Redmond's explanation is hardly satisfactory.

Dominion Analyst Mr. Macfarlane and his staff have completed the examination of a large number of samples of strained honey, collected in different parts of the country. The analyses reveal that in many instances there is a large percentage of cane sugar and glucose instead of the pure honey. No prosecutions have yet been instituted. The analysts are now turning their attention to cream tartar.

Prof. Robertson will leave for the Northwest Territories on the 28th to confer with farmers at different points where creameries are to be established to be managed by the Government for a term of years. His first meeting will be at Indian Head on Monday, Feb. 1. The next meeting will be at Calgary on Wednesday, Feb. 3. He will then go up the Calgary and Edmonton Railway. Other places to be visited later will be announced shortly. It is expected that the Government will take charge of about fifteen creameries in the Territories, manufacture butter for the farmers and export it direct to Britain.

A few weeks ago Dr. Gaudet, surgeon of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, was suspended for alleged intemperance. The inspector, in reporting on the case, observed that it was but justice to state that as a surgeon Dr Gaudet had been very successful; that during an epidemic of typhoid fever which visited the prison last year, but one of forty-four proved fatal and this, in view of the fact that the hospital facilities at St. Vincent de Paul are entirely inadequate for such emergencies. Since his suspension a considerable body of evidence has been laid before the Minister of Justice denying that there was any adequate ground for the discharge of Dr. Gaudet, and he has accordingly been reinstated.

The Postoffice Department calls attention to the fact that the rules now permit the return to the senders direct, without being forwarded to the dead letter branch and without charge except as noted below, of letters which fail of delivery to the address, provided they bear upon the face or back the name and address of the sender. Request letters are returned at the end of the period specified, and letters with the name and address only at the end of two weeks. These letters are not subject to any fee upon return, and the only charge made is in the case of letters originally insufficiently prepaid, where the original rating is collected. Delay in returning, caused by the forwarding of undelivered correspondence to the dead letter branch, as well as the payment of the returned letter fee, can be avoided if the public will take advantage of the regulation above set forth, and stamp or write their names and addresses upon all letters mailed.

It is said Sir Arthur Haliburton, the youngest son of the late Mr. Justice Haliburton (Sam Slick), is about to retire from the War Office, and will probably receive a peerage, with the title of Lord Haliburton. He married some years ago the widow of Sir George Clay, baronet, and is childless.

A full length portrait of Chief Justice Sir Henry Strong has just been executed for the Supreme Court of Canada. The portrait was painted by Robert Harris, President of the Royal Canadian Academy of Arts, and is regarded as one of the happiest of his efforts.

Mr. Whyte, western superintendent of the C.P.R., is in the city to-day, and had an interview with Mr. Sifton, Minister of the Interior.

Mr. Hurley, M.P., has sent to the Fisheries Department a splendid specimen of gar pike, which was caught in the Bay of Quinte. It will be mounted and placed on exhibition in the Fisheries Museum.

Sir Henri and Lady Joly returned to the city to-day.

His Excellency the Governor-General left for Montreal this afternoon to attend Mayor Smith's banquet.

Mr. Tarte went to Montreal to-day. He will take a further rest there.

It is conceded that the suggestions made by the Toronto Board of Trade in reply to the circular of the Department of Trade and Commerce are the best which have so far reached the Government.

No report has been received from Collector of Customs Davis since he went up to Fort Cudahy, on the Yukon, last June, and now that the winter has set in there is no probability of any word reaching here till next year. The only possibility is that if Surveyor Ogilvie gets through to the Pacific Coast he may bring intelligence with him of the season's doings up the Yukon.

Major-General Gascoigne is in New York enjoying a holiday.

The examination of bookkeeping of the Postoffice Department, which has been authorised by the Postmaster-General, will take some time yet.

BRAKESMAN KILLED.

Richard Baycroft Met With a Terrible Death at Gravenhurst

Barrie, Ont., Jan. 20.—A distressing railway accident occurred at Gravenhurst early this morning. Richard Baycroft, brakesman, was working on top of some freight cars while the train was shunting, and accidentally fell to the track, the cars passing over him and mangling his body horribly. Death came instantly. Deceased was about 30 years of age and belonged to this town. He was married about a year ago to Miss Morley. She has been with him at Gravenhurst for some time. Two fellow-brakesmen went north this morning to bring his remains here for burial.

Tuberculosis is Infectious.

New York, Jan. 20.—The Board of Health yesterday officially declared tuberculosis an infectious and communicable disease. Hereafter physicians in private practice and heads of hospitals and other institutions, whether private or public, will be required to report all cases of tuberculosis to the health authorities. New cases must be reported within a week after their diagnosis. It is proposed to have a city sanitarium for the isolation of certain cases, which may also be used as a school to educate those suffering from the malady.

Bellevue Hospital Scorched.

New York, Jan. 20.—Bellevue Hospital Medical College, in the grounds of Bellevue Hospital, in East 26th-street, was gutted by fire this morning. The flames did not touch the hospital. Thirty bodies in the dissecting room were cremated. Loss, $20,-

ADMITS ALL CHARGES

The Prince de Chimay Will Get His Divorce

WITHOUT PRODUCING TESTIMONY.

Princess' Counsel Asks That the Woman Have the Privilege of Seeing Her Children From Time to Time—

How Newspaper Men Were Kept From Hearing Trial.

New York, Jan. 20.—Auguste Vierait cables The Journal from Charleroi, Belgium: A great crowd of barristers and journalists assembled to-day in the Court of the First Instance here on the occasion of the opening of the Chimay divorce suit. The German, English, French and Belgian papers were well represented.

Maitres Auguste Beernaert and Leon Delacroix appeared for Prince Chimay, who sat near them. Maitre Allain of Paris was counsel for the Princess, who of course, did not attend.

The proceedings were opened at 9.30 a.m. by the judicial registrar declaring that, as no plea of non recevoir had been adduced by either side, the court admitted the demand for a divorce, and the president affirmed. They would have to examine whether there were grounds for granting the decree de plano, in other words, at once, or whether they ought to order an investigation.

The public prosecutor called attention to the fact that the public was composed of "professionals in indiscretion," and added that there was ground to fear that their appearance meant a diffusion of scandalous narrative to the further ends of the world, hence he asked, for the sake of the honor of the Chimay family, that the case be heard behind closed doors.

The robed barristers were accordingly only allowed to remain, and the rest of the court was cleared.

In the course of the proceedings in camera, Delacroix deals with a certain number of facts concerning the Princess' private misconduct, which constitute a grave wrong, demanded by the law to justify the granting of a divorce. Counsel took special pains to explain the relations of the Princess with Rigo, declaring that the period of her first faux pas dated as far back as the early days of her marriage.

He read extracts from Gil Blas of Paris, asserting that the Princess was not one of those women who concealed a flirtation, and that Rigo, calling himself Alcase, successively lived in Villers Le Tour and Long Prez in the Chimay country. Indeed, at one time the burgomaster of Long Prez interviewed, on special orders from the chief of police, and requested him to show his identification papers. The Princess sometimes drove up in a carriage into the courtyard of the inn where Rigo lived and sent away the vehicle, while at others she made it wait before the front door.

Before she eloped the Princess sent a letter to her husband, asking forgiveness, and paying tribute to his gentle and upright character, and declaring she wished to live no longer near her children, whose minds she would sully.

She left for Paris with Rigo, the steward of the chateau and his wife. En routs the steward asked if she did not regret her children. The Princess answered:

"Yes, but don't let's think about it any more. Let's have a good dinner."

All four visited together the Ambassadeurs and Paillard's restaurant. In the course of the dinner the Princess, thinking she saw the steward's wife casting too many loving glances at Rigo, wrote to the husband several hours later, warning him to keep a close eye on his better half.

Counsel concluded by asking that a decree of divorce should be pronounced without preliminary enquiry, since the facts were proven.

Maitre Allain, for the defence, admitted the charges against the Princess, but contended that the story of her conduct in the inn at Long Prez was not sufficiently established any more than were other statements spread about in public regarding Rigo and the Princess.

Allain added that Mrs. Ward gave her daughter a deplorable education, so that she was not in the least fitted for the life of the sort her new situation demanded. On the other hand, the Prince was not sufficiently obliging towards her. He possessed no authority over his wife, whom he neglected in order to go hunting.

Finally, the counsel stated, that he had no objection to an immediate decree of divorce.

GUILTY OF TWO MURDERS.

The McLeod Indian Charcoal to Hang March 16 - Reception to Albani and Miss Beverley Robinson.

Winnipeg, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Charcoal, the McLeod Indian, has been found guilty of two murders and sentenced to hang March 16.

Counsel for the Liberals applied to the judge to-day for an order extending the time for trial of the Marquette election petition. The application was opposed by counsel for the Conservatives and dismissed.

Premier Greenway is in poor health and has gone to rest at his country home, Crystal City.

Government House was the scene to-night of a brilliant reception. It was given by Governor Patterson in honor of his guests, Madame Albani and Miss Beverley Robinson.

Buffalo Lady Suicides.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 20.—Mrs. Mary Elizabeth McCullough, wife of Dr. John J. McCullough of No. 1175 Main-street, took her life this morning by cutting her throat from ear to ear with a razor. Mrs. McCullough was one of the estimable women of the community. She act was due, it is thought, to a fit of temporary insanity. Mrs. McCullough was 50 years old, and the mother of two children.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 1897.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

HON. J. I. TARTE is recovering from his illness.

MR. HUGH JOHN MACDONALD hasn't the monopoly of having a nose. Somebody smelled out the corruption in the Winnipeg election, and he modestly retired.

THE Brantford Courier says that Mr. Henry, the Conservative candidate in the bye-election in South Brant, will be returned by an increased majority. Has the Courier some inside information to the effect that all the expert ballot-box stuffers are not in gaol? Perhaps a few yet undiscovered may be spared from Macdonald and Winnipeg before the bye-elections in these places come on.

THE Mail and Empire is joined to its idols. It is fatuous enough to defend the monstrous corruption that has been proven in Manitoba in connection with the elections there. It calls the filing of a bill of particulars in an election contest "defamation of character." The Mail and Empire is barking back a long way in its efforts to destroy responsible government, and one would not be surprised to hear it demanding that Lord Durham's bones should be exhumed an buried by the common hangman.

A STORY comes from Ottawa that is eminently creditable to the Postmaster-General. The two sons of the late Thomas McGreevy are employed in the Post Office Department as temporary clerks. When the victorious Liberals came into power, certain French members of the party clamoured for the dismissal of Mr. McGreevy's sons. Mr. Mulock said he would not do so before he ascertained whether their services where satisfactory and necessary. His officers reported that the young McGreevys were giving satisfaction, and the Postmaster-General declined to discharge them. All these yarns about guillotining public officials are to a large extent imaginary, so far as dismissals are gratuitous. It is very probable that no official has been dismissed without furnishing a justification by conduct unbecoming an official. Government officers, no matter what their politics, so long as they attend to their business properly are safe.

Piles Cured by Dr. Chase.

M. Iral, 186 Drolet Street, Montreal. 15 years suffered. Cured of Blind Itching Piles.

William Butler, Pocsawan, Ont., Suffered many months. Cured of protruding Piles by one box.

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Karl's Clover Root,

the great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures Constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 359 George street.

Mr. C. W. Sterns, Dresden, Ont., says: "I have been taking Miller's Compound Iron Pills for two months: have increased in weight 12 pounds and feel better than for years." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

LAKEFIELD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. George Finney, of Carman, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Jas. Finney.

Mr. William D. Hamilton, of Lindsay, spent a few days last week the guest of his father.

Miss Clementina Strickland, of Toronto, is spending her holidays with her father, Mr. R. C. Strickland.

Mr. Hugh McKenzie, of Montreal, was in the village last week on a visit to his brother, Rev. A. W. Mckenzie.

Rev. G. C. McKenzie, of Brantford, is visiting his son, Rev. A. W. McKenzie.

Miss Beatty, of Peterborough, is in the village visiting friends.

Mr. Wm. Adams, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. G. Cotton, at Niagara Falls, returned home last week.

Our curlers left here on Monday afternoon to take in the big bonspiel at Lindsay for the Tankard competition. The following compose the rinks who will take part:

RINK No. 1.	RINK No. 2.
R Graham.	Melville Strickland,
Levi Payne.	William Baptie,
J P Strickland,	Geo B Hilliard.
R C Strickland, skip.	G A Strickland, skip.

Remember the skating carnival here on Friday evening. Elegant prizes are being offered for several special events. The North Smith brass band will be in attendance.

The recent cold snap shows that we are likely to have a severe winter, even if we do not have snow, and if have not already done so, you should at once purchase an ulster, a pair of fur gauntlets, a robe, a jacket, a fur cap, a muff or a suit of clothes while they are selling for cash at marvellously low prices, at Graham & Sons.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The ninth annual convention of the township of Smith was held in the Presbyterian church on Tuesday of last week. The convention was well attended by the delegates and by the village people, and a very pleasant and profitable time was spent.

The afternoon session opened with Mr. Northey in the chair, at 2 o'clock by a prayer and praise service conducted by the Rev. A. C. Reeves. The President's address followed, and the Nominating Committee were appointed.

Reports were received from the different schools, the reports showing the schools to be in a very prosperous and healthy condition.

A very interesting conference on "How can we retain the senior scholars in the Sabbath School," was held and brought considerable discussion, and which proved of profit to all.

Rev. G. Clare's "Bird's Eye View of the Lessons of 1897," was very helpful to the teachers and scholars present, and enlightened a great many. A conference followed on the above subject.

Rev. T. J. Edmison gave a very interesting address to children, quite a number of whom were present, and the address was greatly enjoyed by both old and young.

The Nominating Committee brought in their report was as follows:

President—Mr. R. Clifford.

Sec.-Treas.—Mr. J. H. Sherin.

Committee—The pastors of the various churches and the superintendents of Sunday schools within the bounds of the Association.

The session was brought to a close with singing and prayer.

EVENING SESSION.

The evening session commenced at 7.15 with the president in the chair.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. A. C. Reeves.

Rev. Mr. Potter of Peterborough delivered an address on "Influences Producing Fruitful Work in the School." The address was one of the features of the evening, and those present appreciated it very fully, the teachers especially, as it gave them many hints for successful work in Sunday schools.

Rev. Mr. Dykeman of Peterborough was unable to be present, and his time was taken up with the Question Drawer, by Rev. C. McLeod, who proved a very apt person to conduct the answering of the numerous questions in a satisfactory manner.

During the evening Miss E. Fitzgerald rendered a solo in pleasing style.

The convention was brought to a close by singing and prayer.

YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The ice harvest has started here and a number of the villagers have stored away their summer supply. There has not been much cold weather for the formation of deep ice, but the quality is excellent. Clear Lake is a splendid place to take out ice and there was very good sleighing last week to draw it.

Large quantities of wood pass through here en route for Lakefield and Peterborough. A little sleighing would help the wood-drawers.

The Young's Point dramatic club held their weekly meeting on Tuesday night and after some business was disposed of the following programme was rendered:

Violin solo.....Mr D Oliver
Recitation.....Miss Louisa Kearney
Song.....Mr Wm Brooks
Recitation.....Miss J Young
Recitation.....Miss J Leonard
Song.....Mr Harry Kearney
Instrumental, violin and organ.....Miss Maggie and Lottie Kearney
Reading.....Miss Maggie Appleby
Recitation.....Mr Wm Brooks
Sand jig.....Mr Harry Kearney
Monthorgan sol.....Mr Frank Young
Trio.....Miss Maggie and Lottie Kearney and Mr Harry Kearney
Chorus.....Club

Mrs. Jos. Stewart, of Peterborough, is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Graham.

Mrs. Walter Young has gone to Toronto to have an operation performed on her eyes. We sincerely hope the operation will be successful.

Mrs. Robt. Pope is visiting at Mr. C. Young's.

This is elegant weather for the blacksmiths, as horses need to be sharp shod. Our friend Mr. C. Heard is very busy these days, and the ring of the anvil can be "heard" all day.

As Mr. Frank Young was taking a load of wood to Peterborough on Tuesday an accident occurred which might have proved fatal to himself and his horses. He had proceeded as far as Douglas' hill, one mile below the Point, when the wagon began to slide, and there being no protection on the side of the hill the wagon and horses went over the embankment. Frank fortunately jumped before the wagon upset, thereby escaping injuries. The wagon was badly broken, and one of the horses sustained some severe cuts. The horses ran away after freeing themselves from the wagon, and were caught coming through the Point by the owner, Mr. W. J. Young. The council should repair this hill, as it is very dangerous.

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GAVE HIM $700.

Dr. Munhall's Compensation for Securing the Conversion of Twelve Hundred Wicked Ottawa People.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Dr. Munhall, the American revivalist, who has just concluded three weeks' revival services here, was last night presented with a purse of $700 as a voluntary offering from the citizens of Ottawa. Twelve hundred people professed conversion during the services. Of these 633 were Methodists, 232 Presbyterians, 165 Church of England, 81 Baptists, 42 Congregationalists, 16 Roman Catholics, 54 who gave no church, and others.

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Rice, Tapioca and Sago.

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Peterborough, January 13th, 1897

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LATEST CABLE NEWS

Proceedings of the British House of Commons.

AMNESTY FOR IRISH PRISONERS

Was Made the Subject of a Motion, But it Did Not Pass—The Matter of Taxation in Ireland—The Countess Cowley's Divorce Case—European News Generally.

London, Jan. 20.—The business of the House of Commons to-day was the debate on the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne.

Patrick O'Brien, member for Kilkenny city, moved in amendment to reconsider the sentences of the Irish prisoners who had been condemned to imprisonment upon charges of treason.

The amendment was seconded by J. C. Flynn, member for North Cork.

Mr. Timothy M. Healy, member for North Louth, supported the amendment moved by Mr. O'Brien, and, in the course of his speech, declared British agents in America had provoked the outrages with which the condemned were charged.

Sir M. W. Ridley, Home Secretary, said that he was unable to see any reason for advising that amnesty be granted to the political prisoners referred to in the amendment, much as the Government desired to remedy any Irish grievances. These men had been found guilty of crimes abhorred by the civilised world, and the fairness of their trial and the impartiality of the courts had been attested this very day by the withdrawal of the charge against Bell, or Ivory, before the same judge that sentenced the Irish prisoners whose liberty is now sought. Mr. O'Brien's amendment was defeated by a vote of 204 to 132.

The Times expresses the belief that the Royal Commission will pursue its enquiry into the financial relations of Ireland.

With the exception of The Daily News, the Liberal organ, the newspapers all admit that Mr. Balfour's announcement in the House of Commons yesterday, that a separate occasion would be given for the discussion of the Irish financial commission's report, and that the Government proposed to complete the investigation, will considerably shorten the debate on the address.

The Standard (Conservative) declares that many Liberals objected to the main conclusions of the recent commission.

The Daily News says that the decision to enter upon a fresh enquiry extricates the Irish members from a dilemma, because the Irish Unionists would have declined to support Mr. Blake's amendment to the address, which was regarded as a vote of censure on the Government.

DIVORCE CASE IN ENGLAND.

Countess Cowley Charges Her Husband With Flagrant Misconduct.

London, Jan. 19.—The trial of the action for divorce brought by Countess Cowley against her husband, Henry Arthur Mornington Wellesley, Earl Cowley, was begun in the Divorce Division of the High Court of Justice this morning. The grounds upon which the suit is based are desertion and habitual adultery with Mrs. Charles Charrington. Countess Cowley testified that her husband practically deserted her in 1892, when he ignored her and openly showed his preference for the society of Mrs. Charrington. The Earl, the Countess said, was accustomed to spend several hours each day with Mrs. Charrington in that lady's boudoir and continued to do so until Mrs. Charrington's husband interfered and put a stop to their intimacy. Upon cross-examination the Countess admitted that she had had disputes with her husband concerning household bills, which differences had led to an agreement between them to separate.

Countess Cowley denied that she had accounted to her husband's desertion of her. She had always been willing to act as a wife should, providing she was treated by her husband as a faithful wife should be treated.

Mr. Charrington was called to the stand and testified that he had been aware that Earl Cowley was a frequent caller at his house, but he was not aware that his calls were made after he (the witness) had left the house. Witness said that he was now living apart from his wife.

Yesterday's Proceedings

London, Jan. 20.—The trial of the action for divorce brought by Countess Cowley against her husband, Earl Cowley, was continued in the divorce division of the High Court of Justice this morning. Counsel for the plaintiff read the deposition of Charles Legg, employed as a valet in the Government House at Ottawa, Ont., in which the deponent stated that he was previously in the service of Charles Charrington, whose wife is named as co-respondent with Earl Cowley. The next that witness deposed, frequently visited Mrs. Charrington after her husband had left the house, and was always shown to the lady's boudoir. Whenever Earl Cowley called Mrs. Charrington was not at home to other callers.

The case was adjourned after the reading of Legg's testimony.

PROPOSE TO CELEBRATE.

Birmingham People Desire to Mark the Signing of the Treaty.

London, Jan. 20.—A meeting was held in Birmingham to-day to perfect arrangements for a suitable celebration of the signing of the general arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain. Among the speakers was Mr. G. F. Parker, United States consul at Birmingham, who said that the treaty would undoubtedly be ratified by the United States Senate, and that the people of both countries in the meantime must be patient. Mr. Parker said that he had recently made a tour of thirteen of the American States and had not in the course of his travels seen a single trace of anti-British feeling.

THE ARBITRATION TREATY.

London Times Fancies the U. S. Senate May Not Ratify It.

London, Jan. 20.—The Times comments editorially this morning upon the fears expressed by a correspondent in the United States that the general arbitration treaty will, perhaps, be not ratified by the Senate. The Times finds it difficult to believe that the treaty will be rejected after having found the approval of the executives of both countries. England, however, it continues, has done her part, and no blame will fall on our shoulders if it lapses.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Native Rising in Griqualand, South Africa, Growing Serious.

Cape Town, Jan. 20.—The native rising in Griqualand is growing more serious, and the whites are going into fortified camps. The three sons of Chief Lerothod of Basutoland have revolted.

To Compensate Canadians.

London, Jan. 20.—The Chronicle has reason to believe that the United States Behring Sea commission report will urge the prohibition of pelagic sealing, and advises the United States to compensate Canadians for their loss in the industry.

WESTERN ONTARIO DAIRYMEN.

Mayor Elliott Welcomed the Delegates to Brantford—Many Excellent Papers Discussed With Interest.

Brantford, Jan. 20.—The Western Ontario Dairymen's Convention held its opening session last night. Mayor Elliott was present, and on behalf of the citizens gave the delegates a hearty welcome to our city.

The Mayor's address of welcome was replied to by Mr. A. Pattullo, M.L.A., president of the association. Addresses were delivered by Mr. Derbyshire of Brockville.

Mr. McDonald, M.P., president of the Quebec Association, gave an interesting account of the success of dairy products in his section.

Mr. Monrad of Illinois gave a very instructive address on the cost of the production of butter.

Mr. C. C. James addressed the convention on the success of Canada's manufactory and agricultural interests.

W. D. Heard, ex-Governor of Wisconsin, gave an eloquent and taking address.

This morning's session was very largely attended.

Inspector Miller read a very interesting paper on the care of milk, which brought out an instructive discussion on the effects that roots and apples would have on milk, it being considered as very injurious.

G. H. Barr of Sebringville read a very instructive paper on practical cheese making, also advocating good salaries for good cheese makers, which called forth a discussion by a number of those present.

J. H. Monrad of Illinois gave a very instructive address on the curing room and curing cheese; also on testing milk.

RHEUMATISM CURED.

Eighteen Months Trying to get Cured—Had the Best Doctors—He Found What he Wanted in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Goderich, Jan. 11—(Special)—A case of great interest here just now is that of Mr. Alexander J. Sharkey, who for some time has been an extreme sufferer from Rheumatism. His statement to the correspondent is as follows:—

"For eighteen months I was a victim of Rheumatism and during the whole of that time was trying every means to cure it. I had the best doctors in Canada and took their prescriptions with faith and patience.

"I got tired at last, for I found the disappointment nearly as killing as the disease.

"But one friend wiser than others convinced me that my disease must be cured by way of the kidneys and recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I have used two boxes of these pills to effect a perfect cure, and I don't care who knows it."

The Prodigal's Fate.

English Sunday School Teacher (solemnly)—And now, Albert Edward, you may relate the terrible fate of the prodigal son after leaving his father's house and squandering his patrimony in riotous living.

Albert Edward (in an awed whisper)—'Ee—'ee—'ee 'ad t' go to Hamerica han get married, ma'am.—Truth.

The sugar-coating, which makes Ayer's Pills so easy to take, dissolves immediately on reaching the stomach, and so permits the full strength and benefit of the medicine to be promptly communicated. Ask your druggist for Ayer's Almanac, just out.

As Well as Ever

Dear Sirs,—After suffering for two years from acute indigestion I tried B.B.B. I took only three bottles, which made me as well as ever I was. I highly recommend B. B.B. to all dyspeptics. Mrs. John White, Austin Man.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

FIGS AND THISTLES.

If there is good in us, it will bring out good in others.

The man who would be wise must sit at the feet of those who are wise.

How many fathers and mothers make religion such a cruel thing that their children hate it.

One reason why the world gains knowledge so slowly is that every child must find out for itself that fire is hot.

Many a face we consider homely would be radiant with beauty if we could see it without looking through darkened windows.—Ram's Horn.

THE "BIG" FOUR.

A Quartette of Remedies that are Effecting Wonderful Cures.

Dr. Chase's four great remedies are: Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, Dr. Chase's Ointment, Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, his latest and greatest discovery for all throat and lung affections.

"I was sick for three years," says James Simpson, of Newcomb Mills. "I tried various alleged patent cures and several boxes of a certain pill which has been greatly cracked up. I got no relief. Then I tried Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. Since, I have been able to work every day and feel like a new man. Your pills alone cured me at a cost of 25c."

"I have been subject to severe colds every fall and spring," says Miss Hattie Delaney, of 174 Crawford street, Toronto. "I used many cough medicines, but none cured me until at a cost of 25 cents I tried Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine."

"My husband was troubled with the worst kind of piles," writes Mrs. Jane Potts, of Meyersburg. "He was often unable to work. Since using your Chase's Ointment he is completely cured. It is truly worth its weight in gold instead of the price you charge, only 60 cents."

"I bought a box of your Catarrh Cure for 25 cents at Mr. Boyle's drug store here," says Henry R. Nicholls of 176 Rectory street, London, Ont. "I am thankful to say it cured me."

Chase's remedies at all dealers. Edmanson, Bates & Co., manfrs., Toronto.

To banish indigestion in every form use Adams' Pepsir Tutti Frutti.

Don't be imposed upon with imitations. Save coupons inside of wrappers for latest books.

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FLAGS AND BUNTING

Decorations of any and every kind done in the most artistic manner by practical men and at the most reliable prices. Flags and Mottoes to rent. Carpet Covers or Dancing Linen to Rent. Folding Tables to Rent. A few Carnival Suits to Rent, at

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The Tent, Awning and Flag Makers, George St., Peterborough. Telephone 180 or 215.

FAT MAN—"Hello, there skinny! Have you given your Holiday Order for CALCUTT'S beefy Ale or Porter?"

SLIM MAN—"Yes, sir, I've thrown physic to the dogs, and started off on Calcutt's prescription. Going to fatten up for 1897, you bet."

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Money to lend upon favourable terms

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Overhauling The Heaps!

WHAT WE FIND WE ARE SHOVING OUT TO QUICK BUYERS.

We've the work of stock-taking on our hands. As we travel through the stock we come on a lot of goods of mighty fine value. Still we want to get rid of them. We've put them down for a sacrifice. We're going to burn them as the boys say.

SEE WHAT OUR SEARCH DISCLOSES:

137 Men's Overcoats of one line, all sizes and in all shades at..... **$2.45**

200 Men's Suits of one line, all sizes and patterns at..... **$4.90**

These are all extra good All Wool Scotch Tweed.

1 lot of Heavy Blue Serge, 70 Suits, only large sizes left, will sell for..... **$3.50**

500 Boys' Suits, 2 piece, sizes from 22 to 28, at **33c, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.60 each.**

50 doz. Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers at..... **25c.**

25 doz. Men's York stripe Underwear at... **35c.**

1000 pairs Men's Braces at..... **5c.**

Only 10 doz. of the famous Loch Lommond Flannel Top Shirts left, now selling for **49c.**

500 pairs German Felt Slippers **10c. to 40c**

400 pairs Ladies' Felt Boots, **25c. up.**

200 pairs Men's Overshoes, from **$1 up.**

Men's Alaska Overshoes, worth 99c, for.... **60c.**

Ladies' long Rubber Boots, per pair..... **99c.**

80 pairs Youth's and Boy's Long Boots.... **99c**

Remember the values are offered you and winter has fairly set it. They are sparkling fine value and don't you forget it.

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Valencia Oranges	Canned Delicacies
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New Lemons	Filberts, Almonds
Spanish Grapes	Fine Confectionery
Luscious Figs	Apples, Bananas
Tethaeme Dates	English Walnuts
Crosse & Blackwell's Specialties	
Cranberries	Sea Salmon, etc.
Celery	Finnan Haddies
Fresh Fish, etc.	Fowl

Xmas Oysters Select—cans or bulk.

The very Choicest Lines of
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All new—all fresh—just opened out.

Glad to see all old friends and many new ones!

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2,000 Tons Nut, Stove, Egg and Grate.
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WOOD.
4-foot Hardwood, dry. 2-foot Hardwood, dry.
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IN THE ROUGH AND DRESSED.
Shingles at prices from 30c. up.

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A FINE ASSORTED STOCK.
Doors, Sash and all kinds of House Finish.

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Cash System

We take pleasure in announcing to our friends and the public generally, that on and after February 1st next, we propose to conduct our business on the strictly CASH basis.

We have decided to adopt this plan, believing that it will be to the best interest of both buyer and seller, permitting us to furnish the very best quality of goods at the Lowest Prices possible.

The quotations which we are prepared to give are unprecedented, but quite consistent with High-Class CASH Tailoring.

We guarantee the very best quality of workmanship, and our ambition will never flag in maintaining that excellence which commands success,

Respectfully Yours,

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LOCAL NEWS.

See the Boys' Suits at Crafton & Co's, in sizes 22 to 28, at 98c, $1.25, $1.50.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, on Saturday, Jan. 30th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. Hours: 12 to 4. dw

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Without a License.

William Galbraith, for peddling tea without a license, was fined $10, and $3.05 costs, this morning by Magistrate Dumble. In default of payment of the fine he will spend a day in goal.

Approved Of.

No new article of food placed on the Canadian market has met the universal approval of the housekeeper as has Shredded Whole Wheat. It can be used for every meal of the day. MASON & Co., 429 and 431 George street. 2d17

After the Fire.

Messrs. Dean, Hoover and Morrow, and Mr. Smith, adjuster, are in town from Montreal and Toronto, looking after the interests of the fire insurance companies they represent in connection with the conflagration on the raceway on Tuesday night.

Tobacco Business Changed Hands.

Having purchased the tobacco business formerly carried on by Ed. B. Clegg, No. 215 George street, I have restocked the store with a full and well-selected assortment of choice cigars, tobaccoes, pipes and smoker's sundries, and solicit a share of public patronage. Prices low enough to suit all.—W. B. RICKEY. d

The Natural Science Association

will meet on Thursday evening, 21st inst., in the Collegiate Institute at eight o'clock. Rev. Mr. Symonds deals with "The Relation of Religion and Science," after which Mr. Sorsoleil, of the South Central staff, gives an illustrated essay on "Plant Life." He will have some very choice specimens. This is an open meeting to which all are invited. Bring your friends.

To Reduce the Force.

It is reported in military circles that it is the intention of the militia department to reduce the units of the permanent force to one-half their present strength, and that they will be made teaching institutions solely. It is said also that the number of district officers commanding will be reduced to four for the Dominion, and that the work formerly done by the latter will go to the inspectors of the different arms.

A Master Mechanic's Rights.

This morning Master Mechanic and Boss Carpenter Wright, of Calcutt's brewery, did what he thought not right. It appears that he laid down his lighted pipe, which he had been smoking, and not finding it right there considered everything as not being right, blamed one of his assistants for not leaving it right where he put it. The assistant declared right there and then that Mr. Wright was not right in stating right here. Mr. Wright, you went right to your overcoat, said he, and put it right in the right hand pocket. Go see if I am right. If I'm not right, Mr. Wright, I will treat right away. Mr. Wright went right away in order to make things right. Right there he found his coat in the right hand corner of the room, and on the floor right below found his pipe. The right side of Mr. Wright's overcoat was burnt right out, together with his right hand mit, and a right good bandanna. Mr. Wright states that 'tis not right to carry a lighted pipe right in one's pocket.—COM.

The Cinematographe.

The marvellous Cinematographe will open a week's engagement at Bradburn's Opera House to-night at 7.30 p.m., and will run continuously until 10.30 p.m. every evening, with matinees on Saturday and Wednesday at 2.30 p.m. until 5.30 p.m. Come when you like and remain as long as you feel disposed. Thirty-two select views will be shown. Admission to all parts of the theatre—adults 25c, children 10c. If you are in the theatre one hour before the hours of closing, you will see the entire programme. In speaking of this wonderful invention, the Toronto Globe says: "His Excellency the Governor-General visited the Cinematographe at 96 Yonge street last evening. He was so pleased with the entertainment that one scene—the Regent street quadrant—had to be twice repeated. His Excellency thinking he recognised one of the pedestrians, and wishing to satisfy himself. After the last scene the Governor-General had a chat with M. Mester, and expressed himself greatly pleased and astonished. His Excellency also invited Mr. Hill to give a private view about Christmas time at Rideau Hall. In consequence of the immense success achieved, the invention will remain at 96 Yonge street another week."

"FIRST BLOOD" FOR PETERBOROUGH.

A Neat Win in the First Junior O. H. A. Match—A Fine Fight, the First Half, Honours Even — The Second Half the Visitors did not Find the Posts—Score 8 to 3 in Favour of Peterborough.

"It was a hot game!" This was the opinion of the large number of spectators who witnessed the first match in the Junior Series of the O. H. A. at the rink last night, when Peterborough's III team and Norwood's II team crossed sticks for supremacy.

It was shortly after eight o'clock when Referee Crossley appeared on the ice. The teams which lined up before him were composed as follows:

Peterborough III.		*Norwood II.*
Wasson	goal	Beckett
Glover	point	Clancy
Borland	cover	Pearse
Grubbe	forwards	Cameron
King		Pettigrew
Watt		Pengelly
Rubidge		Persey
C Graham	umpire	N Stephenson

When the game started the play was very even and there was conclusive evidence that this hockey match was going to be a very exciting one. First the puck would be at one end and back it would be shot to the other. This was kept up for eight minutes when Watt and Rubidge by a nice combination play caused a goal to be scored for Peterborough. The next game was also a long one and was a splendid exhibition of hockey, King scoring for Peterborough in nine minutes. The next two games were much shorter and fell to the vistors for whom Pengelly and Pettigrew played a very fast game. The fifth and sixth games were scored by Peterborough and Norwood respectively, leaving the score three all when half-time was called by Time-keeper Ashe of Norwood.

When play was resumed it was seen that the local team were warmed up to their work and the score which was run up is ample evidence, although the game was not less fast than before, yet it would seem that a Peterborough man was always at the right place and at the right time and the home seven added five more goals to their score at the end of the regulation time, leaving the score for the match 8 to 3 in favour of Peterboroughs.

NOTES.

The off-sides last night were very numerous.

There were a few unavoidable accidents. Cameron got his skate broken on the first half and Petigrew got severely cut about the eye by coming in contact with a stick during a lift.

The date for the return match in Norwood has not yet been decided.

The visitors were entertained by the local boys at McCallum's restaurant.

Referee W. Crossley's decisions were very impartial and gave general satisfaction.

Messrs. Ashe and Code, of Norwood's first team, accompanied the visiting team.

The local defense was entirely composed of lacrosse boys, and their work in the second half was exceptionally fine.

WILL INVITE LAURIER.

To Open the Peterborough Central Exhibition Next Year.

At the close of the general meeting of the West Peterborough Agricultural Society yesterday afternoon a meeting of the directors was held, when it was unanimously resolved to invite Sir Wilfred Laurier to be present and open the exhibition next fall. Mr. Geo. E. Elliott, president, and Secretary Gross, were appointed as a committee to extend the invitation.

A discussion was held as to the advisability of endeavouring to secure the Breeders Fat Stock Association Fair for Peterborough on the first available opportunity and a committee was appointed to make application for the same.

The feasibility of inaugurating a spring horse fair of stallions was also discussed at length, and if the drill shed can be secured for the occasion the show will in all probability be held in April.

Messrs. Felix Brownscombe and J. Fred Davidson were appointed auditors.

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Complimentary Benefit Concert.

A complimentary concert will be given in the Opera House on Feb. 4th for the benefit of Mr. J. A. Rogers, who has long been suffering from paralysis and unable to follow his occupation. A good programme of music and elocution will be presented and as the object is a most worthy one, it is to be hoped that a very large audience will assemble in the Opera House on Feb. 4th. Further particulars hereafter. 3d15

THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY MEETS.

THE DIRECTORS' SATISFACTORY REPORT PRESENTED.

The Financial Statement—The Officers Elected for the Ensuing Year.

At the annual meeting of the West Peterborough Agricultural Society, which was held Wednesday afternoon in the town council chamber, the president, Mr. Geo. E. Elliott, took the chair, and others present were: W. J. Green, secretary; James Davidson, Dawson Kennedy, Ed. W. Elliott, John Garbutt, William Collins, Jos. Barnard, George Fitzgerald, R. Vance, W. Stewart, John Stothart, George McWilliams, W. C. Rightmeyer, Thomas Hall, Joseph Garbutt, John Stothart, T. M. Hunter, R. H. Braden, Herman Wilson, S. D. Rightmeyer and J. Southard.

DIRECTORS REPORT.

The report of the directors was submitted as follows:—

To the Members of the Peterborough Agricultural Society:

Gentlemen,—Your directors in presenting their annual report for the year 1896, take pleasure in congratulating themselves and you upon the success which attended the exhibition held in the interests of the society last season, notwithstanding the unfavourable conditions under which the exhibition was held, the weather being not at all agreeable for exhibition purposes. His Excellency the Governor-General, and Lady Aberdeen, who formally opened our exhibition, and who had an opportunity of witnessing a number of similar exhibitions throughout the country, took occasion to remark, after having examined our inside and outside exhibits, that it was the most successful exhibition which they had the pleasure of visiting during their sojourn in Canada, outside of the larger and more pretentious places. It is very gratifying to know that notwithstanding the large expense necessary to the holding of a successful exhibition, that the receipts are in excess of the expenditures, and had it not been for the unfavourable state of the weather, we have no doubt but we would have been able to show considerable of a surplus. The weather is one of the things we have to make allowances for, some years being favourable and other years not so satisfactory.

The receipts for membership tickets for last year were in excess of the year previous, while the Government grant was about $40 less, and the receipts from all sources for the uses of the exhibition also show an increase. The fact that your exhibition receives and pays about $3,250 annually in connection with the exhibition shows the large attendance, support and approval that it meets with by the public generally to enable them to continue and proceed from year to year with the satisfactory exhibitions that are continually being held in Peterborough.

It is to be regretted that the Exhibition does not receive the hearty support in some quarters that it was anticipated it would receive. The large sums of money that are spent in Peterborough from year to year in connection with the holding of this exhibition, warrant us in expecting from Peterborough a more hearty and generous support than we have received during the past two or three years.

We have to thank the town council and the county council and the Farmers' Institute for the generous support always received at their hands, but the citizens of Peterborough generally do not favour us with that patronage at the exhibition, which we feel we should receive from time to time to make our exhibition a successful one, both financially and otherwise.

The object the directors have in making the Peterborough Central Exhibition one of the foremost exhibitions in the province, is to show that surrounding our county town the farmers are as enterprising and progressive, and can produce as good cereals, grain and stock as can be produced in any other portion of the province, and in doing this, and in holding our exhibitions practically in Peterborough, we are, while advancing our own interests, giving advantages to Peterborough, which we fully anticipate in future they will appreciate and support.

The directors tender their warmest thanks to those who have in any way assisted them in their work, and to the judges they desire to convey their thanks for the time, care and attention given to the awarding of the prizes, and whose decisions have been more satisfactory than usual.

During the coming season it is to be hoped that even greater efforts will be put forward to make this year one of the most successful of the many successful exhibitions held, and we have no doubt that the directors whom you elect today will put forth every effort to keep Peterborough in advance in agricultural matters.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The report of the treasurer was submitted as appended:

Receipts.

Members tickets		$ 222 00
Government grant		439 00
Farmers' Inst.		40 00
County grant		100 00
" (spl) Lord Aberdeen		100 00
Town of Peterborough		100 00
" (spl)		100 00
Total receipts at exhibition		1,554 10
DONATIONS:		
Hotels	$ 65 00	
R A Morrow	10 00	
W W Hodgson	15 00	
	$	90 00
SPACE:		
Inside	$ 19 50	
Outside	119 00	
Stables	52 00	
		190 50
Advertisements		77 00
Horse race entries		70 00
Sundries		7 15
Accounts collectable		44 28
		$3,134 03

Expenditure.

Balance due last year	$	57 88
Prizes		1,170 00
Rent of ground		200 00
Lighting and fitting up ground		75 00
ATTRACTIONS:		
Band	$ 105 60	
T Dunn	10 00	
Dragoons	125 00	
Fireworks	25 00	
Racing	200 00	
High kickers	40 00	
	$	505 60
SALARIES:		
Secretary	100 00	
Assistant secretary	12 00	
Treasurer	20 00	
Superintendent	20 00	
		152 00
General expenses at fair		$546 75
Special expenses (entertaining Lord Aberdeen		300 00
Deducted from prizes for membership tickets for 1897		148 00
		$3,134 03

On motion of Messrs. Wm. Collins and W. H. Braden both reports were adopted.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—Geo. E. Elliott.
1st Vice-President—T. M. Hunter.
2nd Vice-President—Wm. Rutherford.
Directors — Dawson Kennedy, Robert Vance, James Davidson, John Stothart, R. H. Braden, Thomas Hall, Geo. Fitzgerald, A. P. Morgan, H. C. Winch.

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The At Home held by the members of Court Forest Queen, Canadian Order of Foresters, last night, proved to be one of the society as well as one of the social events of the season, the affair being attended with unqualified success.

The first part of the programme consisted in the public installation of the newly elected officers by Mr. F. J. Jameson, the district representative on the Supreme Executive. He was assisted by Mr. Wm. Galley, P.C.R., acting as Grand Marshall.

The officers who were conducted to the chairs for the term were:

W J Wattam	Past Chief Ranger
John Crane	Chief Ranger
John H Smith	Vice Chief Ranger
Alf Terrill	Rec Secretary
R A W Hay	Fin Secretary
James Best	Chaplain
W Pringle	Treasurer
D Menzies	S Woodward
Herbert Morphet	J Woodward
W Borland	S Beadle
B Belleghem	J Beadle
Physicians	Drs Eastwood and McCullough
Trustees	Dickson Davidson, R H Kells and A E Dixon

At the conclusion of the interesting ceremony, and after the various charges had been duly delivered, Mr. Jameson made a few remarks on Forestry in general and the benefits to be derived from membership in the order.

The following programme was then introduced, the newly installed Chief Ranger occupying the chair:

Instrumental solo	Miss Roger
Vocal solo	Mr Lount
Recitation	Miss Alma McCollum
Vocal solo	Mrs W A Sanderson
Recitation	Miss Alma McCollum
Instrumental solo	Miss Roger

That Miss Roger possesses a most delicate touch and that her technique is beyond criticism was evinced by the masterly manner in which she gave Moszkowski's waltz in "A," and also one of Schutt's. As a pianoforte soloist Miss Roger is certainly one of Peterborough's first artists. Mr. Lount's "Rory Darlin'" was well received, and though he has not been heard much in public recently, his fine baritone voice has lost none of its richness. Miss Alma McCollum's two recitations were greatly appreciated, additional interest being evidenced through the fact that the fair reciter was also the authoress. Miss McCollum's gestures are most graceful, and with her gift of expression her two numbers formed one of the most pleasing events of the evening.

Mrs. W. A. Sanderson, after an absence from the concert platform of almost a year, was warmly welcomed back last evening, and her excellent rendering of "Afterwards," showed that her voice had lost none of its attractiveness and power.

The guests were invited to partake of refreshments after the programme had been finished. There were served in the large room attached to the Foresters' fine suite of apartments. The tables were afterwards removed, and those so inclined indulged in dancing for several hours. Small tables were scattered around in the court room for cards and games, and those not wishing to dance enjoyed a pleasant evening through these other forms of amusement.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 1897.

AN OPEN LETTER.

To the President of Fortnightly Club and Debaters of Tuesday Evening's Topic.

GENTLEMEN,—Being somewhat in sympathy with the vanquished, I venture to put before you some thoughts that occurred to me during the course of last evening's debate. I must confess I was a little disappointed at the verdict.

The debate in itself was thoroughly enjoyable, the speakers knowing well the entertaining art of eloquence; but seeing that the subject touched upon such sacred ground, there was, as everyone must acknowledge, an undercurrent of downright seriousness.

The speakers were all men, who declared themselves willing, apart from denominational interest, to stand by a certain broad definition of religion as clearly laid down by one of themselves, yet so far as I could understand, the points advanced by the negative on this very platform were not met by the affirmative. Moreover, the negative made a declaration which was not contradicted, and, as I should have supposed, ought then to have been allowed weight and standing. I have never ventured upon public questions before, but I hope I may be able to express my ideas clearly to you.

The leader of the affirmative gave as his chief argument that the teaching of Christian religion was as much needed as history or arithmetic, that if scholars were taught the intricacies of these, why not also the history, the rise and progress of Christian religion? So far good; but the negative took exception to the scope thus given to religion, showing that religion was not a matter of history to be mapped, dated and blackboarded altogether, as common subjects; that the rise and progress of religion was the outcome of a peculiar spiritual conviction to each separate individual, a thing apart by its very spirituality, from anything else in the whole of humanity, and the furtherance of this point declared a law compelling this could not be enforced. That law could reach what a man did, or even what he said when in connection with the rights of his fellows, but that law could not, nor ever would, bind a man's mind or his soul by any government compulsion whatever—this point was not met by either affirmative or judge and, acknowledging that there is a limit to all things, even to law, I think the affirmative failed here.

All the speakers declared, tacitly or otherwise, that the basis and authority of Christian religion was derived directly from the Bible, yet in this the affirmative did not, to me, uphold their end of the plank. Writing to the Galatians Paul says, "If there had been a law which could have given life, verily, righteousness should have been by law."

Notwithstanding the broad declaration of the aims of religion the affirmative in reply said that to teach a religion was not to teach a belief!!! Does not every Christian teach "I believe?" If religion involves faith, how can it avoid, if being properly, taught, to teach belief?

There was a point upon which neither side touched. I will, however, give my brother in church fellowship, Mr. Sheriff Hall, the credit of having it amongst his "seventeen points" which he had no time to lay before us. If the negative had brought it forward I should have been even more heart and soul with them. It was this: The reverence due to sacred things. If it is a given maxim that a woman cannot and will not be compelled, it is also as true that the irreverence of children is proverbial. Reverence for holy things is in the histories of the Bible from beginning to end—it is the chief thing in the laws and sayings of the Almighty. To teach children is a laborious work. Teachers will tell you how weary they grow day after day with the control of children, the clothing of ideas to suit their intelligence, the beating into dull brains of things that are always slipping out again, the correction and orderly marshalling of child thoughts; and, say, why should that which was guarded by the Almighty with unspeakable awe, the pollution of which roused even the Saviour to anger, be made part and parcel of the daily burden of a teacher's routine. Children are irreverent; congregated together, full of life and mischief, they grow a thousand times worse. Religion to the uninitated is the dullest subject to comprehend. What influence could the ordinary head-weary teacher have to preserve the reverence of holy things?

One day in seven was sufficient for the rest from toils necessary for every day requirements—one day in seven was appointed to be kept holy—one day in seven kept absolutely holy now would be sufficient, it seems to me, for the accomplishing of a work that no law, no man, can force upon a country or a fellow, nor do I intend to say that six days should be entirely without religion. I take it that the Holy Spirit would not fail to see to the fermenting of the yeast thus set to work—"a little leaveneth; too much maketh bread unsetable."

If our spiritual masters and pastors, aye, and our daily teachers, were everyone of them fathers of sons and daughters, and exemplified by principle, practice and precept, to fathers, the religion of the Great Father; if their wives, being mothers, were as bright and shining lights to other mothers — then the father's bowed head—the mother's knee would be sufficient teacher and school, "prie-dieu," and sanctuary for all the children who endure public school hours in public public schools. And the God of the fatherless careth for the orphan.

Then there would be no party conflict over sacred things, there would be no jogging among our statesmen for a feasible plan to unite every man's special convictions into a comprehensive whole, to be incorporated by COMPULSION into children's minds. Neither would there be the tearing away by irreverent childhands of the sacred veil of reverence from the suffering of a Holy Son by a Father's will for the saving of human children.

The negative also made this point, that the teachings of the Bible as set forth by Christ were in no way mixed up with politics or government. Cæsar's to Cæsar, God's to God. "My ways are not your ways," saith the Lord. "Neither are your thoughts my thoughts." Give us responsible Christian mothers and fathers in our daily schools for our babes, our sons and daughters, and give every child the same chance to become a Christian by abolishing every sect from the schools of our land.

A MEMBER OF F. CLUB.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

The Lindsay Post in its notes on the carnival speaks as follows:—"Another very exciting contest developed last evening on Ice No. 4, at the curling rink, when Skip Ray, of Peterborough, met that wary and experienced veteran, Mr. James Keith. The game aroused intense interest, and at the last end was a tie. Skip Keith was left a very difficult shot, guards having been placed by the Peterborough men, and was unable to dislodge the winner, so Ray won.

"The Winnipeg rink, skipped by Dr. Jamieson, met and defeated a rink of Peterborough curlers, skipped by R. S. Davidson, by a very handsome score. The Winnipeg men wear red coats, and present a very striking appearance on the ice—and off it also, if we be allowed to hint at little confidences between members of the fair sex accidentally overheard by our reporter.

A REPLY TO VETERAN.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—I do not like the word "notorious" as applied by your correspondent "Veteran" in last night's edition of your valuable paper. In fact I do not think it is used grammatically. If he had used the word "spleen" and applied it to himself it would have been more to the point. The rancorous manner in which he expressed himself is only exceeded by its rankness.

I deprecate the use of the printing press, or any other press, in making public such diatribes.

I understand that a ladies' curling club is being formed in Peterborough, which will challenge the Thistles for second place, and I trust that when the event is played off we shall see none of this bitter spirit displayed in the public press.

I would recommend "Veteran" to appear at the coming carnival as a curler, when no doubt he will divide the honours with the organ grinder and the ubiquitous negro.

Yours,
GOBBLE-GOBBLE.

Jan. 21st.

ANOTHER REPLY TO "VETERAN."

To the Sporting Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—A "Veteran" finds fault with the Granites for playing one man in a large number of the games for the Innes Medal and the Kendry Cup. In the first place "Veteran" must know that the draws for those competitions were made by the two secretaries two weeks or more before the games were played, and without consulting any one. In consequence certain players were unable to play on the nights allotted to them—players from both clubs. The rules agreed on allowed one substitute, if necessary, and both clubs availed themselves of the privilege. Let my friend "Veteran" look over the scores of the Innes Medal contest, and he will see that one player of each club played in three matches—and the man from the Granites at whom he is hinting lost two games out of the three. Besides he played second stone, not first, as "Veteran" says.

So "Veteran" seems to be away off—no man of the Granites played lead in more than one game; one man played second stone in three games, two of which his side lost. The gentleman who drew up the rules on behalf of the Thistle club, their secretary, also played in three games, so that "honours are easy. Before a "Veteran" makes any more assertions like "in fully four-fifths of the matches played we find the same names recurring again and again," he should put on his glasses and read the names again, for he is unfortunately mixing up scratch games with match games.

Yours,
A GRANITE.

HOCKEY.

The Executive of the O. H. A. appears to be making every effort to give it to Peterborough "in the neck"—to use a vulgarism. Since the first schedule was drawn changes have been made time and again, and every time to Peterborough's disadvantage. At first Queen's team was to come here to play off in the Senior series, now home and home matches have to be played, and the same change has been made in regard to the Junior series, as instead of the Frontenacs playing off the deciding game here home and home matches will be played. Such action on the part of the sub-committee of the Executive will eventually have the effect of freezing Peterborough out of the O.H.A. altogether and forming a Midland district league next year.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—A wages case against Corry & Laverdure, was enlarged until Monday in the Police Court this morning.

—The following civic committees are called to meet this evening—Finance, Street and Bridge, Sewerage, Fire, Water and Light and Market. Seven o'clock is the hour.

A lady in town is the proud possessor of 112 four-leaved clovers. She hardly ever walks on a lawn where clover is present without one of these talismanic vegetable freaks meeting her eye.

A meeting of the Riverside Park skating and hockey clubs has been called for Saturday evening next at 9.30 p. m., at their club rooms on the rink. All members and those desirous of becoming members should not fail to be present. This particularly requested that all hockeyists residing in Ashburnham will be present on this occasion. The membership at present is sufficient to form a 1st, 2nd and 3rd team. The election of officers takes place Saturday.

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MARK STREET SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNUAL MEETING.

The Superintendent Shows an Encouraging State of Affairs.

On Wednesday evening, Jan. 20, the annual business meeting of Mark street Methodist Sunday school was held, Rev. W. C. Beer presiding. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed, after which the superintendent, Mr. H. Fife, gave his report, which showed an encouraging state of affairs. There are 18 teachers and officers on the roll, and on eight Sundays all were present. Their average attendance for the year was 16. During the year the senior classes have greatly improved, and the infant class numbers about 25. The library, on which nearly $60 was spent this year, is in good condition.

The secretary, Mr. W. J. Paterson, then presented his report:—

Total on roll	143
Average	98
Number of verses recited	10,340
Receipts	$104 47
Expenses	104 65
Deficit	18

Though there is a slight deficit the school did as well, financially, as in the previous year.

The librarian being absent, the assistant librarian, Mr. C. Crowe, reported 252 books on hand, and that 2672 books were exchanged during the year.

The election of teachers and officers resulted as follows:

Superintendent—Mr. M. W. Matchett.
Asst. Superintendent—Mr. J. Herman Beer.
Secretary—Mr. W. J. Paterson.
Treasurer—Mrs. Wand.
Librarian—Mr. Ritchie.
Asst. Librarian—Mr. C. Crowe.

TEACHERS.

Class No. 1—Mr. W. B. Beer.
" 2—Miss A. Smith.
" 3—Miss E. Smith.
" 4—Mr. J. Herman Beer.
" 5—Miss S. Hamilton.
" 6—Miss L. Beer.
" 7—Miss A. Dawson.
" 8—Mr. J. A. Reid.
" 9—Miss M. Hamilton.
" 10—Miss E. Weir.
" 12—Miss M. Finnemore.
" 13—Mrs. Edwards.
" 14—Mr. W. Thoop.
" 15—Mr. J. Agnew.

The school meets every Sunday at 2.30, when all who come will be made welcome.

LANTERN LECTURE AT ST. LUKE'S.

The Reformation in England was the Subject Taken by Rev. R. Symonds

The entertainment in St. Luke's school house last night consisted of a lecture on "The Reformation in England" by Rev. H. Symonds, illustrated with lime-light views by Mr. R. M. Roy. The lecturer commenced with a short introductory sketch of the introduction of Christianity into Britain, its re introduction into England and its history down to the Reformation.

The main points touched upon were, the dissolution of the monasteries, the work of Bible translation, the growth of the Book of Common Prayer, the re-action with its evil accompaniment of persecution under Mary, for which, however, the baleful influence of the bigoted Philip of Spain was mainly responsible, concluding with the settlement under Elizabeth and the glorious struggle with Spain, which resulted in the destruction of the naval power of the latter, and laid the foundations of England's present naval supremacy.

Before commencing the lecture a few miscellaneous views were thrown on the canvas. Of these the most interesting was a coloured view executed by Mr. Roy from a photograph, representing a new church recently erected at Aomori in Japan, where Rev. J. Chappell, formerly assistant at St. Luke's, is labouring. The building is a commodious structure, built not on ecclesiastical but on Japanese lines. In the foreground is the congregation, with Bishop McKim and Mr. and Mrs. Chappell in the centre.

The views illustrative of the lecture, purchased for that purpose by Mr. Symonds, were declared by Mr. Roy to be the finest he ever saw. Special mention may be made of the views of Geneva, of Lady Jane Grey refusing the Crown, of Cranmer crossing the Traitor's Gate, of the Massacre of St. Bartholomew's and of a splendid series of the Spanish Armada.

Miss Nettie Bell, of Douro, a young lady of promising talent, gave a selection on the pianoforte, and the entertainment closed with the National Anthem.

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P.S.—We have made special arrangements to handle Goodersham & Worts' whiskey on draught.

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A prominent lady visiting Peterborough from New York City was so highly pleased with the photographic work she saw in Mr. Whiten's art studio that she made an appointment and had a dozen sent to her address, 170 Lexington Avenue, New York City. She writes Mr. Whiten: "Photos arrived all right; they are very, very good; I am much pleased with them." Three different persons recently on a visit here from Montreal also had a dozen each taken by Mr. Whiten and forwarded to their address in Montreal. The above speaks well for Peterborough and the high-class work turned out by Mr. Whiten. Entrance to studio, 158 Hunter street, opposite Oak Hall. d15tf

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 21,—6.30 a. m. ..... 25° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	27°	7°

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

Election of Officers and Committees.

At a special meeting of the Board held yesterday afternoon, the following officers and committees were appointed for 1897:

Pres.—Mrs. Brooks.
1st Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Stewart.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. A. L. Davis.
3rd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. (Dr.) Scott.
Rec.-Sec.—Miss Beck.
Treas.—Miss Davis.

Finance Committee—Mrs. A. L. Davis (convenor), Mrs. McGill, Miss Chamberlain, Miss Moore, Mrs. Dr. Burnham, Miss Nicols, Mrs. (Dr.) Bell, Mrs. (Dr.) Scott.

Reception Committee—Miss Hughes (convenor), Misses L. Pascoe, Campbell, Launderville, Sutton, Robinson and Stevenson.

Entertainment Committee—Miss Henderson, convenor, Misses Belleghem, L. Pascoe, Edmison, Perry, Foote, Courtney.

Invitation Committee—Miss Anderson, convenor, Misses A. Pascoe, Shearer, Sharp, Stewart, Lowry, Stevenson.

The regular monthly board meeting will be held on Monday, Jan. 25th, at 3.30 p.m. It is necessary that every member of the board be present at this meeting, as matters of great importance will be discussed. Don't forget the date, Monday next, 25th.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. T. Wright, secretary of the Ashburnham School Board, is ill at the Nicholls Hospital.

Mrs. A. H. Stratton and Master Wilfrid, have returned home after visiting friends in Belleville and Montreal for several weeks.

Miss Hicks, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. R. Stratton, Aylmer street, for the last few weeks, returned to Perth this morning after a pleasant visit.

Mr. A. Strowger, treasurer of the Cinematographe, which will be in Peterborough one week, beginning with to-night, gave the EXAMINER a call to-day. Nothing so life like as the scenes presented by the Cinematographe has ever been depicted before on canvas.

Miss May Overend has returned to Loretta Abbey, Toronto, after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Overend, Simcoe street. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Katie, who will take a special course in that institution.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

Burdock Pills, small, safe, and sure, regulate the liver and cure constipation.

The weather will be pleasant, a little colder to-morrow.

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Also, small Baskets for 20c, were 35c.

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January 19th, 1897. 3d15-1w

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For Gentlemen	3 00
For Girls	1 50
For Youths	2 00
For Boys	1 50

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Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

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being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 165 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

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The Only World's Fair Sarsaparilla.

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BREEDERS' REQUESTS.

Shorthorn and Horse Associations Interview the Government

Toronto, Jan. 20.

Some years ago the Prince of Wales gave an annuity of $50 (£10) to be devoted as a prize to encourage the interest in agriculture in the Province of Ontario. The $300 principal has, up till the present year, been in the hands of the Agricultural Association, but it has now been handed over to the custody of the Government, which, therefore, is called upon to give the prize. The latter has never been exclusively devoted to any particular branch of agriculture, and the shorthorn breeders think it should this year be given for short-horn cattle. A deputation accordingly put these facts before the Government yesterday, and asked that the prize be given to them this year. Other deputations of breeders making similar requests will probably follow.

The Horse Breeders' Association also sent a deputation to ask for a grant of $2000 for their annual spring show. They showed how the horse trade had suffered more than any other during the past five years through the introduction of bicycles, electric cars, etc., but claimed that the tide was now turning, and the price of a well-bred horse was steadily rising. They thought this tendency should be encouraged in every way by the Government, and therefore asked for a renewal of the $2000 grant in order to do so.

Prof. Andrew Smith and Messrs. Jas. Russell, Richmond Hill; Arthur Johnston, Greenwood, president of the Shorthorn Breeders' Association, and Mr. H. N. Crossley of Rosseau composed the combined deputation.

Mr. Robert Beith, M.P., of Bowmanville, who is prominent in the raising of prize cattle and horses, wrote regretting his inability to be present.

CURED OF SCIATICA.

Left Hip Affected—Suspected Kidney Kidney Trouble—Relieved and Perfectly Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 18 (Special)—Mr. H. Playter, is not a difficult man to find as everybody here knows that he is foreman at No. 1 Fire Hall. He was the picture of health when called upon by your correspondent and told his story thus:

"In April 1896 I suffered from a severe attack of Sciatica, affecting my left hip and the leg to the tip of my toes. I suspected it came from some form of kidney trouble and as they had been recommended I procured a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

At the end of the fourth day I was entirely relieved, but desiring a permanent cure I continued to use that and another box and am now cured cured and as well as ever in my life. A brother of mine living at Pine Orchard has been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

A GIRL BRIDE.

Married at 16 and Her Father is After Her Now to Take Her Home.

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 19.—William Quant of Columbus Township is in the city making enquiries as to how he can get possession of his daughter, Mary, now living at Petrolea, Ont., the wife of Lewis Whitehall. The couple were married several weeks ago, the girl's age being given as 18 when the marriage license was secured. The father wants the girl back home, claiming she is not yet 10 years of age. The groom had been working in the neighborhood of the girl's home, but after the marriage took her to his former home in Canada.

How many persons are ashamed to go into company on account of their foul-smelling breath, caused by catarrh or cold in the head? If they would study their own interests they would soon have sweet breath like their neighbors. There is one sure cure for Catarrh and that is Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. Give one blow through the blower and you get relief immediately. Price, including blower, 25 cents.

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A TERRIBLE SCANDAL

Developed in the Chimay Divorce Case in Belgium.

KING LEOPOLD SAID TO BE IN IT

The Prince Makes Twenty-Three Charges of Misconduct Against His Wife—Gypsy Rigo Said to Have Been the Favorite Paramour of the Beautiful Woman.

Charleroi, Jan. 19.—The action for divorce brought by Prince de Chimay against his wife opens to-day in camera. Maitre Allain of the Court of Appeals of Paris will defend the Princess. To a representative of the Associated Press he said: "The case will be a cause celebre, and the divorce of the century, principally because the mother takes the Prince's side, and because of the prominence in it of a king's name.

"The newspaper statements saying that the Princess' defence will be grounded on nervousness are untrue. The Princess is perfectly well in mind. She is willing to allow her husband the custody of their children, but insists on her right to visit them occasionally. It is equally untrue that the Princess has lost her fortune. She still has a good income."

When Maitre Allain was asked if the Princess loves Jancsi Rigo, her gypsy lover, the distinguished lawyer replied: "I am quite sure that she does not."

An Abominable Scandal.

London, Jan. 19.—The Brussels correspondent of the Central News telegraphs the following despatch purporting to be an account of what took place at the hearing of the Chimay divorce case, which began at Charleroi to-day. As the case is being tried in camera, the story is possibly inaccurate in detail, but is given out for publication: Prince Chimay's counsel brought to the cognizance of the court 23 facts, showing acts of adultery on the part of the Princess with several persons, but principally with Rigo, her present paramour, whose relations with the Princess were open and notorious in the neighborhood of Chimay, the place of residence of the Prince, in the Province of Hainault, and caused an abominable scandal.

Maitre Allien, counsel for the Princess, admitted the principal facts, but denied some of the details regarding the cynicism of the Princess, who, he said, had a good heart, but had been spoiled by bad education.

M. M. Bernateron urged the court to pronounce a decree of absolute divorce.

The court then adjourned for a fortnight and in the meantime the public prosecutor will decide the point raised by Bernateron.

Counsel for the Princess declared that she would leave to her husband the settlement of alimony.

KING LEOPOLD, A DANDY.

The King of the Belgians Became Entangled With Princess Chimay.

Cannes, Jan. 19.—The recent publication of the raid made by the police of Budapest on the apartments of the Princess de Chimay in that city and the discovery there of a bundle of letters said to have been written by a certain royal personage has caused a great sensation in European court circles.

It was openly asserted at the time that the royal author of these letters was Leopold, King of the Belgians. A correspondent to-day interviewed a high Belgian military official, who gave an interesting talk concerning certain adventures of the Princess de Chimay with royalty at Brussels.

"The Princess," he said, "was the object of the King's attentions from the very moment she arrived at Brussels. He requested a private interview, which took place at the palace of Laeken, near Brussels, and at which, according to the Princess's own account, the King approached her as the Sultan might approach an odalisque."

She told the story proudly everywhere. Other interviews took place subsequently at the same palace and always in the afternoon. It is asserted that the King at a garden party at Laeken openly neglected the guests and ladies of high rank, and even Ambassadors, in order to seek the Princess and have a long conversation with her.

At another garden party the Princess stood alone on one of the steps of the great staircase leading to the conservatories. She was the object of the looks of all. The guests, who stood there, gazed contemptuously at her.

The Princess was extremely embarrassed and did not know how to get out of the situation. An officer passed. She stopped him and asked him to give her his arm so that she might reach one of the less frequented sidewalks.

But such was the reprobation with which everyone regarded her in consequence of her conduct with the king that the officer refused, dryly remarking: "Madame, je ne suis pas de semaine," this being a military phrase signifying that as he was not on duty at the time he was able to refuse his arm.

All this is quite in keeping with old King Leopold's reputation.

The dyspeptic carries a dreadful load on his back. It seems as if he were really made up of two men. One of them ambitions, brainy and energetic; the other sick, listless, peevish and without force. The weak man weighs the other one down. The dyspeptic may be able to do pretty good work one day, and the next day because of some little indiscretion in eating, he may be able to do nothing at all. Most cases of dyspepsia start with constipation. Constipation is the cause of nine-tenths of all human sickness. Some of its symptoms are sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, foul breath, windy belchings, heartburn, pain and distress after eating. All these are indicative of derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels, and all are caused by constipation. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the quickest, easiest and most certain cure for this condition. They are not violent in action.

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ROSSEAU EXCITED.

An Old Man Died and Was Buried Without a Coffin—Strange Actions of His Son.

Rosseau, Ont., Jan. 19.—Jas. Cooney Blair, known as the Earl of Sunny Brook, near here, died on Sunday, and it is said was buried by his son four hours after death without a coffin. The body was found with only about a foot of earth over it. The son was in Rosseau asking among friends about money, saying his father had left some somewhere. The case has caused considerable excitement at Rosseau, and an inquest will probably be held to ascertain the cause of death.

BENNETT RUNS AGAIN.

The East Simcoe Conservative Convention Nominated Him Without a Dissenting Voice.

Orillia, Jan. 19.—The East Simcoe Conservative convention met here to-day and, without a dissenting voice, nominated W. H. Bennett to carry the standard in the coming bye-election.

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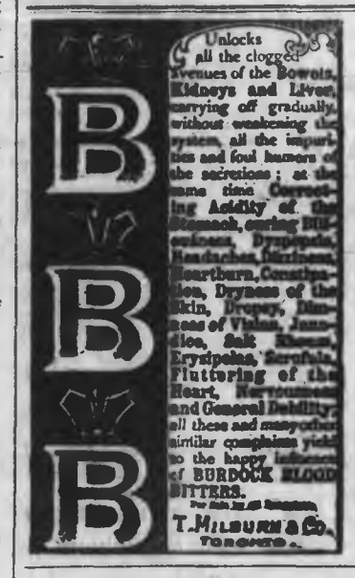
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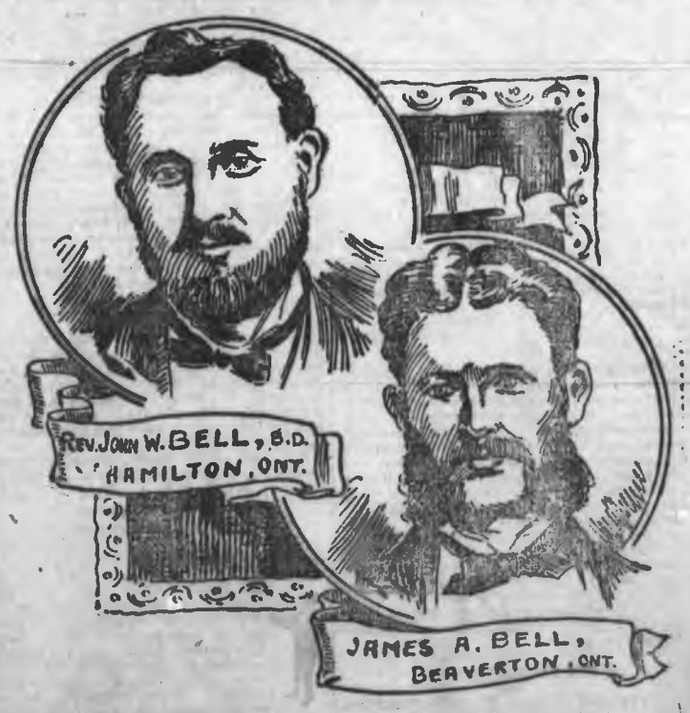

James A. Bell, of Beaverton, Ont., brother of the Rev. John Wesley Bell, B.D., prostrated by nervous headaches A victim of the trouble for several years.

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In their own particular field few men are beter known than the Rev. John Wesley Bell, B.D., and his brother Mr. James A. Bell. The former will be recognized by his thousands of friends all over the country as the popular and able missionary superintendent of the Royal Templars of Temperance. Among the 20,000 members of this order in Ontario his counsel is sought on all sorts of occasions. On the public platform he is one of the streng men of the day, battling against the evils of intemperance. Equally well known is Mr. Bell in other provinces of the Dominion, having been for years a member of the Manitoba Methodist Conference and part of this time was stationed in Winnipeg. His brother, Mr. James A. Bell, is a highly respected resident of Beaverton, where his influence, though perhaps more circumscribed than that of his eminent brother, is none the less effective and productive of good. Of recent years, however, the working ability of Mr. James A. Bell has been sadly marred by severe attacks of nervous headache, accompanied by indigestion. Who can do fit work when this trouble takes hold of them and especially when it becomes chronic, as was, seemingly, the case with Mr. Bell? The trouble reached such intensity that last June he was completely prostrated. In this condition a friend recommended South American Nervine. Ready to try anything and everything, though he thought he had covered the list of proprietary medicines, he secured a bottle of this great discovery. A second bottle of the medicine was taken and the work was done. Employing his own language: "Two bottles of South American Nervine immediately relieved my headaches and have built up my system in a wonderful manner." Let us not deprecate the good our clergymen and social reformers are doing in the world, but how ill-fitted they would be for their work were it not the relief that South American Nervine brings to them when physical ills overtake them, and when the system, as a result of hard, earnest and continuous work, breaks down. Nervine treats the system as the wise reformer treats the evils he is battling against. It strikes at the root of the trouble. All disease comes from disorganization of the nerve centers. This is a scientific fact. Nervine at once works on these nerve centers; gives to them health and vigor; and then there courses through the system strong, healthy, life-maintaining blood, and nervous troubles of every variety are things of the past.

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License Inspector West Peterborough

You sometimes hear men telling with foolish conceit of how hard they overwork and that they neglect their health in the pursuit of money. There are thousands of men who admit these things with a sort of pride, and slap themselves on the chest and laugh at the idea they will some-day regret their recklessness and neglect. They laugh at Death, but in a short while, a very short while, the laugh is on the other side. Death waits while they laugh. He who laughs last, laughs best, and in due time Death dances on the prostrate body of the laugher. There are many funny things in this world but death is not one of them. Neither is ill-health for it is one of Death's weapons and the most effective.

When a hard-working man feels out of sorts, and has a poor appetite, and doesn't sleep well, and goes to work in the morning tired-out and heavy headed, he should take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the best health-bringer and health-keeper known. It corrects all disorders of the digestion, invigorates the liver, restores the appetite and keeps it hearty and keen. It drives impurities from the blood and disease-germs from the body. It builds healthy flesh, firm muscles, steady nerves and active brain cells. It brings restful sleep and restores ambition. It cures nervous irritation, nervous exhaustion and nervous prostration. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption. It is the discovery of an eminent and skilful specialist, Dr. R. V. Pierce, now and for thirty years past, chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

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RUN BY SUN'S RAYS.

A PRACTICAL SOLAR ENGINE TO WORK THE WORLD'S MACHINERY.

A Chicago Inventor Claims to Have One That Can Be Run Without the Aid of Coal, Oil or Any Other Kind of Expensive Fuel.

If the hopes of Louis Gathemann, a Chicago inventor, are realized, the heat of the sun's rays, furnished free of cost, will run the machinery of the world a few years hence, says the Chicago Chronicle. The solar engine, as Gathemann calls his invention, is to displace coal, oil and other expensive fuels now in use.

Louis Gathemann believes that he can make old Sol his prisoner and force the sun to the work hitherto assigned to weaker agents. The sun, he says, will do the work better, quicker and infinitely cheaper than coal, gas and oil. By the use of his solar engine he proposes to collect the rays of the sun in huge lenses and focus these upon boilers filled with water. The heat of the sunlight, which averages 100 degrees through the entire year, and rises to 150 degrees in the summer, will, it is said, be concentrated to 800 degrees Fahrenheit. This temperature is sufficient to convert the water in the boiler into steam almost instantly. The steam is then to be conducted by pipes to an engine of the ordinary type, where a dynamo may convert the steam power into electricity and conduct it to distant places.

The electricity may also be stored away for future use, or the steam power may be utilized on the spot. A single solar motor is to contain a sectional lens of not more than 500 square feet, being 50 feet long and 10 feet wide, with a curvature of one-eighth of a circle. As Mr. Gathemann figures it, such a machine would cost about $1500 and could furnish the year round at a mean solar temperature of 100 degrees a constant force equal to seven horse power. By covering an acre of ground in the outskirts of a city with these machines, Gathemann believes that he could get a constant equivalent of not less than 600 horse power. He estimates the cost of a plant like this at $20,000 to $30,000, which is about twice as much as a steam boiler with 600 horse power would cost.

"The advantage of the solar engine," said Mr. Gathemann, "lies in the reduced running expense. To obtain 600 horse power from an ordinary engine coal to the value of $900 a month is required. This does not include oil, repairs and other current outlays. With the solar engine the expenses are almost nil. The sun does not charge us for the use of its rays. The water may be obtained from an artesian well especially drilled for the purpose. The expenses of supervision would also be greatly reduced with the use of the solar engine.

"I am not the first man to experiment with a solar motor. A Frenchman recently made some experiments in this direction, and John Ericsson, of Monitor fame, built and operated a solar engine. I believe it worked successfully, though it did not present sufficient advantages over the systems in use to bring about a change. When Captain Ericsson died his project was neglected. The engine was built on the plan of a concave glass, with the boiler suspended within the curvature. The trouble was that the entire surface was exposed to the air, so that a large part of the heat was allowed to escape, and furthermore, the boiler by being above the glass threw a shade over the reflector."

Mr. Gathemann is an old settler, and is well known in Chicago, especially among the Germans. He has won considerable reputation on certain inventions in milling machinery which have netted him a small fortune. He is the inventor of the sectional lens telescope, for which he claims a great future, and has invented a submarine gunboat with many new devices, some of which were accepted by the German Government.

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Young Hopeful—"Father, it worries me such a lot to think how much trouble I give mamma."

Father—"She hasn't complained."

"No; she's very patient. But she often sends me to the shops for things, and the shops are a good ways off sometimes, and I know she gets tired waitin' when she's in a hurry."

"Not often, I think."

"Oh, she's most always in a hurry, She gets everything ready for cake, and at the last minute finds she hasn't any flour; or she starts on a pudding and finds she hasn't any suet or something; an' then she's in an awful trouble 'cause the oven is all ready, and maybe company coming, and I can't run a very long distance, you know, and I feel awful sorry for poor mother."

"Humph! Well, what can we do about it?"

"I was thinking you might get me a bicycle."

The folly of prejudice is frequently shown by people who prefer to suffer for years rather than try an advertised remedy, The millions who have no such notions, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla for blood-diseases, and are cured. So much for common sense.

Artistic Furnishings.

China globes, spherical in shape, and in plain colors, Delft, Dresden or Japanese decoration are very much newer than the umbrella shades of silk, and all the latest ones bought are of this kind. The downfall of the silk ones was probably because they were so expensive and soiled so quickly.

A new idea, producing a very handsome effect in mantel decoration, is to have it of peacock feathers. One feather after another is sewed alternately high and low upon a piece of silk, close enough together to hide the foundation, and the upper edge is finished by a lapped border of single feathers run around it.

There is a great fad at the present time for having a border of plates in the dining-room, and a plate rack is a necessity of the modern dining hall. Old blue and white ones are considered especially desirable.

If your wicker chair becomes soiled have it painted in white enamel touched with gilt and well cushioned in blue and white cretonne, and it will be dainty enough for the Queen.

The newest centre pieces and doilies are round, with a hem about an inch wide turned onto the right side. The scallop is worked at the edge of this holding it in place. A new pattern of pine needles in greens and browns has caught popular favor.

Insight.

"When two women quarrel I can always tell which is to blame."

"How do you do it?"

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The impurities in the blood which cause scrofulous eruptions are thoroughly eradicated by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Try it.

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—Business is very quiet and the market easier. Straight rollers can be bought at $3.85, middle freights.

Bran—Trade dull, with bran quoted outside west at $7 to $7.50 and shorts at $9.

Wheat—The market is dull and easy. Red and white sold outside at 80c, and No. 1 Manitoba hard at 89c, Midland. No. 1 is quoted at 78c, Fort William, and at 98c Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—Trade is dull and featureless. Cars are quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is steady. No. 1 quoted at 34c to 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and No. 3 at 23c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are easy. White sold at 19c west, and mixed at 18c to 18½c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady. Sales at 40c west, high freights.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 22c to 22½c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 34c to 35c outside.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

There was a very good market at the Western yards to-day. Receipts were 53 car loads. The demand for export cattle was fair, and they sold at 3¾c to 4c per lb., the latter for choice stock. Bulls for export 3c to 3½c. Butchers' cattle firm at unchanged prices; the best sold at 3c to 3¼c per lb. The bulk of the offerings was of medium and inferior qualities, which sold at 2c to 2¾c per lb. Milch cows sell at $25 to $35 each, and calves at $4 to $7 each.

Sheep and lambs in moderate supply and prices steady. Choice sheep sold at 3c to 3¼c per lb., and butchers' at 2½c to 2¾c. Lambs are firm, there being sales at 4c to 4½c per lb., according to quality.

Hogs are firm, with receipts of 1000 head. The best sold at 4¼c to 4½c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c, lightweights at 4c, sows at 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 19.—Spring wheat, 6s 11d to 7s 0d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1½d to 7s 3d; corn, 2s 9½d; peas, 4s 6½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 6d; do., light, 28s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow, 18s; cheese, white and colored, 55s 0d.

London—Opening—Wheat on passage quiet for white and easy for red. English country markets quiet. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady; futures steady at 6s 9¼d for Feb., 6s 10d for March, 6s 10¾d for April, and 6s 8¾d for July. Maize quiet at 2s 9d for Jan. and Feb., 2s 9¼d for March, 2s 9⅝d for May, and 2s 10¼d for July. Flour 24s.

Paris—Wheat 23f 10c for Feb. Flour 48f 60c for Feb.

London—Close—Wheat on passage dull. Maize on passage quiet.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 23f 10c for Feb. Flour quiet at 48f 50c for Feb.

Liverpool—(Close—Wheat 6s 9d for Feb., 6s 9¼d for March, 6s 9¾d for April, and 6s 8¼d for July. Maize 2s 9d for Feb., 2s 9¼d for March, 2s 9½ for April, and 2s 10¼d for July. Flour 24s.

PERT PERSONALS.

Herrmann is dead, but Mark Hanna still lives to perform cabinet tricks.—Salt Lake Herald.

John Lawrence Sullivan has grown side whiskers. How have the mighty fallen!—Boston Traveller.

From the frequency of his gunning trips Grover may well be termed one of our shooting stars.—Philadelphia North American.

It is said that Tom Watson is writing a history of France. It is a good thing for Arthur Sewall that he is not a Frenchman.—Florida Times-Union.

James J. Corbett, it is reported, is rehearsing a new farce comedy. The name of the other combatant will be announced later.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Harry Lockwood of Newark, O., has been arrested for trying to blow up his mother-in-law with dynamite. Mr. Lockwood shouldn't take so seriously what the funny papers say about the mother-in-law.—Chicago Times-Herald.

FOUND A JEWEL.

An Important Find by a Brockville Jeweller.

Mr. Joseph Lane, the well-known jeweller of Brockville, says: "For some years I have suffered with severe pains in my back and sides and flashes of heat between my shoulders. I had a tired, wornout feeling. "The numerous medicines that I took gave me very little relief. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills I thought I would try a box, and got one at Curry's drugstore. "After the first two or three doses I felt much relieved, and the longer I took them the greater the change for the better in my condition. I am much better in every respect and recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to all sufferers from kidney trouble as the best remedy I know of."

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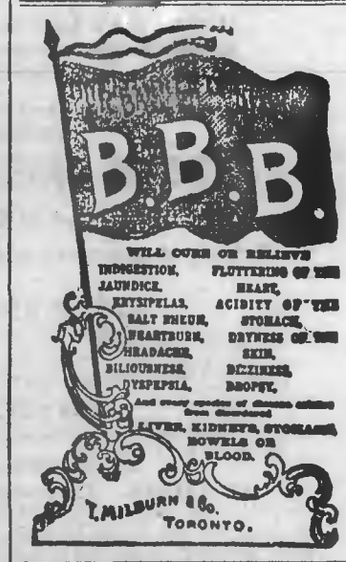

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3 Grey Lamb Jackets	worth $50.00, to be sold for	35 00
3 Grey Lamb Jackets	worth $60.00, to be sold for	43 00
3 Men's Coon Coats	worth $20.00, to be sold for	12 50
12 Men's Coon Coats	worth $30.00, to be sold for	20 00
3 Men's Coon Coats	worth $35.00, to be sold for	25 00
20 Men's Coon Coats	worth $45.00, to be sold for	$33 00
10 Men's Coon Coats	worth $47.50, to be sold for	35 00
2 Men's Dog Coats	worth $16.00, to be sold for	10 00
6 Men's Matassina Buffalo Coats	worth $35.00, to be sold for	22 50
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Ladies' Gauntlets	starting at	1 00
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NORWOOD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Carnival Friday night.

18° below zero Monday night.

The Campbellford Colts v. Norwood Colts curling match on Monday resulted in favour of Campbellford rinks by a large score.

Hockey match, Peterborough Intermediates v. Norwood, resulted in 7 all when time was called. On playing off Peterborough scored the winning goal.

Our telephone system has been thoroughly overhauled and is now in good working order.

The report of selection of trustee for High School by the Asphodel council was slightly out of order in last week's correspondence, as no motion came before the board re appointment except to lay it over until next meeting of council.

Father O'Leary, an old student of Norwood High School, and Father Phelan were in town on Tuesday renewing old acquaintances and visiting the schools.

Mr. Robert Wilson has moved his harness-making establishment from Peterborough street around to the Williams block, Colborne street.

Mr. Hugh Robb has disposed of his house and lot at the north end to Mr. Gardiner of Dummer, and will move to his farm. Mr. Robb is now acting as freight agent at the station, relieving Jas. McLauchlin, who is taking a weeks' recreation.

Miss Murdock and Miss Morrison of the "Arcade" staff, are taking a month's vacation visiting at Strathroy and vicinity.

Jos. Pengelly has secured a position on the carpenter work of the Trent Valley Canal improvement at Hastings.

The Misses Barr, of Nebraska, U. S., are visiting this week at Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Robb's.

Mr. Grant, student of Queen's College, Kingston, who has been officiating at Havelock Presbyterian church for the past few weeks, preached in the Presbyterian church here Sunday evening, in the absence of Rev. J. F. Somerville, who was moderating a call at Havelock on that evening.

Miss Rotherford, of Peterborough, is the guest of her brother, Mr. Wm. Rutherford, druggist, this week.

S. Clark, D.D.S., of Millbrook, is in town on a visit.

Mr. F. Stellman, Campbellford, occupied the Methodist church pulpit here Sunday in the pastor's absence.

Miss Nelson, of Norwood, has accepted a position in Norwood.

Miss Fowler, of Cobourg, is visiting relatives here.

Reeve Buck was in Toronto Tuesday on a business trip.

Robt. Baker received a severe cut while chopping near the village on Wednesday last.

Chief Organizer Bell, of Kingston installed the officers of C.O.F. on Tuesday evening.

T. Blezard, M.P.P., was in town Friday.

Mr. A. R. Anderson is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Miss Anderson, of Warsaw, is visiting her brother, Fred Anderson.

Mrs. A. Mahaffy, of Milton, left for home Saturday after visiting her sister, Miss Cameron.

Miss Murphy, organist at the R. C. church, Hastings, was in town this week visiting friends.

Miss M. Anderson, of Whitby, is visiting at J. McMillan's this week.

Dr. Jebb, of Havelock, was in town on Friday.

Mr. John Montgomery received his first check of $72, as pension, last week, which is the amount allotted to him annually for services rendered during the American war of 1868.

Another wedding took place this week, the contracting parties being Miss Mina Davidson, of Keene, eldest daughter of A. Davidson, town, and Alex. Andersen, of Keene. We wish the happy couple many joys and happiness through life. Miss Davidson was a member of the Presbyterian choir and will be missed very much.

Annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church will be held on the 28th inst.

Death has claimed two victims this week. Mr. John Puffer passed away on Saturday morning in his 68th year. The funeral took place on Monday. On Monday morning Mr. Edward Patterson, of Asphodel, lost his 12-year-old daughter, who died very suddenly. Funeral took place on Wednesday. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved friends.

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World's Fair Medals.

The Department of Agriculture has just had mounted in a very neat and appropriate frame the eighteen medals awarded at the World's Fair in Chicago to the Province for its exhibits in horticulture and agriculture. It is claimed that no other Province or State in the world can boast of such a record, as, in addition to the medals, the province has also received nineteen diplomas in the same classes. These diplomas and medals, which when arranged will make a very handsome picture, are to be hung in a conspicuous place in one of the main corridors of the Parliament Buildings.

A Sale of Local Importance.

When the clear-the-table time comes around at the Peterborough Bookstore, business takes on a fresh start and fresh interest of local importance springs up. The business that is too regular gets into ruts. The annonncement of stock-taking at Stratton's Bookstore does not mean that any waste time is going on. On the contrary, inventory time is the time when the nimble sixpence doctrine is pushed to its utmost extremity, and quick sales are the symbols of this business. Goods are now being snapped up at the reduced prices that hung fire before January, and genuine bargains lighten the labours of stock-taking. See advertisement. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

LINDSAY BONSPIEL.

The Curlers Still Pegging Away With Vim on Good Ice.

Lindsay, Jan. 20.—The curlers are still pegging away with great vim and unflagging enthusiasm. The weather has moderated somewhat, and thus greatly improved the ice. Some very interesting and stubbornly-contested games were played last evening in the single-rink competition. The interest of the spectators centred principally in the contest between the rinks skipped by Rev. J. W. McMillan, Lindsay, and Sheriff Paxton of Whitby. Also a very exciting contest developed last evening on Ice No. 4, at the Curling Rink, when Skip Ray of Peterboro' met that wary and experienced veteran, Mr. James Keith. The game aroused intense interest, and at the last end was a tie; Skip Keith was left a very difficult shot, guards having been well placed by the Peterboro' men, and was unable to dislodge the winner. The Winnipeg rink, skipped by Dr. Jamieson, met and defeated a rink of Peterboro' curlers, skipped by R. S. Davidson, by a very handsome score. Below are the results of the games played morning and afternoon:

Millbrook—Needler, skip, 16. Oshawa—Dingle, skip, 9.

Bobcaygeon—Read, skip, 16. Lindsay—Storer, jr., skip, 12.

Hamilton—Dr. Russell, skip, 23. Bobcaygeon—Godley, skip, 7.

Hamilton—Goodall, skip, 14. Lindsay—Foster, skip, 15.

Toronto—McMurtry, skip, 19. Lindsay—Edwards, skip, 15.

Peterboro'—Davidson, skip, 8. Winnipeg—Dr. Jamieson, skip, 17.

Lindsay—McSweyn, jr., skip, 15. Keene—Kenealey, skip, 17.

Peterboro'—Game not played; Orillia defaulted.

Lindsay—Simpson, skip, 20. Lindsay—Knowlson, skip, 12.

Lindsay—Flavelle, skip, 17. Orillia—Mayne, skip, 11.

Parkdale—Clemes, skip, 20. Bobcaygeon—Bottum, skip, 11.

Peterboro'—Rutherford, skip, 15. Lindsay—McLennan, skip, 10.

Lakefield—Strickland, skip, 16. Lindsay—MacMillan, skip, 7.

Lakefield—Strickland, skip, 12. Millbrook—Vance, skip, 11.

Lindsay—Flavelle, skip, 21. Parkdale—Clemes, skip, 13.

Oshawa—Sykes, skip, 18. Whitby—Wells, skip, 11.

Bobcaygeon—Read, skip, 14. Hamilton—Dr. Russell, skip, 15.

Peterboro'—Kells, skip, 13. Lindsay—Simpson, skip, 17.

Winnipeg—Jamieson, skip, 15. Keene, Kenealey, skip, 14.

Toronto—McMurtry, skip, 18. Lindsay—McSweyn, jr., skip, 10.

Lindsay—Ferguson, skip, 17. Peterboro'—Ray, skip, 15.

PETERBOROUGH MARKETS.

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PETERBOROUGH, Jan. 20 h, 1897.

Grain not moving to any extent, prices without any material change. Spring wheat 75c, fall 80c standard, peas 42 to 43c, mummy peas 45 to 47c, oats 19c, barley 22 to 26c, rye 35 to 36c, buckwheat 26 to 27c. On the market—Butter plentiful, 15 to 17c, eggs 16 to 18c, turkeys 60c to $1, geese 60 to 75c, chickens 35 to 50c, lamb 5 to 6c, apples 10 to 90c, potatoes 50c, dressed hogs 4 to 4½c. No other changes.

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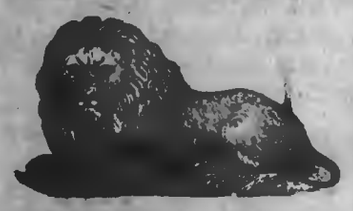
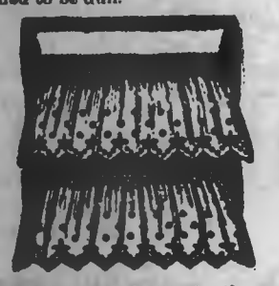


WHITE GOODS SENSATION!

The men are puzzled to know how it is that so many ladies are flocking to the Golden Lion buying Whitewear in January! The remark has been heard that the very thought of it sends a cold chill down his back, but there's a-something about it lady shoppers understand. We have made it worth their while to buy Whitewear here just now—even if it is midwinter! Big stores like ours have to be on the alert to make business interesting, and these special buying chances in January stimulate trade when it is inclined to be dull.



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Ottawa, Jan. 21.—(Special.)—The other day it was denied that Senator Cox and Mr. Robert Jaffray of Toronto had secured the British Columbia Southern Railway charter. In British Columbia, however, the report is firmly believed. The Vancouver World says that Colonel Baker, a member of the Provincial Government, and one of the chief owners of the British Columbia Southern Railway, realized some time ago the hopelessness of attempting to build the line unless heavily subsidized by the Federal Government, or taken over by the Canadian Pacific as part of its system. He realized, too, the fact that a land grant alone would not enable the company to make such financial arrangements as would ensure the completion of the road, and surrendered to others whatever right or interest he had acquired in the enterprise. The syndicate embraces prominent capitalists in Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa. Hon. Mr. Cox, The Vancouver World says, "is familiar with railway matters, he having been for a number of years president of the Midland Railway of Canada. He is known to be an energetic business man, and realizing the importance to Canada of the completion of the line from Lethbridge by way of Fort McLeod into the Kootenay, a project in which the Government of the Dominion is equally interested, it is not likely the negotiations looking to an early start being made on the undertaking will either be wearisome or protracted. Senator Cox will command the ear of the administration in this matter. There is, therefore, every reason for hoping that during the forthcoming session of Parliament such legislation will be enacted as will ensure an early start being made, and the speedy completion of an all-rail route from the east."

Mr. Edouard Richard, formerly Liberal M. P. for Megantic, and who has lately distinguished himself in the world of letters by the publication of "Missing Links in the History of Acadia," proceeds to Paris, where he will resume work among the archives of the Ministry of Marine. He takes the place formerly occupied by the late Joseph Marmette, the historical novelist. Mr. Richard has lately been elected a fellow of the Royal Society, and has received the honorary degree of Doctor of Letters from Laval University. No better appointment could have been made. On Mr. Richard's return to Canada it is reported he will take over the duties of Clerk of the Senate, in succession to Mr. Langevin, who will be retired.

Mayor Bingham to-day received a letter from Mr. Charles Magee, president of the Bank of Ottawa, stating that at a meeting of the directors of the bank to-day $500 had been subscribed towards the India relief fund. Mr. Magee enclosed a cheque for the amount, also $200 additional from the individual directors present at the meeting. The Mayor has been requested, as hon. treasurer of the fund, to forward these amounts, together with additional subscriptions, to the Lord Mayor's fund in London, Eng. His Worship chipped in $100 as his contribution. The Bank of Ottawa has agreed to transmit without any charge any amounts that may be subscribed.

F. B. McNamee, the well-known contractor, was in the city to-day on business with the Minister of Railways and Canals. It is said there is every probability of extensive repairs being made to the Welland Canal next summer. There is what is known as the "deep cut" between Welland town and Thorold town. Here the earth that was taken from the canal was banked up on either side. The past two seasons the weight of the earth has been so great that it has been with difficulty that sufficient water has been kept in the bed of the canal to prevent a cave-in of the banks. Repairs must of necessity be made in this particular locality at an early date. Mr. McNamee will urge the reopening of the dry dock in Port Robinson. It is admittedly the best location in Canada for a large dry dock. The people of Welland County have for years been urging its repair, but without effect.

At the Carleton County Assizes to-day Dr. Henderson of this city was awarded a verdict of $1,380 in his action against the Canada Atlantic Railway for injuries received by being struck by a locomotive when crossing the railway track on Elgin-street some months ago. All the questions submitted for their consideration by His Lordship were answered in Henderson's favor. The jury found that the bell of the engine was not rung continuously as it approached the crossing, and that this had the effect of causing the coachman to drive nearer the tracks than he would have done, and contributed to the accident. The jury also came to the conclusion that the engine was going faster than six miles an hour, and did not believe that the flagman raised the flag in warning to an approaching vehicle. The noise of the train, in the jury's opinion, frightened the horses and caused the accident. In consideration of all this, the jury awarded $380 damages for the horse and carriage, $600 damages for injuries sustained by the mental shock and $400 damages for physical shock, a total of $1380. His Lordship reserved judgment, as the points of law bearing on the questions answered by the jury are to be argued at Toronto.

At a meeting of the creditors of the estate of W. H. Walker, held in Hull to-day, Mr. F. H. Birks of Hull was appointed curator, and Messrs. the Hon. R. W. Scott, Senator Clemow and H. C. Hammond of Toronto were made inspectors of the estate. The assets consist mainly of the immovable property in Buckingham, all of which are under seizure at the suit of the mortgage creditors.

Either Minister Dobell has again been putting his foot in it, or cables misrepresent him. Mr. Davies takes the more charitable view and discredits the statement cabled from England to the effect that the Hon. Mr. Dobell agreed with Mr. Goschen, First Lord of the Admiralty, that the Hudson's Bay route was impracticable for steamers.

The Minister of Marine and Fisheries is in receipt of a communication, under date of Jan. 19, from Judge King, the Canadian arbitrator in the Bearing Sea claims, in which he says: "We are beginning to see the end, as far as taking evidence in Victoria goes."

Tenders will immediately be asked for supplying steel rails for the Intercolonial Railway. The advertisement will appear in England as well as here.

This year the Royal Canadian Academy of Arts will hold its annual meeting and exhibition in this city. His Excellency will open the annual exhibition of paintings on the evening of March 9.

Major Evans of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, Winnipeg, is in the city.

The Capital had its first real snowstorm of the winter last night and this morning, about six inches having fallen. Some of the railway trains were behind time in consequence. The snowfall has been quite a boon to the working class.

The Interprovincial convention of the Y. M. C. Associations of Ontario and Quebec commenced here to-day. Mayor Bingham delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the city.

Senator Temple is in town.

The Pontiac and Pacific Junction Railway has paid up arrears of wages owing to its employes.

Hon. Mr. Blair says the report that he is shortly to make an inspection of the Intercolonial Railway is premature.

Offers of assistance are already coming in to the D. R. A. authorities from Canadian manufacturers towards the permanent quarters at Bisley, including furniture, etc. It is to be hoped that the lumber necessary will also be forthcoming. There has been an offer of free transportation across the Atlantic of freight.

Mrs. Crabb, a milliner on Bank-street, was fined $5 for infringement of the early closing bylaw. Mrs. Crabb contended that she had to keep open at night on account of her registry office, as servant girls could not get out at any other time.

AN OPEN VERDICT.

The Rosseau Mystery Remains a Mystery—Jurors Deliberated for Two Hours.

Rosseau, Ont., Jan. 21.—The inquest on James Cooney was resumed at 2 o'clock p.m., when several witnesses were called. One feature of the evidence worthy of mention was some conversation between Arthur Baines and James Cooney during breakfast at the Monteith House on Wednesday morning before there had been anything done in the matter, and some talk of holding an inquest. James Cooney stated to Baines, "Well, they might find some marks on his head caused by the hard lumps thrown into the grave." It might be gathered from this that the son had some idea of such a mark as was proven by the post mortem to be on the head. Again, in his evidence to-day, he stated that he put the soft earth in first and the hard afterwards.

Another feature of the evidence brought out was the probable disposal of the farm to Mr. E. Evans, who was to meet the deceased at Rosseau on Saturday last and settle the bargain. This would deprive the son of any interest in the farm. The son admitted that it was to his interest for his father to live as long as possible, as he could live with him on his pension of $12 per month and improve the place, which he expected to receive at his father's death, and pay off the debt against it.

At 7.30 this evening the inquest was resumed, when Coroner Young made his address, dwelling on the facts bearing on the case in an impartial manner. The jury retired at 7.45 and were out for two hours and a quarter and returned with the following verdict:

"The said James Cooney came to his death on Sunday, Jan. 17, from a bruise on the right side of his head above the ear, the cause and date of such injury being unknown."

BALLOT BOX STUFFING

Another Deputy Returning Officer Sent for Trial.

WOULD NOT OFFER ANY DEFENCE

Prefers to Wait Until the Case Comes Before the Judges—Mr. Joseph Martin Announces Definitely That He is Out of Politics—Other News From the Prairie Capital.

Winnipeg, Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Malcolm Orr, one of the deputy returning officers in the Macdonald Dominion election, was to-day sent up for trial. The evidence for the prosecution went to show that seven ballots cast in Orr's poll for the Liberal candidate, Mr. Rutherford, had been destroyed or in some way got rid of. The defence reserved its evidence until the case comes up at the assizes, as has been done in all the other cases where deputy returning officers have been committed for trial. The reason for this course is that the Conservatives claim that the magistrates selected to conduct the preliminary trials are partisan. They contend that when the cases come before judges a different complexion will be put on them.

There is a warm discussion now going on in Winnipeg Board of Trade circles. The Dominion tariff commissioners will be here shortly, and the subject of controversy is whether evidence should be submitted by the board as an organization or by individual members on their own responsibility. Of course, there is more or less politics in the question, which makes it difficult to decide.

Eastern Assiniboia people are vigorously protesting against the proposal to annex Eastern Assiniboia to the Province of Manitoba.

Archbishop Langevin writes that he is well satisfied with his mission in the east. He feels sure that, now that the people of Quebec are becoming familiar with the meaning of the school settlement terms, they will stand by the Manitoba minority. His Grace says he will leave Quebec for home the latter part of the month.

The Manitoba Patrons of Industry in convention at Brandon yesterday appointed a delegation to meet the Dominion Tariff Commissioners, and passed a resolution which said: "We unhesitatingly, and without reserve, condemn the principle of protection and call upon the Government to redeem its election pledges at the forthcoming session of Parliament."

Joseph Martin left to-day for Toronto and Montreal, and will be absent in the east a month. Before he left he stated definitely that, if Winnipeg was opened, he would not again contest the seat. He declared that after considering the matter fully he had determined to remain out of politics.

Winnipeg bank clearings, week ended to-day, were $1,067,522, balances $165,837.

Rev. Father Pelletier of St. Leon, Man., is dead.

PALMER'S VICTIMS.

Funeral Services in the Methodist Church at Mamaroneck—No Trace of the Murderer.

Mamaroneck, N.Y., Jan. 21.—Funeral services were held to-day in the Methodist Church over the remains of Mrs. Harriet Palmer and Leonard Palmer, who were murdered a few days ago by Arthur Palmer, a son of the former. Among the chief mourners were William A. Palmer, Lofton T. Palmer and Jesse Palmer, brothers of the murderer. While the burial service was being read George Palmer, Arthur's cousin, who, it is claimed, had threatened to complete the work of killing the family, begun by Arthur, attempted to enter the church and was placed under arrest. It was feared by the authorities that if he was permitted to enter the church he would put his threat into execution.

The condition of Miss Gertrude Palmer, another of her brother's victims, was much improved to-night, and it is now thought that she will recover.

No far the authorities have not been able to get the slightest clue to the whereabouts of the murderer.

A despatch was received here from Toronto this morning, which stated that Arthur Palmer's wife, who is visiting her parents in that city, was completely prostrated by the news of her husband's crime.

THE WESTERN DAIRYMEN.

Papers and Discussion on Butter Making—Officers Elected for the Current Year.

Brantford, Jan. 21.—The Western Ontario Dairymens' convention's morning session opened with an excellent and instructive paper read by J. B. Muir, an experienced butter maker, in which he advocates the co-operation system.

J. H. Monrad addressed the convention on winter butter making. He said that with reasonable care winter butter making should be as successful as in summer.

Prof. Robertson started an interesting and instructive discussion on butter making in creameries.

Hon. Mr. Fisher spoke on winter dairying, advocating the use of the plant all the year round. To make winter dairying a success it required warm barns, bright light and sunshine.

The following is the list of officers for 1897: Hon. president, Hon. Thomas Ballantyne; president, A. F. McLaren, Stratford; vice-president, J. A. Pierce, London; second vice-president, H. Eagle, Attercliffe; third vice-president, A. Ware, Ayton; representative to Industrial Fair, A. F. McLaren; representative to Western Fair, J. S. Pierce and R. Robertson; representatives to Fat Stock Show, H. Eagle and R. M. Ballantyne.

The delegates to-day are visiting the different manufacturies and places of interest in the city.

The Board of Trade annual banquet will be held at the Kirby House to-night, where a large gathering is expected.

Willie Thomas Body Found.

Collingwood, Ont., Jan. 21.—The body of Willie Thomas, who was drowned while duck shooting last December, was found in the ice to-day 500 yards from where he was last seen. The body was badly decomposed.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 1897.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

"This country wants statesmen at the head of affairs, and not politicians," writes Major Sam. Hughes, in the Lindsay Warder. There are comparatively very few fair-seeing citizens who will join Major Hughes in denying that the country has what it wants at the head of affairs in the ministry of Mr. Laurier.

The Montreal Star demands that Mr. Charlton, who, is at Washington, should come home at once and repudiate the rubbish which Canadian papers have been publishing on the score of his alleged doings and sayings in that city. Failing this, says our contemporary, Mr. Charlton should resign his seat in the Canadian Parliament. Let us see. Mr. Charlton will be 66 years of age on Feb. 3. Does the Star expect him to live to be a hundred, which he would have to do to overtake all the nimble-footed lies that newspapers, in the interest of the Opposition, have set on foot?

Canadian distillers should furnish a pretty good quality of grog considering the "bulge" they get. They enjoy, it has been shown, a protection of 55 cents per gallon on what costs them 20 cents to produce, equivalent to a protection of 275 per cent. At least these are the figures and deductions of the Templar. And distilling isn't an "infant" industry either. The Templar also points that if the excise duty on spirits were advanced from the present rate of $1.70 to $2.15, the distillers would still have a protection of 50 per cent. and, if the present consumption continued, one million one hundred thousand dollars would be added to the revenue of the country.

The Montreal Star, referring to the methods revealed, in the Manitoba elections, says: "If the evidence that has been given remains uncontradicted, there can be but one opinion as to the wisdom of exposure and the need of impressive punishment. Much as we condemn corrupt campaign methods, the country can afford even toleration for them, when it simply dare not permit any jugglery in the polling booth. When the voter comes up to the ballot box, having made his choice between the "issues," having—and the later politics demand this clause—made his choice between selling his vote or casting it himself, anyone who by force or fraud prevents him from marking his ballot as he has decided, or contrives that it shall not be counted, strikes a blow at the foundation of social order—forces a fatal violation of the "good faith" under which men consent to obey laws made through the ballot box."

"The palmy days of the prize ring has evidently passed away, and the game of fisticuffs is placed on the list of outlawed sports. Even in the United States where, with an airy disregard of morality or decency, almost "everything goes," no spot for pitching the 24-foot ring can be found and bruisers have to bring off their exhibitions on Mexican soil, if at all. While a knowledge of how to use one's hands is proper enough in its place—that of the manly art of self defence—it is quite out of place in this civilized age as a medium of aggression. In Canada we are going a step further and showing the cold shoulder to boxing and sparring exhibitions. As a rule the authorities are justified in preventing them on the same ground that a farmer or other citizen is protested against the hay-fork man or the confidence man. The so-called exhibitions generally come under the head of getting money under false pretences, for the fistic farces presented by broken-winded and rheumatic ex-pugilists and awkward amateurs are but sorry equivalents for the price of admission. But on the grounds of their demoralizing effect—their giving a low and brutalizing twist to the juvenile mind—they should be taboo. The city of Montreal has shut her gates to the bruising fraternity, and even the suburb of St. Henri, won't have them at any price. Evidently the prize fight is on the high way to that limbo to which has been consigned bull-baiting, the bear garden, and to which bull fighting is rapidly going.

CONSERVATIVE PARTY CHANGES

Montreal Herald.

It is announced by the Toronto World, a paper usually well informed as to Conservative affairs, that Mr. Haggart has resigned the party leadership for Eastern Ontario, and that it will be assumed by Mr. Peter White, who was speaker of the late Parliament.

Mr. Haggart's conduct in absenting himself from the Conservative campaign in the Cornwall bye-election, a contest which took place in one of the most important of the constituencies in the party territory over which he has hitherto exercised jurisdiction, and his absence from the Province at a time when bye-election struggles are in progress in three other Ontario constituencies held by Conservatives during the last session of Parliament, certainly constitute a virtual resignation of the trust formerly reposed in him. It is not hard to believe that he has relinquished the claim to leadership in the party; that his present tour in the Northwest is equivalent to a confession that he has realized that as leader he is no longer acceptable to the party in Ontario and that he has forstalled by resignation the humiliation of rejection in a party caucus.

For there is not the slightest reason to question the temper of the better elements in the Conservative party in Ontario. It is bent upon a thorough re-organization. Advices from all parts of the Province show that the party in the Province is keenly alive to its weaknesses and is determined upon such an upheaval as shall put its best men in their proper place.

WAGGON TIRES IN RELATION TO ROADS.

The following is from the report of Mr. A. W. Campbell, Provincial Road Inspector, upon the highways of several townships in the County of Oxford:

People tax themselves in time, labour and money for constructing roads, and then purchase narrow tired wagons to destroy them. If tires of from four to six inches were used on lumber wagons a very great change would be quickly noticed in the condition of the roads. The difference between a narrow tire and a wide tire on a road, is about the same as the difference between a pick and a pounder. The one tears up, the other consolidates. When wide tires come into general use, a great part of the question of Good Roads will be solved, as the wear of the road is nearly as important an item to consider as its construction. With wide tires, the cost of keeping roads gravelled would be reduced one half.

It is objected to broad tires that they are heavy to draw over a rutted or stony road. It is, however, the narrow tires which are so largely responsible for the ruts, and for working the stones loose; instead of which wide tires would keep the roadbed smooth and compress the stones into it.

The dyspeptic carries a dreadful load on his back. It seems as if he were really made up of two men. One of them ambitions, brainy and energetic; the other sick, listless, peevish and without force. The weak man weighs the other one down. The dyspeptic may be able to do pretty good work one day, and the next day because of some little indiscretion in eating, he may be able to do nothing at all. Most cases of dyspepsia start with constipation. Constipation is the cause of nine-tenths of all human sickness. Some of its symptoms are sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, foul breath, windy belchings, heartburn, pain and distress after eating. All these are indicative of derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels, and all are caused by constipation. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the quickest, easiest and most certain cure for this condition. They are not violent in action.

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NORTH PERTH CONSERVATIVES

Met at Milverton Yesterday, Heard Speeches and Elected Officers.

Milverton, Ont., Jan. 21.—The North Perth Conservative Association met here to-day with a full representation of delegates from all parts of the riding. Addresses were delivered by Major O'Donahue of Stratford, R. F. Hesson, ex-M.P., Thomas Magwood, M.L.A., and others. The member, Mr. McLaren, telegraphed that he was unable to be present. The following officers were elected: Col. Campbell, hon. president; John Watson, hon. vice-president; J. C. Monteith, Stratford, president; H. B. Morphy, Listowel, vice-president; A. C. Steele, Stratford, secretary. After the usual resolutions supporting the Dominion and Provincial Opposition leaders, the meeting closed with a determination to keep North Perth represented as at present in both Houses.

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A BRITISH BLUE BOOK

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PRAISE FOR PREMIER SALISBURY

Austria and Italy Joined Britain, Germany Was Guarded and Russia Objected to Coercive Measures—Details of the Benin Massacre—General News by Cable.

London, Jan. 21.—The Government has issued a blue book containing the official correspondence in regard to the projected reforms in Turkey. The correspondents show that on Sept. 23 last, Lord Salisbury proposed that the powers take measures to enforce their proposals, and that in the event of unwillingness on the part of any power to assume its share in the coercive measures applied, that power should not oppose the action of any other. Austria gave her assent to to this proposition without qualification, and later Germany assented, with the proviso that any coercive action taken by the powers against Turkey must be unanimous, and further, that the integrity of the Ottoman empire must be maintained. Italy gave her assent to the proposal, but Russia objected to any scheme which involved the application of coercion to make it operative. In interposing this objection M. Shishkin, then at the head of the Russian Foreign Office, stated that coercion was repugnant to the Czar. In reply to this Lord Salisbury expostulated with the Russian Minister, saying it would be useless for the powers to make further concerted representations to the Porte in regard to reforms unless they were prepared to enforce their proposals.

On Nov. 24 M. Shishkin wrote to Lord Salisbury saying that the Czar had agreed to consider the question of coercion if the Sultan should prove recalcitrant and the other powers were unanimously in favor of resorting to coercion. About the end of December France gave a similar assent to measures of coercion, and the Governments of Russia, Austria and Italy reaffirmed their adhesion to that plan of action.

Lord Salisbury's correspondence on the subject closes with a letter dated Jan. 3.

All the newspapers will to-morrow publish comments on the correspondence contained in the blue book. The Liberal organs join with the Conservative papers in paying tributes to Lord Salisbury for his great diplomatic triumph in inducing the powers to assume a strong attitude on the Turkish question. Even those papers which have heretofore carped on Great Britain's alleged futile efforts to bring about a concert of the power regarding Turkey now join in the chorus of praise of the British Prime Minister's masterly diplomacy.

THE BENIN MASSACRE.

Details of the Treachery of the Barbarous African King.

London, Jan. 21.—Further details have reached here of the recent massacre of members of a peaceable British expedition by natives of the Benin country, and the facts as now known have excited the deepest indignation even among the "little Englanders," who declare that prompt punishment should be meted out to the murderers. As reported at the time in despatches of the United Associated presses, the expedition started from Bonny, in the Niger coast protectorate, West Africa, for Benin City, its object being to ask the King of Benin to remove the obstacles he places in the way of trade. The expedition consisted of Acting Consul-General Phillips, Major Copeland-Crawford, Deputy Commissioner Captain Boisragon, commandant of the Main Maling Wing, officer of the same force; Messrs. Locke and Campbell, of the Consular staff; Dr. Elliott, medical officer, and Messrs. Powis and Gordon, civilians, together with about 250 Kroomen and native carriers. None of the men were armed, and they were in nowise prepared to meet an attack, should one be made upon them. This was considered a remarkably foolhardy method of entering Benin, as it has been known for some time that the King of that country was hostile to the British, notwithstanding the fact that he had entered into treaty obligations with them. It was set forth as an explanation of this action that the expedition did not desire to make any show of force against the King, it being thought that its objects would be more readily attained were no firearms carried. Tis was a fatal mistake, as subsequent events proved.

The expedition left Bonny about Jan. 1, and about two weeks later the yaiht Ivy, belonging to the Consuls General, returned to Bonny from Sapele, where the expedition had left it preparatory to making the land journey to Benin, with the news of the massacre of the entire expedition. Later it was learned that seven of the Kroomen escaped, and still later that Captain Bilsragon and Consular Officer Locke had also escaped.

Now it is learned that after the expedition left Sapele it proceeded without difficulty, save that experienced from the nature of the country, to within a few miles of Benin City. Some of the Kroomen had been sent forward to cut a path through the jungle, and when the rest of the expedition were almost within sight of the town, they came upon the bodies of these pioneers who had been massacred. Before the expedition could rtreat the Benin tribesmen attacked thm, and, having them completely at a disadvantage, the party were almost completely annihilated. Capt. Boisragon and Consular Officer Locke were wounded, as were also the seven Kroomen who subsequently reached the coast. They managed, however, to crawl unobserved into the almost impentrable jungle, and, after days of horrible suffering from their wounds and the exhaustion of their tollsome journey, succeeded in reaching New Benin, on the coast, some 230 miles west of Bonny.

Mr. Campbell, one of the consular officials, was captured, and it is supposed that he was taken to Benin to be executed.

It has been learned that Captain Boisragon and Mr. Locke each had a revolver, and, before they made their escape into the bush, they shot several of the attacking party.

The King has sent to the British the rings that were worn by Mr. Phillips. This is regarded as an act of defiance, which the King will soon have cause to regret.

Mr. Powis was the agent of Miller Bros. & Co., of Glasgow, and Mr. Gordon represented the African Association of Liverpool. Both had been on the coast as traders for years.

The expedition was divided into two sections to facilitate traveling. As they progressed into the country they were greeted in a friendly manner by the residents of several villages, which led to the hope that no opposition would be met with along the route. When tre commander of the expeditione had reached a pointe 20 miles from the Benin River, couriers from the King arrived bearing peaceful messages, which added to the feeling of security which prevailed with the party. Here it was determined to send a number of the carriers ahead as bearers of presents to the king. They followed the route laid out by the pioneers and met with no hostility from any of the natives who were seen. These carriers were four hours ahead of the main body of the expedition, when, without warning of any kind, they were attacked by a large number of warriors, who had already despatched the pioneer Krooman. Every one of the carriers and those with them were massacred. The second company entirely unaware of the fate of their predecessors, were marching along, when suddenly they came upon the piled up bodies of their massacred companions. There were no signs of an enemy about, the Benin warriors having hidden themselves in the thick jungle to await the coming of the second party. As the latter were stopped by the sight of the bodies and began to examine them, a murderous volley was poured into them by the ambushed natives. Acting Consul-General Phillips, Dr. Elliott and Mr. Powis were instantly killed. Major Copland Crawford was wounded and died shortly afterwards. The natives again fired upon the party and then fell upon them and either shot, stabbed or clubbed them to death.

RHEUMATISM CURED.

Eighteen Months Trying to get Cured—Had the Best Doctors—He Found What he Wanted in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Goderich, Jan. 11—(Special)—A case of great interest here just now is that of Mr. Alexander J. Sharkey, who for some time has been an extreme sufferer from Rheumatism. His statement to the correspondent is as follows:—

"For eighteen months I was a victim of Rheumatism and during the whole of that time was trying every means to cure it. I had the best doctors in Canada and took their prescriptions with faith and patience.

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GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

The Pope Incites Roman Aristocracy to Support the Church.

Rome, Jan. 21.—The Pope gave a reception this morning to the Roman aristocracy, who were headed by Prince Rushpoli. His Holiness addressed the guests, recalling the old ties of the nobility to the Vatican, and incited them to do everything possible to preserve and support the church.

New Customs Tariff for Germany.

Berlin, Jan. 21.—In the Reichstag today Count Posadowski-Wehener, Minister of the Imperial Treasury, stated that the Government was preparing a new customs tariff designed to reform the defects in the existing commercial treaties, which would terminate in 1904.

No Business to Do.

London, Jan. 21.—When the House of Lords met to-day Lord Salisbury said that as there was no business on the notice paper he would move that the House adjourn for a week. The motion was carried.

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In their own particular field few men are beter known than the Rev. John Wesley Bell, B.D., and his brother Mr. James A. Bell. The former will be recognised by his thousands of friends all over the country as the popular and able missionary superintendent of the Royal Templars of Temperance. Among the 20,000 members of this order in Ontario his counsel is sought on all sorts of occasions. On the public platform he is one of the strong men of the day, battling against the evils of intemperance. Equally well known is Mr. Bell in other provinces of the Dominion, having been for years a member of the Manitoba Methodist Conference and part of this time was stationed in Winnipeg. His brother, Mr. James A. Bell, is a highly respected resident of Beaverton, where his influence, though perhaps more circumscribed than that of his eminent brother, is none the less effective and productive of good. Of recent years, however, the working ability of Mr. James A. Bell has been sadly marred by severe attacks of nervous headache, accompanied by indigestion. Who can do fit work when this trouble takes hold of them and especially when it becomes chronic, as was, seemingly, the case with Mr. Bell? The trouble reached such intensity that last June he was completely prostrated. In this condition a friend recommended South American Nervine. Ready to try anything and everything, though he thought he had covered the list of proprietary medicines, he secured a bottle of this great discovery. A second bottle of the medicine was taken and the work was done. Employing his own language: "Two bottles of South American Nervine immediately relieved my headaches and have built up my system in a wonderful manner." Let us not deprecate the good our clergymen and social reformers are doing in the world, but how ill-fitted they would be for their work were it not the relief that South American Nervine brings to them when physical ills overtake them, and when the system, as a result of hard, earnest and continuous work, breaks down. Nervine treats the system as the wise reformer treats the evils he is battling against. It strikes at the root of the trouble. All disease comes from disorganization of the nerve centers. This is a scientific fact. Nervine at once works on these nerve centers; gives to them health and vigor; and then there courses through the system strong, healthy, life-sustaining blood, and nervous troubles of every variety are things of the past.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

Girls, dont forget the painting class this evening at 7.30.

Men's and Boys' Leather Mitts and Gloves, worth 50c, Grafton & Co's spacial price 25c.

Taxes Outstanding.

Up to date Mr. Henry Dunne has collected $63,451 98 in taxes. There is still outstanding $11,290.30.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, on Saturday, Jan. 30th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. Hours: 12 to 4. dw

Lecture on Burns.

Prof. Clarke, of Trinity University, Toronto, lectures this evening in the Y.M.C.A. hall under the auspices of the Fortnightly Club. His subject will be "Burns." No admission fee will be charged.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Approved Of.

No new article of food placed on the Canadian market has met the universal approval of the housekeeper as has Shredded Whole Wheat. It can be used for every meal of the day. MASON & Co., 429 and 431 George street. 2d17

Tobacco Business Changed Hands.

Having purchased the tobacco business formerly carried on by Ed. B. Clegg, No. 215 George street, I have re-stocked the store with a full and well-selected assortment of choice cigars, tobaccoes, pipes and smoker's sundries, and solicit a share of public patronage. Prices low enough to suit all.—W. B. RICKEY. d

The prizes for competition at the Forester's Carnival, to be held on Friday evening, 29th January, are on view at the south window of Messrs. Connal & Co's Grocery, George Street.

Called to the Pastorate.

Since the resignation of Rev. Dr. McClelland Havelock Presbyterian church has been without a pastor, but there is now a prospect of having the vacancy filled and the work continued satisfactorily. At a meeting of the congregation on the 17th inst. it was unanimously decided to call Rev. D. A. Hamilton, of Harriston. The call was sustained at a pro re nata meeting of the Peterborough Presbytery, at Peterborough, on the 17th inst., and arrangements were made for Mr. Hamilton's induction to the pastorate on the 3rd prox., at 2 o'clock p.m., should he accept the call. We sincerely hope that Mr. Hamilton will see his way clear to take up the good work in this important field, and we promise him our good wishes and a hearty co-operation.—COM.

A Splendid Lecture.

The lecture by Rev. J. G. Potter in Mill street church on Monday, says the Port Hope Times, notwithstanding the counter attractions and the very severe weather was very well attended. The lecturer began with a story of the celebrated Jurist Chitty. A father entered Chitty's office, accompanied by his son who wished to enter upon the study of law. "Can he eat sawdust without butter?" was the first question. Is he willing to encounter difficulties without flinching? The royal road to fortune is the road to hard work. The lecture was encouraging and the appearance and manner of the lecturer greatly increased the general effect and was bound to put one in good cheer. The interest was sustained throughout, and an evening with Mr. Potter should make the worst pessimist believe that, after all, in spite of hard times, life is worth living.

Grey Lamb Caps for $1.25.

This is one of the surprising bargains that Fairweather & Co. are offering just now. If you are in doubt as to the advisability or desirability of purchasing your fur wants from us during our great change-of-business sale, then pursue the common sense, practical course in such matters—call on us, make a close personal examination of our entire fur stock and let us name you prices, with your knowledge of the character of our goods, so that you can take in the exact situation and arrive at your own conclusions. Talk and windy professions are one thing, seeing for oneself and having convictions forced upon you by the logic of facts is another. This great clearing sale will last for one month only, as the change in our business takes place on or about the last of February. Sensible people follow these inducements. This is personal to you. We will look for you. Let self-interest be your guide. Its points now to Fairweather & Co., Manufacturing Furriers. All accounts owing the firm must be paid on or before 15th February.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. GRACE STEWART.

In Good Health Yesterday but Stricken Down in the Night.

Mrs. George Paton received word this morning, informing her of the sudden death of her daughter, Mrs. Grace Stewart.

Mrs. Stewart gave birth to a child about a week ago and was convalescing and thought to be entirely out of danger by yesterday, when she was able to be up and move about the house.

Her husband took his usual run on the C.P.R. as far as Havelock, yesterday, but passed through on the express this morning on his way back to the city.

Mrs. Stewart's many Peterborough friends will extend sympathies to the parents, husband and children of the deceased whose young life has thus been cut short so suddenly.

PERSONAL.

Hon. Geo. A. Cox, of Toronto, is in town to-day.

Mrs. J. R. Stratton has been visiting Mrs. A. Patton, Lindsay, for the last day or so

Mr. J. J. Lundy and Mr. E. A. Peck were in Lindsay, yesterday, looking after the E. D. Orde estate, the former being amongst the many victims.

Councillor Cobb has returned from Toronto where he was attending a meeting of those protesting against what they think is an effort which is being made to close the old policyholders out of the Massachusetts Benefit life Association. Mr. Cobb has been placed on the Executive Committee.

Mr. Thos. Dunn has just returned from Toronto where he made arrangements to handle the Gourlay, Winter & Leeming lines of pianos in this district. Mr. Dunn will open up in the Conger Fair stand on George street in a few days with a full line of the Gerard Heintzman, Knabe, Karn and New York Fischer makes. Being popular and well known throughout the Midland District, he should make a success of the venture.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

Grand Removal Sale.

Immense bargains for the next few days. W. W. Johnston will have a sweeping sale of the D. O. LeGendre stock before removing it to his own stand, 410 George street. Anyone can see at a glance that the stock is fresh, new and up-to-date. This is a good opportunity of buying fine dry goods at greatly reduced prices. Note the address—323 George street, next door to G. Carton's grocery. 4d15

Shaft Bolt Broken.

Mr. George Farr, of Harwood, was badly bruised and wounded early in the week as a result of falling out of his rig while driving into Cobourg. The shaft bolt became loosened and the shaft dropped down. This caused the rig to zig zag so that Mr. Farr was thrown violently out upon the ground. He sustained a bruise upon the forehead and a scalp wound on top of the head. It is a great wonder he was not killed. A physician dressed the wound, however, and Mr. Farr pluckily went about his business as usual.

The Cinematographe.

That wonderful exhibition of the triumph of photographic reproduction was presented to a good house at the opera house last night—the opening of a season of a week. Photography gives us "speaking likenesses" but the Cinematographe endows them with all the attributes of life, motion and action—"as natural as life." Imagine a canvas screen about ten feet square, with a photographic scene flashed upon it, the figures of life size and actually moving and acting as though the original view were before the spectator's eye, and you have a faint idea of the Cinematographe, but only a true idea will be gained by seeing what can not be described. For instance a scene is put upon the canvas—a plain. In the distance a cloud of dust is seen, and presently a squadron of French currassiers comes into view, each moment more distinctly. Closer they come, charging furiously, the dust rolling from the horses' feet, and the scene looking and being as near life as stirring reality. The scene closes with the horses coming so near that they appear about to rush upon the spectators. The Cinematographe was invented by M. Lumiere, a French photographer and electrician, about eight months ago at Lyons. The pictures, about the size of a postage stamp, are on a long narrow continuous film, nearly a hundred feet in length, and an inch in width, and reproduced by being passed very rapidly before a powerful electric lamp, and magnified to life size. A long list of scenes is presented—landing from a Thames steamer, hundreds of faces and figures—Regent street, with its motley peopling—Rotten Row, with its gay life, sea scenes, with the rollers breaking into spray upon the rocks, and scores of others, introducing thousands of figures moving and acting like life. The exhibition is amazing in the life like effects produced. It is abundantly worth seeing. Space will not permit further reference to this marvellous exhibition. It must be seen to be appreciated. If the town knew what it is like the Opera House wouldn't hold the crowds. It appeals equally to young and old, cultured and illiterate. One week will be the length of the stay of the Cinematographe in Peterborough.

FIRE INSURANCE RATES.

Necessity For Peterborough Being on the Alert—The Underwriters Looking Out For Themselves.

At the recent meeting of the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association it was decided to make a very substantial increase in premiums in the cases of some towns whose fire appliances have not been brought up to the agreed standard of qualification. About forty towns will be affected by this action of the Underwriters. Already under these conditions Windsor, Chatham, Welland, Merrickville and other cities and towns have had their insurance rates substantially advanced.

This is a matter that very closely concerns Peterborough. A heavy responsibility rests upon the town council to see that there is no deteriation at least if there is no improvement) in our fire system. It is the duty of our representatives to deal with the matter immediately, and a practical manner. It will not do to permit any relaxation in this matter. The insurance people are in no very pleasant temper now. In addition to raising the rates in the town mentioned, the plate glass insurance companies in Toronto have advanced the rates for store fronts to 7 cents per foot for three years. The Underwriters are evidently determined to have their pound of flesh, and intend to insist on the conditions on which towns are rated being rigidly complied with.

Under these circumstances, the town authorities of Peterborough should see to it that our fire department should be maintained, so far as possible, up to the agreed standard of qualification. It is natural that after a time there should be some little degree of carelessness, but our authorities must see that the conditions are maintained that will keep our appliances, etc., as nearly up to the mark as possible.

This may involve some expense, but it is to be remembered that a degree of indifference that would lead to the lowering of Peterborough's rating, would mean, as good authorities say, an addition of about $10,000 or $15,000 a year in the payment of premiums.

MEETING OF THE NATURAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION.

Two Very Interesting Papers Read at Last Evening's Meeting.

At last night's meeting of the Natural Science Association, two interesting and highly instructive essays were given by Rev. H. Symonds and Mr. Sorsoleil, of the South Central School staff.

Both papers teemed with such interesting points that their reproduction in full would furnish most appreciable reading matter, but unfortunately only a brief synopsis can be given.

Rev. Mr. Symonds paper treated of the conflict between science and theology, some extracts from which are appended as furnished by the secretary.

"We are all of us familiar with the fact that there is, or supposed to be, a conflict between science and religion. No attitude of any particular body of Christians has found favour with science, as their methods are so diverse, they desire to go on propounding theories and discovering facts, leaving theology to stick to its hard and fast creeds and confessions. Let science have the week days and religion the Sundays. The militant scientist says, "I find my pathway continually blocked by the inveterate prejudices of theology;—I regard these prejudices as hostile to the best interests of mankind, and I believe it to be my duty to combat them." The militant theologian agrees in principle. There is a third school, however, which recognises a relationship between them. Such scientific men as Lord Kelvin, Stewart, Bonney, Dallinger and many others who have the utmost respect for theology believe that no statement of Christian doctrine can ever be so perfect that no better could be conceived of, consequently with advancing knowledge, with new conceptions of the relations of things, there comes new theological ideas requiring some modification of previous statements. It is this school of thought which commends itself to me as in the right track and through which I believe in time will cause a reconciliation of science.

"Now to define terms and give our position. Natural and physcial science covers the whole field of knowledge. But to study scientifically is to study systematically and historically and thus may theology be studied. I have purposely used the word theology in preference to faith or religion as I believe it to be more correct.

"Theology bears the same relation to religion, as botany bears to the vegetable world. Theology is the science concerned with ascertaining, classifying and systematizing all attainable truth about God and his relation to the universe therein and especially to man.

"The two chief periods in this strife are, (1) that of Copernicus and Galileo and (2) that of our own times. The story of the conflict of science and theology in the 19th century is a complicated one. It broke out when geologists proclaimed upon the testimony of the rocks that the earth must be countless thousands of years old. It is only fair to say that the theologians nor the scientists were not all on one side in the Darwinian conflict, which is still going on to-day. We are not, however, to suppose that the faults of this long struggle have been all one side—men of science have erred no less than theologians.

"Properly speaking there ought to be no conflict between these. Every truth is a truth about God, and must help us to arrive at clearer conceptions of His greatness, and we shall see that all churches and sects that are serious and sincere, that are moved to restore a neglected truth or to bring the light of the Gospel to neglected classes of people are albeit imperfectly doing God's work and have their place in the preparation for

"That one far off Divine result
Towards which the whole creation moves."

Mr. Sorsoleil followed in a condensed paper on "Primary Botany," in which he brought up some excellent points deserving of consideration. He referred to the very limited knowledge of botany among the young people, and as an instance he gave an illustration showing that the only classification in flowers and plants which the majority could make was weeds and May flowers.

He did not, however, advise that the subject of botany be added to the curriculum of the junior classes, but he suggested that the children make collections of plants, flowers and even geological specimens, and endeavour to glean information in that manner. The readers in the schools contained some good treatises on that subject, but they were only the cold, bare facts, and comparatively little knowledge could be attained therefrom.

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CIVIC NOTES.

Details in Connection with the New Sewerage System.

At a meeting of the Sewerage Committee, last night, the question came up for discussion as to the division of the cost of the sewer between the general ratepayers and those resident on the streets directly concerned.

The $31,000 raised by debentures defrays the cost of the outfall sewer as far north as Townsend street, and the expense will be borne by the ratepayers in general, but some sliding scale will have to be adopted in regard to meeting the expenses of the system as the work proceeds.

It is the opinion of the committee that a plan of the town and of the proposed system should be taken to Toronto, where they have experience in such matters, and laid before the engineers there for advice on the subject.

Although the outfall sewer was built of brick from Lake to Townsend streets, instead of pipe, as was at first contemplated, and the expense thereby increased by about $4,000, yet it is gratifying to Mr. Best, chairman of the Sewerage Committee, to be able to announce that there is a surplus of $850 left over of the money raised by debentures.

Another question to be decided is how this $850 can be applied. If possible the town would like to use it to assist in defraying the cost of the town's proportion of the cost of building the sewer from Townsend street north, but as the debentures were issued for the specific purpose of constructing the outfall, it is not known whether the money can be applied in any other way or not.

Considerable difference of opinion exists as to whether the tenants of the town property on George street, from Charlotte to Simcoe streets, will have to pay their assessment in regard to the cost of the sewer, or whether the town will have to foot the bill.

All this will be thrashed out at Monday evening's meeting of the council.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer. Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 21,—8.30 a. m.....16° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	30°	25°

Nervous

People find just the help they so much need, in Hood's Sarsaparilla. It furnishes the desired strength by purifying, vitalizing and enriching the blood, and thus builds up the nerves, tones the stomach and regulates the whole system. Read this:

"I want to praise Hood's Sarsaparilla. My health run down, and I had the grip. After that, my heart and nervous system were badly affected, so that I could not do my own work. Our physician gave me some help, but did not cure. I decided to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon I could do all my own housework. I have taken

Cured

Hood's Pills with Hood's Sarsaparilla, and they have done me much good. I will not be without them. I have taken 13 bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and through the blessing of God, it has cured me. I worked as hard as ever the past summer, and I am thankful to say I am well. Hood's Pills when taken with Hood's Sarsaparilla help very much." MRS. M. M. MESSENGER, Freehold, Penn.

This and many other cures prove that

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills act easily, promptly and effectively. 25 cents.

A Penny Saved Is a Penny Made.

You're only beginning to feel the need of a Winter Overcoat or Suit, just when our January Reduction in prices takes effect. Winter not half over yet, and you can save ONE-FOURTH on every stitch of clothes we make up for you during the next 30 days.

W. J. GREEN,

No. 115 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

Peterborough Water Company.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual General Meeting of the Peterborough Water Company, will be held at the Company's office, 363 Hunter street, in the town of Peterborough, on

Monday, 1st day of February, 1897

At the hour of Three O'clock, p. m.

G. W. HATTON,
Secretary-Treasurer.

8d-18

Riverside Park Skating Rink.

(LARGEST IN CANADA.)

The Riverside Park is now open and in excellent condition:—

SEASON TICKETS:

Ladies	$ 75
Gentlemen	1 00
Boys	50
Girls	50
Hockey Tickets	1 50

Clubs who hold Hockey Tickets can have the exclusive use of the Hockey Rink two hours three times a week. The Hockey Rink is 200 x 75 feet. For further particulars apply to JOS. G. McGOWAN, Box 64. 2d16

PRICING DOWN!

January Stock-taking, mind you, never had more enthusiasm—never so much for shoppers to enthuse over. Clipping cost here and there, makes swift clearing, but it also makes a material saving to buyers, which we could not afford to offer for very long:—

Dicken's Works, complete in 15 vols., well bound, good paper, per set $7.50 for.....$4 75

Scott's Works, complete in 12 vols, cloth binding, fair paper, per set $5, for..... 3 95

Thackeray's Works, complete in 10 vols., cloth bound per set $6, for..... 3 90

Hall Caine's Works, 5 vols., cloth binding, per set $2 for 1 15

Conan Doyle's Works, in 6 vols., per set $2.50, for..... 1 38

Alexander Dumas' Works, 6 vols, per set $2.50, for.... 1 38

George Eliot's Works, complete in 6 vols., per set $3, for 1 80

Lord Lytton's Works, complete in 12 vols., per set $7.50, for..... 4 75

Capt. Maryatt's Works, complete in 12 vols., beautifully bound in cloth $15, for..... 9 00

Pansy Books, all titles 35c, for..... 0 20

Elsie Books, all titles, 35c, for..... 0 20

Miscellaneous Books of all kinds at Stock-taking Prices.

Bibles at 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.

Catholic Prayer Books, 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.

Common Prayers and Hymns at 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.

Purses and Pocket Books at 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.

Substracting and Deducting the profits while Stock-taking is going on—something like the above—is what makes the goods disappear and keeps us busy. Lots of chances besides these, but you can judge the entire business just now by these quotations.

A. H. Stratton & Co.

THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

WATCH THIS SPACE

—FOR—

Hall, Gilchrist & Co's

Daily Drives.

SATURDAY, January 23rd.

We will offer at 9.30 a. m.:—

12 Ladies' New White Skirts,

Sold Elsewhere at a Bargain at $1.00

DRIVE PRICE - - - 69c.

6 LADIES' WHITE APRONS,

Our Regular Price $1.00

DRIVE PRICE - - - 50c.

10 Children's Health Brand Combinations,

Our Regular Price $1.25

DRIVE PRICE - - - 95c.

Only one to each customer while they last.

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'Y.

Can Accommodate a Few More

Our rooms have rapidly filled during the last two weeks, but we have still room for a few more.

DAY STUDENTS.

Any one contemplating entering this season should make arrangements at once.

NIGHT SCHOOL.

The Night School will close the last of April. Those entering now will only be charged for THREE MONTHS COURSE.

PRINGLE & McCORMA,
BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 1897.

WHO IS MR. BULOCKS?

The appended letter has been received by the Mayor. It speaks for itself, and as Mr. Yelland knows nothing of the matter, any information will be thankfully received by him:

To the Mayor of Peterborough:

Dear Sir,—I write you to see if you could give me any instruction how to find out where the furniture and clothing belonging to Mrs. Smith, who was sent to the Mimico insane asylum, and her daughter to the Orphan's Home, Toronto. The little girl tells me that the stuff was put in a room with a man named Bulocks. Her people wrote from England for me to look after it for the little girl, as she lives with me. Plea e let me know if you can and oblige me and the orphan girl.

W. J. MAGLOUGHLEN,
Tottenham P. O., Ont.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

At the rink last night a scratch match was played with the following result:

J D Baptie,	D Walker,
H Snowden,	Dr Greer,
A Blade,	W J Thompson,
Geo Fitzgerald, sk..17	J B Pentland, sk.....10

HOCKEY.

The decline of certain Canadian winter sports in the last ten years and the attendant rise of interest in other seasonable amusements is a never-ending topic for discussion, says the Montreal Herald, and many are the reasons given on this side and on that. Tobogganing seems to be as dead as a door nail, and, for aught of interest that is taken in its revival, that most excellent sport seems, at first sight, to be destined to figure in the limbus of a forgotten, though by no means inglorious past. Snow-shoeing still has its devotees, but they are all high priests—the worshippers have sought and found strange gods. There are still snowshoe clubs in Montreal, and some of them flourish in a moderate sort of way, but this is in spite of their being snowshoe clubs, not because of it. It would not be unsafe to suggest that many of the newer members of existing snowshoe clubs would not know a pair of snowshoes if they saw them, while the older men have their trusty shoes hung up in their parlours, with neat pink or blue bows tied to the corners.

But it must not be imagined from this rather discouraging state of affairs that an interest in winter sports does not exist in Canada. At the time that the mountain was dotted with the torches of snowshoers and the frosty air rang merrily with the shouts of tobogganers, skating had almost become one of the lost arts so far as any general interest in it was concerned, and hockey was merely a name to the bulk of the people. At a small celebration a few nights ago a gentleman high in hockey councils, spoke of the days when to play hockey matches each club had to pay so much apiece for the players it had on the ice, and whether the match was concluded or not at the end of an hour they all had to leave the rink! There were no "big gates" in those days, and the game must indeed have been a hardy youngster to have survived such treatment.

It is not difficult to find a cause for these changes in sentiment. The sport-loving public is constitutionally fickle, and as season roll by it demands new pleasures. The old ones pall. Hockey, exciting and all as it is, has no more chance of remaining for ever enshrined in the sport-loving heart than had tobogganing or snowshoeing. This statement may perhaps be doubted by some of the more enthusiastic, who still have ringing in their ears the cheers of recent contests—but what man ten years ago would have dared to prophesy a decline of general interest in lacrosse and a rise of Rugby football to popular favour in Canada? But this is not written in any pessimistic sense, for the possibility of a lessening interest is now popular sports in years to come need have no effect upon those games at present. Too much popularity is a bad thing, and perhaps when the toboggan and snowshoe cease more bold sway we will look back with thoughtful pity upon the days when we leaned over an uncomfortable gallery and screamed ourselves black in the face over young man below who were banging at an ineffensive puck.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Canadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

RELIGIOUS HISTORY IN THE SCHOOLS.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

SIR,—The kindly and interesting letter of "A Member of F. Club" in your issue of last evening calls for recognition. The question is simply this:—"Can history be taught properly when all reference to the Christian religion is omitted?" To a non-believer, and hence an impartial judge, the answer must instantly be "No." But it seems to a believer the question presents difficulties. In the course of a believer's explanation (meaning by "believer" the writer of the letter) it crops up that the reasons are those of expediency, as if, indeed, the subject were one of secondary importance, and as if we were warranted in suppressing facts.

The single exception is the reason founded on "Render unto Cæsar, etc." If this verse means what "A Member" claims, it means more. It means that we should ignore God in all things pertaining to our life in this world. But that cannot be. The truth is that the fault lies not in the introduction of such a subject into the curriculum, but in the system which prevents such an introduction. As for the irreverence of a crowd of children—that applies to Sunday schools as well.

Your, etc.,

FOR HISTORY WITH THE FACTS LEFT IN.

NO. II.

SIR.—In reply to the courteous letter of a "Member of the F. C.," permit me to remind him that I admitted that there were points made by the negative which were not fully answered by the affirmative but that in my opinion these were not sufficiently powerful to out-weigh the arguments of the affirmative, and from the reception accorded to the verdict for the affimative I gathered that such was also the view of the audience.

I do not attach the same importance which "A Member of the F. C." does to the contention of the negative that "religion was not a matter of history," because, as I understand it, Christianity consists in the surrender of the heart and of the will to Jesus Christ, and the following in His footsteps. Hence the importance of the historical study of the life and teachings of Jesus Christ. In this matter, therefore, I was of the opinion that the leader of the affirmative had the best of the argument. I do not, of course, identify the knowledge of the facts and teaching of Jesus with religion, but I do strongly hold that such knowledge is an indispensible prerequisite for a pure Christianity.

Yours, etc.,
HERBERT SYMONDS.

January 22nd, 1897.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The conditions of the weather have been favourable to influenza among horses and some cases have developed in this section of the country.

—The Collegiate Institute and the Peterborough Business College play a challenge match of hockey on the Riverside Park rink, Ashburnham, the beginning of next week.

—Remember the entertainment under the auspices of the Collegiate Institute "Lit" in the Institute buildings on Saturday evening. A fine programme; 10 cents is the admission fee.

—In the junior fancy skating for the medal, girls are eligible as well as boys. Mrs. J. A. Aylmer, champion amateur figure skater of Canada, has kindly consented to act as judge.

—Work is being rapidly pushed on the construction of the lager beer department in connection with Calcutt's brewery. Bricklayers and carpenters re-commenced work yesterday morning.

—The proprietor of some hennery in town took advantage of the late fire and, making a hog of himself, filled his sack just full enough to carry a short distance. On making the grade up a back hill the bag burst, leaving its contents on the sidewalk.

—Mr. Clare Calcutt met with a rather painful accident Wednesday afternoon, while engaged in placing stringers in the lager beer department in connection with Calcutt's brewery. The huge stringer fell on his left foot, badly crushing it. Clare is confined to his room for the time being, though no bones were broken.

—Among the mail arrivals at this office this week is a little book sent out by the Dominion Brewing Co., of Toronto. The contents comprise a list of all the various arena of sport and the game laws in brief. Several pages are blank and ruled for making entries. The sporting matters have been compiled by an expert. It is a useful little book.

Special Bargains in All Wool Shirts and Drawers, worth 50c, Grafton & Co's special price 25c.

"Very, Very Good."

A prominent lady visiting Peterborough from New York City was so highly pleased with the photographic work she saw in Mr. Whiten's art studio that she made an appointment and had a dozen sent to her address, 170 Lexington Avenue, New York City. She writes Mr. Whiten: "Photos arrived all right; they are very, very good; I am much pleased with them." Three different persons recently on a visit here from Montreal also had a dozen each taken by Mr. Whiten and forwarded to their address in Montreal. The above speaks well for Peterborough and the high-class work turned out by Mr. Whiten. Entrance to studio, 128 Hunter street, opposite Oak Hall. dl5tf

NICHOLLS HOSPITAL TRUST MEETING.

THE INSTITUTION IS NOW SELF SUSTAINING.

Although the Usual $2,000 Donation Was not Received From the Nicholls Estate This Year, Yet There is a Surplus After All Accounts Have Been Paid.

The annual meeting of the Nicholls Hospital Trust took place yesterday afternoon, in the the town clerk's office, with the following members of the Board in attendance: Richard Hall, R. S. Davidson, Wm. Aldridge, Mayor Yelland, James Stevenson and J. Crane.

Mr. Richard Hall took the chair and the following financial statement was read by Mr. Crane, secretary-treasurer:

Statement of Receipts and Expenditures from January 1st, 1896, to December 31st, 1896.

RECEIPTS.

Pay in lents	$2,139 28
Province of Ontario	2,555 63
Income from Endowment	4,072 00
Donations	6? 75
Sundries	3 42
	$8,802 16

EXPENDITURE.

Butter and eggs	$ 341 34
Bread, flour and meal	288 69
Butchers' meat	497 15
Outside gencies	233 05
Drugs and medicines	249 11
Fuel	896 61
Groceries and provisions	492 26
House furnishings	471 19
Ice	33 50
Lights	201 25
Lady Superintendent's petty cash	120 10
Milk	35 25
Ordinary repairs	431 05
Salaries and wages	2,564 55
Tea and coffee	46 20
Vegetables	233 95
Water	173 45
Wine, beer and spirits	70 50
Hay and straw	101 24
Surgical appliances	201 56
Taxes and insurance	136 90
Surplus revenue over expenditure	18 57
	$8,802 16

BALANCE SHEET, DEC. 31ST, 1896.

Furniture	$ 2,000 00
Endowment Fund	85,000 00
Real estate	35,000 00
Ontario Bank	31 48
	$122,031 48
Assets	$122,000 00
Revenue and expenditure	31 48
	$122,031 48

During the year, which has been a prosperous one, reflecting credit on the authorities and Lady Superintendent, 300 patients have been treated. The institution has now become self-sustaining, as shown by the fact that in former years the Nicholls Estate donated $2,000 towards the maintenance of the hospital and although the gift was not received this year, yet a surplus exists of $18 57, with all accounts paid up to December 31st, 1896. The receipts from pay patients increased by the sum of $1,000 during 1896.

Mayor Yelland was asked to take the chair pro tem and the following officers were elected for the year:

Chairman—Richard Hall.
Hon. Secretary—R. S. Davidson.
Sec.-Treas.—John Crane.
Finance Committee—A. P. Poussette, R. S. Davidson, James Stevenson, C. McGill and Mayor Yelland.
Property Committee—W. Aldridge, John McClelland, R. S. Davidson, James Kendry, M.P., and Mayor Yelland.
Supply Committee—John McClelland, R. S. Davidson, W. Aldridge, J. D. Tully and Wm. Walsh.
Visiting Committee—February and August, A. P. Poussette and John McClelland; March and September, W. Aldridge and J. D. Tully; April and October, Richard Hall and James Kendry; May and November, C. McGill and R. S. Davidson; June and September, James Stevenson; July and January, Wm. Walsh and Mayor Yelland.

How many persons are ashamed to go into company on account of their foul-smelling breath, caused by catarrh or cold in the head? If they would study their own interests they would soon have sweet breath like their neighbors. There is one sure cure for Catarrh and that is Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. Give one blow through the blower and you get relief immediately. Price, including blower, 25 cents.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

Egg, Stove or Chestnut	$5 50	per ton
No. 2 Nut	5 00	"
Anthroxolite	4 50	"
Pea	3 50	"

Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

Riverside Park Skating Rink.

A prize will be offered for competition to boys' hockey clubs, open to all the schools in the county or town of Peterborough. The members of each club competing must be bona fide scholars of some school in the town or county. Those wishing to compete will please send their names to Jos. G. McGowan, secretary, who will give particulars. Box 55, Peterborough. 6dlw

A Sale of Local Importance.

When the clear-the-table time comes around at the Peterborough Bookstore, business takes on a fresh start and fresh interest of local importance springs up. The business that is too regular gets into ruts. The announcement of stock-taking at Stratton's Bookstore does not mean that any waste time is going on. On the contrary, inventory time is the time when the nimble sixpence doctrine is pushed to its utmost extremity, and quick sales are the symbols of this business. Goods are now being snapped up at the reduced prices that hung fire before January, and genuine bargains lighten the labours of stock-taking. See advertisement. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

TWO COUNTY WEDDINGS.

Celebration of the Fraser-Tudhope and Sanderson-Burgess Nuptials.

FRASER-TUDHOPE.

The residence of Mr. Robert Tudhope, sen., was the scene of an interesting event on Wednesday, 13th instant, when his youngest daughter, Maggie, was joined in wedlock's bonds to Mr. Thomas Fraser, of Hastings, eldest son of Mr. Arch. Fraser, of Norwood.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Andrews, of Keene, in the presence of about 100 invited guests. The bride was becomingly dressed in mauve silk with silk lace and pearl trimming, and was assisted by Miss Davidson, of Otonabee, who wore blue shepherd's plaid trimmed with white silk, while Miss May Davidson performed the duties of maid of honour, and was dressed in pink with white lace trimming. Mr. John W. Rork of Norwood, an intimate friend of the groom, officiated as groomsman. The ceremony being over, the company sat down to a sumptuous wedding dinner, after which a few hours were spent in social amusement, and the happy young couple took their departure for Hastings amid showers of rice and old shoes.

The presents were numerous and costly, attesting the high esteem in which the bride and groom are held. Among the gifts was a handsome silver tea service, from the "A. I." Rice lake campers. Mr. and Mrs. Fraser have the best wishes of their many friends.

SANDERSON—BURGESS.

One of the prettiest weddings ever witnessed in Belmont took place on the evening of 13th Jan. at the residence of Mr. Jas. Burgess, Belmont, when his daughter Rosa, was claimed as the bride of Mr. W. J. Sanderson, of Asphodel, but who until recently lived in Smith.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. F. Somerville, of Norwood, over sixty guests being present, only four of whom were not relatives of the contracting parties, one being Miss Reddon, of Norwood, who presided at the piano, and rendered "Mendelssohn's Wedding March" and "A Dream of Heaven", after which followed an elaborate wedding dejeuner.

The bride was a pleasing picture as she entered the drawing room dressed in white silk grenadine with silk lace and pearl trimmings and wearing delicate sprays of orange blossoms. She was assisted by Miss Maggie McKee, of Smith, niece of the groom, who was gowned in white sicilian finished with pearls and lace, among which nestled tiny white flowers. Mr. Walter McKee, of Monaghan, was groomsman.

The esteem in which the bride is held was attested by the costly array of presents among which were an elegant gold locket the gift of the groom, a cathedral clock the gift of the groomsman, and a large handsomely bound family bible the gift of the bride's father. The groom's gift to the bridesmaid was a pretty gold chain bracelet.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson will receive the heartiest congratulations of their host of friends and will be extended a warm welcome to their new residence near Norwood. At home after the 25th inst.

Just Arrived.

We have imported for your special benefit a choice lot of British Columbia canned Salmon, Cross & Blackwell's celebrated English pickles. Sardines in oil; also in mustard. We have the finest line of groceries obtainable always in stock. A call will not disappoint either you or E. BROWN & Co., 393 George street.

P.S.—We have made special arrangements to handle Gooderham & Worts' whiskey on draught.

DIED.

DAWSON—At 179 Harvey street, on Tuesday, January 19th, 1897, the infant son of Mr. M. J. Dawson, aged 1 month and 1 week.

The weather will be cloudy with snow; colder to-morrow.

We have a number of Teacher's Bibles which we will sell at actual cost.

Also, small Baskets for 20c, were 35c.

Sailsbury
372 George Street

SPOT CASH.

FULL DRESS SUITS Satin Lined and up-to-date, Only $29.50.

ROBT. WEIR,
Merchant Tailor,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES,
422 George Street.

SOME OF THE BENEFITS UNDER THE CASH SYSTEM

BROOMS!!

Just received 50 dozen Brooms bought for Cash at half the regular price, and I am going to give the public the benefit of it:—

2 Cord Brooms, regular price 25c	Cash Price	15c
3 Cord Brooms, " " 13c	Cash Price	9c
3 Cord Brooms, (Heavy) " 15c	Cash Price	10c
4 Cord Brooms, " " 20c	Cash Price	15c
5 Cord Brooms, " " 25c	Cash Price	19c
4 Cord Brooms, " " 30c	Cash Price	23c
3 lbs. Choice Family Lard	Cash Price	25c
11 lbs No. 1 Rolled Oats, per lb	Cash Price	25c

No. 1 Lemons, 13c dozen or 2 dozen for 25c.

Note the saving. Isn't it worth while to pay Cash?

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ONE PRICE CASH GROCERY,
Telephone 242. 168 Charlotte Street

"JOHN BULL"

THE LATEST POPULAR **5c** NEW YEAR'S CIGAR.....

The Favourite for 1897—a leader of the town—cracking good value. 10,000 just in—and as we have got the pull and the sole right for Peterborough, we expect to order another ten thousand repeater.

Another week longer—4 first-class regular 10c Cigars for 25c.

Judges of a good cool smoke are all smitten with our new Smoking Mixture—"CREME DE LA CREME."

STEARN BICYCLES coming by train to arrive shortly.

To Hotelmen, Town and County Store Keepers and Jobbers, buying in quantities, great special prices that can't be beaten.

TALBOT BROS.,
The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough - - Sign of the Indian Queen

C. G. Gemmell's
Peterborough Corset Factory
REMOVED
To 208 and 210 Charlotte Street.
NEXT TO THE SKATING RINK.

Delicious Soups and Gravies . . .

Many housewives do not know how conveniently these can be made, just think—

One Tablespoonful of Johnston's Fluid Beef with vegetables will make a Quart of Strong Soup.

One Dessertspoonful will make enough Rich Gravy for the dinner of an ordinary family.

Johnston's Fluid Beef 16 oz. Bottle, $1.00.

FEEDING THE FAMILY

Buying the Family Groceries is very apt to be a heavy item of housekeeping, and it's worth saving something on every purchase.

We are making the expense of feeding the family a good deal lighter than it has been. The ladies know where we keep store, and we want them all to come to the funeral of profits. There's the biggest kind of a Clearance Sale in motion at our store, for instance:

Canned Salmon, the best	10c
Canned Corn, Tomatoes, Beans and Peas, 4 cans for	25c
Your Favourite Soap, 6 bars for	25c
25c Tea at 20c, or 2 lbs. for	35c
30c Tea for	22½c
40c Tea for	30c
50c Tea for	35c

THOS. BRADY
Corner Brock and George Sts.

N. B.—Outstanding accounts must be paid, as we require a large sum within the next thirty days. Brady's need is the housekeeper's opportunity.

The Acme Heating Drum

is the best appliance to economize fuel. We are selling them rapidly. They pay for themselves in a short time. Read what our Citizens say:

Messrs. Micks and Cox:—

GENTLEMEN,—After giving your Acme Heating Drum a fair trial in China Hall, we have no hesitation in pronouncing it a perfect success. Our store is 20x100 feet with glass front and all of one side of glass facing the north; and the Drum with a small wood stove heats the store more perfectly than it has ever been heated before, even when we had two coal stoves which we formerly used.

Yours truly,
Peterborough, Jan. 18th, '97. McFARLANE WILSON.

Messrs. Micks & Cox:—

GENTLEMEN,—After giving the Acme Heating Drum purchased from you a full trial in severe weather we have no hesitation in pronouncing it a complete success.

Your Drum is an application of the correct principle in proper heating devices, in drawing the cold air from the floor, heating it and circulating it through the building. We heat three rooms by means of a moderate sized wood stove with your Drum attached, and find our offices very much more comfortable than formerly, at the same time using a third less fuel than without the Drum.

Yours very truly,
Peterborough, Jan. 14, '97. HATTON & WOOD.

MICKS & COX, Stoves and Hardware 187 Hunter St.

CHOICE AS WELL AS CHEAP.

Our stock of Meats is not only characterized by Cheap Prices, it is CHOICE as well. While the variety is large and the stock extensive, we guard against the inferior qualities. Our long-established reputation is a guarantee—for experience is a good teacher. The proof of the pudding is in the eating. Select from any piece of meat on our hooks:—**Beef, Lamb, Mutton, Sugar-Cured Hams, Poultry, Smoked Meats, Sausage.** Howden's Meats will please the most particular people.

J. J. HOWDEN,
Telephone 39. The People's Meat Mart. 461 George Street.

A healthy woman will always find Love. Health and Beauty are twins that do not have to seek far or long to find Cupid. It is the woman who suffers from ill-health as a result of weakness and disease of the distinctly feminine organism, who leads a loveless and childless life. It is in every woman's power to be healthy and consequently attractive. The main-spring of woman's nature is in her distinctly womanly-self. When she suffers in that part of her organism, she suffers in every nerve and fiber of her body, and her suffering is pictured in her face, and reflected in her disposition and temper.

It is easy for a woman to be well and strong in a womanly way. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription acts directly upon the important and delicate organs that constitute womanhood. It makes them strong and healthy. It allays inflammation, heals ulceration, soothes pain and gives the tortured nerves rest and tone. It prepares for wifehood and motherhood. Taken during the expectant period it banishes the usual discomforts, makes the coming of baby easy and painless, and insures the health of the newcomer. Thousands of women have said so. All good druggists sell it.

"Please accept my thanks," writes Mrs. Maud Pearce, of Stoutsville, Fairfield Co., Ohio, "for the good your medicines have done me. I truly believe that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription saved my life. It is a sure and certain cure for 'female troubles.' I am having perfect health. Nothing did me any good until I heard of you. My good health pleases me and pleases my husband. Every invalid lady should take Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery.'"

One line in a good, practical, home medical book will sometimes save a life. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is the best book of that description published. Over a million women own copies and thousands of them have written testifying to its great value. A new edition is ready and will be given away FREE. For paper-covered copy, send 21 one-cent stamps, to cover the cost of customs and mailing *only*, to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N.Y. For cloth binding, 50 stamps.

WAS IT MURDER?

The Rosseau Sensation Shows Some Ugly Features—James Cooney Fined

Rosseau, Ont., Jan. 20.—James Cooney was arraigned before Magistrate Matthew Wilson at 2 o'clock today on the charge of burying his father, James Cooney, on Sunday, Jan. 17, secretly and without a burial permit. The magistrate found him guilty and imposed a fine of $10 and costs or 17 days in jail.

The post mortem examination on the body was conducted by Dr. J. P. Waddy, and the inquest was commenced at 4 o'clock, conducted by Dr. Young. The first witness called was the constable, J. G. Dixon, who stated how the body had been found and the bringing of it to Rosseau.

The next witness called was the son, James Cooney, who gave a rambling statement of the death, saying his father had been sick since a week ago last Saturday and had not been out of bed. The only medicine he had given him was salts, the only nourishment a little milk and some gruel he had made for him. He said he used to take any money he could get his hands on and frequently took a dollar or any change he could, and Saturday, the 9th, the first day of his father's illness, during his absence from the room, he went through his pockets and took out 50 cents. He then stated his father had died about 10 o'clock Sunday morning. About two hours afterwards he picked him up and moved him into another room, and then went out to dig the grave, carried his father out on his back and put him in the grave. He did not search the pockets at the time of death, but returned on Monday to the grave, dug up the body and searched for the money, but found none. He believed his father had about $30 on him. On Sunday he stated he would bury his father on Wednesday, and later on admitted he had buried him on Sunday.

Dr. Waddy was next called. He found an injury on the head sufficient to cause death; nothing apparently diseased in the stomach or bowels, all of which were in a healthy condition; found the stomach and bowels empty of any food. The cross-examination of Dr. Waddy will be taken up at 10 o'clock to-morrow. The inquest was adjourned until then.

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Toronto Junction, Jan. 18 (Special)—Mr. H. Playter, is not a difficult man to find as everybody here knows that he is foreman at No. 1 Fire Hall. He was the picture of health when called upon by your correspondent and told his story thus:

"In April 1896 I suffered from a severe attack of Sciatica, affecting my left hip and the leg to the tip of my toes. I suspected it came from some form of kidney trouble and as they had been recommended I procured a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

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WHERE IS PALMER?

The Fugitive Murder Believed to be Still in the Neighborhood Where the Crime Was Committed.

Mamaroneck, N. Y., Jan. 20.—Arthur Palmer, the fugitive murderer of his mother, brother and probably his sister, is still at large, and no clue has yet been discovered as to his whereabouts. The local and county authorities seem hopelessly at sea over the case. All their clues have come to naught. While some people believe he has left the neighborhood, others think he is in the vicinity awaiting his chance to kill the remaining members of the family. The report that he was seen at Mount Vernon yesterday is pointed to by those who believe that he is still in the neighborhood of his crime as corroborative of their belief. They are of the opinion he was looking for his brother, Jesse Palmer, who is a merchant in Mount Vernon, but who was at his sister's bedside at the time it is alleged the murderer was seen at that place. They also say if he had started for Toronto that he must have reached there before this, and, in that event, the police would have known it, as they are on the lookout for him. It is evident the authorities fear he is still around, for two officers are kept on duty at the Palmer homestead night and day. Miss Palmer still lies in a comatose state, and the doctor attending her stated this morning that, although there were symptoms of peritonitis, she might live for several days. Nothing had been heard from the Toronto police up to noon to-day.

REBELS MADE A DASH.

They Drove the Spaniards Out and Made a Haul From the Stores and Public Buildings

New York, Jan. 20.—A Herald special from Jacksonville, Fla., says: According to advices received by Cubans here, 500 insurgents, under command of Col Francisco de Paulo, dashed into San Miguel de Padrone, Havana Province, Saturday night. The Spanish contingent, consisting of 600 men, withdrew from the town without firing a shot. The insurgents held possession for three hours, looting the stores, public buildings and many of the residences occupied by Spanish families. They captured the mayor and forced him to deliver the tax money in his possession, amounting to $3060. After firing the business portion of the town and several private residences the rebels withdrew. As soon as the insurgents withdrew, the inhabitants, men, women and children, busied themselves trying to extinguish the flames and saving their effects from the burning building. While thus engaged the Spanish forces returned and, it is alleged, opened fire on the men, women and children, who were fighting the flames. Volley after volley was poured in on the hapless inhabitants, many of whom, in their terror, rushed into the burning houses and were cremated. The Spanish then charged through the streets, using the bayonet on all whom they met, sparing neither women nor children.

The report says forty persons were killed outright, 18 of whom were women and children. Sixty others were wounded, some of them fatally. Several of those wounded fell by the side of the burning buildings and perished. Adding to the forty killed outright those who fled into the burning buildings and perished and those who died of their wounds, nearly 100 persons fell victims to the Spaniards.

In reporting the affair the Spanish commander, it is said, stated that the insurgents attacked the town, but were repulsed with heavy loss. He then adds that twelve of the inhabitants were killed by insurgents' bullets.

The folly of prejudice is frequently shown by people who prefer to suffer for years rather than try an advertised remedy. The millions who have no such notions, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla for blood-diseases, and are cured. So much for common sense.

Murderer Burned at the Stake.

New Orleans, Jan. 20.—Jno. Johnson, the Cotton family murderer, was burned at the stake in front of the Cotton residence, near Amit City, at 3 o'clock this morning. Arch Joiner was hanged. Johnson was the self-confessed murderer of Mr. and Mrs. John Cotton, Mrs. Agnew Stevenson, Miss Lizzie Miller and Morvin Miller.

THE TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—Trade is dull and prices unchanged. Straight rollers can be bought at $3.85, middle freights.

Bran—Trade dull, with bran quoted outside west at $7 to $7.50 and shorts at $9.

Wheat—The local market is quiet, and prices unchanged. Red sold at 80c, on the Northern, and West, while white is held at 81c. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 77½c afloat, Fort William, and at 81c, May delivery. There were also sales at 88c on track, Midland.

Buckwheat—Trade is dull and featureless. Cars are quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is steady. No. 1 quoted at 34c to 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 26c, and No. 3 at 23c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are easy. White sold at 18c to 18½c west, and mixed are held at 18c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady. Sales at 40c west, high freights.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 22c to 22½c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 34c west and at 35c east.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 20.—Spring wheat, 6s 10½d to 6s 11½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1d to 7s 2½d; corn, 2s 9½d; peas, 4s 6½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 53s 6d.

London—Opening—Wheat on passage dull. English country markets partly 6d cheaper. Maize on passage dull.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady, at 6s 8¾d for Feb., 6s 9¼d for March, 6s 9¼d for April, and 6s 8d for July. Maize easy, at 2s 9d for Feb., 2s 9½d for March, and April, and 2s 10d for July. Flour 24s.

Paris—Wheat 23f 15c for Feb.; flour, 48f 70c for Feb.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat quiet at 6s 8¼d for Feb., 6s 9¼d for March, 6s 9¼d for April, and 6s 8d for July. Maize 2s 9d for Jan., Feb. and March, 2s 9¼d for April, and 2s 10¼d for July. Flour 24s.

London—Close—Wheat off coast nothing doing, on passage dull. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 23f 10c for Feb.; flour quiet at 48f 35c for Feb.

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AIMED AT CANADIANS

The Corliss Amendment to be Incorporated Into the United States Immigration Bill.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The Senate conferees to-day agreed to incorporate in the Immigration bill the main provision of the Corliss amendment to the House bill. An understanding has been reached by the committee, and the bill as agreed upon will probably be reported for final passage within a day or two.

The Corliss amendment is aimed against the daily incoming of Canadians, who work on this side and retain their domicile in Canada. It specifically prohibits the entry of aliens who come here to perform labor of any kind unless they declare their intention to become citizens of the United States and give up their home in the foreign country. The bill was originally drafted by the United Trades and Labor Council of Buffalo, in conjunction with Immigration Inspector De Barry, and received the endorsement of labor bodies throughout the country.

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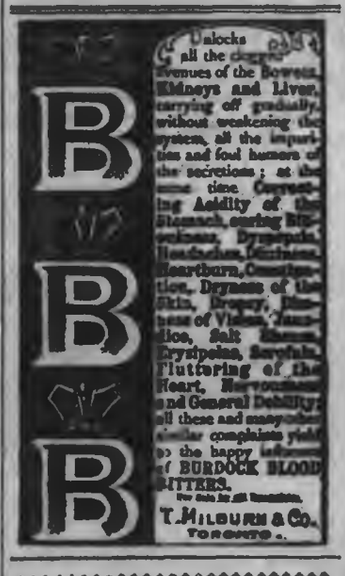
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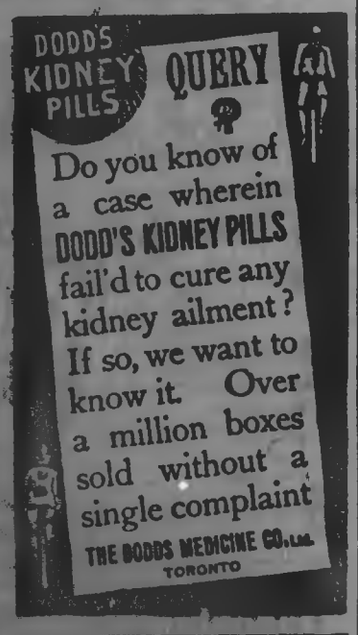
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Things Thrifty People in City, Town and Country May Do in Their Least Employed Hours—Beauty in Construction Necessary.

Well-to-do people are so fully occupied when they live in cities that they find little time for encouraging the poorer among their neighbors to put their hands to pleasant and profitable things. But in the country there are more leisure hours. Whether we live in town or country it is our duty to do what we can to make brighter the lives of those near us, who may be the better for our help. So we will look to see what can be done even in a town, and then afterward what may be accomplished when we go for a holiday among the green fields.

We have seen bees quite successfully kept in the midst of a great city. To be sure it was in a house near a park, and in the park were flowers. The bees never came into the parlor except in one place where there was an internal glass box. They were allowed to enter through a hole prepared for them from the outside in the wall.

When first brought to the glass case they seemed much puzzled what to do,

A SCREEN OF SMILAX.

and only climbed all over the glass and sought the warmth of the house, but they soon discovered the little passage to the outer air, and thereafter went in and out, and built themselves combs which they filled with honey, never caring that people in the inside of the house watched them. Many a good plate of honey have we had from our parlor beehive.

There is always a good market for honey, and if we can "turn an honest penny," or even a dollar, there is no harm done in showing others how to do it.

Though there is nothing more useful than the making of good skirts, socks, hose and waistcoats—which men and women like especially to receive as presents from their acquaintances—these old-fashioned labors or amusements can be varied in a way little known in our land. In Turkey, for instance, the women make the most lovely carpets from dyed wool. Although the manufacture of a big carpet is a difficult undertaking, the weaving of a chair-cover or fire screen can be soon done with the simplest parlor loom. The web is set perpendicularly and is clamped with a forked wooden clamp as the thread is woven around the standing thread. It is a very pretty and useful work.

Nothing is more to the purpose of neat household furnishing than pretty carved panels in cupboards and chests of drawers, and for village carpentry carving of this character is much encouraged in England. Boys, especially, are taught it in the country, and although the occupation results in some fingers being cut, this bloodshed is harmless, and the results often attractive and salable.

In England a society called the Home Industries Association has done much to encourage such pursuits in country cottages and in the little towns and villages. Spinning, leather, iron and wood work have all been found useful in giving amusement, and in helping people to add to small incomes. The binding of books has been made of the linen spun at home, designs being sometimes worked in for the covers.

The Recreative Evening Schools were founded for similar encouragement of home work, and in these meetings, which have been entirely supported and successfully conducted with no assistance from any government, the young people are taught to help them-

WOOD CARVING.

selves, and find the means that suits them best to obtain their livelihood.

Folks in landward parts can do much during long winter evenings. Look at the clocks made in the Black Forest! Look at the glass industries of Bohemia! Almost every glass prism and brilliant used in illuminations of cities comes from a peasant's house in Bohemia. These men and women sow and reap, and do all agricultural labors in the summer, and if you want them to make glass then you must pay dearly for it; but in the winter they are all making glass indoors while the frost is glazing over the rivers outside, and you can buy big brilliants quite cheaply.

In starting or encouraging such home industries we must look at the market where the things made by our friends are sold. There is no use in making articles which will not sell. In the case of the Bohemian peasants' industries, accident or the forethought of some among them has found a rich vein. The glass has a market, and can be easily sold. There is a pretty constant demand for it. Every town wants to decorate itself as brilliantly as possible when a president is elected, or when a national celebration of any kind takes place.

But a market for home products is not always easy to find, though evening work can often be made to produce articles cheaper than they can be supplied, even from large factories. Still, with things which are not what people call "specialties," there is no end to the competition they have to encounter. All the more necessary does it become to bring art or the quality of beauty to help out the making of such objects.

People say that taste is all a matter of association—that is to say, that if persons have been living among certain objects, and told that they are the prettiest, the taste or the liking for such things comes from having been long surrounded by them.

There is a great deal of truth in this. For instance, in India, where people make such beautiful carvings in wood and ivory, you generally see that the imitations of flowers and what is called floral ornament are very good, But the East Indian cannot carve good figures of men and women.

We go a little westward from India and find that in the great sculptures of Assyria, in the carvings that have been dug out of the mounds of rubbish which are now all that show the sites of old cities, the art has advanced. Many of the representations of ceremonies, of wars and of the life of the Assyrians and Babylonians are well drawn.

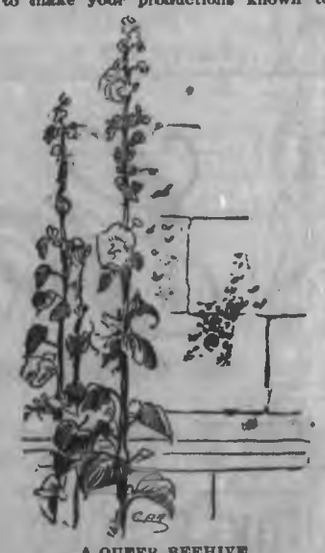
They also had a very good eye for color. They covered the interior walls of their palaces with beautifully harmonious coloring in glazed brick or tile work. Still farther west further progress was blown by the Egyptians, for many of their decorations are very beautiful, and great dignity is given to the portraits of the kings and priests and soldiers. The style, however, is still stiff.

But in communication with these artists, another people just across the narrow sea of the Mediterranean to the north, were gradually forming schools of art of the most wonderful kind. The Greeks took all that was good from the Egyptian style, and made a much better one of their own. It was in Greece that the most perfect forms of art arose, and our taste is doubtless derived from the knowledge of those marvellous Greeks.

And the beauty they gave to all they produced caused their work to be so admired that all which their artists made was sought after and bought at higher prices than the work of others.

So it is to this day. If you mingle beauty and excellence of design with your business productions, you will always find a market more easily than if you only go on copying old models of ordinary character. Make each thing, therefore, as pretty as you can consistently with its use. They buyers will say, "Oh, no one can make any table, or chair, or dress, or candlestick, or lampstand so well," and they will buy of you.

There is another matter to be thought about besides the question of beauty—there is the question how best to make your productions known to



A QUEER BEEHIVE.

those who are buyers. If a man wishes to purchase anything, he will go to those who tell him it is to be got at a certain place at a certain price. So it is necessary to find the best means of making known what is to be had, and where it can be bought.

To make this thoroughly well known brings us to the question of advertising, or publishing where the work done can be bought. This is a very big question. You know many business people spend hundreds of thousands of dollars in advertising alone. They put paragraphs in the newspapers, they get men to paint horrid, big red or white letters on rocks and in every place which is much visited by people. All this advertising is to direct buyers to those who are called "dry goods storemen," or distributors, or "universal providers."

Now these distributors do not make the articles as a rule. They only sell them. The difficulty with village or home industries is to know how to distribute as well as make the objects.

Some very ambitious village and home societies say, "Oh, we will do without the distributor, or middleman, altogether. He takes so much commission, or payment, that it will be cheaper for us to sell direct to the purchaser, who will get more value for his money if the article does not pass through the hands of the middleman." Alas! the middleman is probably a necessity.

Very few manufacturers can afford to do all the advertising that the middleman does. If he advertises he attracts people, and his profit or commission is well earned. Still, it is possible for home industries to select reasonable middlemen who will take some interest in the local work, and will not charge so heavy a commission. There are such men.

Wherever an industry can be fixed in a village, there a happy home life is fostered. The women of England and of America have done a great deal to establish such happiness among the people, and we hope that every boy and girl who reads of these things will make up his or her mind, not only to occupy time well in person, but to assist others to pursue those domestic industries which are in the first rank of good causes.—H. R. Highness the Princess Louise and the Marquis of Lorne, in Youth's Companion.

The whole Story

Of the great sales attained and great cures accomplished by Hood's Sarsaparilla is quickly told. It purifies and enriches the blood, tones the stomach and gives strength and vigor. Disease cannot enter the system fortified by the rich, red blood which comes by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, indigestion, biliousness. All druggist. 25c

DOAN'S
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..Remember..

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Kidney Pills

ARE THE BEST

For Sale by JAMES LYNCH, 168 Hunter Street.

Peterborough Light and Power COMPANY, LTD.

Gas at $2 per Thousand Cubic ft.
Gas (for cooking or heating) at $1.25 per Thousand Cubic ft.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Arc Lamps, $65.00 per Annum,
Incandescent Lamps, (16 Candle) $7.50 per Annum.

Series Lamps, 65 c. p., not furnished.

Incandescent Lamps for house lighting, by meter at ½ cent per 16 c. p. lamp per hour.

A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

D. BELLEGHEM,
Issuer of Marriage Licenses,
Hunter Street Peterborough.
OFFICE—FURNITURE WAREROOMS

B.B.B.
WILL CURE OR RELIEVE
INDIGESTION, FLUTTERING OF THE HEART,
DYSPEPSIA, ACIDITY OF THE STOMACH,
SALT RHEUM, DISTRESS OF THE
HEARTBURN, SICK,
HEADACHE, DIZZINESS,
BILLOUSNESS, DROPSY,
DYSPEPSIA, and many similar ailments arising from disordered LIVER, KIDNEYS, STOMACH, BOWELS OR BLOOD.
T. MILBURN & Co.
TORONTO.

QUICKCURE

Well, my dear if you would only try "Quickcure" the aching would stop at once.

That Aching Tooth

"No matter from what it is caused, yields promptly to one application of "Quickcure."

The pain disappears almost immediately. Inflammation is promptly checked and needless suffering avoided. "Quickcure" may be relied on as a certain cure for toothache. Sold by druggists or

The Quickcure Company Ltd. Quebec, Can.

QUICKCURE

CANADA DECLARES "THAT TOSCANA IS THE FINEST 10¢ CIGAR SOLD IN THIS COUNTRY"

A Gold Mine Investment

In the ROSSLAND DISTRICT may be safe, but Time (that never mistaken critic) has not yet had sufficient opportunity to prove all the statements that are being made as to such investments.

An investor in a Mason & Risch Piano on the other hand, not only has the assurance of his ears that these instruments are what their makers claim they are, but has the testimony of thousands of purchasers who have bought them, as to their durability and capability of standing in tune.

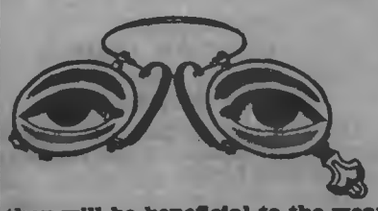
The Mason & Risch Piano is a safe investment.

Write for Illustrated catalogue—mailed free.

THE
Mason & Risch Piano Co.,
(LIMITED)

32 King St., West, Toronto.

There is Such a Thing



As wearing Glasses when you shouldn't, and not wearing them when you should.

It is a mistake to do either.

We only give Glasses when they will be beneficial to the wearer.

W. A. SANDERSON

Optician and Jeweller.

THE BLOOD WILL TELL.

People who have been or are now suffering from severe Cough, Bronchitis, Throat and Lung Troubles, or are run down from severe Sickness, General Debility, or Blood Impoverishment, should almost live on

MADILL'S EMULSION OF COD LIVER OIL.

Nothing to equal it for enriching the blood, nourishing the system and alleviating and curing cough and lung irrritations.

Prescribed daily by physicians. It is a perfectly digestible and absorbable food. Made fresh every week. The oil is so carefully emulsified that taste is almost entirely covered and is very easily assimilated. This remedy has no superior. Put up in large bottles at 75c.

PREPARED BY

WM. MADILL

Chemist and Druggist.

142 Hunter St. Peterborough.

HUSTLING HAVELOCK.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Havelock school board met first meeting. Members elected were Messrs. Bryans, Copp and Rose. After taking of officers. Members present, Messrs. Bryan, Copp, Rose, Walton, Miel and Mark.

Moved by Messrs. Walton and Miell that Mr. Bryans act as chairman for year 1897. —Carried.

Minutes of previous meeting read and signed.

Moved by Messrs. Rose and Walton, that Mr. Mark act as secretary-treasurer for the year 1897 at present salary—Carried.

The chairman appointed for his committees for the year, Messrs. Meill and Walton, educational committee; business committee, Messrs. Copp, Rose and Mark.

Moved by Messrs. Mark and Meill, that the council have the use of school room for the year 1897 for its meetings, for the sum of five dollars for lighting and cleaning, provided we do not need it for school purposes, and the council appoint and pay truant officer if required by school board.

Moved by Messrs. Copp and Mark that Mr. Brenton be re-engaged as caretaker for the year 1897 at a salary of $96, present agreement. —Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Mark and Miell, that the board meet on the first Monday of each month at 8 p.m.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Copp and Rose that the secretary send the minutes of this board to be printed by the EXAMINER for 1897.

Moved by Messrs. Meill and Walton that furnace pipes be cleaned by Mr. Phillips at as early a date as possible.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Meill and Walton, that the board purchase 20 cords of hardwood, 36 inches long, and the secretary tender for same, tenders to be open to 4 p. m. on Feb. 1st, the lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Miell and Rose that the board prohibit any non-resident children attending this school on account of the crowded condition of school room.

Moved by Messrs. Walton and Rose that Mr. Brenton be paid $4 for extra work done in 1896.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Mark and Copp that account of 90c due G. Liscomb for repairs be paid.—Carried.

"You Never Miss the Water Till the Well Runs Dry."

Some people never know the value of good spring water until their well gives out, or their pump gets out of repair, or they have tried the Otonabee brand of water. I have talked to lots of them, and sent them away as happy as Moses did when he smote the rock. Come over to Ashburnham with your pump troubles—I can cure them. Do you need a cistern, vat or water tank of any kind? I build them any size. All kinds of wood turning executed—a practical man always at the lathe. Lumbermen's and Electric Company's supplied with cant hooks, pike poles, insulating pins, side blocks, cross arms, etc—G. WALTER GREEN, at Ashburnham Factory, north of Wand's Mill. Telephone 92. 2aw

CASTORIA

The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentry, Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. Never travel without it. Price 35c.

ASPHODEL COUNCIL.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The council elect for Asphodel met at town hall, Westwood, on Jan. 11th, and after taking necessary declarations of office, took their seats as follows: Reeve, Jos. Andrews; deputy reeve, Wm. Oakman; councillors, R. A. Scott, P. McNulty and John Harrison. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. A communication was received from J. B. Pearce, member of the county council, stating that he would be pleased to receive any recommendations concerning matters to be dealt with by the county council, and asking the council to make some recommendations in the matter of the steel bridge which was not disposed of by the road and bridge committee, which was referred to last year's council. A communication was received from Henry Humphries, asking to be appointed treasurer at a salary of $40.00 per annum. Communication was also received from Robt. Tudhope, asking for the position of clerk, at a salary of $50 per annum. Tenders were received for the township's printing as follows: J. G. Keefer, Norwood Register; P. Lancaster, Hastings; L. H. Striver, Hastings Star; Peterborough Times Printing Co. Moved by Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr. McNulty, that the tender of Norwood Register be accepted, he to do all necessary printing, advertising and furnish blanks for election purposes, and that the Hastings Star receive $5 for printing the minutes of council.—Carried.

Rev. Father Conway was present and addressed the council, asking to be appointed trustee of the Norwood High School, giving as his reasons for such request that a large number of his congregation attended the High School as pupils; that there was no trustee of the Roman Catholic persuasion on the board and that it was only fair for them to be represented. Thos. Bark, High School Trustee, being present, addressed the council in Rev. Father Conway's behalf. A petition signed by David Sloan, Robt. Wilson, W. F. Elliott, Wm. Bicket, W. H. McMillan and forty-six others was presented to the council asking for the appointment of John W. McNaughton as High School Trustee. Moved by Messrs. Wm. Oakman and John Harrison that the appointment of High School Trustee for Norwood High School be laid over until next meeting of council.

Moved by Wm. Oakman and R. A. Scott that orders be drawn on the treasurer for the following:—Patrick Doherty, for use of for election purposes, $5; John Breckenridge, D. R. O. fees and lock for box, $8.25; Wm. Knox, D. R. O. fees, $4; W. A. Harrison, D. R. O. and constable fees, $5; Treasurer of Norwood, use of town hall for election purposes, $4; John Drummond, constable fee at election, $1; John Breckenridge, registering 69 births, marr ages and deaths at 20c, $13 80; half arbitration expenses S. S. No. 1 and No. 2, Asphodel, and No. 6, Otonabee, $18 88; W. Baskin, injury to horse on boundary, $20; J. Clysdale, rebate on taxes, $2. P. English asked that his road division be divided between lots 17 and 18. The matter was left over till next council meeting. The collector was instructed to return his roll not latter than next meeting of council. John Doherty asked for a reduction on charges for town hall for reception purposes and balls. Moved by Mr. Harrison, seconded by Mr. Oakman, that the fee for such purposes be placed at $4.00 instead of $6.00.—Carried. Mr. Oakman introduced a bylaw fixing salaries of council officers for 1897, and on motion the following was settled on:—Clerk, $70; treasurer, $50; assessor, $40; collector, $45; auditor, each, $4; members of board of health, $2 per day; councillors, $1.50 per day and milage; commissioners, $3 per day. On motions, which were carried, the following were declared in office:—Wm. Sharp, treasurer; R. Elmhirst, assessor; John McCarty and Robt. Tudhope, auditors; board of health, Jas. Andrews (reeve), John Breckenridge (clerk), Walter Scott, Matthew Knox and Israel Humphries; medical health officer, Dr. McNaughton.

Mr. D. Hunter asked for use of town hall for holding night school.—Granted at a fee of 25 cents per night.

Mr. Scott was appointed commissioner for southeast division, Mr. McNulty for northeast division, Mr. Harrison for northwest division, Mr. Oakman for southwest division and reeve for boundary line, each to have $100 to expend on roads and bridges of his division. Moved by Messrs. McNulty and Harrison, that the reeve, deputy-reeve and Mr. Tudhope be a committee to wait on county county council at next session re bridge to be built at river Ouse, near Steele's bridge. Council agreed to go in a body on Wednesday, 13th inst, and examine river at Steele's Bridge. The clerk stated he had received award of the arbitrators, John Moloney, reeve of Douro, on behalf of Asphodel; Robt. Harrison, on behalf of Otonabee, and J. C. Brown, P.C.I., which showed that they had removed the east half of lots 9, 10 and 11 in the 1st concession of Asphodel, from S.S. No. 2, Asphodel and 6, Otonabee, and annexed the same to S.S. No. 1, Asphodel, and that the costs of the arbitration, $36 65, be paid equally by Asphodel and Otonabee.

Council adjourned to meet first Monday in February for appointment of pathmasters, poundkeepers, school trustees and other business.

Piles Cured by Dr. Chase.

M. Iral, 186 Drolet Street, Montreal. 15 years suffered. Cured of Blind Itching Piles.

William Butler, Possawan, Ont., Suffered many months. Cured of protruding Piles by one box.

Pabano Bastard, Gower Point, Ont. Suffered for 30 years. Cured of Itching Piles by three boxes.

Nelson Simons, Myersburg, Ont., cured of Itching Piles.

Dr. Chase's Ointment will positively cure all forms of Piles. Write any of the above if in doubt.

TWO GOOD BOOKS.

"In the Early Days of the Canada Company"—And "Snap Shots for Boys."

Mr. Wm. Briggs, publisher, is doing a good work in promoting the interests of Canadian literature by the timely and frequent issue of works by Canadian writers A notable contribution at the present time when interest in the history of the country is very encouragingly excited, is "In the Days of the Canada Company," by Misses Robina and Kathleen Lizars. It is a handsome volume of about 500 octavo pages, very finely printed and bound and excellently illustrated. It is a history in a certain sense of the presence and operations of the Canada Company in the country for a quarter of a century—from 1825 to 1850, and a great deal of personal narration is associated with it that makes very interesting reading. Necessarily the style and scheme of the work are somewhat sketchy, but the national flavour of the contents and the warm personal influence that pervades its pages make the volume one that should not be wanting on Canadian book shelves. As Rev. Principal Grant says of it in the preface written by him, "it throws light on the making of Canada," and, therefore, is a contribution of historical material for which there is an urgent demand. Toronto, Wm. Briggs, $2.00; to be had at the Peterborough Bookstore.

"Snap Shots for Boys," by Mr. F. C. T. O'Hara, published by Wm. Briggs, is nevertheless a very neat hit in the bull's eye. It is a modest little work, consisting of several spirited chapters of excellent advice to toys. But it is by no means dry; for it is written in such a capitally racy and taking style that a healthy boy will rise to the bait at once, and read the little volume with interest and with, what is far better, decided profit. It is most healthy in spirit, and while its teaching is high in tone, there is no trace of a suggestiveness of cant. The writer, Mr. O'Hara, is the private secretary of Sir Richard Cartwright, Minister of Trade and Commerce, and is recognized as a graceful and wholesome writer. A parent who buys "Snap Shots for Boys" for his boy, will make a small but excellent investment.

LINDSAY WINS THE DOUBLES.

Peterboro Curlers Beaten in the Finals by Nineteen Shots.

Lindsay, Jan. 21.—Public interest in the bonspiel continues unabated, and, indeed, appears to have increased owing to the continuous successes of the Lindsay rinks in the double and single rink competitions. Parkdale, Orillia, Hamilton and other defeated rinks have departed, but not without expressing their satisfaction at the treatment accorded them. The announcement this morning that the Winnipegers and the veteran team of Lindsay, skipped by Mr. J. D. Flavelle, would meet, created great enthusiasm, and every available inch of the rink was occupied by spectators. The result, after a hard pull, was Lindsay 17, Winnipeg 10. The following games were played off this morning:

Oshawa.	Lindsay.
Sykes, sk.....22	Ferguson, sk.....16
Peterboro.	Hamilton.
Rutherford, sk.....28	Russell, sk.....14
Winnipeg.	Lindsay.
Jamieson, sk.....10	Flavelle, sk.....17
Oshawa.	Lindsay.
Dingle, sk.....17	Storer, sk.....11
Peterboro.	Bobcaygeon.
Ray, sk.....18	Bottum, sk.....11
Lindsay.	Lindsay.
Foster, sk.....13	Keith, sk.....13
Lindsay.	Lindsay.
McSweyn, jr., sk.....5	Knowles, sk.....16

The results in the single competition on the third draw, consolation, this afternoon, are as follows:

Oshawa.	Lindsay.
Dingle, sk.....14	Needler, sk.....8
Lindsay.	Bobcaygeon.
Edwards, sk.....17	Gidley, sk.....14
Lindsay.	Lindsay.
McLennan, sk.....13	Ferguson, sk.....8
Lindsay.	Lindsay.
Millar, sk.....17	Keith, sk.....14
—Fourth Draw—	
Bobcaygeon.	Lakefield.
Read, sk.....16	R C Strickland, sk.1
Oshawa.	Lindsay.
Dingle, sk.....20	Millar, sk.....10
Oshawa.	Peterboro.
Skyes, sk.....16	Rutherford, sk...12

The great game this evening was the finals in the double rink competition, between the Peterboro Granites and Lindsay. Both Lindsay rinks commenced scoring at the start, and by the fifth end had a lead of 15. The Peterboro men tried hard to reduce this lead, but the Lindsays played carefully and prevented their opponents from scoring large ends, and won by 12 points.

Fine Furniture at Low Prices.

It is seldom that this chance comes to pick up such really fine things in handsome chairs, centre tables, screens, etc., are now being shown in Clegg's furniture store window. The tickets placed on the goods tell the tale of a substantial reduction. No better goods can be had in the cities. Every article guaranteed as superior in design in material and in finish.

The Wabash Railway Trains

running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled from end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Cholera, Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus and all summer complaints and fluxes of the bowels in children or adults.

One Every Night.

One Laxa-Liver Pill taken each night during 30 days will cure Constipation, oft-returning Headaches and irregular action of the bowels. Laxa-Liver Pills leave no unpleasant after-effect.

Carpentering and Cabinet Work done Floors and Carpets Laid.

WOOD TURNINGS Verandah, Hall Cabinet or other kinds of Turning done in F. BEGLEY'S usual cheap and satisfactory style. See our neat Verandah Brackets.

E. COURTNEY. Over Wand's Sash Factory, Ashburnham.

"MINDS PROFITS WITHOUT MINING RISKS."

SEND FOR A PROSPECTUS OF

THE EASTERN MINING SYNDICATE

E. L. SAWYER, Manager Canada Life Bldg., Toronto, Ont.

Overhauling The Heaps!

WHAT WE FIND WE ARE SHOVING OUT TO QUICK BUYERS.

We've the work of stock-taking on our hands. As we travel through the stock we come on a lot of goods of mighty fine value. Still we want to get rid of them. We've put them down for a sacrifice. We're going to burn them as the boys say.

SEE WHAT OUR SEARCH DISCLOSES:

137 Men's Overcoats of one line, all sizes and in all shades at..... **$2.45**

200 Men's Suits of one line, all sizes and patterns at..... **$4.90**

These are all extra good All Wool Scotch Tweed.

1 lot of Heavy Blue Serge, 70 Suits, only large sizes left, will sell for..... **$3.50**

500 Boys' Suits, 2 piece, sizes from 22 to 28, at **98c, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.60 each.**

50 doz. Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers at..... **25c.**

25 doz. Men's York stripe Underwear at..... **35c.**

1000 pairs Men's Braces at..... **50.**

Only 10 doz. of the famous Loch Lommond Flannel Top Shirts left, now selling for **49c.**

500 pairs German Felt Slippers **10c. to 40c**

400 pairs Ladies' Felt Boots, **25c. up.**

200 pairs Men's Overshoes, from **$1 up.**

Men's Alaska Overshoes, worth 99c, for..... **60c.**

Ladies' long Rubber Boots, per pair..... **99c.**

80 pairs Youth's and Boy's Long Boots..... **99c**

Remember the values are offered you and winter has fairly set it. They are sparkling fine value and don't you forget it.

Gough Bros.

The Wonderful Cheap Clothiers - - Lindsay, Peterborough, Port Hope.

BREAKFAST FOOD and MEALS.

We can strongly recommend our Breakfast Cereals and Meals, as they are the best obtainable, including the superior products of the Ireland National Feed Co. Inferior goods are not wanted here and shoppers are reminded of that.

—ROLLED WHEAT,	—FARIMOSA,
—ROLLED OATS,	—GRAHAM FLOUR,
—OATMEAL,	—SPLIT PEAS,
—CORNMEAL.	—POT BARLEY,

Try our Fragrant Coffee or Tea with any of these. Fearman's Breakfast Bacon, Fresh Eggs and Choice Butter. Store closes at NINE O'CLOCK sharp every evening until further notice.

SETTLING ACCOUNTS—We have to thank many of our customers for settling their accounts so promptly. Our office will be kept open until 9 o'clock every evening for the convenience of those who cannot call during the day to settle their bills. As stock-taking begins 1st February it will be a great favour to have all overdue accounts paid before that date.

M. L. HENRY & CO

Grocers and Wine Merchants, opposite the Opera House, George Street. Telephone 116.

HORSE GOODS.

BLACK OILED CANVAS WATERPROOF COVERS.

An oil preparation—no tar in their composition. Easily repaired, after use if found to leak can be made perfectly waterproof again. Any kind or size of oiled goods made to order.

WATERPROOF HORSE COVERS, WATERPROOF LAP RUGS.

Warranted strictly waterproof made of heavy duck. The best to be had in town from

ALF. KINGSCOTE,

The Tent, Sail and Awning maker, at old stand Water Street, opposite the Market Square

Lindsay & Might

Real Estate, Insurance and Employment Office.

Good value in houses, lots and farms to sell, rent or exchange. Insurance in good companies and at low rates.

A Splendid Brick House, Furnace, Bath Double Lot, Stable, Nice Situation. $2600.

Good 2-story Brick House, nine Rooms, Good Garden, Spruce and Maple Trees. $1,350.

Telephone 203. Rents Collected.

OFFICE HOURS—8.30 a. m. to 8 p.m

Under Market Hall. 226 George Street.

NEW YEAR'S DAINTIES —AT— PHILP & CO'S

Fruit, Oyster, Game and Confectionery Store.

Every nook and corner of the store filled with the most desirable things for Christmas.

Valencia Oranges	Canned Delicacies
Florida Oranges	New Relishes
New Lemons	Filberts, Almonds
Spanish Grapes	Fine Confectionery
Luscious Figs	Apples, Bananas
Tocheome Dates	English Walnuts
Crosse & Blackwell's Specialties	
Cranberries	Sea Salmon, etc.
Celery	Finnan Haddies
Fresh Fish, etc.	Fowl
Xmas Oysters Selects—cans or bulk.	

The very Choicest Lines of

Chocolates, Creams and Confectionery.

All new—all fresh—just opened out.

Glad to see all old friends and many new ones!

Come and get a bunch of English Holly with your purchases.

378 George St., Phone 18.

PULLMAN HOUSE

Frank Fairen, PROPRIETOR. | 28 George Street Peterborough.

Fresh air and exercise are all right, Boys, but you want a little something occasionally for the stomach's sake. You can always count on getting it good at the Pullman. But be temperate, Boys, and let your watchful "moderation

Peterborough Curling & Skating Rink Co

SKATING TICKETS

SEASON 1896-7.

The rink is now open for skating forenoons afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies	$2 00
For Gentlemen	3 00
For Girls	1 50
For Youths	2 00
For Boys	1 50

FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each additional member half rates.

Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

EVENING PARTIES

and other SOCIETY EVENTS

Supplied with all the delicacies of the season. Oyster Patties made to order on short notice. Society and social functions carefully supplied and personally attended to.

Our stock of Confectionery and Fruits is always large, choice and reliable.

LONG BROS.,

Caterers & Confectioners, 201 & 111 Geo. St.

JAMES G. BURNHAM

BARRISTER, &c., &c.

London and Canadian Chambers, 229 Bay Street, Toronto.

MONEY TO LOAN

In the County of Peterborough and surrounding district at 5 % on Gilt Edge Securities.

The Daily Examiner.

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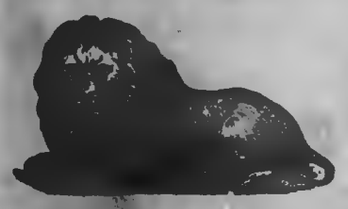
Very Cold To-mor

High westerly to northwesterly winds; mostly fair and decidedly colder, with snow flurries; very cold to-morrow.

R. F.



WHITE GOODS SENSATION!

The men are puzzled to know how it is that so many ladies are flocking to the Golden Lion buying Whitewear in January! The remark has been heard that the very thought of it sends a cold chill down his back, but there's a-something about it lady shoppers understand. We have made it worth their while to buy Whitewear here just now—even if it is midwinter! Big stores like ours have to be on the lert to make business interesting. nd these special buying chances in anuary stimulate trade when it is cline3 to be dull.

There is a great change in the ne w styles and qualities this year; and, b esides, the prices are lower. Having n o old stock to work off, ladies need have no hesitation. Such values as are represented in this store have never been equalled, in a regular way, much less discounted. Prices are decidedly below anything ever before attempted. We mean that exactly as its written

LADIES' CORSET COVERS 10c, 20c 30c, 35c, 50c, and 65c.
LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.65, $2 up to $3 the garment.
LADIES' DRAWERS 25c, 35c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 85c, and $1
LADIES' WHITE SKIRTS 75c, $1, $1.25, $1 50 and $1 75.

FREE—With every 50c purchase of Whitewear we give a Sheet of Popular Music Free.

Robt. Fair,

Importer of Dry Goods & Carpets

Sign of the Golden Lion, 293 George Street, Peterborough.

SECOND CROP OF BARGAINS

As there is a good deal of winter yet before us, it is unnecessary to point out the wisdom of buying now.

This is the month of lucky chances and snaps in mid-winter goods An aftermath of Bargains for shrewd buyers—lines which we have laid out during stock-taking such as Serges, Cheviots, Heavy Tweeds and other Remnants, as well as Millinery, to be sold even at HALF REGULAR PRICES.

We don't want to carry winter lines past their regular selling season. No relics here. This store is not a museum. We have neither old goods nor old ideas.

You need the goods—we need the room they occupy—so there is mutual benefit all round in the selling of them.

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THE BUBONIC PLAGUE

French Doctor Said to Have Found an Antidote.

REPORTS GREATLY EXAGGERATED

Death of Sir Isaac Pitman, the Father of Shorthand—The British Expedition Scattered the Forces of the Emir of Nupe—General News From the Old Country.

London, Jan. 22.—In the House of Commons to-day Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for India, stated that Lord Sandhurst, Lieut.-Governor of Bombay, had informed the India Office by telegraph that alarmist telegrams, greatly exaggerating the plague situation, as regards the spread of the contagion to Europeans, were being sent from Bombay to Europe by press representatives and others. Thus far, Lord Sandhurst wired, only four Europeans had died from the plague, including a physician and a nurse.

Dr. Yersin, a French physician, claims also to have discovered an antidote for the bubonic plague. In the course of an interview with a writer of Le Monde Illustre, Dr. Yersin said: "This plague is really the cleanest of all diseases. The patient has a little fever, feels a slight fatigue, a boil makes its appearance, and, after a few hours of suffering, he dies without any of those repugnant complications peculiar to other epidemic diseases." The doctor has also studied the bacilli of the plague. "The pulp of the bubos," he said, "is in every case filled with a veritable mass of short and stout bacilli, with rounded heads. Sometimes the bacilli appear as if surrounded by a capsule. They are found in large quantities in the bubos and ganglions of the patients." Dr. Yersin concluded that inoculation of a more virulent variety of the specific bacillus would give immunity against the plague and after first experimenting on animals he was equally successful later with human beings. These experiments, as stated in our despatch from Bombay, are in the same direction as those made by Prof. Kaffkine.

Pilgrims to be Stopped.

Calcutta, Jan. 22.—The Governor has ordered the stoppage, on Feb. 2, of all pilgrim traffic from Bombay and Kurrachee, on account of the plague. There are now over 1,750,000 persons employed on the relief works and about 170,000 are receiving gratuitous relief. The principal increase in the number of persons relieved is in Bengal and the northwest. The cost of the relief works is nearing two lakhs of rupees (between $50,000 and $60,000) daily. The exodus from Kurrachee continues. There have been 543 cases of the plague there and 468 deaths. At Bombay the plague mortality is estimated at 248 daily.

DEATH OF SIR ISAAC PITMAN.

The Father of Shorthand Passes Over to the Great Majority.

London, Jan. 22.—Sir Isaac Pitman, the inventor of the system of stenography which bears his name, is dead.

Sir Isaac Pitman was born at Trowbridge, Wilts, Jan. 4, 1813. After six years' service as a clothier's clerk he was sent to the Normal College of the British and Foreign School Society, London, and after five months' training, at the close of 1831 was appointed master of the British School, Barton-on-Humber. He established the British School at Wotton-Under-Edge in 1836, and returned to Bath in 1839.

His first treatise on shorthand, entitled "Stenographic Sound," appeared in 1837, and he thus became the originator of the spelling reform, to which and the propagation of his system of phonetic shorthand he devoted his entire attention after 1843, when the Phonetic Society was established. His system of shorthand was renamed in 1840 and entitled "Phonography, or Writing by Sound," and his "Phonographic Reporter's Companion"- appeared in 1844. Mr. Pitman edited and printed The Phonetic Journal. Besides printing his own instruction books on teaching phonetic shorthand, Mr. Pitman issued a little library of about eighty volumes, printed entirely in shorthand, from the Bible to "Rasselas."

In the autumn of 1887 an international shorthand congress and jubilee of phonography was held in London, and Mr. Pitman's family were presented with his bust. A gold medal from the phonographers of the United States and one from those of Great Britain and the colonies were presented to Mr. Pitman in recognition of the invention of his system of shorthand, and of his labors for the reformation of English orthography. Mr. Pitman received the honor of knighthood in 1894.

SAVAGES SCATTERED.

The Royal Niger Company's Expedition Found No One to Fight.

Brass, Guiana Coast, Jan. 22.—News has just been received that the expedition sent by the Royal Niger Company against the Emir of Nupe from Lokoja, found the Foulah army dispersed, and in flight when it arrived at Kabba. The expedition consisted of 500 Houssa troops, six Maxim rapid-firing guns, 26 mounted European officers and 900 carriers. It was headed by the Governor, Sir George Goldie, and was accompanied by the Royal Niger Company's flotilla of armed stern-wheel steamers.

The quarrel between the powerful Emir of Nupe and the Niger Company is an old one, and rose from the Emir raiding the company's territory for slaves. The Foulah force at Kabba was estimated to number 20,000 foot and 2000 cavalry.

BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Dillon's Amendment for Irish Husbandry Relief Voted Down.

London, Jan. 22.—The House of Commons last night discussed Mr. Dillon's amendment calling upon the Government to introduce comprehensive measures for the relief of Irish husbandry. The amendment was finally rejected by a vota of 189 to 125.

An amendment to the address in reply to the Queen's Speech, offered by Charles J. Engledow, anti-Parnellite member for North Kildare, was withdrawn by advice of Timothy Healey. Mr. Engledow's amendment was a request that the Government establish a catholic University in Ireland. Mr. Healey advised its withdrawal in view of the fact that Arthur Balfour, the Government leader in the House, had declared that the Government would establish such a university when a sufficient number of Catholics who did not use the present university would desire it.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Cambridge University Prize for the Best English Essay.

London, Jan. 22.—The Cambridge University prize for the best English essay has been awarded to a student named Reddaway. The subject of the essay is "The Monroe Doctrine," and the Cambridge examiners have declared that Mr. Reddaway's production is worthy of being published.

Russia Holds the Road

New York, Jan. 22.—A special to The Herald from St. Petersburg says: The following have been appointed directors of the Chinese railroad: Privy Councillor Romanof, of the Ministry of Finance; Director Rochstein of the Banque Internationale; Prince Ukhtomsky, Director of the Russian-Chinese Bank, and M.M. Tsigler and Poktiloff, Directors of Constructions at the Nijni-Novgorod exhibition, with an unnamed Chinese mandarin as chairman.

Orders have been given for the construction of the line, to be begun at once.

Floods in Spain.

Madrid, Jan. 22.—The floods which have prevailed for several days in the districts through which the Guadalquivir and Manzanares Rivers flow are on the increase. Both rivers, as well as a number of smaller streams, have overflown their banks, and immense tracts of country are submerged. Railway travel is entirely suspended, and the port of Seville is closed to vessels, owing to high waters. The damage to property is enormous.

Lost Her Deck Load.

Gibraltar, Jan. 22.—The British steamer Garland, Capt. Hodgson, from Savannah, Jan. 1, for Barcelona and Genoa, has arrived here. On Jan. 8 she experienced heavy weather and lost her deck load of staves.

The Holbein's Bill.

London Jan. 22.—A verdict was rendered in the Admiralty Court, awarding the sum of £2900 to the owners of the British steamer Holbein for towing the British steamer Cotehele into Halifax in November last. The Cotehele, while on a voyage from New York for Hull, with a general cargo, broke her tail shaft and lost her propeller and drifted for five days before being picked up by the Holbein.

POOR OLD SLAVES.

One Born in 1782 is Dead—His Wife Still Lives at the Great Age of 105 Years.

Ridgeway, Ont., Jan. 22.—Joseph Jones, who claimed to have waited on George Washington while he was a guest at the home of his former owner, died here yesterday at the reputed age of 115 years. Jones was a colored man, and up to about 40 years ago was a slave. A few years previous to the outbreak of the war Jones and his wife fled from Virginia, and, after many hardships and narrow escapes, reached this section, where he has resided ever since. When Jones arrived in Ridgeway he was then what would be called an old man. He was a man of considerable intelligence and some education, and always maintained that he was born in 1782. His statement came to be generally accepted. His wife, who survives, is 105 years old. She is blind and for the past few years has been in the almshouse at Welland.

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Trade and Navigation Returns Show Toronto Coming Up—Report of the Intercolonial Railway for the Year—The Alleged Smuggling of Coal Oil—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Advices have just been received here of the formation in England of a great financial institution, the ramifications of which are to extend throughout Great Britain and the colonies. It is to be known as the British Empire Finance Corporation. There are to be six directors in England and advisory boards of four directors each in Australia and Canada. The following gentlemen have been appointed as the advisory board in Canada: Sir Charles Tupper, Hon. J. W. Longley, Sir James Grant, ex-M. P., and Rufus Pope, M. P.

The Department of Railways and Canals has made up the figures of the receipts and working expenses of the Intercolonial Railway last year for publication in the annual report. The total receipts of the Intercolonial amounted to $2,9?,640, and the working expenses to $3,012,827, showing a deficit for the year of $55,187. There was an increase in the revenue of nearly $17,600 and in the expenditure of $62,526. This increase was largely due to the cost of improving the permanent way and works, $105,087 being the increased amount spent for these purposes. The net deficit on the Prince Edward Island Railway was $78,662, or a total of $134,449 on account of the different Government roads.

Trade and navigation returns, which will be out shortly, will demonstrate that Toronto is fast overtaking Montreal in the matter of annual receipts on account of customs duties. Formerly there used to be a great disparity between the two cities, Montreal more than doubling Toronto as regards collections. During the past year the total amount of customs duties collected at Montreal was $6,784,572 and at Toronto $1,189,194. It is a fair presumption, however, that the greater portion of goods entered at customs in Montreal were destined for Ontario points, so that if the real figures could be got at it would probably be found that Toronto was ahead of Montreal in this respect. Halifax is the third port in the Dominion, with collections amounting to $1,093,152. Then come St. John, $791,317; Quebec, $686,157; Victoria, $655,770; Hamilton, $514,805; London, $508,886; Ottawa, $295,906; Windsor, $225,749; Port Erie, $22,469, and Kingston, $109,674.

At the Customs Department the report from Niagara Falls, N. Y., of extensive smuggling of coal oil into Canada is discredited. However, an official report on the subject has been called for. The statement that free admission is permitted into the Dominion of coal oil in quantities of one gallon or less is wholly incorrect. On any dutiable article free admission is not permitted under the law, no matter how small the quantity or value may be. However, it has been represented to the department that the duty of a few cents on articles of small value causes more work and cost than the actual amount of duty derived, and the department has now under consideration the adoption of a rule whereby duty will not be collected on any article of less value than 50 cents.

The total amount received by the Government last year for the Chinese immigration poll tax was $38,800. Of this amount $47,400 was secured at Vancouver and $39,347 at Victoria. Under the statute British Columbia is entitled to one-fourth of the amount collected on Chinese arrivals in that province, the total amount therefore payable to the Provincial Government being $21,812.

Mr. G. B. Burland of the British American Bank Note Company, has been in the capital since the beginning of the week in connection with the Government contract for notes, stamps, postal cards, etc., although it was said last week the contract had been awarded to the American Bank Note Company. The papers have not been signed binding that bargain, and Mr. Burland has yet hopes that it may never be signed. The Free Press says he has amended his tender and submitted an offer to do the work at the same figure as the American firm, and expects yet to get the preference. The matter will stand till Mr. Fielding returns to Ottawa.

A special general meeting of the Tobique Valley Gypsum Company was held here to-day. Mr. Costigan, Hon. Peter White and Senator Temple were among those present. A number of shareholders were represented by proxy.

It is reported that there are good prospects of an arrangement with the C.P.R. to operate the Tobique Valley Railway next spring, in which event the company will commence active operations.

The analytical experts of the Inland Revenue Department will shortly enter upon an examination of samples of manufactured fertilizers sent in from all parts of the country.

The Mayor's Indian Famine Relief Fund is making good progress.

City tradesmen were interviewed today regarding the proposed weekly half-holiday. Great differences of opinion were manifested.

Hon F. Peters, Canadian counsel of the Behring Sea arbitration, has telegraphed the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, stating that there is no truth in the report from Victoria last week that Capt. Hansen, a Canadian witness before the arbitrators, had been drugged by an American named McLean.

A meeting of the Cabinet was held this morning, at which Mr. Laurier, Sir Oliver Mowat, Messrs. Scott, Davies, Blair, Tarte and Sifton were present.

Gloom

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down stairs without clasping my hand over my heart and resting. In fact, it would almost take my breath away. I suffered so I did not care to live, yet I had much to live for. There is no pleasure in life if deprived of health, for life becomes a burden. Hood's Sarsaparilla does far more than advertised. After taking one bottle, it is sufficient to recommend itself." MRS. J. E. SMITH, Beloit, Iowa.

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Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 23, 1897.

AN EXPLANATION.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—Will you kindly allow me space to correct a statement which appeared in your paper of the 9th inst. under the heading of Henderson vs. Henderson. The statement I particularly refer to is the 2nd clause of the 5th paragraph which reads: "Several offers of settlement were made by the plaintiffs both before and during the litigation, and none were accepted." The only offer made by the plaintiffs was one made in Dec. 1893, which was before any litigation commenced by which the late David Henderson agreed to pay the defendant widow, Mrs. Robert Henderson, $100 (one hundred dollars) per year until the land she resided upon (and was willed to her by her late husband, R. Henderson) was sold, so long as she remained a widow, and also upon the sale of the land to pay her $500 (five hundred dollars), if she is still a widow, and also upon the sale of the farm to set aside $1,000 (one thousand dollars), to be held by trustees for the benefit of her daughter, to be paid to her when she attained the age of 21 years, and if she should die under that age this $1,000 to fall back into Mr. D. Henderson's estate, the interest of the $1,000 to be paid to Mr. D. Henderson, during his life, and to his wife if she should survive him during her life, and after her death to be used by the trustees for the benefit of the child, the trustees to be appointed by D. Henderson, sr., which does not provide anything for the child from the date of the offer until the death of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson. Also in June, '95, a meeting was called by Mrs. Robt. Henderson in view of settlement, where D. Henderson, jr., executor of the late D. Henderson's will, claiming $600 rent from Robt. Henderson's estate, offered to cancel $300 of that rent account if she would pay $300 rent for the use of the farm the balance of that year and go out of possession when the term ceased, and would give the child her share, viz., $500, in the late D. Henderson's will, if such share was in their hands to dispose of when she came to 21 years of age. These two offers of settlement were all that were ever made by the plaintiffs, and I challenge a production of proof to the contrary. In order to avoid litigation Mrs. R. Henderson and I went to see the late D. Henderson at his residence on Jan. 3rd, '96, and there offered to settle with him in accordance with the agreement made by him with his son, Robert, at the time of his entering upon this land in the year 1881, which agreement he had stated to us; also stated in court by plaintiff was: "That Robert was to own this land by paying for it, with their assistance, and when paid for, was to pay to his father and mother during their lives an annuity of $100, (one hundred dollars per year,) and at the death of his father he was to pay $700, (seven hundred dollars) but our offer was refused. Then she asked D. Henderson, sr., what value they put on their lives, and he said three years would likely see them in their graves. She then offered to pay down five annuities of one hundred dollars each, and the two annuities in arrears, together with the $700. This they also refused to accept, and in the following March we went to see Mr. Henderson again to make another offer of settlement, this time to accept $2500 (twenty-five hundred dollars) divided equally between Mrs. Robt. Henderson and her daughter. This they refused. Before leaving she agreed to accept the same amount, taking one-third herself and giving two-thirds to her daughter, this they refused. In June, 1895, she requested a meeting of the plaintiffs in view of settlement, which was held in Messrs. Hall & Hayes' office, she proposing to have the land sold or valued and she would accept or give one-half of such valuation or sale, this also was refused, and finally at the recommendation of the Court of Appeal, to settle out of court previous to their giving judgment, she offered to give or take one-half of their valuation, viz: $4,500.00 (forty-five hundred dollars) and pay one-half of the expenses of the litigation. This, as before, was refused, notwithstanding the strong recommendation of the Court of Appeal to do so. These statements I also challenge contradiction of, as I am prepared to prove them. Each of the above offers of settlement was made by the defendants without prejudice, and are still open to be accepted by the plaintiffs.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space, I remain,

Yours respectfully,
GEO. A. HELSON.

Peterborough, Jan. 20, 1897.

THE COUNTY COUNCILS ACT.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

SIR,—I am in receipt of a number of letters from municipal officers and others asking whether the new County Councils Act contemplated that the warden be elected at the first meeting of the council to be so elected for a period of two years, or, as under the old act, for one year only. The County Councils Act is to be read with and as part of the Municipal Act, and under the Municipal Act the warden's term is expressly fixed at one year. Nothing in the new Act repeals this section. It therefore stands and governs the election under the new Act. The latter makes no specific provision as to the warden's term of office, for the very good reason that the Municipal Act, of which the new County Councils Act is made a part, contains a specific provision limiting it to one year. An election of a warden for two years, I have no doubt, would be null and void as to the second year. The warden is therefore now to be elected for the municipal year 1897 only.

A. S. HARDY.

Toronto, Jan. 20.

MILLBROOK.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. Lewis Wallace, of Souris, Man., is in town, the guest of Mr. W. G. Hetherington.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Leach, Montreal, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Leach.

Miss Gertie Wood is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. James Brown, of Peterborough, was in town for a few days last week, the guest of Mr. Walter Coombe.

Rev. Mr. Harris, of Beaverton, who has been the guest of Rev. Mr. Phelps, for the last week, returned home on Saturday.

Miss Vance is in Lindsay visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Colling.

Miss Burton returned home on Saturday last after visiting friends in Barrie and other places.

Miss Annie Kells has returned home after an extended visit to Elizabeth, N.J.

The concert which took place on Thursday evening under the auspices of the hockey club, was not very well attended. The people here evidently have no use for this popular game.

Millbrook sent two rinks of curlers to Lindsay to take part in the tournament there.

The Presbyterian church was formally opened on Sunday and Monday. Rev. Mr. Patterson, of Toronto, occupied the pulpit in the morning and Rev. Mr. Mr. Phelps, of the local Methodist church, in the afternoon. On each occasion the building was crowded, and the collections were exceptionally large.

Mr. Lye of Lye & Son, organ manufacturers, Toronto, presided last Sunday at the new organ, which they have placed in the Presbyterian church.

The dyspeptic carries a dreadful load on his back. It seems as if he were really made up of two men. One of them ambitions, brainy and energetic; the other sick, listless, peevish and without force. The weak man weighs the other one down. The dyspeptic may be able to do pretty good work one day, and the next day because of some little indiscretion in eating, he may be able to do nothing at all. Most cases of dyspepsia start with constipation. Constipation is the cause of nine-tenths of all human sickness. Some of its symptoms are sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, foul breath, windy belchings, heartburn, pain and distress after eating. All these are indicative of derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels, and all are caused by constipation. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the quickest, easiest and most certain cure for this condition. They are not violent in action.

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CHANDOS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The members elect of the Chandos township council met at Caldwell's school house on Monday, Jan. 11th, as follows:—John Monogue, reeve; John Bullied, Moses Couche, D. A. Campbell and W. J. Rosebush, Councillors. After each had taken the necessary declaration of office the meeting was called to order, J. Monogue, as reeve, presiding.

The minutes of the meetings of Dec. 15th and 17th were then read and confirmed, after which the appointment of municipal officers was proceeded with as follows:—J. W. Ratcliff, clerk; Alex. Trotter, treasurer; Hugh Caldwell, assessor; C. S. Prouty, reeve's auditor; Simon Mahoney, auditor for council.

Accounts received and ordered to be paid as follows:—William O'Brien, for repairs on road, $3.00; Henry Hubbel, sr., for repairs on road, $1.50; P. Mahoney, for salary as treasurer, $30.00, also sundry expenses in connection with treasurership, $3.00; printing, $40.09; Isaac Lean, for opening road between concessions 2 and 3 to lots A and B, $6.00.

The clerk was authorized to communicate with reeve of Faraday township re opening of boundary line between lots 25, con. 13, Chandos, and lot 13, concession 1, Faraday.

Moved by Mr. Bullied, seconded by Mr. Couche, that bylaw No. 19, be rescinded, and that bylaw No. 27, a bylaw for the appointment of the several officers of the municipality, be introduced and read.—Carried. After the passing of the above bylaw the meeting, on motion of the council, adjourned to meet on Jan. 16th, for the receiving of the auditor's report.

Jan. 16th—Meeting opened with reeve and councillors all present. Mr. C. S. Prouty presented auditor's report, which, upon motion of council, was accepted.

Moved by D. S. Campbell, seconded by W. J. Rosebush, that Dr. Caldwell be appointed medical health officer for the township for 1897—Carried.

On motion of Messrs. Bullied and Campbell, the sureties offered by Mr. Alex. Trotter, were accepted by council.

On motion of Messrs. Couche and Rosebush, orders for payment of auditor's salaries were drawn, after which meeting adjourned to meet next time, at Caldwell's school house at call of Reeve.

There are thousands of sickly school-girls all over this broad land that are dragging their way through school-life who might enjoy that abundant life which belongs to youth by simple attention to hygienic laws and a proper course of treatment with Scott's Emulsion. This would make the blood rich, the heart-beat strong; check that tendency to exhaustion and quicken the appetite by strengthening the digestion. Our book tells more about it. Sent free.

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Well Answered.

A young Irish lad on a market day in an Irish town was minding an ass attached to a cart, awaiting the exit of his parent from a business establishment.

His arm was thrown around the neck of the animal, when two recruiting sergeants passed by.

One of them, seeking to take a rise out of the youth, said:

"What are you hugging your brother so tightly for?"

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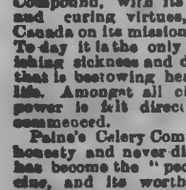

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Of the many skin diseases, eczema is one of the worst and most common. The one effective remedy so far discovered for it is Dr. Chase's Ointment. It has never been known to fail. Mr. Andrew Aiton, of Hartland, N.B., says: "My little daughter, Grace Ella, aged three and a half, was a dreadful sufferer from eczema for three years. We tried a number of alleged cures and several doctors, but all without effect. Her's was indeed a bad case. Her little body was entirely covered with rash. One day our local druggist, Mr. Wm. H. Thistle, recommended me to try Dr. Chase's Ointment. I did so, and four boxes effected a complete cure and saved our child."

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THE COAL INDUSTRY

Discussed Before the Tariff Commissioners.

MR. H.M. WHITNEY GIVES EVIDENCE

Under Reciprocity, He Says, the New England Markets Could be Held by Nova Scotia—With the Duty Removed the Export Trade Could be Enlarged.

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 22—At the Tariff Commission to-day H. M. Whitney of Boston, President of the Dominion Coal Company, appeared on behalf of that company: They produced one-half the output of coal in Nova Scotia. He also ventured to appear for tht workingmen and said he thought he could appear for Nova Scotia, which was the owner of the mines. The expenditures for roads, schools, etc., he said, are mainly dependent on the revenue from these mines. Therefore everything that tends to interfere with this industry is of general interest and concern to the people. Mr. Whitney went into the history of the mines before the reciprocity treaty was abrogated and showed that since then the mines had to look for new markets. The increase in sales in Montreal has been attended with lower prices. If the reciprocity treaty could have been continued, the markets of New England could be held by Nova Scotians. Mr. Whitney spoke of the increase of trade between the provinces and Upper Canada during the past few years, and asked that the tariff remain as it is.

Asked by Sir R. Cartwright as to the endeavors of the company to build up an export trade, Mr. Whitney said they had contracted with the Boston and Maine for 100,000 tons and also with the Maine Central and Grand Trunk, in all about 170,000 tons, and this, in spite of the 40 per cent. duty. If the American duty were removed the export trade would be capable of greater development. The competitors are the Pennsylvania mines, which have to haul 400 miles to a shipping port.

Arthur Drysdale spoke for the Springhill and Joggins Coal Company and said that any change in the duty would be disastrous.

E. M. McDonald appeared on behalf of the people of Westville. The sole support of the town is the coal mines. He supported the present duty.

Other representatives of the coal mining industry presented similar arguments.

H. A. Budden of Montreal said the imposition of the duty had a marked effect in increasing the imports of coal into Quebec ports. The effect of the duty as regards prices was to lower them. The steadiness of the market enables merchants to purchase largely in advance and arrange for freight. Any change would have a disastrous effect; Pennsylvania and Ohio will in time be a great competitor and the enormous quantities guaranteed that low prices will prevail. Pennsylvania coal mine-owners are looking forward to capturing the Quebec market.

Representatives of agricultural interests made rather conflicting arguments. Some asked for free flour and cornmeal and others complained of the markets being flooded with American products.

The Kentville Board of Trade believed that some measure of reciprocity would be beneficial.

Owners of marble quarries complained of want of protection, and representatives of the fishing industry said that the French bounty worked injuriously to the Canadian fishermen.

The commission adjourned to meet at St. John.

The employes of the Londonderry Iron Company, through their representative, Daniel C. Sheehan, petitioned the commission not to reduce duties or do anything else that would detrimentally affect the miners and other people depending on the prosperous condition of the iron industry.

From New Glasgow came representatives of the Steel Works. They stated that any decrease of duty would injuriously affect the employment of labor there.

The Londonderry Iron Company wanted the protective duties retained, and advocated certain specific duties.

Harvey Graham read a statement on behalf of the company operating the Ferron iron works and New Glasgow Steel Works, urging the maintenance of the present duty and bounty.

Mr. Forbes of the Forbes Manufacturing Company declared his preference for absolute free trade, if revenue could be raised in any other way than by customs duties.

ALIEN CONTRACT LABOR.

McGlogan of Detroit Sees DeBarry of Buffalo in Regard to the Corliss Amendment.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 22.—Immigration Inspector McGlogan of Detroit was in conference with Inspector De Barry regarding alien contract labor and the new immigration law. While talking on the subject of immigration, De Barry said that he was in receipt of a communication this morning from Congressman John B. Corliss of Michigan, regarding this immigration bill. Mr. Corliss said that he feared it would be impossible to secure action upon the proposed new law forbidding the employment of alien labor upon Government work during the balance of the present short session, but that it would be pressed immediately upon the convening of the Fifty-fifth Congress. Mr. De Barry has been assured that it would likely pass. The bill in question is similar to one that was to be introduced by Congressman R. B. Mahany, at the request of the laboring men of Buffalo.

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E. R. WOOD, Secretary.

Peterborough, January 13th, 1897

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We take pleasure in announcing to our friends and the public generally, that on and after February 1st next, we propose to conduct our business on the strictly CASH basis.

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The quotations which we are prepared to give are unprecedented, but quite consistent with High-Class CASH Tailoring.

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Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

—Do you know that TURNBULL has a department of Fancy Yarns, Berlin, Zephyrs, Andalusian, etc.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

Will the ladies please remember the regular monthly board meeting, to be held on Monday, Jan. 25th, instead of Feb. 1st, at usual hour 3 30 p.m.

DON'T FORGET

Baking Powder.

For the money our ten cent Baking Powder has no equal for purity and strength. MASON & Co., No. 429 to 431 George street. 2d19

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, on Saturday, Jan. 30th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. Hours: 12 to 4. dw

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Missionary Anniversaries.

Missionary anniversaries will be observed in the Charlotte street and George street Methodist churches to-morrow, Rev. Dr. Sutherland, of Toronto, General Missionary Secretary, will preach in the former church in the morning and in the latter at night.

FORESTER'S CARNIVAL,

Got Tired Waiting.

The other evening when Mr. Reggie Turner came out of the skating rink he found his pony, which he had left tied to a post, comfortably lying down. The little animal remained as quiet as a lamb until the cutter was drawn away from it when it rose none the worse for its short nap.

A Record Breaker.

Mr. Hugh Christie, residing on the boundary line between Asphodel and Otonabee, is eighty-eight years of age, and yesterday he was out killing his pigs and was hardy apparently, as he was twenty years ago. He celebrated his birthday last week. Who can beat this?

Tobacco Business Changed Hands.

Having purchased the tobacco business formerly carried on by Ed. B. Clegg, No. 215 George street, I have restocked the store with a full and well-selected assortment of choice cigars, tobaccoes, pipes and smoker's sundries, and solicit a share of public patronage. Prices low enough to suit all.—W. B. RICKEY. d

The Cinematographe.

There was another big house at the opera house last night, to witness the beautiful wonders of the Cinematographe exhibited. Every view was a reproduction of a scene to the life, and was liberally applauded. The father feeding his child at the breakfast table and the babies in the nursery were like all the others, exactly life like. It is no mere magic lantern exhibition, but perfect photographs endowed with life. No one can afford to miss this marvellous exhibition.

FRIDAY EVENING, JAN. 29th.

A Grand Musical Opening.

Messrs. Potter and Mulligan will open their music store next Saturday with a full line of all musical instruments, consisting of organs, violins, mandolins, guitars, banjos, autoharp, accordeons, harmonicas, flutes, piccios, clarionettes, ocarinas, etc., etc., also vocal and instrumental music of the latest style. In connection with the store will be conducted a fashionable bicycle livery, conducted in the most approved manner possible. At the rear of the store Mr. Mulligan will have his vocal studio, and all pupils will be given good discount on new music. Mr. Thomas Dunn will be in charge of the piano department store in the Cooper's Fair building, just opposite the EXAMINER Office.

A New Addition to the Police Force.

The latest advertising novelty which has appeared on the streets during the week is the amusing minature representation of a police patrol wagon drawn by a black goat. Over the goat's back is a placard containing the words:—"Go to Grafton & Co.'s for your clothing." The outfit was brought from New York, where the goat had been trained at one of the police stations to start off on the "double quick" when the alarm was sounded. The goat is three years old, is very docile and obedient, and, because of its good discipline, has been christened "McGinty." It sports a fine set of harness, and is attached to the waggon in regulation style. A juvenile driver handles the reins and keeps up a racket with the alarm gong at his feet. It is quite a unique advertising scheme of Grafton & Co.'s, and will be used as well for the delivery of parcels. 1d1w

PUT IT ON YOUR LIST.

ST. PAUL'S SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The Children Enjoyed Their Annual Treat Last Night.

Last night there was a concert held in St. Paul's church. Mr. J. Gilchrist made an excellent chairman. Seated in the front row of seats in the church were the little ones of the primary department and further back were the more advanced scholars of the school. The concert was opened with prayer by Mr. Gilchrist. The following scholars who recited all the Catechism received prizes:—Effie Denoon, Lizzie Borland, Annie McCannan, Archie J. Gilchrist, George M. C. Gilchrist, Agnes Little and Annie Little.

Names of those who recited the Golden Texts:—Archie Laing, Archie J. Gilchrist, Alex. McGregor, Geo. M. C. Gilchrist, Stanley Fife, Maggie McDonald, Ettie Smith, Edith Smith, Ethel Davidson, Graham Ferguson, Lexa Howson, Marion Howson, Grace Johnston, Florence Scott, Bertie Laing, Stanley Madill, Maxwell Fife, Rufus MacKnight.

Names of those who recited John 14th, James 1st and Psalm 119th:—Miss Bella Davidson, Maud McIlmoyle, Maud Lush, Mabel Lush, Lexa Howson, Jennie Simpson, Kenneth Simpson, Robbie Hall, Archie MacDonald, Edith Smith, Beatrice Logan.

Names of those who recited Psalm 103: Stanley Fife, Herman Davideon, Roy Turner, Harold Hall, Irene Parks, Lizzie Irwin, Lena Denne, Alex. McGregor, Maurice Martin, Grace Johnston, Jessie Waddell, Jennie Gillespie, Marion Denne, Maggie McGregor, Sadie Melrose, Annie Pollock, Mary Menzies, Jessie Mein, Vera White, Marlie Hall, Bessie Logan, Mary Clark, Fred Turner, Bertie Lang, Herbert Johnston, Maxwell Fife, Garnet Green, John Logan, Stanley Madill, Rufus McKnight, Willie Macdonald, Arthur Perks, Willie Denoon, Harry Hall, Arthur McKnight.

Names of those who attended fifty Sundays: Mabel Lush, Cassia Matthieson, Lizzie Wallace, Lily Wallace, Mary Maxwell, Grace Brown, Mary Denoon, Elsie Cameron, May Mouldy, Annie Little, Aggie Little, Lexa Howson, Maud Lush, Jennie Simpson, Ross Craig, Roland Clinkscale, Archie J. Gilchrist, Aggie Thompson, George M. C. Gilchrist, Bruce Gillespie, David Hooey, Alex. Gillespie, Archie Laing, Roy Turner, Gladstone Melrose, George W. Perks, Maggie Mein.

Names of those who attended forty-seven Sundays—Jennie Gillespie, Grace Johnston, Maggie McGregor, Minnie McIntosh, Max. Cameron, Willie Denoon, Bert Gillespie, George Hooey, Bert Laing, Savigny Laing, Arthur MacKnight, Rufus MacKnight, Ford Turner, James Wallace.

Essay Prizes—Cassie Matthieson, Archie Gilchrist, Herby Laing, George Gilchrist, Ross Cameron, Graham Ferguson, Kathleen Martin, Maud McIlmoyle, Annie Erskine, Carl Russel.

After all the prizes had been distributed Mr. Roy, the popular local entertainer, gave his "Rambling Trip Around the World," illustrated by magic lantern. As usual, his views were excellent. He received some new views from London, England, including a Rotengen ray photograph of a man's hand with a needle embedded in the tissue. It is a very clear view and one can see the end of the needle protruding through the bone. The children were rewarded for their good attention by some comical views and consequently Mr. Roy became a great favourite with the little ones.

Rev. Dr. E. F. Torrance gave a five minute address which was very much appreciated by all. There was an orchestra in attendance which supplied excellent music. Tea was served to the scholars at 6 o'clock.

—35-inch Linen Huck Towelling only 10c a yard at TURNBULL'S worth 15c.

Men's and Boys' Leather Mitts and Gloves, worth 50c, Grafton & Co's special price 25c.

A Sale of Local Importance.

When the clear-the-table time comes around at the Peterborough Bookstore, business takes on a fresh start and fresh interest of local importance springs up. The business that is too regular gets into ruts. The announcement of stock-taking at Stratton's Bookstore does not mean that any waste time is going on. On the contrary, inventory time is the time when the nimble sixpence doctrine is pushed to its utmost extremity, and quick sales are the symbols of this business. Goods are now being snapped up at the reduced prices that hung fire before January, and genuine bargains lighten the labours of stock-taking. See advertisement. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

An Exciting Runaway.

Mr. Geo. Gobell, of the Grand Central, had quite an experience with Mr. Phillips' trotting mare yesterday. Mr. Phillips stables the mare in the hotel barns, and as Mr. Gobell is a horseman of more than Canadian repute, he is welcome to exercise the animal whenever he wishes to do so. The mare is spirited and as springy as a cat. During the last few days she has made several efforts to run away, and did run away for half a mile or so with Mr. Phillips last week, but yesterday she made a grand effort for liberty, and ran towards town on the Chemong road for over a mile and a half before Mr. Gobell could pull her up, just at the top of Bradburn's hill. Nothing was damaged, as the mare never left the road, but the rate at which she travelled was something terrific. Mr. Gobell was thrown out, but clung to the reins until the last.

HUFFMAN HOUSE BALL.

Great Success Attended Last Evening's Assembly—A List of the Guests.

The Huffman House boarders gave the second of their series of balls last evening and a large number of guests were present. The assembly rooms were prettily decorated with bunting and the supper was all that could possibly be desired. The Misses Hurley furnished the music for the occasion. Appended will be found a list of the invited guests:

W. L. Allen, Miss Archer, A. Austin, F. W. Aabe, (Norwood); H. M. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Aylmer, C. Amys, F. Ambrose, (Port Hope); J. J. Ashworth, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell, Miss Barnette, the Misses Barlee, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bradburn, Dr., Mrs. and Miss Boucher, Mr. Boswell, C. N. Brown, Miss Brown, Hampden Burnham, Dr. and Mrs. Burnham, the Misses Burnham, Ashburnham; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Burritt, Miss Bryson, Miss Burnham, T. E. Bradburn, Thomas Burnham, Miss Burham, Miss Beck, Miss Brown, C. A. Barton, A. Bell, Miss Irene Brignall, (Belleville.)

Mr. H. and the Misses Calcutt, F. G. Code, (Norwood); Mr. and Mrs. Peter Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carter, Miss Clementi, the Misses Collins, Mr., Mrs. and the Misses Carnegie, J. Hilliard Carnegie, M.P.P., Mr. and Mrs. Carlon, Mr. Coventry, the Misses Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Danniston, C. Dumble, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Davidson, Mrs. Dean.

Mrs. and Mrs. E. B. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Eden.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Fessenden, R. J. Fife, Mrs. and Miss Forlong, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Fortye, Mr. and Mrs. Finnemore, Thos. Fortye, Miss Fitzgerald (Parry Sound), Miss Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Grubbe, Eustace Grubbe, Harry Grubb, Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood.

A. A. Hollingshead, the Misses Hall, Miss Allie Hall, the Misses Hall, W. K. Hall, Miss Halliday, Mrs. J. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hatton, Mrs. and Miss Hatton, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hay, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Hewson, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hill, Miss Howland (Toronto), C. Halliday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Johnston.

Miss Kelso (Toronto).

Mrs. Dr. Kempt, Mr. Geo. Kempt, Miss Kempt, Mr. and Mrs. Kingan, Mr. C. Kirkpatrick, the Misses Kingan, C. E. Kilmer.

F. J. Lefevre, the Misses Lough, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Loant, Mr. and the Misses Lundy, Mr. and Mrs D. J. Lundy, the Misses Lefevre (Lakefield), Mr. Lamprieve (Lakefield), Miss Laurie (Toronto), Mr. Langley (Toronto).

W. J. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. C. McGill, Mr. Mrs. and the Misses Manson, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. and the Misses Moore, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Morrow, H. A Morrow, Mrs. McDonnel, Mr. and Mrs. Macfarlane Wilson, H. Macgachan, A. McNee, A. E Mosley, A. L. Mudge, A. McClelland, Miss Minch, Mrs. and Miss Meade (Ashburnham), A. Morrow, Charles Mathias.

Mrs. and Miss O'Sullivan, F. E. O'Flynn (Madoc).

Miss L. Pearce, W. D. Parker, Mrs. E. and Miss Ponsette, M. Poussette, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Ponsette, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Peck, C. Poussette, Mr. Pullen.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Rogers, Mr. E. and Miss Roper, Mr. and the Misses Rackham, Miss Revell, Miss Alice Roger, Mrs. C. Ranney.

J. J. Sadler (Toronto), A. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Spence, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sawers, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Smith, Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Miss Stapleton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Stevenson, Miss Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stevenson, Mrs. and Mrs. A. H. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stratton, Mr. W. A. Stratton, Rev. H. and Mrs. Symonds, Miss Strickland, Mrs. E. Sherwood, Mr. and Mrs. A. St. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Snyder, Miss Snyder, Mrs. Sheldrake, Mr. G. Stephens, Mrs. Smith, Dr. and Miss Spillsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Ullyott, Miss Vair, Mr. Toller (Lindsay), Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wood, W. Wilgar, Judge and Mrs. Weller, Mr. Tytler (Lindsay).

—14 pieces new Union and All Wool Carpets just opened out at TURNBULL'S.

CARNIVAL AT LAKEFIELD.

It Proved, as Usual, to be a Great Success.

Scores drove out from town last evening to attend the Lakefield carnival, and the road was alive with cutters and horses. The affair passed off most successfully. The 57th Battalion Bugle Band was in attendance, as was the Smith Brass Band.

The following were the successful prize winners:—

Ladies' Fancy Costume—Mrs. W. A. Eastland, "Tambourine Girl."

Ladies' Comic Costume—Miss Maud Baptie, "Chief Poundmaker's Daughter."

Gent's Fancy Costume—Mr. Reg. Turner, "Knight of the White Cross."

Gent's Comic Costume—Mr. W. Watson, "Youthful Sloper."

Girls' Fancy Costume—Miss Ethel Cox, "Queen of Roses."

Girls' Comic Costume—Miss Maggie Kennealy, "Brilliants."

Boys' Fancy Costume—Mr. Ethelbert Moore, "Herald."

Boys' Comic Costume—Master Bruce Ridpath, "Irish Nurse Girl."

Gents mile race—Mr. T. Ridpath.

Half mile (boys under 15)—Master Chas. Blomfield.

Ladies' quarter mile—Miss Nellie Cox.

Girl's quarter mile—Miss Ethel Cox.

Barrel race—Master Bruce Ridpath.

Three-legged race—Messrs. Wesley & Davidson.

Tug of war—Peterborough Bugle band.

Wheelbarrow race—Mr. T. Ridpath.

Piles Cured by Dr. Chase.

M. Iral, 186 Droiet Street, Montreal. 15 years suffered. Cured of Blind Itching Piles.

William Butler, Possawan, Ont., Suffered many months. Cured of protruding Piles by one box.

Pabano Bastard, Gower Point, Ont. Suffered for 20 years. Cured of Itching Piles by three boxes.

Nelson Simons, Myersburg, Ont., cured of Itching Piles.

Dr. Chase's Ointment will positively cure all forms of Piles. Write any of the above if in doubt.

—You should see the new Black Lustre TURNBULL is selling at 25c a yard.

Fine Furniture at Low Prices.

It is seldom that this chance comes to pick up such really fine things in handsome chairs, centre tables, screens, etc., are now being shown in Clegg's furniture store window. The tickets placed on the goods tell the tale of a substantial reduction. No better goods can be had in the cities. Every article guaranteed as superior in design in material and in finish.

CASTORIA

The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

A BOOK CHAT WITH THE LADIES.

Prof. Clark Talks of Novel Reading and the New Women.

Prof. Clark, of Trinity University, yesterday afternoon addressed the combined women's reading circles of the town in the S. O. E. Hall. He spoke very interestingly upon the modern novel and animadverted upon its tendency to vice. He also entertained his listeners with sarcastic references to the new women, who, he said, was fast losing the respect which mankind pays to womanhood. Prof. Clark was not interrupted—there were no new women present—the new woman "talks back."

PERSONAL.

Miss Laurie, of Toronto, is the guest of the Misses Carnegie.

Miss Kelso, Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. Hewson for a few days.

Rev. Dr. Sutherland, while in town will be the guest of Mr. Thos. Bradburn.

Mr. Tytler, of Lindsay, formerly of the local branch of the Bank of Ontario, was in town last night.

Rev. J. P. Speer, of Toronto, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. R. A. Hamilton, Aylmer street.

Miss Irene Brignall, of Belleville, is in town visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Cumming, Charlotte street.

Mr. George Stenson, of town, has obtained a responsible position in the dispensing room of one of New York's large hospitals.

Mr. H. P. Kennedy and bride have returned from their wedding tour and taken up their residence on the corner of Park and Gilmour streets.

Mr. George Edmison, son of County Police Magistrate Edmison, left this morning to visit friends in Toronto and Galt. He will afterwards return to New York.

Mr. Willie Strain, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is in so serious a condition that a consultation of physicians holds out no hope of recovery. His young friends are now permitted to call and see him.

SUNLIGHT SOAP'S LATEST SCHEME.

Messrs. Lever Bros., Ltd., proprietors of Sunlight Soap, do nothing by halves. They have built up the largest soap business in the world, first by turning out a very superior article, and second by plucky and attractive advertising. Their latest stroke in Canada is a bold one. It is a Monthly Wrapper Competition, the tempting features of which are the presentation of $1,635.00 worth of bicycles and gold watches every month of the year 1897, to those who collect and send in to Lever Bros., Toronto office, the largest number of Sunlight "coupons." The total value of the prizes to be awarded during the year 1897 is $19,600.

This competition will commence in January, when ten Stearns' Bicycles and twenty-five Gold Watches will be awarded to the successful competitors of that month residing in the districts of East and West Ontario, the Province of Quebec, N. B., N. S., and P. E. I.

A great advantage in this Competition is that it is held monthly, and, therefore, those who do not succeed for one month have many more opportunities during the year. Rules and full particulars are given in our advertising columns.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Mr. H. Birch has started a New Barber Shop, in Lundy's block, No. 583 George street, next to Turner & Son's tent, sail and awning factory.

—E. WELSH is selling fresh Baltimore Oysters—No. 1 Standard at 30c per quart; No. 1 Selects at 40c per quart. Solid meats and good measure, Hunter Street Confectioner.

DIED.

LAVERY—In Peterborough, on Friday, 22nd January, 1897, Ann Feeney, wife of Mr. Michael Lavery, aged 39 years.

Weather very blustery to-day; much colder to-morrow.

The Magazines for February are coming in—"Metropolitan," "The New Illustrated," "Pall Mall Magazine," "Ladies' Home Journal," "Cosmopolitan," "The Strand," "The Black Cat," "Young Ladies' Journal," &c., &c., have arrived at

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372 George Street

Can Accommodate a Few More

Our rooms have rapidly filled during the last two weeks, but we have still room for a few more.

DAY STUDENTS.

Any one contemplating entering this season should make arrangements at once.

NIGHT SCHOOL.

The Night School will close the last of April. Those entering now will only be charged for THREE MONTHS COURSE.

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BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

SPOT CASH.

FULL DRESS SUITS

Satin Lined and up-to-date, Only

$29.50.

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421 George Street.

PRICING DOWN!

January Stock-taking, mind you, never had more enthusiasm—never so much for shoppers to enthuse over. Clipping cost here and there, makes swift clearing, but it also makes a material saving to buyers, which we could not afford to offer for very long:—

Dicken's Works, complete in 15 vols., well bound, good paper, per set $7.50, for $4 75

Scott's Works, complete in 12 vols., cloth binding, fair paper, per set $5, for 3 95

Thackeray's Works, complete in 10 vols., cloth bound per set $6, for 3 90

Hall Caine's Works, 5 vols., cloth binding, per set $2 for 1 15

Conan Doyle's Works, in 6 vols., per set $2.50, for 1 38

Alexander Dumas' Works, 6 vols, per set $2.50, for 1 38

George Eliot's Works, complete in 6 vols., per set $3, for 1 50

Lord Lytton's Works, complete in 13 vols., per set $7.50, for 4 75

Capt. Maryatt's Works, complete in 12 vols., beautifully bound in cloth $15, for 9 00

Pansy Books, all titles 35c, for 0 20

Elsie Books, all titles, 35c, for 0 20

Miscellaneous Books of all kinds at Stock-taking Prices.

Bibles at 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.

Catholic Prayer Books, 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.

Common Prayers and Hymns at 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.

Purses and Pocket Books at 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.

Substracting and Deducting the profits while Stock-taking is going on—something like the above—is what makes the goods disappear and keeps us busy. Lots of chances besides these, but you can judge the entire business just now by these quotations.

A. H. Stratton & Co.

THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

A Final Closing Sale

OF ALL WINTER GOODS, AT

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S.

From now till 1st February we will hold a Final Closing-Out Sale of all goods that are of a winter character. This will be a grand opportunity to many to buy goods at wholesale prices. Everyone knows that we carry no goods but the very best. We have no room for cheap grade of goods, that only look cheap in advertisement. We do for you what no other house can do, that is YOUR MONEY BACK if not suited.

MEN'S SUITS AND PANTS (To Order)

$4 50 Pants to order ..... reduced to $ 3 00
$5 00 Pants to order ..... reduced to 3 50
$13 50 Suits to order ..... reduced to 10 00
$17.00 Tweed Suits to order ..... reduced to 13 00
$20.00 Tweed Suits to order ..... reduced to 15 00
$16.00 Worsted Coat and Vest to order ..... reduced to 13 00
All work and fit guaranteed.

MILLINERY CLOSING SALE.

All our Trimmed Millinery at exactly HALF PRICE.
25 All Wool Tams, were 30c and 35c ..... reduced to $ 0 15
All our Fez Caps ..... reduced to 0 20
All Felt Hats and Sailors, being cleared, regardless of cost.

JACKETS, CAPES AND FUR EDGINGS.

The balance of our Monflo Fur Edging ..... reduced to $ 0 15 yd.
The balance of our Beaver Fur Edging ..... reduced to 0 35 yd.
The balance of our Bear Fur Edging ..... reduced to 0 50 yd.
The balance of our Sable Fur Edging ..... reduced to 0 75 yd.
Balance of our $3.50 Jackets ..... reduced to 2 00
Balance of our $5 00 Jackets ..... reduced to 3 50
1 $12.50 Fur Lined Cape ..... reduced to 8 00
2 $18.00 Fur Lined Capes ..... reduced to 11 00
$20.00 Matallasie Capes ..... reduced to 9 50
$22.00 Matallasie Capes ..... reduced to 10 00
$25.00 Matallasie Capes ..... reduced to 12 00
$18.00 Jackets ..... reduced to 10 00
2 Sealette Jackets, were $37.50 ..... reduced to 25 00
1 Sealette Jacket, was $20.00 ..... reduced to 11 00
You see by the price that we do not intend to carry over a single winter garment.

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

3 pieces All Wool Tweed Dress Goods, were 50c ..... reduced to 25c
2 pieces Fancy Plaid Dress Goods, were 50c ..... reduced to 35c
200 yards Pongee Silk Dress Goods, were 25c ..... reduced to 20c
25 per cent. off all our Black Jet Trimmings.

HOSIERY, GLOVES AND VEILINGS.

Special prices on all our Cashmere Gloves.
All our 25c Veilings ..... reduced to 18c

FLANNELS AND FLANNELETTES.

1000 yards New Flannelettes ..... only $ 5
200 yards 15c Grey Flannel ..... only 12½
All Wool Blankets ..... only 2 50
All Wool 12½c Flannelette ..... only 1 00

This will be your last chance to get a choice lot of Winter Goods at prices that will pay you to buy and carry over to another season. We are bound to carry no goods over to another season.

SPOT CASH. ONE PRICE. NO APPROVAL. YOUR MONEY BACK IF NOT SUITED.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

A SALE OF Capes, Jackets and Cloaks

You never had such an opportunity to buy your Winter Overgarments at such low prices. We don't know when you will again. We are selling off our stock of Winter Garments at prices which represent about one-half of their actual selling value. We're doing this because we want to distribute our stock quickly. We are doing this because we don't want to carry any of our winter stock over.

Ladies' Beaver Cloth Coats, made in best style, were $10.00, for $5.00.

Ladies' Friese and Beaver Cloth Coats, were $5.00 for $3.00.

Ladies' Plush Capes, quilted lining, were $12.00, for $8.00.

Ladies' Beaver Cloth Capes, fancy stitching and overlaid work, were $9.00, for $6.00

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All questions cheerfully answered. Letters or orders received before 1 o'clock answered same day.

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Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 23, 1897.

RELIGION IN THE SCHOOLS.

To the Editor of the Daily Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—Having so kindly given me space previously, will you kindly oblige me further. I acknowledge with many thanks the replies advanced to me through your colums, yet justice to myself urges me to answer that of "For History, etc." I beg leave to state that the resolution under discussion was NOT "Can history be taught properly without all reference to Religion" but "Shall Christian religion be made a compulsory subject of education in our schools," these questions, side by side, are vastly different, and the impression "For History," gives me, by his continued remarks, is that either he was not present at the debate, or that he is truly "begging the question." In my previous letter I intended to make it plain that I did not speak from my own standpoint but tried to reflect the arguments as I heard them—the points made were by the debaters, not myself. I did, indeed, suggest, one point, and made suggestions as they arose in my mind in the progress of the debate, but I did not hardly wish to range myself uninvited with them. With reference to the point suggested, I think "For History" does not seem to comprehend what I should have liked to make plain. The fault undoubtedly lies with me, yet I spoke from actual experience of the difficulty. The day school is the debateable ground which children contest inch by inch with the teacher. It is to them a legitimate field for incipient flippant rebellion against leading reins intended to fit them for their wrestle with the future, and their ingenuity is marvellous for the sustaining of their side. The daily teacher is one to every 35 or more. I hold that the Sabbath school is not on the same plane—it is a special period—for special study, in special buildings on special days—with a teacher to every half dozen or less. The power of a special season in the attainment of one thing in knowledge is far greater than when that one thing is mingled with subjects so various on days promiscuous.

Nor was the resolution only upon teaching, but it was compulsory teaching.

But I do not wish to continue the controversy. My chief object to-day is to remove doubts, if there be any, arising in the minds of the readers of my former letter, as "For History's" reply leads me to think there may be. I wish to clearly show my own standing ground—which has nothing whatever to do with the debate. Therefore, "I believe" in the divine God. I hold that all things of or pertaining to Him should be treated with the most intense reverence and tender respect I hold that the Christian religion should be to every atom of humanity like the most priceless gem ever mined, with its facets cut to the most perfect angles and polished to its most brilliant surface. That I, in common with all, may own it, and handle it in a setting of refined gold of cunning workmanship, receiving its beauty into my nature and passing it on that others may do so also. That I may live by its marvellous wealth, yet preserve its intrinsic worth. The "alas" is that from our nervous hands it so often drops downward to the mire.

A MEMBER OF F. CLUB.

The Best Way To Cure

Disease is to establish health. Pure, rich blood means good health. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier It tones up the whole system, gives appetite and strength and causes weakness, nervousness and pain to disappear. No other medicine has such a record of wonderful cures as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pill; assist digestion, prevent constipation. 25c.

Just Arrived.

We have imported for your special benefit a choice lot of British Columbia canned Salmon, Cross & Blackwell's celebrated English pickles, Sardines in oil; also in mustard. We have the finest line of groceries obtainable always in stock. A call will not disappoint either you or R. BROWN & Co., 393 George street.

P.S.—We have made special arrangements to handle Goodersham & Worts' whiskey on draught.

PROF. CLARK AND THE POET BURNS.

An Admirable Lecture in the Y. M. C. A. Hall Last Night.

The annual lecture given to the citizens of Peterborough under the auspices of the Fortnightly Club last night proved a most successful and enjoyable event. The Rev. Prof. Clark's reputation as a lecturer is too well known to need any comment from us, and he certainly more than sustained it last night in the brilliant lecture, full of wit and pathos, in which he traced the career and described the works of Robert Burns. The Y. M. C. A. hall was completely filled with an audience fully representative of the town, although naturally the Scotch element was out in conspicuous force. The Vice-President of the Fortnightly Club, Sheriff Hall, presided with his usual tact and taste.

The evening's entertainment was opened with an admirably executed pianoforte duet by Mrs. G. A. Smith and Mrs. Max. Dennistoun.

Prof. Clark, who was received with hearty applause, said there was no difference of opinion as to the main points of the career and character of Burns. The poet was not a venerable but loveable character. There are vices which are respectable and there are vices which are not respectable and Burns' were of the latter order. Burns was not a drunkard, although he often drank too much, but his drinking did not interfere with the performance of his duties, and it would be far from the truth to represent him as deliberately defiant of sin. He had a high ideal and was profoundly conscious of his failings. In the "Bard's" epitaph he refers to himself:

"Is there a man whose judgment clear
Can others teach the course to steer,
Yet run himself, life's mad career
Wild as the wave,
Here pause—and thro' the starting tear
Survey a grave.'

And again he pleads:

"Who e human weakness has come short
Or frankly stept aside,
Do thou, all good! for such thou art,
In shades of darkness hide."

Where with intention I have erred
No other plea I have,
But thou art good, and goodness still
Delighteth to forgive."

A remarkable feature in the career of Burns was that he obtained an instantaneous recognition from the literary public and never lost it, nor has his poetry ever fallen in the estimation of readers of poetry. Byron's first work was savagely cut up by the Edinburgh Review, Coleridge was laughed at, and many similar instances could be given. Burns was possessed of directness of vision and language, patriotism and generosity of sentiment. His glory consists in his songs.

In order to understand and appreciate a poet he must be studied in connection with his times and his contemporaries. The great English contemporary of Burns was Cowper, and to Burns and Cowper belong the glory of having inaugurated the return to nature. Pope and his contemporaries were stilted and artificial, and the reaction against this artificiality was hailed with delight. Following these came Coleridge, Wordsworth, Southey, Tennyson and many others.

Burns' parents were always poor and of a humble station in life, but none the less were they persons of distinction. From his mother Burns inherited his magnificent eyes. His father set a good example to his children and his farm labourers, but seldom found fault with them. In our day many parents find much fault, amidst a poor example. The poet was educated partly by his father and partly at school, and when he grew up became a farmer. The books which he read and admired in his youth were the lives of Hamilton and Wallace, Addison, Smollett, &c., and he thoroughly knew his Bible. At fifteen he wrote a poem called "Handsome Nell." It is a puerile work but contains two good lines—

"She dresses aye sae clean and neat,
Both decent and genteel,
And then there's something in her gait
Gars ony dress look weel."

When eighteen years of age his parents moved to Lochlea, and here his poetic faculty blossomed. Patriotism and love are his two incentives—patriotism supplied him with the desire, and love with the power of writing. As an example of his patriotism—

"I mind it weel," he says, referring to the time when he was "beardless, young and blate."

"E'en then a wish (I mind its power)
A wish that to my latest hour
Shall strongly heave my breast,
That I, for poor auld Scotland's sake,
Some useful plan or book could make,
Or sing a song at least.

No nation, no station,
My envy e'er could raise;
A Scot still, but without blot still
I knew nae higher power.

And then the influence of love—

But still the elements o' sang
In formless jumble, right or wrang,
Wild floated in my brain;
Till on that har'st I said before,
My partner in the merry core,
She roused the forming strain:

I see her yet the sonsie queen,
That lighted up my jingle
Her witching smile, her hawky 'een
That gart my heart strings tingle;

I fired, inspired
At every kindling keek,
But bashing and dashing
I feared aye to speak."

In his common-place book he says: "For my own part I never had the least thought or inclination of turning poet till I got once heartily in love; and then Rhyme and Song were, in a measure, the spontaneous language of my heart."

Among the poems of this period are "John Barleycorn," "Lament for Mallie," "Rigs o' Barley," "My Nannie O," "Green Grow the Rushes."

From 1784—1788 (aged 25-29) Burns resided at Mossfield, and this is the best period of his life. He and his brother Gilbert were partners in a farm upon which he lived in temperance and frugality. It was here that he met Jean Armour, whom he married in an irregular way, from whom he was seperated by his father, but afterwards they met again and were regularly married. Between these two periods occurred his five or six months' passion for Mary Campbell ("Highland Mary") terminated by her death, when he was preparing to emigrate with her to the West Indies.

While Burns was not a revolutionary, he was deeply scornful of the pride and arrogance sometimes manifested by the nobility.

"I tent less and want less
Their roomy fireside;
But hanker and canker
To see their cure'd pride."

He had profound respect for the innate nobility of man, as shown in the famous,

"A man's a man for a' that."

On the other hand

"It's no in titles nor in rank;
It's no in wealth like London Bank,
To purchase peace and rest;
It's no in makin' muckle mair;
It's no in books, it's no in lear
To make us truly blest."

To this period belong some of his most perfect compositions: Holy Willie's Prayer, Hallowe'en, To a Mouse, The Jolly Beggars, The Cotter's Saturday Night, Address to the Deil, To a Mountain Daisy.

"Holy Willie's Prayer" was a terrible satire on hypocrisy, and in the opinion of the lecturer, scarcely an exaggeration. It should, however, be remembered that hypocrisy is not properly a disgrace to religion.

Carlyle esteemed "The Jolly Beggars" the best of his works, but the lecturer awarded the palm to "Tam o'Shanter." To the same period belongs the unnamed poem which has the following famous stanza:—

"O wad some power the giftie gie us
To see ourselves as ithers see us."
It wad frae many a blunder free us
An' foolish notion;
What airs in dress and gait wad lea'e us
An' e'en devotion."

After the publication of the 1st edition of his poems, which took Scotland by storm, Cowper wrote: "Tho' they be written in a language that is new to me . . I think them, on the whole, a very extraordinary production."

Burns about this time moved to Edinburgh, where he was well received. Sir W. Scott, who saw him, says: "His person was strong and robust, his manner rustic, not clownish; a sort of dignified plainness and simplicity. His countenance was more massive than it looks in any of the portraits. There was a strong expression of sense and shrewdness in all his lineaments; the eye alone, I think, indicated the poetical character and temperament . . . I never saw such another eye in a human head, though I have seen most of the distinguished men of my time." By universal consent Burn's conversation was splendid and copious, yet never obtrusive, never more than was expected of him."

To the next period of Burns' life belong "Auld Lang Syne," "John Anderson my Jo," "Tam o'Shanter." Of Jean Armour he wrote the following lines:

"Of a' airts the wind can blow
I dearly like the west,
For there the bonnie lassie lives,
The lassie I lo'e best.
There wild woods grow, and rivers row,
And many a hill between;
But day and night my fancy's flight
Is ever wi' my Jean.

Tam O'Shanter is distinguished for direct power of narration, pictorial representation, frequent flashes of humour and insight into character.

It has been impossible in this report to give an adequate idea of the charm of the lecturer's style, or the many touches of humour and genial satire with which it was relieved. Prof. Clark ended as he began, with Burns' character, and quoted the strong incisive words of Carlyle in his essay:—"The world is habitually unjust in its judgments of such men. Not the few inches of deflection from the mathematical orbit, which are so easily measured, but the ratio of these to the whole diameter, constitutes the real aberration. This orbit may be a planet, its diameter the breadth of the solar system, or it may be a city hippodrome. But the inches of deflection only are measured, and it is assumed that the diameter of the hippodrome and that of the planet will yield the same ratio when compared with them! Here lies the root of many a blind, cruel condemnation of such men, which one never listens to without approval. Granted the ship comes into harbor with shrouds and tackle damaged. The pilot is blameworthy; he has not been all wise and all powerful, but to know how blameworthy, tell us first whether his voyage has been round the globe, or only to Ramsgate and the Isle of Dogs."

At the close of the lecture a very hearty vote of thanks was tendered the lecturer on motion of Dr. Fife, seconded by Mr. J. A. Fife.

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A prominent lady visiting Peterborough from New York City was so highly pleased with the photographic work she saw in Mr. Whiten's art studio that she made an appointment and had a dozen sent to her address, 170 Lexington Avenue, New York City. She writes Mr. Whiten: "Photos arrived all right; they are very, very good; I am much pleased with them." Three different persons recently on a visit here from Montreal also had a dozen each taken by Mr. Whiten and forwarded to their address in Montreal. The above speaks well for Peterborough and the high-class work turned out by Mr. Whiten. Entrance to studio, 158 Hunter street, opposite Oak Hall. d15tf

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AUGMENTATION FUND.

Interesting and Instructive Lecture by Rev. Wm. Bennett, of Peterborough.

(Lindsay Warder)

On Wednesday evening, 6th inst., Rev. W. Bennett, clerk of the Presbytery of Peterborough, spoke on the subject of "Augmentation Schemes" at the regular weekly prayer meeting in St. Andrew's schoolroom.

The lecturer began with what he called "Root Principles." 1st—That all Christians are equal. 2nd—That Christians should sympathise with and help each other. 3rd—That Christian congregations should help each other inasmuch as weak congregations are not to blame for their weakness, nor large congregations to take credit to themselves for their strength.

The lecturer then showed that the help most needed is help to sustain life by means of religious ordinances through which, as Christians, men live and move and have their being. Ministers of small congregations, he said, are not to be depreciated, many of them are superior to some of the large wealthy congregations. He then gave a brief narrative of the institution of an augmentation fund in 1883 with the object of raising salaries in settled charges to $750 and manse. For a time the plan promised well. Seventeen thousand dollars

MORE THAN WAS NEEDED

to accomplish the design was raised the first year. By and by the enthusiasm began to flag. But for the $17,000 of the reserve fund, for $8,000 from the bequest of Mrs. Nicholls and but for the fruit of special efforts on its behalf the scheme would have been a thing of the past. "Why has the life of the fund been endangered?" the lecturer asked, and proceeded to assign reasons.

1st—Want of sympathy on the part of self-sustaining congregations, the want arising from the lack of sufficient teaching on the subject of the obligation of the strong to help the weak; on the subject of the effort which weak congregations have to make for self-existence, and of the greater liberality of these congregations than that of the self-sustaining ones—augmented congregations contributing between one and two dollars per member more on behalf of stipend and general schemes than the independent congregations do, thus showing that the small rural charges are the best givers in the church, and that the large self-sustaining charges are mainly responsible for the crippled state of the mission schemes.

The lecturer made the astounding statement that if the self-sustaining congregations would give equally with the augmented ones, and if what is lacking were devoted to the support of missions, there would be the amount of $72,000 more on behalf of these schemes than there now is within the bounds of the Synod of Toronto and Kingston alone. The lecturer here answered objections that might possibly be made against the fairness of this comparison, and gave still other reasons for the want of sympathy on the part of self-sustaining congregations, some saying that they will not contribute to a fund that helps to keep a minister in a congregation after he has worn out his welcome. The lecturer clearly showed that the tendency of the administration of the scheme is altogether in the opposite direction—that no congregation can more easily get rid of its pastor than an augmented one.

The lecturer facetiously dealt with those who made the objection that the salaries need not be so large as $750 or $800 when the monies have to be contributed by others. He then showed the wonderful advantages accruing from this scheme, enumerating the

STRUGGLING CONGREGATIONS

which had been nutured, and the mission fields which had become settled charges through its instrumentality, these again soon to become self-sustaining congregations. It was clearly shown that augmentation is the hand-maid of home missions—that though there were the two schemes and the two committees to administer them, augmentation and home missions were part and parcel of each other, and contributions to the former were virtually contributions to the latter also.

Other benefits arising from the scheme were referred to, such as the education of congregations on the subject of the adequate support of the ministry. Reference was made to the fact that some congregations at the time of the inception of the scheme giving only $600, and all the time deeming this amount quite sufficient for the wants of a minister's family, all at once raised the stipend to $750 and manse or $800. Weak congregations were constrained to do more for themselves, so as to remain or become settled charges, while many large self-sustaining congregations were constrained to accept of the teaching that they owed a debt of love to their weaker brethren.

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REUNION OF SCOTTISH RITERS.

From the Fourth to the Fourteenth Degree Worked—Fruit Growers Present Their Requests—Hamilton News.

Hamilton, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—In connection with the annual reunion of the Scottish Rite, Murton Lodge of Perfection has been engaged at Masonic Hall to-day in working the degrees from the fourth to the fourteenth. Among the out-of-town brethren who registered to-day were: Alex Findlay, London, 31; R Dowling Harriston, 32; Gavin Stewart, Woodstoc, 32; R Bruce Burt, 14; N T Lyon, Toronto, 32; G K C McGregor, Toronto 32; William Roaf, Toronto, 33; Ben Allen, Toronto, 33; Allan M. McLean, Kingston, 32; J T Pepper, Woodstock, 14; C A Palmer, Pontiac, Mich., 32; A B Munson, London, 18; Oliver C Duper, St. John, N. B., 32; John F. Schwalz, Chicago, 32; Fred C Piper, Jarvis, 14; R Browlby, Waterford, 18; Hugh M Wright, Allliston, 32; James Duncan, Jarvis, 32; John Parry, Dunnville, 18; F A Latshaw, Dundas, 18; William Harbottle, Lowville, 14.

The degrees were all worked up to-night. The reunion will continue to-morrow and Friday and will close with a banquet on Friday evening.

A delegation of prominent fruit growers from the Niagara Peninsula conferred at the Royal Hotel to-day with Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, and Prof. Robertson, dairy commissioner from the Experimental Farm, Ottawa. Among the agriculturists present, were noticed: A. H. Pettit and L. Woolverton, Grimsby; Murray Pettit, T. D. Smith and Thomas Carpenter, Winona; J. Fisher, Burlington; R. S. Wilson, Dundas, and George Lewis, Saltfleet.

It was urged upon the Minister that a scheme should be devised for the exportation of tender Canadian fruit in refrigerator cars and boats to European ports, and that an emporium should be established in London for the purpose of advertising Canadian fruits.

The growers were also of the opinion that cold storage warehouses should be established in the various fruit centres, and they were requested to formulate a scheme for such warehouses and other suggested improvements and submit it to the Minister.

CURED OF SCIATICA.

Left Hip Affected—Suspected Kidney Kidney Trouble—Relieved and Perfectly Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 18 (Special)—Mr. H. Playter, is not a difficult man to find as everybody here knows that he is foreman at No. 1 Fire Hall. He was the picture of health when called upon by your correspondent and told his story thus:

"In April 1896 I suffered from a severe attack of Sciatica, affecting my left hip and the leg to the tip of my toes. I suspected it came from some form of kidney trouble and as they had been recommended I procured a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

At the end of the fourth day I was entirely relieved, but desiring a permanent cure I continued to use that and another box and am now cured cured and as well as ever in my life. A brother of mine living at Pine Orchard has been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

A Traveler's Forethought.

Little things illustrate certain Englishmen's knowledge of American geography very picturesquely. An Englishman who had taken the Pacific express at Philadelphia called out on going to bed before the train started:

"Portah, portah!"

The porter came. "What is it, sir?" he said.

"Please wake me up when we get to San Francisco, you know," said the Englishman.—Youth's Companion.

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GUILDHALL BANQUET

Gets an Imitation by the Mayor of Montreal —Some Important Speeches Made.

Montreal, Jan. 21.—(Special.)— It remained for Mayor R. Wilson-Smith to give a banquet something similar in its object and importance to the annual Lord Mayor's function in the metropolis of the Mother Land. Among those present were Lord Aberdeen, Premier Laurier, Lieutenant-Governor Chapleau, Premier Flynn and his Cabinet, Hon. Mr. Tarte and the cream of Montreal's professional and business men, and the dinner was the finest ever given in the aristocratic Club of St. James.

There were three splendid speeches, those of the two Premiers and His Honor of Spencerwood. The point made by Sir Adolphe Chapleau was that a mistake was made at Confederation as to titles, for His Honor opined that the nobleman who rules over so vast a country as Canada should have been designated as the Viceroy, and that the head of the executive of each province should be called governors.

The Premier of Quebec said that in the presence of the rulers from Ottawa he must declare that the Legislatures were more important than the Parliament at Ottawa.

Hon. Wilfrid Laurier also made some important points, especially as regards the commercial relations between Canada and the States. He said it had long been his opinion that the relations should be more friendly than they were at present. Whilst he was emphatic in asserting that the efforts of Parliament should be directed towards getting for Montreal and Canada at large the trade of the Western States, let it be well understood that he was against the idea that friendliness with the United States meant hostility to England. The Government intended to have, so far as they could, better trade relations with our neighbors to the south, yet if that meant hostility to England, they would have none of it. [Applause.] It was the boast of Canadians, and he was proud to say it in the presence of Her Majesty's representatives, colonials though they were, they did not believe that the sun shone on a freer country than this, and they felt gratitude for the great country which had protected their liberty. It was with these sentiments that he wished to approach the Government of the United States. If it were his duty and privilege to go to the States and speak of better trade relations between Canada and that country, he would say: "We come here, not as suppliants, but as free men, to talk business with free men, and, if you will accept a basis of free relations on this ground, let us at once negotiate; but if you expect that we come here simply to starve the country to which we belong, we shall do nothing of the kind." [Hear, hear, and applause.] They would ever be true to their allegiance. He believed that if they approached the United States in that spirit, and did not go in any cringing spirit, or any other spirit than that of freedom, self respect and dignity, they would have a hearing; and if they failed in their endeavors, we should still do by ourselves; and if we had to do by ourselves, there was a great deal for us to do. We should have the trade on both sides of the lakes and the river. At the present time we did not have it; we did not have the trade on our own side. Of the thirty million bushels of wheat grown in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories, not more than one-tenth came here; it went to the seaboard by way of the American railways. Was it not time, he asked, that we should determine that every grain of that wheat should go to Europe by way of the St. Lawrence? [Applause.]

RHEUMATISM CURED.

Eighteen Months Trying to get Cured —Had the Best Doctors—He Found What he Wanted in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Goderich, Jan. 11—(Special)—A case of great interest here just now is that of Mr. Alexander J. Sharkey, who for some time has been an extreme sufferer from Rheumatism. His statement to the correspondent is as follows:—

"For eighteen months I was a victim of Rheumatism and during the whole of that time was trying every means to cure it. I had the best doctors in Canada and took their prescriptions with faith and patience.

"I got tired at last, for I found the disappointment nearly as killing as the disease.

"But one friend wiser than others convinced me that my disease must be cured by way of the kidneys and recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I have used two boxes of these pills to effect a perfect cure, and I don't care who knows it."

Ben Wade's Hair.

Senator Ben Wade of Ohio, one of the intellectual giants developed by the civil war, carried his brains in a head as bald as an elliptical billiard ball. But he always wore a beautiful glossy wig of jet black hair. One day, just after he had concluded a very strong speech in congress, he was waited upon in the lobby of the capitol by a young woman.

"Senator," began the young woman, "I have listened to every word you have uttered today with the greatest of interest, and, oh, what a gallant man you are! Would you object to give me a curl of your hair to carry home to Ohio with me?"

"Why, certainly, madam. You can have it all," answered the senator; removing the wig and handing it to the astonished woman.—Washington Cor. Philadelphia Times.

TWEED TOPICS.

Mrs. James Davenport Makes a Statement for the Benefit of Others.

Mrs. Davenport is well-known in Tweed, and this is how she spoke to our representative concerning Doan's Kidney Pills. Said Mrs. Davenport:—

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Port Townsend, Wash., Jan. 21.—The brig Courtenay Ford, from Tahiti, brings an account of a remarkable waterspout witnessed in the tropics on the voyage to this port. In long. 142 west, lat. 15.14 north, on Nov. 18, at 4 p.m., a tremendous waterspout was observed scarcely a mile from the vessel. During the first five minutes it remained stationary and reached an altitude of over 1000 feet, ending in a curious cumulous cloud. Its base was several hundred feet in diameter, and around it the sea was lashed into a cauldron of whit foam for a space of several hundred yards in circumference.

Slowly the spout moved away, though it remained in plain view for over an hour.

Telegraphic Briefs.

Lord Mountstephen has contributed £400 to the India Famine Relief Fund.

Sharp freezing weather and heavy snowstorms have prevailed during the past week in Germany, and the rivers are fast being closed.

A New York correspondent cables his paper that the bubonic plague in Bombay is killing hundreds of rats.

Joseph C. Willard, owner of the well-known Willard's Hotel at Washington, died at his residence in that city yesterday morning, aged 80 years.

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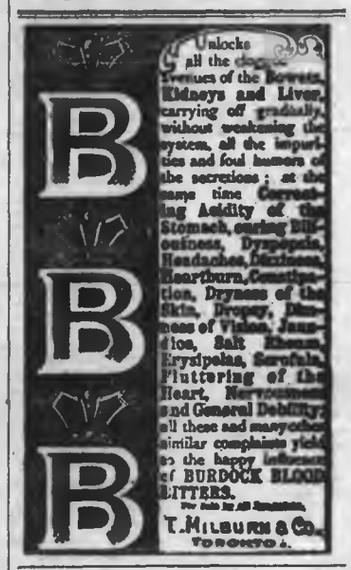

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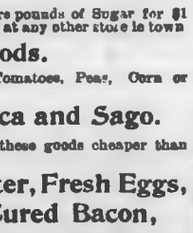

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One style has three runners, one for the front wheel and two for the rear. The rear portion of the bicycle is supported by the runners in such a manner that the tire presses upon the ice hard enough to give the friction necessary for propulsion. A lever in the

ON THE ICE.

hands of the rider regulates the pressure of the tire upon the ice. The front wheel does not revolve at all; the runner is fastened firmly to it, not permitting it to touch the ice. The brake consists of a number of sharp teeth or claws which are forced into the ice, just in front of the rear wheel, between the runners, which, by the way, resemble very long skates. They are easily attached to any bicycle and as easily taken off.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Items of Interest Culled From the Despatches and Boiled Down to Paragraphs to Save Space.

Gen. Weyler has again left Havana for the field of battle.

The failure of the Russell Flour Milling Company of West Superior, Wis., is announced.

Deaths from the bubonic plague in Bombay for a week ending Wednesday night, numbered 470.

Gen. Calixta Garcia says the Cubans are able, unaided, to secure their independence by fighting.

The official returns of the output of the gold mines of British Guiana for the year 1896 show that it was in excess of $2,250,000.

The sleet, which yesterday gave the pavements of Chicago a slippery coating, was responsible for two deaths and several serious injuries.

The Tariff Commissioners sat at Halifax yesterday and took evidence, which was so varied as the personal interests of the witnesses.

The steel steamer State of California has been bought by the Allans for £50,000. It is said she cost the Anchor Line Company £100,000.

Baring Bros. & Co. offered Commercial Cable stock in London yesterday to the amount of £400,000, at 94. There was a large over-subscription.

Mr. A. G. Hamilton's jewelry store at Dannville was entered by burglars Wednesday night and about $300 worth of rings and small jewelry are missing.

A case of bubonic plague has occurred among the servants of Government House, Bombay, and the whole row of houses occupied by the servants have been burned.

George Fuchs, a wealthy German, near Egg Harbor, N.Y., was afflicted with pneumonia, but because the doctors would charge for attending him he would not send for one; so he died.

The firm of McDougall & McNeil, general storekeepers, Grand Narrows, C.B., has made an assignment. H. F. McDougall, members of Commons for Cape Breton County, is senior partner. Liabilities are reported to be in the neighborhood of $30,000.

Dacey and Dryman, ruralists, near Cynthiana, Kentucky, both loved Jennie Hillery and happened to meet on the highway, Dacey being in a buggy with the girl. Dryman was shot near the heart and Dacey through the brain, and now the poor girl has no lover at all.

A new steamship line, originating at Yokohama, and called the San Francisco & Yokohama Transportation Company, has been established, and the first steamer will leave Yokohama on Feb. 5 for San Francisco. The steamers will touch at Honolulu.

A Detroit despatch says that Rev. J. C. H. Mockridge of Toronto has been called to the Church of the Messiah there, and will officiate as both rector and choir master. The reverend gentleman is a graduate of Trinity University, Toronto, and a brother of Mr. Whitney Mockridge, the celebrated tenor.

Shoddy Wool From Russia.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Consul Henan, at Odessa warns American wool importers that Russian wools are being shipped to the United States. The last clip was of shorter fibre and inferior quality in the coarse varieties, and it is being mixed with chemically treated woods from the waste product of the sheepskin coats, which are the almost universal outer garment of the Empire.

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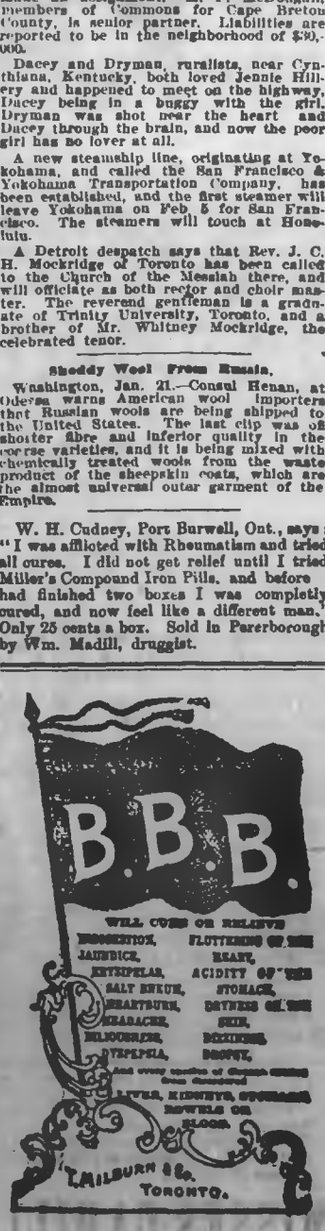

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No. LXXXVI.

The Ethics of Citizenship No. 1.

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS.

A recent writer has these remarks on "the Civic Community:" "This, like the church, is a form of unity which has played an important part in the past, and in the near future seems likely to become more prominent than it has hitherto been." "Local assemblies of citizens," as De Tocqueville has said, "constitute the strength of free nations. Town meetings are to liberty what primary schools are to science; they bring it within the people's reach, they teach them how to use and how to enjoy it. A nation may establish a system of free government, but without the spirit of municipal institutions it cannot have the spirit of liberty." (Mackenzie's introduction to Social Philosophy.) Since these things are so, it certainly behooves all who are interested in the municipality to foster the education of good citizens. In a bye gone day when the franchise was limited to the few, it was thought that a universal franchise would set everything right. But logic might have shown what experience has proved, that if the majority of the voters are corrupt, or indifferent, the government cannot be good. Even in towns and cities, where the intention of the majority is good circumstances frequently frustrate their ends. There are as yet many unsolved questions regarding the municipality, which require wide and liberal thinking, on the basis of accurate knowledge. What are the limits of the powers of the town? What are to be the highest objects of a town council? What are the ideal relations of the town to the churches, to education, to public amusements? How can the municipality best encourage the growth of good citizenship? For the promotion of the general welfare the town has some great advantages over all other societies. For whilst religion is divided, and the churches are compelled to exhaust much energy in holding their own, energy which might under other circumstance be used to better effect, and whilst the many excellent benefit societies have but a limited field of influence the town is a unit. We do not have a separate town hall, and mayor and council for every ward. Profoundly as citizens may differ on many subjects of civic interest, they do not split up into civic sects. Despite some corruption and some self-seeking, we believe that on the whole all desire the best welfare of the city. The city is a society of which all its inhabitants are members, and wherein all have rights.

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From all this it follows, naturally, that there is something to be learnt about citizenship. A man is no more born a good citizen than he is born a good Latin scholar. He may have faculties that will, when trained, make him a good citizen, just as he may have faculties which, when trained, will make him a good Latin scholar. But whereas a man receives a strict and methodical training in the art of reading, writing and arithmetic (to say nothing of the 'ologies), he has to pick up his citizenship in the best way he can, and it is certainly a question, worthy of consideration, whether, either the state or the municipality, might not, with much advantage to its citizens and profit to itself, devote some time and money to the education or instruction of the community in the principles of good citizenship. The city is like a mighty, but a blind Sampson. It has hardly yet become aware of its own vast powers for either good or evil. In some of the great cities of the Old and New World there are men who may be described as civic geniuses. It is much to be desired that such men could be persuaded to give courses of public lectures on the powers, rights, possibilities, principles and duties of good citizenship, and the best way in which to realise them.

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These desultory remarks are intended by way of introduction to a series of Fortnightly Club columns, which will set forth in brief the contents of a little book entitled "The Ethics of Citizenship" by John Macoun, M. A., Professor of Philosophy in University College, Liverpool. The book treats of the following nine subjects in the space of 145 pages:—(1) The Equality of Man, (2) Fraternity, (3) The Rights of Man, (4) Citizenship, (5) The Rule of the Majority in Politics, (6) Party and Political Consistency, (7) Elements of Political Consistency, (8) Democracy and Character, (9) Some Economic and Moral Aspects of Luxury.

It will be observed that the citizenship here treated of is not limited to that of the city, but of the state, but most of the principles laid down are applicable to the circumstances of the city. Mr. Macoun shall himself tell us the purpose of his book. "The object of the following pages," says he, "is to connect some leading aspects of democratic citizenship with ethical facts and beliefs. In the equality of men justification is sought for the bestowal upon the citizen of civil and political rights, as well as for the increased attention given of recent years to questions relating to the distribution of wealth; and this justification is found, not in the untenable doctrine that men are equal, but in the fact, recognized alike in moral and religious experience, that the humblest member of the community possesses a spiritual worth, which effectually parts the man from the chattel and the animal.

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From the Magog, Que., News.

Mr. D. A. Bullock, boatbuilder, of Georgeville, is well and favourably known to all the residents of that village. He has passed through a very trying illness from which his friends feared he could not recover, but he is once more happily enjoying good health. To a correspondent of the Magog News Mr. Bullock recently gave the particulars of his illness and cure, saying that he would be very glad if his experience would prove helpful in enabling someone else to regain health. He says: "There is no doubt in my mind that Dr. William's Pink Pills brought me from the horrors of death to the glad cheerful world. Some years ago, owing to overwork and trouble, I was reduced to a weak state of health, wherein the heart failed to do its work properly, and not unnaturally the stomach became inactive. I had visits from three doctors, but without beneficial results. The medicine given by one of them caused a nervous shock that prostrated me for several weeks. The last one who treated me gave me a preparation of strychnine which upset my kidneys to such an extent that I was confined to the house and daily growing weaker. I had to keep stimulants constantly at my side to keep the heart at work. Even with this artificial aid its action was very faint. Then I began to try advertised medicines, but still without any good results. I lost strength, flesh and hope. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and that reminded me that I had a box of them at my place of business, which had been lying there for more than a year. Without very much confidence in them I decided to give the pills a trial. The result I must confess seemed to be almost magical. I had not taken the Pink Pills long when I was able to rest in my chair and take good refreshing sleep, something that had not taken place for months before. From that day with the use of the Pink Pills I continued to gain in strength, and am to-day a strong and healthy man. I believe that even Pink Pills should be assisted in their good work on the system, and that assistance is exercise, and this exercise I took from the time I began to regain my strength. I have now every faith in this medicine and believe that if those who are sick will use it, health will be the reward."

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Mr. Rudkins was done out of his money, but he has the satisfaction of knowing that his colt's speed is so great as to make him an object of dread at a rural ice-meet—that is at a meet conducted on side line principles. "Let the best horse win" is a true sporting motto, and a race that is not squarely conducted on this principle becomes very like a faker's scheme.

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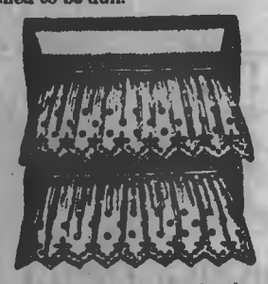

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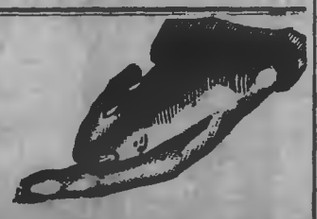

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Lord Aberdeen Calls on Canadians to Help

FELLOW-SUBJECTS IN THE EAST.

The Deputy Minister of Finance Will Look After the Funds—Banks Asked to Receive Subscriptions — Costa Rica Cuts Loose From Britain —Other Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—(Special.)—His Excellency the Governor-General, feeling deep sympathy with the sufferers in Britain's great eastern possession, and after consultation with his Ministers, has undertaken to receive and to transmit Indian relief contributions from all parts of the Dominion. Yesterday his Excellency telegraphed to the Lieut.-Governors of the various provinces to the foregoing effect, expressing, at the same time, his trust that he might have Their Honors' support and co-operation in this national expression of sympathy. The idea is that the fund shall be as comprehensively Canadian in its character as possible, and it is hoped that local or special efforts already made will be sent in to the main fund. Mr. Hugh Graham of The Montreal Star yesterday telegraphed the Governor-General that it was proposed to send the proceeds of The Star collections to His Excellency's care in any case. As an earnest of his sympathy Lord Aberdeen has intimated that he himself will give $1000.

Mr. J. M. Courtney, Deputy Minister of Finance, has consented to act as treasurer of the fund, which will be known as the Canadian Indian Famine Fund. All the leading banks will be asked to receive subscriptions at their head offices and branches throughout the country. It is not anticipated that there will be a Dominion Government contribution. The Ministers had the question under consideration in council yesterday, and it was decided to be guided altogether by Imperial precedent. In the past the Home Government has never made a direct contribution to an Indian relief fund, relying solely on local works and voluntary contributions.

The Department of Trade and Commerce has been advised by the Colonial Office that the Republic of Costa Rica has given notice of the denunciation of sections 5, 6 and 7 of the treaty of commerce and friendship which has been in existence since 1849 between Great Britain and the republic, and which applies to all the British colonies. Section 5 is the most favored nation clause, and its abrogation will mean that Costa Rica is depriving herself of the advantages of our tariff applicable to articles mentioned in the French treaty.

For three or four years the fishing schooner Sir Knight of Rockland, Me., has been upon the Canadian black list for violation of the fishery laws. She has kept out of Canadian waters since, fearing seizure, but evidently the owners are tired of this and have succeeded in inducing the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to restore the vessel to good standing by the payment of a nominal fine of $100.

The Premier and Madame Laurier intend leaving very shortly for California, where one of Mr. Laurier's brothers is in a very bad state of health. They hope, if possible, to bring the invalid back with them.

Captain Spain of the fisheries protection fleet left to-day for the Maritime Provinces, where he will superintend certain repairs to the vessels, which are required before the boats go into commission again in the spring.

During the month of December the Postoffice Savings Bank account showed a decided boom. The deposits were $772,606, against $645,016 withdrawals.

Parliament has been further prorogued until March 2 next. It is probable that the House will be called for the despatch of business on March 11.

A change has been made in the seating on the Ministerial side in the House. Mr. James Sutherland, Government whip, goes from the front row to the seat immediately in the rear, which had been allotted to Hon. Mr. Sifton, next to Hon. Mr. Fisher. The Minister of the Interior takes the seat which was occupied by the chief Government whip last session, in the front row next Hon. Mr. Mulock.

It is said the Minister of Marine and Fisheries contemplates a considerable saving in the fisheries protection service by reducing the fleet, which at present costs the country a large sum annually. After giving the matter careful study he has about made up his mind that the number of cruisers can safely be reduced without any injury to the public interests.

Local Council of Women met yesterday, and passed several important resolutions. Lady Ritchie, Mrs. McLeod Stewart and Mrs. Asa Gordon were appointed a deputation to wait on the authorities and ask for a patrol wagon. The ladies will also assist the famine fund and propose a free library in honor of the Queen's sixtieth anniversary on the throne.

The James Bay Railway Company will seek power next session to build a road from Parry Sound to Toronto.

A charter is sought for a railway line from Kaslo, in West Kootenay, to Lardo, thence to Upper Kootenay Lake, to the Duncan River and the head waters of that stream.

The British Columbian Southern Railway will at the next session seek power to issue $30,000 bonds per mile, including an extension to McLeod and Lethbridge.

The Rocky Mountain Railway and Coal Company ask power for an extension of their line from Calgary to Lethbridge and the international boundary, and a line from Lethbridge to McLeod.

The consent of Parliament is sought for two agreements for running powers over the London and Port Stanley Railway.

The following appointments were gazetted yesterday:

Thomas Anderson of Napanee, Collector of Customs.

Francis Forbes, ex-M.P. of Halifax, Judge of the County Courts in district No. 2 of Nova Scotia.

James McAllister Farrell of Kingston, to be a Deputy Registrar in Admiralty of the Exchequer Court for the district of Toronto in respect of actions in said court which may arise in the Counties of Hastings, Prince Edward, Lennox, Addington, Frontenac, Leeds, Grenville, Dundas, Stormont and Glengarry.

The imports into Canada for the month of December reached a total of $7,433,626, a decrease of three-quarters of a million, and the duty collected to $1,473,630. The total value of free goods was $2,790,346. The exports for December were valued at $11,156,145, as against $9,035,543, a very substantial increase.

OUTRAGEOUS CONDUCT.

A Young Woman of Montreal Alleged to Have Been Victimized by a Mock Marriage.

Montreal, Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Two men named Michael McKinnon and Peter Timmons, both of this city, were arrested this morning, and if the charge against them is proven, both are in a very tight place. A woman named Marian Develin, employed at the Exchange Hotel, Point St. Charles, declares that she was unwittingly a party to a mock marriage with McKinnon, to whom she had been engaged for some time. She alleges that Timmons personated the clergyman, whom she believed at the time to be Rev. Dr. Kerr, but later on she discovered that Dr. Kerr was in England. The alleged mock marriage took place according to the rites of the Church of England.

So far $7500 has been subscribed in Montreal for the relief of the Bombay sufferers. Mayor R. Wilson-Smith is the treasurer and sends all sums to Lord Aberdeen, who will forward them to the proper authorities in London.

The demand of assignment made some time ago by Forget & Co. upon Mr. James Baxter has been withdrawn.

Editor Tardivel of La Verite, Quebec, was yesterday committed to stand his trial for the alleged libelling of Dr. Frechette, the Canadian poet.

Judge Archibald has thrown out Mr. Quinn's preliminary objections in the St. Ann's contested election case, but, it is said, the respondent will go to the Supreme Court.

BARRISTER INCE DEAD.

A Well-Known Torontonian Succumbs From the Effects of a Fall on Yonge-Street on Saturday Morning.

Toronto, Jan. 25.

At 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon Mr. Thomas Henry Ince, barrister, 194 Bloor-street west, died from the result of a fall received Saturday morning.

Shortly after 11 o'clock Mr. Ince was walking in Yonge-street to his office, at 33 Richmond-street west. In turning the corner he slipped on the icy pavement, striking heavily on his back and head. He was assisted to his feet and did not appear to be much the worse for the accident. He walked towards the office, and when he reached the door he complained of pains in his head and dropped unconscious. He was taken into the Methodist book room, when Drs. Barrick and Cuthbertson were summoned. He was removed to the residence of his brother, Mr. William Ince, 94 Prince Arthur-avenue, where he remained unconscious until his death.

The deceased was 70 years of age, and had lived in Toronto most of his life. He was prominent in legal circles, and took a great interest in the distribution of charity. He was a member of the House of Industry Board. He leaves five daughters, Mrs. Captain Jack Anderson, Niagara-on-the-Lake; Mrs. Dr. George Warren, Toronto; Mrs. Whittier, residing in the States, and two living at home.

Conservative Defeated.

St. John, N. B., Jan. 24.—An election for the Provincial Assembly took place in Albert County yesterday. C. J. Osman, the Government candidate, defeated J. L. Peck, Conservative, by 344 majority.

A Woman Admits Murder.

Bristol, Tenn., Jan. 23.—Mrs. Susan Deckard, aged 40, has confessed to having murdered her husband, Joseph Deckard, whose head was split open with an ax Thursday morning. She said she did it through fear of him. She was jailed.

Trolley Company in Trouble.

Sandusky, O., Jan. 23.—The Sandusky Electric Railway Company has gone into the hands of a receiver. The indebtedness of the company is $120,000.

A VERY COLD WAVE

Prevails All Over the Continent Just Now.

WINTRY WEATHER IN ENGLAND, TOO

Mercury Has Dropped Lower in the Western States Than at Any Time for Two Years—Fifty Degrees Below Zero at Medicine Hat—Frost Everywhere.

At 10 o'clock last night the Observatory reported that Toronto would experience much colder weather in the course of a day or two, and that the sharp weather would continue for some days. At Medicine Hat, N. W. T., last night the mercury dropped to 50 below and it was getting colder.

The weather report shows that the cold wave is general from the Rocky Mountains to the Maritime Provinces in Canada, while the Western and Northwestern States are having very severe cold. Great Britain and France are also having a taste of old winter and railway traffic is blocked in some parts of the United Kingdom.

IN THE OLD LAND.

Interruption to Travel in England and Many Other Inconveniences.

London, Jan. 24.—The snowstorm which began on Friday continues and is causing many interruptions to travel and other inconveniences. Many sheep and other animals have perished, and the losses sustained by farmers and others will be quite heavy. The snow is so deep between Hastings and Brighton that a number of trains have been blocked, an occurrence which is seldom heard of in that part of the country.

The heavy wind which accompanied the snowstorm has done considerable damage along the coast. Some of the fishing boats which have arrived at Lowestoft report the loss by drowning of several members of their crews. A number of boats were quite badly damaged. Quantities of wreckage is being washed ashore on the Norfolk coast, indicating the loss of some vessel or vessels at sea.

Paris is Having a Taste.

New York, Jan. 24.—A special cable from Paris to The Herald says: Most unusual weather prevails in Paris. Snow falls in thick showers, then comes bright sunshine like May or June, only, however, to last for a tantalizing five minutes. Great black clouds loom up again and down comes the snow again, and the thermometer remains about 48 degrees fahrenheit. The streets are full of chocolate cream-colored slush, and toward evening, when it begins to freeze, the cab horses slip about and tumble, breaking the shafts as they fall. This panache of snow and sunshine and drizzle has lasted 48 hours, and there is no sign yet of its letting up.

IN THE WESTERN STATES.

From 25 to 40 Degrees Below Zero in Sections of Minnesota.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 24.—Reports from every part of the northwest indicate that last night was the coldest night in two winters. St. Paul, about the warmest point in this whole section, registered 25 below. The range was from that figure to 30 below at St. Cloud, 36 below at Aitkin and 40 below at St. Hilaire. There are no reports in yet of people freezing to death, though suffering in the country must have been very great. The St. Paul Relief Society has been busy all day furnishing coal and other supplies to the needy. The thermometer in this city to-night is 26 below zero, and indications point to a further drop of at least 10 degrees before morning. Railway traffic is everywhere greatly retarded because of drifts or inability to keep up steam. Around Aberdeen, Huron, Milbank and Wilmot, S. D., no effort has been made for two days past to clear the tracks owing to very high winds. A Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul passenger train is stuck in a drift near Bonila, S. D. Fuel has been carried to the train to keep the passengers comfortable.

Reports from points along the Missouri River indicate that there will be heavy mortality among the cattle and sheep in that section.

Denver Hit.

Denver, Jan. 24.—The cold wave struck this section at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and in less than an hour the thermometer fell 30 degrees, from 50 to 20 above zero. Ten above is the mark registered at 8 o'clock, with the prospects of zero weather before morning.

In Iowa.

Des Moines, Jan. 24.—The cold wave which reached here last night continues, the thermometer to-night registering 1 below zero.

The Adirondacks.

Utica, N.Y., Jan. 24.—At midnight the temperature in the Adirondacks was: Malone, 18 degrees below zero; at Tupper Lake, 15 below; at Fulton, 10 below, and at Remsen 5 below.

Suffering Among the Poor.

Cleveland, Jan. 24.—The coldest weather of the winter prevails. At 8 o'clock the thermometer in the United States weather office registered four degrees above zero, and before midnight the mercury had dropped to as many degrees below. The suffering among the poor is appalling.

Coldest Day of the Winter.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 24.—This has been the coldest day of the winter. At 7 o'clock to-night the thermometer was 7 degrees below zero, and indications are that it will go lower before morning.

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A HEADLESS PARTY.

Ever since the death of Sir John Macdonald, whose personal influence was the cohesive force, the Conservative party in Canada has been undergoing a gradual course of disintegration. Had Sir John Thompson lived longer the party might have been better held together. There is now, however, no doubt that the party, as a party, is in a very bad way. Not, perhaps, in its individual composition. One would be sorry to know that the half of our population was as much demoralised individually, as is the party, as a party. The rank and file of the Conservative party is at sixes and sevens in sympathy with the recognised leader—if there can now be said to be such a thing as recognised leaders. The leaders for years were fighting for supremacy; jealousies and distrusts were rampant, culminating in the little game of "cut-throat" and bolt last January. That was the signal for the falling to pieces of the party, and since that time its fortunes have been going from bad to worse. In June the country drove the leaders from office, and since that time like sheep without a shepherd, the party is wandering practically leaderless, on the bleak and barren hillsides of Opposition, nibbling the scanty after-math of past triumphs. The lack of leaders, apart from its past record, is no doubt the weak spot of the Conservative party. No one will deny that bad leaders and unwise counsels are the cause of the low ebb at which the party now finds itself. The leadership for the Dominion is held by courtesy by Sir Charles Tupper, and his lieutenants have lost their grip. In Ontario, especially, things are at a bad pass. The Opposition is weak in the Provincial Legislature, and is without a leader in the Commons from the first province of the Confederation. Hon. Mr. Haggart is doomed. Even a staunch Conservative organ the Belleville Intelligencer, shows how much confidence it has in him when it says:

> "Rumour has it that Hon. John Haggart has resigned the leadership of the Conservative party for Eastern Ontario and that he has been succeeded by the Hon. Peter White. It is to be hoped that Dame Rumour speaks truly in this instance, as the change would be highly beneficial to the party."

There is one for a prominent member of the "nest of traitors" and from a source which may safely be assumed would not speak so unless there were the strongest provocation. Additional evidance is afforded by the following paragraph that appeared in a recent issue of the London News, an independent journal, of the disintegrated condition of the party:

> "The idea that the present Provincial Administration is shivering in its shoes because the Conservatives have "reorganised" is highly interesting. No one yet has discovered what the reorganization consists of or what the policy is to be. Are we to have another P. P. A. campaign, with the Hamilton Spectator bestraddling the Protestant Horse like a garrulous old witch on a broomstick? Or is it simply to be a case of promiscuous fault finding by the mass of incompetents who at present constitute the Provincial Opposition? How the Conservatives can ever hope to win with the scrubby crowd they have in the dirt of mystery that passeth understanding.

This is rather strong language, coming from an independent source, but it seems that the situation strikes disinterested observers strongly. We hope that the party will discover a competent leader and pull itself together. The Liberals have had a long experience in fighting, and would like to have foemen worthy of their steel. They have long been defending themselves from blows delivered below the belt, and they would not be glad of a little honourable warfare under competent leaders.

The Brantford Expositor draws attention to the fact that Mr. Currie, a well-known member of the Patron order, has been speaking in North Ontario for Mr. Graham, the farmer candidate. Mr. Currie cannot be accused of Liberal sympathies in political matters, but he has given to the Laurier administration a splendid certificate of character. He thinks it has done admirably so far, and that it should be allowed to show what more it can do. He likes its policy and its personnel and he did not like either the policy or the personnel of the the ministry which preceded it. Mr. Currie's attitude is a reasonable one, and his advice is just as sound for the farmers of South Brant as it is for the farmers of North Ontario. As a class they have had too little influence in the control of public affairs; if they want to secure more the most effective way to do so is to support the present government.

THE PLAGUE IN INDIA.

The bubonic plague which is now sweeping over Indida, and to escape which at least nine hundred thousand persons have fled from Bombay, where more than two thousand deaths have occurred, is the same terrible malady which has at various times wrought awful havoc in Asia and Europe.

The plague has been known as "the black death," "the pest," and "the great mortality." Its first appearance in Europe was at Constantinople in 544. Since then its visitations have been at intervals. It was last seen in Egypt in 1314, and its last appearance in Europe was in the provinces along the Volga in 1878. It appeared in China a year or two ago, and is apparently moving westward. The morality is very high, and it is estimated that at least twenty-five millions of people in Europe have died from that cause at various periods of the world's history.

The plague is a zymotic disease, closely resembling typhus fever, due to insalubrious and poisonous atmospheric conditions mainly, and it is propogated by direct contagion. The progress of the disease either to death or convalescence is very rapid, death occuring, if at all, within from two to ten days. The spread of the plague may be prevented by quarantine and by proper hygenic regulations, and for that reason it would probably not make much headway in America.

In India, however, where the natives are ignorant and superstitious, and next to no precautionary regulations can be enforced, and where dead bodies are exposed to the open air to be torn to pieces by buzzards, it is not remarkable that the disease should claim victims by the thousands among the half-starved and panic-stricken people.

The dyspeptic carries a dreadful load on his back. It seems as if he were really made up of two men. One of them ambitious, brainy and energetic; the other sick, listless, peevish and without force. The weak man weighs the other one down. The dyspeptic may be able to do pretty good work one day, and the next day because of some little indiscretion in eating, he may be able to do nothing at all. Most cases of dyspepsia start with constipation. Constipation is the cause of nine-tenths of all human sickness. Some of its symptoms are sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, foul breath, windy belchings, heartburn, pain and distress after eating. All these are indicative of derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels, and all are caused by constipation. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the quickest, easiest and most certain cure for this condition. They are not violent in action.

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SMITH.

Council Meeting.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The newly elected council of the township of Smith met at the town hall, Bridgenorth, on Monday, the 11th January, as provided by statute. After making the necessary declarations of office and qualification the council took their seats as follows:—Jas. G. Armstrong, reeve, Wm. McIlmoyle, deputy reeve, and G. E. Elliott, H. C. Garbutt and S. Stinson, councillors. The minutes of last meeting of former council were read and confirmed. A bylaw passed the several readings appointing the local board of health. The following officers were appointed:—John Black and Andrew Young, auditors, and R. Waram, assessor. The reeve and Councillors Garbutt and Stinson were appointed a deputation to wait upon the county council to discuss the advisability of purchasing a stone crusher for each County Council division. The clerk was instructed to notify J. R. Dorgan and A.C. L. Kidd, to remove their fence off the road allowance on the 11 con. line, from river road to river, and also to notify R. White and W. J. Young to remove their fences off the road allowance on the 12th con. line. A communication was received from A. Fairbairn, claiming payment for shovelling snow and opening road, on which the council decided to take no action. On considering the salary paid to clerks and treasurers of other municipalities, the council decided to raise the salary of the clerk and treasurer of Smith to $250. The following claims were ordered to be paid:—W. J. Young, work on road, $1.25; A. Allison, goods to Shippo; charity, $6; Geo. Westlake, for plank and repairing sidewalk, $5. The time for the collector to return his roll was extended to the first day of February. Council adjourned to meet Feb. 1st.

The Life of Dr. Chase.

As a compiler of Dr. Chase's Recipe Book, his name is familiar to every household in the land, while as a physician his works on simple formulas left an imprint of his name that will be handed down from generation to generation. His last great medicine, in the form of his Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, is having the large public patronage that his Ointment, Pills and Catarrh Cure are having. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is especially adapted for all Bronchial and Asthmatic troubles.

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A DESPERATE WEAVER.

Because of a Family Quarrel He Tried to Kill His Wife and Himself, But Failed.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 23.—There was a desperate attempt at murder and suicide this afternoon. The principals were William Bleicher and his wife Francesca. Bleicher is a German, employed as a weaver in Washington Mills. This afternoon Bleicher quarreled with his wife at their home. His wife finally announced her intention of going out. Bleicher seized a revolver and, standing within two feet of his wife, fired. The bullet struck the woman on the top of the head. His daughter, who witnessed the deed, ran out, and his wife ran to the door. Bleicher fired again and the bullet entered the woman's right arm at the elbow. She ran upstairs and disappeared before her husband could fire again. The crazed man walked back to the bed room and fired the four remaining bullets, one into his right hand and three into his breast. He reloaded the weapon and fired one shot into his forehead over the left eye. He then lay down on the lounge in the kitchen.

William Bleicher, his son, notified the police, and husband and wife were removed to the hospital. Three of the bullets the man fired into his chest glanced over, but one struck his hand and went through it. The bullet in the forehead is considered the most dangerous. Both will probably recover. Domestic trouble was the cause of the shooting.

GRAVEL IN THE BLADDER.

Used Eighteen Boxes of Dood's Kidney Pills—The Stone Dissolved and Removed—Knew of Others Cured.

Shelburne, Jan. 23 (Special).—Mr. John Medill, known locally as well as far and near as a physical giant, and glorying in his strength, came to be a great sufferer and tells of his cure as follows:—

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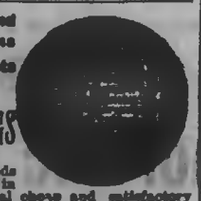

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CANADIANS RETURNING

Some of the Unfortunates Who Went to Brazil Have Got as Far as New York on the Way Home.

New York, Jan. 22.—Forty-six Canadians, who left Montreal, on Sept. 5 last, for the purpose of securing profitable employment on Brazilian plantations, arrived in Brooklyn on the steamer Munroe at 4 o'clock this afternoon. They sailed from Santos on Dec. 29, their passage having been provided by the Brazilian consul at San Paulo. Nearly half of the number are women and children. They tell a story of suffering and distress, which they say were entirely due to misrepresentations on the part of the agents of the Brazilian League, under whose auspices the party was organized. Among the number was James Mackay, who was formerly an express employe at Montreal. He acted as spokesman for the little group as they gathered on the deck of the vessel this afternoon to describe their sufferings. His story, corroborated by others, is as follows:

"Our party was organized in Montreal, where agents of the Brazilian League, at No. 213 Commissioner-street, told us that we could earn good wages, with free houses and food for one year, on coffee plantations in Brazil.

"We accordingly formed our party, arriving at Santos, Brazil, Oct. 7. When we got there we were sent to San Paulo, where we were given accommodations at the Provincial House until the planters asked us to go to work. We soon found out that we had been fooled, that the climate was unbearable for people raised as we had been, and that, instead of earning good wages, we could only make at the most 70 cents a day. Some of the party went on the plantations, others remained at San Paulo and sought employment there. Those who went on the plantations remained but a week or so, the enervating heat and annoying insects making life unbearable. Some tried to stick it out long enough to earn money to get home, and several of our countrymen who reached Santos before we got there died from fevers incident to the climate, contracted while on the plantations. My wife was sick constantly, my children could not get proper food, and, after staying in the wretched place several weeks, we determined to apply for help to get home, our money having been used for providing the necessaries of life, which the agents at Montreal said should be given us free.

"I have the circular containing the League's statement. It reads as follows:

"The Government of Brazil will pay the passage of farmers and their families to the Province of San Paulo, which province has special laws in force for the help and protection of the farmers. The passage is paid for Canadians of the Province of Quebec from Montreal in summer and Halifax in winter. When the families arrive in the city of San Paulo, the capital of the province, they are taken to the Provincial House, where they will find bed, food, doctor and everything that is required for their accommodation during eight days. The families, on their arrival at the coffee plantation, will be furnished with house and all implements, as well as food and seeds to commence work, without any expense or charge. A family, husband and wife, can easily take care of four thousand coffee trees, and they will be paid for their work about $200 a year, and, at the same time, they can cultivate the ground and grow whatever they think fit for the local markets for their own benefit. The families do not run any expense whatever. Their passage is paid, house, implements and seed are furnished free, and food is provided for a year."

Others in the party said that more than 400 Canadians had been attracted to Brazil by the glowing description of easy life at excellent pay. Some of these, it is said, have gone to England and others to the Argentine Republic. Twenty or more have died in the region of Santos within the last few weeks and others are sick with fever and bowel complaint.

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The South African Dictator Has Nothing to Say

SINCE HIS ARRIVAL IN LONDON

Lord Salisbury's Action in Regard to the Turkish Reforms Meets With General Approval—Ivory's Trial Costs the Government a Large Sum—Other Gossip by Cable.

London, Jan. 23.—The arrival of Cecil Rhodes in London will rivet attention on South African affairs during the coming week. What the dictator of Rhodesia will say or what he will do are now the questions on everyone's lips. Will he go straight to the great British public with the attractive shibboleth of two hundred thousand square miles added to the British Empire as against a new species of orchid? Or will Mr. Chamberlain's diplomacy and suavity keep the founder of Rhodesia from running amuck? The outcome is looked for with interest. At Plymouth a host of reporters on specially chartered launches tried to see him, but failed. Mr. Rhodes would not open his lips, and his silence is in contrast with his Cape Town talkativeness. Some comment is expressed over the fact that now that Mr. Rhodes is here, no committee is ready.

The developments of the debate on the address in reply to the Queen's speech have so far been adverse to the hopes of the Liberals, and especially of the Home Rulers, who expected the Government to be greatly weakened over the Irish finance agitation. The much-talked-of coalition between Irish Unionists and Nationalists is not the practical sort of common action which the Nationalist leaders desired and were led to believe would be effected. Since Parliament met views have been exchanged between Col. Saunderson, Horace Plunket, Mr. Dillon, Mr. Healy and other Irish members as to how far their agreement of opinion on Irish finances meant active co-operation towards a common end. The Nationalist leaders have found that the recent warmth of feeling upon the question among the Irish Unionists has chilled. The persuasive voice of the Government whip has convinced the Saunderson faction that working relations with the Home Rulers on any question would entrap them, and it is known also that the Government has empowered the whips to promise a full reconsideration of the matter. The Irish Unionists, therefore, while continuing to support in abstract and sentimental fashion the Irish demands, will not vote against the Government, whose majority against the Dillon, Redmond and other amendments, remains intact. The three great Irish questions which have been forced upon the consideration of the Government and the country, namely, financial reform, Board of Agriculture and a Catholic University for Ireland, compete with if they do not overtop in public interest the purely English measures before the House. The lukewarm policy of the Irish Unionists in Parliament may be only tentative. They await what the Government may do. There is meanwhile substantial encouragement for the Nationalists in the further adhesion of many influential landlords to the financial agitation. Lord Ross, the owner of the famous Ross telescope, Lord Dufferin, the Duke of Abercorn, the Marquis of Londonderry, Lord Mayo and others have given in some instances an absolute and in others qualified approval of the movement.

The Catholic Bishops of Ireland are taking no prominent part in the finance discussion.

The consideration with which Lady Scott, who was recently sentenced to eight months' imprisonment for libeling her son-in-law, Earl Russell, is treated in Holloway Prison, finds adverse criticism even in fashionable circles. The last titled lady sent to Holloway was the Duchess of Sutherland, now Lady Rollitt. But hers was not a criminal case, the offence being contempt of court. A strong opinion now prevails in society that Lady Scott has been too leniently dealt with. The tide has turned toward Earl Russell. Lady Scott's imprisonment is attended with amenities just as were accorded to the Duchess of Sutherland. Two rooms have been specially furnished for her by her son-in-law, Dick Russell, who paid the costs of the trial. Her wine and food, papers and books are supplied from outside. A specially-paid matron waits upon her. Lady Scott will shortly plead that her health is breaking down from the confinement, but if public opinion be regarded, the Home Office will require the full term shall be served.

INDIAN RELIEF FUND.

The Mansion House Collection is Not Growing as Expected.

London, Jan. 23.—Contributions to the Indian famine relief fund at the Mansion House are being steadily received by Lord Mayor Faudel-Phillips, but thus far they have not come up to popular expectations. The subscriptions of the Queen, who sent £500, and the Prince and Princess of Wales, who, together, contributed £250, have been overshadowed by the donations of Mr. William Waldorf Astor and J. S. Morgan & Co., the former subscribing £2000 and the latter £1000. The fund is now getting on to the £100,000 mark, but compared with the last fund for a similar purpose, which amounted to about £500,000, it is as yet comparatively insignificant. This is no doubt due to the action of the Government, which, when the fund was first proposed, threw cold water upon it, only to later have to acknowledge that such a fund would be necessary to keep thousands of the poverty-stricken natives of India from starvation. The optimistic views expressed a short time ago by the Indian Government in face of the appalling condition confronting it are difficult to understand, but everybody has now awakened to the extent of the dire calamity that has befallen India, and no doubt the purses of the rich people of England will soon be opened to pour a stream of gold to succor their fellow subjects who are now in such terrible distress.

COST OF IVORY'S TRIAL.

British Treasury Said to Have Been Let in for £20,000.

London, Jan. 23.—It is announced that the attempt by the Crown authorities to convict Edward J. Ivory, alias Ed. Bell, of conspiracy to cause a dynamite explosion, which completely collapsed on Wednesday, entailed an expense upon the treasury of £20,000. Of this sum £5000 was devoted to the expenses of the Scotland Yard authorities in making researches in Holland, Belgium and France, with a view of obtaining evidence against Ivory and his alleged co-conspirators, Tynan, Haines and Kearney, and the sum of £5200 was spent in making similar investigations in the United States. The remainder was spent in the prosecution of the defendant in the Old Bailey Court and in defraying expenses incidental thereto. In the case of the defence Ivory says that it cost £3000 to carry it to the point where the Government were compelled to admit that they had no cause for action against him.

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A PRETTY BAD SMASH.

Railway Catastrophe Which Shook Up a Number of Passengers.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 23.—Shortly before noon to-day a Lackawanna Iron and Steel Company engine ran into a Cedar-avenue street car within a few yards of the Cedar-avenue bridge. The car was well filled. All the passengers were badly shaken up and three women were severely injured. The injured are: Mrs. Bridget Heap, shoulder hurt; Mrs. Mary Egan, Mrs. Sarah Hyde, unknown peddler. The car was turned half around by the engine, and it started to run down an incline and would have gone over an embaukment into the Roarin' Brook, a drop of 35 feet, if it had not struck an electric light pole.

No Passengers Hurt.

Knoxville, Tenn., Jan. 23.—The passenger train from Cincinnati, south-bound, on the Queen & Crescent road, was wrecked at the mouth of the tunnel this morning at Nemo. The engine and mail car were wrecked. Fireman Charles Clarke of Somerset was killed and Engineer John Fowler badly hurt. No passengers were injured.

No Mandements Yet.

Montreal, Jan. 24.—There were no mandements read in Roman Catholic churches in this province to-day.

State of Georgia Overdue.

London, Jan. 23.—The British steamer State of Georgia, Capt. Stewart, from Dantzic Dec. 23, for Halifax and St. John, N.B., has been reinsured, the rate paid being 54 guineas.

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Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, on Saturday, Jan. 30th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. Hours: 12 to 4. dw

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Bargains in Dry Goods and Furs.

W. W. Johnston has removed balance of the D. O. LeGendre stock to his own stand, 410 George street and as the stock must be cleared out in a short time, bargains in all lines will be given. Call and see for yourselves. 4d20

Indian Famine Relief Fund.

Mr. F. J. Rogers, manager of the Bank of Montreal, in town, has been instructed by the general manager of the Bank of Montreal, to receive subscriptions to the national fund relief in India, and remit to the Governor-General, at Ottawa, free of charge.

Cricket Club Activity.

The cricket club is not by any means dead yet. It is proposed that they put themselves strongly in social evidence the present winter by holding a grand ball, a concert, perhaps, and one or two smoking concerts. The boys will no doubt bring on something worth patronizing in all these respects.

The "Johnny" Rogers Benefit Concert.

The date of the "Johnny" Rogers benefit concert announced for Thursday evening, Feb. 4th, has been changed to Wednesday, Feb. 3rd. Those interested should note the change. A splendid programme will be presented, and all who attend will have an opportunity for enjoyment as well as aiding in a most worthy object.

Clothing Wanted.

By to-morrow at noon, clothing for 6 girls—ranging in age from 5 months to 14 years of age. Parcels may be left at the office of the Children's Aid Society. The children in question are in desperate need, and their destitution furnishes an opportunity for the charitably disposed to relieve suffering orphans.

Tobacco Business Changed Hands.

Having purchased the tobacco business formerly carried on by Ed. B. Clegg, No. 215 George street, I have restocked the store with a full and well-selected assortment of choice cigars, tobaccoes, pipes and smoker's sundries, and solicit a share of public patronage. Prices low enough to suit all.—W. B. RICKEY. d

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If you have forgotten to order your favourite magazine or periodical for 1897, telephone the Peterborough Bookstore (293) and we will start you off with the January number. All the popular magazines for February have arrived, and are being picked up rapidly. We are taking the names of new subscribers. Will you be one? The magazines are so cheap you shouldn't be without them. A. H. STRATTON & Co., 417 George street.

The Cinematographe.

There were big crowds at the opera house Saturday afternoon and evening to see Lumier's marvellous invention, the Cinematographe, and everybody enjoyed the show. There are only three more evenings in which to see this wonderful exhibition, and those who have not yet seen it are missing a great treat. The doors are open each evening at 7 p.m., performance starts sharp at 7.30 p.m., and runs continually until 10.30 p.m., showing the entire programme through twice. You can come as late as 9 p.m. and see the full programme. There will be a matinee on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 p.m. The admission to all parts of the theatre, adults 25c., children 10c. Don't miss the greatest treat of the season. Ask those who have seen it and they will tell you so.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

The North End hockey team would like to arrange a match with the Asburnham team.

The Juniors go down to Norwood to-night to play the return match with the second team of that town. As the Norwood men held the local team down even in the first half of the game here the other evening, there is every reason to expect a fast game in Norwood.

CURLIANA.

The drawing in group 7 has again been rearranged by Umpire D. Carlyle. Peterborough Granites play Hamilton Thistles to-day at 9.30 a.m. at Granite Rink, Toronto; winner to play Granites in the afternoon on the same ice. Toronto Caledonians play Galt on Victoria ice at 1 o'clock; winners play off the final on the morning of January 26.

The reports of the results of the Lindsay bonspiel, as appearing in the papers of town, and in the Toronto dailies, were such as to afford but meagre information to outside towns sending in rinks. If a Lindsay rink won a match everyone knew of it, and when one of their dozen or so rinks carried off the trophy in the single rink competition the comment and flattery was fulsome indeed, but when Skip Rutherford, in the consolation series, actually plays four matches in one day and won them all, thus securing the trophy, there is not a word said about it. Four hard fought matches in a day is a record breaker, and when the last end was played at two o'clock in the morning Skip Rutherford's rink must have been almost done out. Mr. C. McGill viced for him G. J. Horkins played second and Mr. J. S. Knapman led. In the playing off in the consolation series was seen the finest exhibition of curling during the entire match. The curlers seemed to settle down and each end was closely watched by scores of outside players. Naturally great interest centered around Skip Rutherford's men when rink after rink was successively vanquished by them with the result that after playing from nine o'clock in the morning until two the next morning they were awarded the trophy for the consolation competition, consisting of four pair of handsome curling stones. The Lindsay Post of Saturday says:—

At 6.30 o'clock last evening people commenced to flock to the curling rink, their object being to secure advantageous positions from which to witness the final game in the double rink competition between the Lindsay rinks, skipped by Messrs. Flavelle and McLennan, and the Peterborough rinks, skipped by Messrs. Allen and Davidson. At 7 o'clock the rink began to fill up rapidly, and at half past, when play started, every foot of space in the large building was occupied, the club rooms were packed, and several hundred people who arrived later found it impossible to get inside the doorway. It is estimated that fully 1,300 persons were present, and additional attendants had to be detailed to keep spectators off the ice.

At the very outset it was apparent to all that the Lindsay men were in fine form, and if there were any present who doubted the result, their fears speedily vanished. Skip Flavelle won every end until the seventh, when Skip Allen, his opponent, managed to score one, and chalked up his first win on the tally-board. Skip McLennan likewise shut out his opponent, Skip Davidson, until the fifth end, by which time he had a comfortable lead. At the close of the eighth ends the score was telephoned to some anxious ones at Peterborough:—Flavelle, 12; Allen, 1; McLennan, 12; Davidson, 4. The excitement was intense but suppressed, the people appearing to realize that cheering might have a tendency to "rattle" one or both rinks, but expansive smiles would ripple over the faces of the crowd when the Lindsay men scored or made a particularly difficult shot. Peterborough scored for the second time in the eleventh end, and Flavelle counted the twelfth, when the score stood:—Flavelle, 17; Allen, 3. McLennan still led his opponent handsomely, his score standing 16 to 9. The succeeding four ends were an exhibition of great skill and judgment on the part of both skips and players. The Lindsay men succeeded in holding their opponents down to small ends when they did win, and at the close of the game the score stood:

Lindsay.		Peterborough.	
Flavelle, skip	17	Allen, skip	9
McLennan, skip	21	Davidson, skip	10
	38		19

Majority for Lindsay, 19 shots.

The Post further says:—"In the Consolation series exceptional interest was taken this morning in a game between rinks skipped by McLennan, Lindsay, and Ray, Peterborough. The game was remarkable for the great judgment and skill displayed by both skips and men. Lindsay played an almost faultless game, and shut Peterborough out repeatedly by playing almost impossible shots with the greatest of ease. At the close of the game, which stood 16 to 10 in Lindsay's favour, Skip Ray admitted that Lindsay had played a phenomenal game, and said he had no fault whatever to find with his men—they had done all that curlers could do against better men.

A SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST A WOMAN.

She is Arrested on a Charge of Bigamy—Two Husband's Alive.

Mrs. George Groves, alias Margot Blanco alias Mrs. Frederick Lackey was brought before Police Magistrate Dumble at a special session of the police court, Saturday afternoon on a charge of bigamy. The case has been enlarged until Friday next, and in the meantime the prisoner will do without even one husband, being locked up in the county goal.

The complaint was laid at police headquarters on Saturday last when George Groves, of Emily, drove into town and laid an information to the effect that his wife had been married on Christmas day last, to Frederick Lackey, of town, and a glance at the EXAMINER of the day after reveals the following wedding notice which appears to apply to the case inasmuch as Margaret Blanco was Mrs. Groves' maiden name:

LACKEY—BLANCO—On Christmas day, Dec. 25th, 1896, by Rev. W. R. Young, M.A., Frederick Lackey, and Margaret Blanco, both of Peterborough.

Mr. Groves' statement to the police is that his wife left him in the spring of 1895, five children being also deserted between the ages of 13 and 2 years. He had heard of his wife at intervals, and the other day news of her second marriage reached him, and he determined to take legal steps in the matter with the above mentioned result.

The woman was placed under arrest at her home on Albert street, where she was living with Lackie, who was formerly an employee at the Huffman House, and little more than a boy, whilst the woman whom he married appears to be about twice his age.

The extreme penalty in a case of this kind is a sentence to seven years in the penitentiary.

THE C.L.I. "LIT."

A Mock Trial Was Held on Saturday Evening—Tableaux.

The regular weekly meeting of the Collegiate Institute Literary Society was pleasantly varied on Saturday evening, by the introduction of a "mock trial" in the programme, which was as follows:

Selection.....Glee Club
Tableau, "The Brigand's Camp".....
Recitation.....Miss G Brown
Selection.....Miss M English
Military Tableaux.....1st, Ready
" .....2nd, The Shining Mark
" ..3rd, Not a drum was heard
" .....4th, His Farewell Shot
Violin solo.....Miss L Sullivan
Tableaux, "The Fortune Teller," (encored).....
Piano solo.....Miss J Cameron
Mock Trial.....
Violin solo.....Miss L Sullivan
Chorus.....Glee Club
God Save the Queen.

The four military tableau were excellent—all the members showed up well in each. "The Fortune Teller" tableau was so successful that the audience demanded a repetition which was kindly given. In the "Mock Trial" Mr. Maitland Boswell was prosecutor and Mr. Denny was the prisoner's counsel. Mr. Percy Clarke was clerk, Mr. W. H. Beer was judge, Mr. Bennett was sheriff, whilst a well-known young man of the Institute was the lady bigamist, and a very handsome young lady he made. The charge against the prisoner was that she had nine husbands—all tailors. But it turned out that she was acquitted, it not being proven she was a bigamist. It was true she had married nine men—all tailors; but as it takes nine tailors to make one man, she was acquitted, as stated above.

All the solos and recitations were very creditably given, and the only fault—if any there was—was that the room was not large enough to accomodate the audience.

The singing of "God Save the Queen" brought this very successful evening to a close.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

The following remarks with regard to the details of the re-organization which the new council propose putting into force in the Engineering Department of the town, will, I trust, prove advantageous if carried into effect.

In the first place there should be an engineering department and the officer in charge should be supplied with office accommodation, so that when it becomes desirable to make a change all the field notes, levels, plans and profiles, records, etc., will be left behind in the office for the guidance of his successor. One can easily see that when the engineer in charge is paid a percentage for managing the work that the notes and everything of that nature belong to himself. The disadvantage of this system is principally that the successor has nothing to guide him in carrying out the future work. He knows nothing about the lines and levels of the existing sewers: etc., without digging up the street to find out. This, of course, is a decided disadvantage at any time, but especially so with permanent roadways laid.

I maintain that all plans, levels, field notes and records of the town work should belong to the town and be carefully filed in the office of the Engineering Department.

The streets and bridges, as well as the sewers, should be under the direct supervision of the town engineer, especially so when it is contemplated to lay permanent pavements. The grades and lines of these should be given by the engineer and properly recorded by him for future reference.

Another important point is to have a system of "bench marks" established all over the town and the correct elevations marked on little brass plates firmly secured to permanent buildings.

This plan is adopted with success in Toronto and will tend to prevent errors in levels being made at intersection of old and new sewers, etc.

The city of Baltimore is now spending several hundred thousand dollars in obtaining just such information as I propropose the town of Peterborough should obtain by simply adopting the proper system.

Thank you, Mr. Editor, for your space.

CITIZEN.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley, of Wesley & Co., are registered at the Oriental.

His Lordship Bishop O'Connor was confined to his room with a severe cold yesterday.

Mrs. McKibbon leaves to-morrow to join her son, Fred, in Montreal, where she will remain until he passes his examinations in the spring. Both will probably spend the summer and fall abroad.

Mr. Walter Peters, the meteorological observer, has been confined to his residence for the last few days with a severe cold, probably as a result of having no despondling a thermometer on the premises.

Mrs. James Balfour, of Carbery, Man., is visiting in town, together with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. H. Ivory, Maxwer. They are the guests of Mrs. Ivory's mother, Mrs. Wm. Metcalfe, 251 Simcoe street.

DROWNED IN RICE LAKE.

Dr. Harrison, of Keene, Loses a Valuable Horse While Crossing Rice Lake.

Mr. Robt. Hicks, of Alnwick, who drove into town on Saturday afternoon, informs the EXAMINER that while crossing Rice Lake he came up to Dr. Harrison, of Keene, who stated that he had just broke through the ice and lost a valuable horse.

The doctor had crossed from Keene on a professional call to Mr. Dodge, who lives on the other side of the lake, a short distance below Idyl Wild, and who is seriously ill. At a point nearly opposite Idyl Wild the doctor's horse got on to a piece of bad ice and broke through. The animal struggled and plunged to get out but only broke more ice and increased the size of the hole. The doctor did all in his power to save his faithful beast, but without avail. The doctor valued his horse at $150.

THE DOURO REEVESHIP.

An Effort Being Made to Unseat Mr. James McCliggott.

Mr. McCliggott was elected as reeve for the township of Douro over Mr. John A. Walsh, but the latter complains that Mr. McCliggott had not the necessary property qualifications to entitle him to be a candidate or be elected. The matter comes up before the County Judge at eleven o'clock Wednesday morning.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer. Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 25,—6.30 a. m.....18° below zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	2°	—8°

The minus sign (—) before a reading signifies below zero.

Grafton & Co. are selling the best Grey Lamb Caps at $1.98 during the Clearing Sale, worth $3.00.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The county council meets to-morrow.

—Special meeting of the town council to-night.

—The sleighing is excellent in town, though a trifle rough in the country yet.

—The Board of Health met for organization at the town clerk's office this afternoon.

—George Graham, a vagrant, was given two months in the county gaol by the magistrate this morning.

—A small boy, on the charge of the larceny of an overcoat, was found guilty and discharged with a warning at the Police Court to-day.

—Another wages case against Messrs. Corry & Layerdure was up in the police court this morning, when the plaintiff was awarded $22.10.

—A special meeting of Court Forest Queen, Canadian Order of Foresters, is called for this evening. Several new members will be initiated and other such important business transacted as demands the attention of every member.

Cripple

The iron grasp of scrofula has no mercy upon its victims. This demon of the blood is often not satisfied with causing dreadful sores, but racks the body with the pains of rheumatism until Hood's Sarsaparilla cures.

"Nearly four years ago I became afflicted with scrofula and rheumatism.

Made

Running sores broke out on my thighs. Pieces of bone came out and an operation was contemplated. I had rheumatism in my legs, drawn up out of shape. I lost appetite, could not sleep. I was a perfect wreck. I continued to grow worse and finally gave up the doctor's treatment to

Well

take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon appetite came back; the sores commenced to heal. My limbs straightened out and I threw away my crutches. I am now stout and hearty and am farming, whereas four years ago I was a cripple. I gladly recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla." URBAN HAMMOND, Table Grove, Illinois.

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Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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PRICING DOWN!

January Stock-taking, mind you, never had more enthusiasm—never so much for shoppers to enthuse over. Clipping cost here and there, makes swift clearing, but it also makes a material saving to buyers, which we could not afford to offer for very long:—

Dicken's Works, complete in 15 vols., well bound, good paper, per set $7.50, for.....$4 75
Scott's Works, complete in 12 vols., cloth binding, fair paper, per set $5, for..... 3 95
Thackeray's Works, complete in 10 vols., cloth bound per set $6, for..... 3 90
Hall Caine's Works, 5 vols., cloth binding, per set $2 for 1 15
Conan Doyle's Works, in 6 vols., per set $2.50, for..... 1 88
Alexander Dumas' Works, 6 vols., per set $2.50, for.... 1 88
George Eliot's Works, complete in 6 vols., per set $3, for 1 50
Lord Lytton's Works, complete in 13 vols., per set $7.50, for..... 4 75
Capt. Maryatt's Works, complete in 12 vols., beautifully bound in cloth $15, for..... 9 00
Pansy Books, all titles 35c, for..... 0 20
Elsie Books, all titles, 35c, for..... 0 20
Miscellaneous Books of all kinds at Stock-taking Prices.
Bibles at 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.
Catholic Prayer Books, 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.
Common Prayers and Hymns at 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.
Purses and Pocket Books at 20 per cent. reduction during Stock-taking.

Substracting and Deducting the profits while Stock-taking is going on—something like the above—is what makes the goods disappear and keeps us busy. Lots of chances besides these, but you can judge the entire business just now by these quotations.

A. H. Stratton & Co.
THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

A Final Closing Sale
OF ALL WINTER GOODS, AT
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From now till 1st February we will hold a Final Closing-Out Sale of all goods that are of a winter character. This will be a grand opportunity to many to buy goods at wholesale prices. Everyone knows that we carry no goods but the very best. We have no room for cheap grade of goods, that only look cheap in advertisement. We do for you what no other house can do, that is YOUR MONEY BACK if not suited.

MEN'S SUITS AND PANTS (To Order)

$4.50 Pants to order.....reduced to $ 3 00
$5.00 Pants to order.....reduced to 3 50
$13.50 Suits to order.....reduced to 10 00
$17.50 Tweed Suits to order.....reduced to 12 00
$20.00 Tweed Suits to order.....reduced to 15 00
$16.00 Worsted Coat and Vest to order.....reduced to 13 00
All work and fit guaranteed.

MILLINERY CLOSING SALE.

All our Trimmed Millinery at exactly HALF PRICE.
25 All Wool Tams, were 30c and 35c.....reduced to $ 0 15
All our Fez Caps.....reduced to 0 20
All Felt Hats and Sailors, being cleared, regardless of cost.

JACKETS, CAPES AND FUR EDGINGS.

The balance of our Monflo Fur Edging.....reduced to $ 0 15 yd.
The balance of our Beaver Fur Edging.....reduced to 0 35 yd.
The balance of our Bear Fur Edging.....reduced to 0 50 yd.
The balance of our Sable Fur Edging.....reduced to 0 75 yd.
Balance of our $3.50 Jackets.....reduced to 2 00
Balance of our $5.00 Jackets.....reduced to 3 50
1 $12.50 Fur Lined Cape.....reduced to 8 00
2 $18.00 Fur Lined Capes.....reduced to 11 00
$20.00 Matallasie Capes.....reduced to 9 50
$22.00 Matallasie Capes.....reduced to 10 00
$25.00 Matallasie Capes.....reduced to 12 00
$18.00 Jackets.....reduced to 10 00
2 Sealette Jackets, were $37.50.....reduced to 25 00
1 Sealette Jacket, was $20.00.....reduced to 11 00
You see by the price that we do not intend to carry over a single winter garment.

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

3 pieces All Wool Tweed Dress Goods, were 50c.....reduced to 25c
2 pieces Fancy Plaid Dress Goods, were 50c.....reduced to 35c
200 yards Pongee Silk Dress Goods, were 25c.....reduced to 20c
25 per cent. off all our Black Jet Trimmings.

HOSIERY, GLOVES AND VEILINGS.

Special prices on all our Cashmere Gloves.
All our 25c Veilings.....reduced to 18c

FLANNELS AND FLANNELETTES.

1000 yards New Flannelettes.....only $ 5
200 yards 15c Grey Flannel.....only 12½
All Wool Blankets.....only 2 50
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LAKEFIELD CARNIVAL.

A List of Those Who Were in Costume.

The carnival held at Lakefield on Friday night was a grand success, a large number of costumes being on the ice and a great many better than the average. The judges had a difficult matter in deciding as to the best.

Although the night was stormy the attendance was very large, Peterborough, Young's Point, North Smith and other points being well represented.

The following is a list of those in costume whose cards were handed in at the door:

LADIES.

Nellie Buckley	Princess of Thule
Maud Baptie	Chief Pondmaker's Daughter
Lillie Bates	Water
Eth l Cox	One n of Hosea
Clara Buckley	An Original Belle
Minnie Watson	Fairy Enchantress
B Phelan	Eclipse
Lillie Ridpath	Dairy Girl
Eva Wagner	Milkmaid
M Gordon	Evangeline
Mabel Blomfield	Eastern Lady
J Strickland	Nurse
Aggie Buckley	Helen of Troy
Ethel Blomfield	A Gipsy Musician from Spain
Daisy Butler	Dolly Varden
Mrs W A Eastland	Tambourine Girl
Mabel Bates	June
L Cox	Hospital Nurse
M Carruth	" "
S Gordon	Venus
Maggie Kennealey	Brilliants
Etta Murduff	Turkish Maid
R Watson	Queen of Roses
Louise Shadgett	May Queen
Annie Seymour	Ghost
Violet Fitzgerald	Venetian Countess
N V Cox	Grecian Lady
— Gordon	Old Mother Hubbard
Gladys Murduff	Comic Grandma

GENTLEMEN.

J C Strickland	Little Jack Horner
Fred Roder	Indian Prince
J R Griffin	The Coming Woman
George Newberry	Son of an old Virginia Gentleman
H Montgomery	Football player
P Young	Football player
R Murduff	Topsy's Grandmother
Dick Watson	Comic Tramp
C Balsdon	Comical Jay
Ira Lennox	Village Dude
Egbelbert E Moore	Herald
W G Cox	Uncle Josiah
Gordon Ridpath	St Valentine
Ira D Moore	Lacrosse Player
Jas Sawers	Hockey Player
Willie Watson	Youthful Sloper
Charles Gray	Tramp
Fred Richardson	Tramp
Brice Ridpath	Irish Nurse
R J Pinnet	Lacrosse
J A McDonald	Widow Jones
Reg Turner	Knight of the White Cross
Bert Lee	Private Tommy Atkins
Gilbert Gordon	Indian Chief
C E Strickland	Old Black Joe
Harry Simpson	Tramp

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

For the Townships of Harvey and North Smith.

The sixth annual convention of the Sabbath School Association of Harvey and North Smith will be held on Thursday, February 11th, 1897, in the Methodist church, Nogey's Creek. A collection will be taken at the afternoon and evening sessions to defray the expenses of the convention. Discussion is invited on any subject before the convention.

PROGRAMME.

MORNING SESSION.

10.00—Chair to be taken by the president, A. E. Kennedy.
10.00-10.15—Devotional Exercises, Rev. Mr. Shier.
10.15-10.30—Minutes of Township Convention and Report of Schools.
10.30-10.50—"Teachers and their Preparation."
10.50-11.10—Discussion.
11.10-11.30—Praise.
11.30-11.40—"Teachers' Work and Worth," Rev. Mr. Shelr.
11.40-11.55—Discussion
11.55-12.00—Appointment of Nominating Committee. Adjourn.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2.00-2.15—Devotional exercises, Rev. Mr. McKnight.
2.15-2.25—Address, W. D. Ventress.
2.25-2.35—"Bird's Eye Views of Sessions of 1896," Rev. R. Clare.
2.35-3.05—Practice.
3.05-3.10—Discussion.
3.10-3.40—"Practical Methods of Sabbath School Work," Rev. J. J. Rae.
3.40-3.45—Music.
3.45-3.55—Prize.
3.55-4.15—"An Object Lesson," Rev. J.G. Potter.
4.15-4.25—Discussion.
4.25-4.30—Collection, Prayer.
4.30-4.35—Report of Nominating Committee.

EVENING SESSION.

7.00-7.15—Devotional exercises, Rev. Mr. Shier.
7.15-7.35—"The Duty of Parents in Relation to the Sabbath School," Rev. Mr. McKnight
7.35-8.05—"Reasons Why we Should Study the Bible, Rev. J. J. Rae.
8.05-8.10—Praise.
8.10-8.40—"Elements in Successful Sabbath School Work," Rev. J. G. Potter.
8.40-8.50—Collection.
Doxology and dismissal.

A Billeting Committee will be in attendance at the church to direct delegates and friends where to go. Suitable music will be provided by the Music Committee of Nogey's Creek.

A. E. KENNEDY, President. W. A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

THE McALL MISSION.

A Meeting in its Interests to be Held on Thursday.

A meeting in the interests of the McAll Mission, France, will be held on Thursday Jan. 28th, in the Young Men's Christian Association rooms, at 8 p.m. The president of the Canadian Association and one of the members who has visited the mission will give an account of the work. It is earnestly hoped that all those interested in missionary work will try to be present.

It was a vacation thought at first, this wonderful work for which France was waiting, and which is now the most extensive of the evangelical agencies in France. Dr. and Mrs. McAll were spending a few days in Paris in the summer of 1871, and on the last day of their stay decided to distribute a few tracts. Dr. McAll's own account will never be other than fresh and beautiful.

He says:—"With what irrepressible emotion have we ever since trod the identical spot, where, under the windows of the great wine shop forming the angle of the Rue de Belleville and the Boulevard, my wife and I took our stand. My wife offered a tract to the waiter; he begged her to enter, "for," said he, "each customer wishes to possess one." Just as she emerged from the door a workingman, French, but speaking excellent English, stepped forward and, in the name of the bystanders, addressed to me the words:—"Sir, are you not a Christian minister? If so, I have something of importance to say you. You are, at this moment, in the midst of a district inhabited by thousands and tens of thousands of us workingmen. To a man we have done with an imposed religion, a religion of superstition and oppression. But if anyone would come to teach us a religion of another kind—a religion of freedom and earnestness, many of us are ready to listen."

They returned next day to their pleasant English home at Hadley in Yorkshire, but the "Macedonian cry" was still heard and after three months largely filled with prayerful consideration, and the best and fullest advice, they took the final step and the English pastor became the French evangelist.

It was a labour of love. Dr. McAll thought that by devoting their little patrimony they could begin without pecuniary assistance from anyone. They decided to settle in the suburb of Belleville, largely inhabited by working people and here they opened their first mission hall, the commissary of police authorising them, but expressing that among the mocking Parisians they would fail. But year after year new halls have been opened and fresh sympathies awakened. Now there are one hundred and twenty halls in Paris and throughout France:

Besides the regular services which are held in these halls there are Sunday schools, adult Bible classes, mother's meetings, sewing classes, reading rooms for soldiers, Y.M.C.A.'s, and free dispensaries as well as a mission boat. The story of its work on the rivers and canals every summer would furnish sufficient material for a new and fascinating volume of the "Cruise of the Mystery."

Dr. McAll had friends in Canada who knew of his work, and who from time to time assisted him. About ten years ago this interest became more permanent by the formation of the Canadian McAll Association. This association has several auxiliaries in Ontario, and supports two mission stations in Rochefort and La Rochelle.

Men's Heavy all wool Pea Jackets, in grey and black Frieze and Blue Nap, lined with heavy all wool Tweed Lining, Grafton & Co's. regular price $5, sale price during sale 3 95.

Silverware.

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Egg, Stove or Chestnut.....$5 50 per ton
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Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

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MISSIONARY SUNDAY IN METHODIST CHURCHES.

REV. DR. SUTHERLAND SPEAKS ON THE WORK.

He Occupied the Pulpit of the Charlotte Street Church in the Morning and in the George Street Edifice in the Evening.

Rev. Dr. Sutherland, of Toronto, General Secretary of the Methodist church Mission, delivered two powerful sermons in town yesterday. In the morning he occupied the pulpit of the Charlotte street church, and in the evening that of the George street church, it being Missionary Sunday in both places.

In the evening he took as his text Numbers 14th chap., 17th ver:

"And when the cloud was taken up from the tabernacle, then after that the children of Israel journeyed, and in the place where the cloud abode, there the children of Israel pitched their tents."

and stated that his theme would be "God's providential guidance of his church in the spiritual conquest of the world."

After describing the wanderings of the Israelites through the deserts in their search for the promised land, the speaker stated that the question had often arisen as to how their wants would be supplied, and their fears silenced, but comfort had been derived from the words of Jehovah, inasmuch as he had said "My presence shall go with thee; I shall give you rest."

Events of the present time were then compared with those of the days when the Israelites travelled and a simile drawn therefrom. The world was

REPRESENTED AS A WILDERNESS

with the church passing through and the cloud of Divine Providence hanging over it. There are no supplies but those sent from heaven and the perils are many. Yet a voice comes ringing down the centuries "go forth and preach the gospel to all people. But how shall these people and the sometimes discouraged church accomplish this end?

Is not the question answered in the words, "Lo, I am with ye always even unto the end of the world."

God's dealing with his people are but a series of object lessons written for our admonition.

The instance of the cloud and the pillar of fire is a standing admonition of the result of obedience. Those who obey these divine admonitions are safe, but those who disregard these signals are sure to meet with disaster. There is great need that these arguments for and from Providence be enforced, as through their non-observance the world is becoming orphaned of God, hope and heaven. There is at the present time too much calculating as to material advantages to be derived from action instead of account being taken of the moral result.

A flippant scepticism, stated Dr. Sutherland, has sprung into existence claiming that the Bible has had its day and Christianity is

AN EFFETE SUPERSTITION.

In answer to this the doctor drew the attention of the congregation to the fact that in all the past there was no figure so colossal as that of Jesus Christ, and in all history no fact so colossal as Christianity.

To-day, he claimed, that God guided His people by providences, just as real as striking and as manifest as those of the pillar of flame by night and the cloud, but people are so engrossed with their everyday pursuits that they do not notice them and fail to reap the consequent benefit.

Turning to the subject of missions, the speaker stated that though the Apostles were instructed to spread the Gospel throughout the world, they did not attempt to scatter and leave their work amongst the Jews, until Barnabas and Paul went out from the church at Antioch to carry out the Divine intention that the Gospel was intended to evangelize the world.

What, asked the venerable doctor, were the significant providence by which God prepared for the great reformation of the 16th century? First there was the invention of the mariner's compass opening up new possibilities. This was followed by the invention of printing and the

TAKING OF CONSTANTINOPLE.

Through the fall of Constantinople the west was opened up to the Greeks and Europe, which was becoming stagnant in literature, underwent a marvellous revival of learning, thus paving the way for the education of the masses and their consequent understanding of the Scriptures when, through the invention of printing, cheap copies were easily obtained. Then there was the discovery of America by Columbus, when the Divine providence was wrought out on virgin soil. Martin Luther was raised up to give the truth in the vernacular of the people, and so you can see how God's providences link into one another and how every link in the chain is welded.

Are not these providences as manifest as any pillar of fire?

Dr. Sutherland, in again referring to missions, stated that the modern missionary movement was not more than a century old when William Carey went out to India. Whether Carey ever knew Wesley or not, the speaker did not know, but it was in the true Wesleyan spirit that he went out. The revival of the 18th century was a purely spiritual one. It was the legitimate and natural impulse that was given the people. To-day missions stand foremost in the schemes of Christianity and challenge the respect of the world.

REV. J. C. SPEER

delivered the morning sermon in the George street church and in the evening was at Charlotte street. In the morning he took as his text Luke 1st ch., 32nd and 33rd verses:

"He shall be great and shall be called the Son of the Highest, and the Lord God shall give unto Him the throne of His father David; and He shall reign over the house of Jacob forever; and of His kingdom there shall be no end.

As Mr. Spears is an able and eloquent speaker he greatly interested his hearers by his forceful remarks.

"Praise the Lord" was the anthem sung by the choir in George street church in the morning, while "Guide me, oh, Thou Great Jehovah was the anthem sung in the evening.

During the offertory Mrs. Seward and Mr. James Browne sang a duett, "Tarry with me," with fine effect.

THE RELIEF FUND.

Montreal, Jan. 22—(Special)—The Mont-Star fund for the relief of the Indian sufferers is attaining large proportions, and the indications are that a considerable sum will be received. The following was received to-day:

"Bank of Montreal, Montreal, Que., Jan. 22nd, 1897.

"To Hugh Graham, Esq., the Star:

"Dear Sir,—I beg to enclose herewith a cheque for $5,000, being subscription to the plague and famine in India relief fund authorized by the directors to be given in the name of the bank.

"Yours truly,

"E. S. CLOUSTON, Gen. Mgr."

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Dr. Chase Cures Backache.

Kidney trouble generally begins with a single pain in the back, and in time developes into Bright's Disease. People troubled with stricture, impediments, stoppage of water, or a frequent desire to urinate at night, will find Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills a blessing. Read the wonderful cures in another column. One Pill is a dose, and if taken every other night will positively cure kidney troubles.

"Very, Very Good."

A prominent lady visiting Peterborough from New York City was so highly pleased with the photographic work she saw in Mr. Whiten's art studio that she made an appointment and had a dozen sent to her address, 170 Lexington Avenue, New York City. She writes Mr. Whiten: "Photos arrived all right; they are very, very good; I am much pleased with them." Three different persons recently on a visit here from Montreal also had a dozen each taken by Mr. Whiten and forwarded to their address in Montreal. The above speaks well for Peterborough and the high-class work turned out by Mr. Whiten. Entrance to studio, 158 Hunter street, opposite Oak Hall. d15tf

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

Weather will continue cold and blustery; will be cold till Friday.

The Magazines for February are coming in—"Metropolitan," "The New Illustrated," "Pall Mall Magazine," "Ladies' Home Journal," "Cosmopolitan," "The Strand," "The Black Cat," "Young Ladies' Journal," &c., &c., have arrived at

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2 Cord Brooms, regular price 25c	Cash Price	15c
3 Cord Brooms, " " 13c	Cash Price	20c
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4 Cord Brooms, " " 20c	Cash Price	15c
4 Cord Brooms, " " 25c	Cash Price	18c
4 Cord Brooms, " " 30c	Cash Price	23c
3 lbs. Choice Family Lard	Cash Price	25c
11 lbs. No. 1 Rolled Oats, per lb	Cash Price	25c

No. 1 Lemons, 13c dozen or 2 dozen for 25c.

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SEASON TICKETS:

Ladies	$ 75
Gentlemen	1 00
Boys	50
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Hockey Tickets	1 50

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For Ladies	$2 00
For Gentlemen	2 00
For Girls	1 50
For Youths	2 00
For Boys	1 50

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Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

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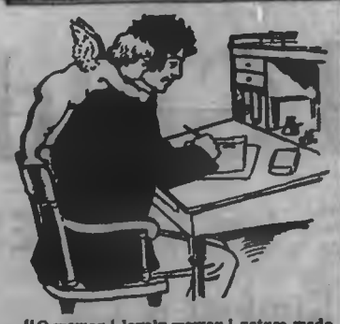

"O woman! lovely woman! nature made thee to temper man; we had been brutes without you." Woman more than merits all the good things that have been said of her by the wits and poets of all times. When man lauds woman and her charms and virtues, he has in his mind's eye an ideal. That ideal is always a healthy woman. No man makes pretty speeches and witty toasts about woman, with the picture in his mind of a weak, sickly, nervous woman, tortured by pain, and suffering from depression and despondency. It is in the power of every woman to be some man's ideal if she will but build up and guard her womanly health.

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"This is to tell you," writes Sister Elisa L. de Falcon, of Corpus Christi, Nueces Co., Texas, "that I had been ill for twenty-one years and was finally cured by your medicines, the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription.'"

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DAIRYMEN FEASTED.

Brantford Board of Trade Entertained Them at Dinner—Premier Hardy, Mr. Fisher and Others Spoke.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 21.—A magnificent banquet in connection with the Brantford Board of Trade and the Western Dairymen's convention was held in the Kerby House to-night. President Frank Cockshutt presided.

Hon. A. S. Hardy, Premier of Ontario, responded to the toast of the Ontario Legislature, and in his speech spoke of his desire to do everything he possibly could to further the interests of the farmers of Ontario.

Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture for the Dominion, replying to the toast of "Agriculture," said that the Government had now completed a system of cold storage, which, as soon as navigation opened up, would transport the product of the farm to the English market in the same condition as when it left the Canadian farm.

Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, expressed the determination of the Ontario Government to assist the farmers of the country as much as possible. He was of the opinion that the Dairymen's Association had done splendid service to the farmer and the Hardy Government has prepared to expend a still further sum towards more fully equipping the association and developing the dairying interests of the province until they become so prosperous as to be a source of great profit to the entire farming community.

Ex-Governor Heard of Wisconsin, Messrs. McLaren and Casey, M. P.'s, and a number of local gentlemen took up the other toasts of the evening.

CURED OF SCIATICA.

Left Hip Affected—Suspected Kidney Kidney Trouble—Relieved and Perfectly Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 18 (Special)—Mr. H. Playter, is not a difficult man to find as everybody here knows that he is foreman at No. 1 Fire Hall. He was the picture of health when called upon by your correspondent and told his story thus:

"In April 1896 I suffered from a severe attack of Sciatica, affecting my left hip and the leg to the tip of my toes. I suspected it came from some form of kidney trouble and as they had been recommended I procured a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

At the end of the fourth day I was entirely relieved, but desiring a permanent cure I continued to use that and another box and am now cured cured and as well as ever in my life. A brother of mine living at Pine Orchard has been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

2500 PERSONS KILLED.

Earthquake in the Island of Kishm Results in Terrible Loss of Life and Property.

London, Jan. 22.—The Globe publishes a despatch from Bombay sent out by a news agency which says that three shocks of earthquake occurred on the Island of Kishm, in the Persian Gulf, on Jan. 15, destroying thousands of houses and killing 2500 persons.

Britishers in Boston.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 22.—About 40 representatives of the various British societies of Boston held a preliminary meeting last night to prepare plans for the celebration of the 60th anniversary of Queen Victoria's accession to the throne. A committee was chosen to formulate a plan for enlisting the co-operation of all British societies within a radius of 50 miles of Boston, to report at a meeting on Feb. 12.

Don't worry. Don't run into debt. Don't trifle with your health. Don't try experiments with medicines. Don't waste time and money on worthless compounds. Don't be persuaded to take a substitute for Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the best of blood-purifiers.

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PRIVATE BANK IN TROUBLE.

The Carrick Financial Company at Mildmay Suffer From the Messner Failure—There Was a Run on the Bank.

Walkerton, Ont., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—As a sequel to the failure of Mr. F. X. Messner at Formosa, a month ago, a run was made on the Carrick Financial Company, carrying on business as a private bank at the neighboring village of Mildmay. The institution was unable to stand the pace, and had to ask its creditors for time to realize on outstanding paper. It has since been paying off its indebtedness as funds came in, and giving security to others who threatened legal proceedings.

One of these threats came to a head to-day in the issue of a writ by Mr. O. E. Klein, solicitor, acting on behalf of Rev. S. E. Wadel of Chepstow, for $1827.07, being a fund that the rev. gentleman has been accumulating to build a new church, and which he had deposited at interest with the Carrick Financial Company. This company is composed of Messrs. Charles Schurter, Andrew Geissler, George Libsinger, J. Hergott and F. Zettel. Mr. Schurter is Clerk of the Township of Carrick and all the others are retired farmers. It is not an incorporated company or even a registered partnership, so that the personal property of all the partners is liable for its debts.

When starting this business, 14 years ago, they estimated their private possessions at $46,526, and on the strength of this statement obtained a good line of credit at the Bank of Commerce. Their business has been prosperous in the interval and they have always, hitherto, met their obligations promptly; and but for the alarm created by the failure of Mr. Messner there can be no reason to doubt that they would have weathered the present storm.

At the beginning of the New Year they estimated their liabilities as follows:

Due depositors	$38,821 15
Due Bank of Commerce	25,000 00
Overdrafts	565 00
Total	$64,386 15
Assets—	
Bills discounted	$57,429 07
Mortgages	3,359 90
Overdrafts of customers	3,472 04
Cash on hand	1,159 29
Discounted and remitted	69 90
Due by Bank of Buffalo	77 01
Total	$65,559 61

Thirty-two thousand dollars of their paper is held by the Bank of Commerce as security for the loan of $25,000, and a considerable portion of the remainder of their assets is long-date paper, so that at present they are unable to meet their obligations as they fall due, but claim their ability to do so if given time.

There are several other private banks in this county, all of which are meeting their paper promptly, and otherwise conducting their business with decision and regularity. But, notwithstanding their soundness, a certain degree of uneasiness exists in the public mind in regard to the private bank system of doing business. It is felt that all such institutions should be regularly inspected under Government supervision and their statements published the same as the chartered banks. As things stand now, the public have no security beyond the honesty and business capacity of the gentlemen managing these institutions. If they should die suddenly, or meet with a heavy reverse those who deposit money with them may lose it altogether. The name "bank" used by these parties excites a fictitious security and causes those who do not know the difference to think that they are dealing with the genuine article. New legislation on the subject is evidently needed.

CRUEL BUTCHERY.

Spaniards Attack a Cuban Hospital and Mercilessly Slaughtered—Flag of Truce Met by Bullets.

New York, Jan. 23.—A special to The Journal from Havana says: One of the principal hospitals of the Cubans, located in the Siguanea Mountains, near Cienfuegos, was captured last week by Spanish troops. The Cuban soldiers defending the sick and wounded inmates of the hospital made a most heroic fight, holding the passes successfully for hours, as long, in fact, as their scant supply of ammunition lasted. They were finally compelled to give way and the majority of them were mercilessly cut down by the Spanish. Only a few escaped. The hospital, once reached, was attacked on all sides.

Dr. Soler, the patriot surgeon, came out, waving a white flag, bearing the insignia of the Red Cross, to ask for mercy. He was met by a volley of Spanish bullets and fell wounded. He was despatched a few minutes later by the machete.

A sick American in one of the buildings, assisted by two wounded Cubans, raised the Stars and Stripes. This act infuriated the Spanish commander and was made the signal for a general charge. The work of Spanish bayonets and machetes was short and bloody. Not a prisoner was taken; not even women nurses were spared. When the dreadful work of cold-blooded assassination was over and the piteous but vain appeals of the sick for mercy and the moans of the wounded and dying were hushed, the Spanish commander, before retreating from the scene of his "victory," set fire to the hospital and surrounding buildings, burning them down over the bodies of his victims.

SUCCESSOR TO LEO XIII.

Cardinal Svampa, Archbishop of Bologna, May be the Next Occupant of the Vatican.

Rome, Jan. 22.—The indifferent health of the Pope has caused a considerable stir in the Sacred College with respect to the choice of his successor. The situation may be summed up as follows, on the authority of a prelate of the highest rank:

If a vacancy should now arise in the Papacy there would be a great confusion of names. There are no strong parties in the Sacred College, but there are, on the contrary, many personal ambitions. Probably at the last hour the cardinals would divide themselves into three groups—the diplomatic cardinals, the bishop cardinals and the foreign cardinals. The second group would be the strongest, and if it should succeed in carrying out its wishes, the new Pope would either be Cardinal Ferrari, Archbishop of Milan, or Cardinal Svampa, Archbishop of Bologna.

This will probably be what will happen, since the diplomatic cardinals, such as Vannutelli, Jacobini, Cretoni, Ferrata, Agliardi and others have no authority in the Sacred College. As far as indications go at present the Archbishop of Bologna has the best chance of succeeding the present Pope.

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SPAIN'S POPULATION.

Nearly Half the Inhabitants Have No Use for Religion in Whatever Form—The Professions.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The Spanish Government has just published interesting statistics regarding the population of the kingdom, from which Consul Harmony, at Corunna, sends the State Department the following extracts:

"Out of 19,000,000 inhabitants, 8,727,519 persons have no profession whatever; agriculture employs 4,033,491 men and 828,331 women. There are 97,257 persons holding office and 64,000 on the retired list; 44,304 school masters or teachers (of which 19,940 are females); 30,179 medical doctors, 91,222 mendicants (of whom 51,948 are females), 45,328 members of the clergy and 28,519 nuns. The number of absolutely non-believing persons is 6,104,470, including 2,686,615 females."

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"I think they are the grandest medicine ever placed before the public, and I heartily recommend them to all sufferers from kidney disorder of any kind."

For sale by James Lynch, druggist, 168 Hunter street, Peterborough.

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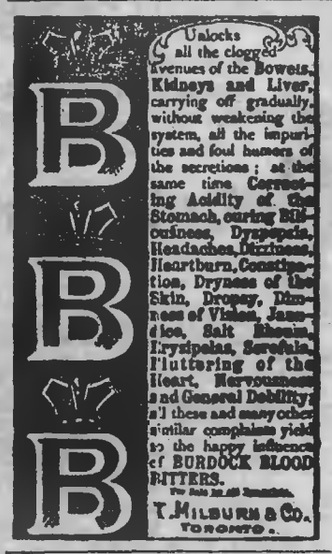
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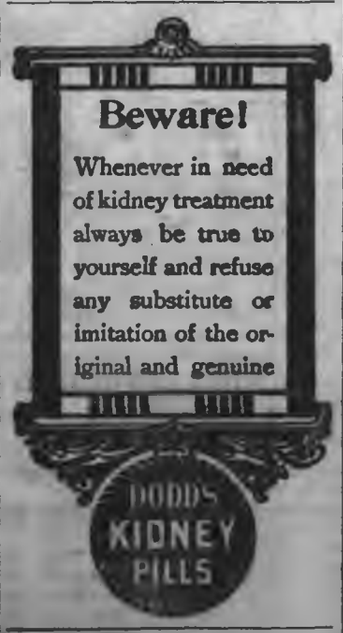
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License Inspector West Peterborough

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FASHIONS IN SPAIN.

NEWS OF THE WINTER DISPLAY IN THE LAND OF THE SUN.

Northern Tourists in the Alhambra—Creations of Paris and Vienna Worn Among the Hills of Granada by the Fair Ones of All Countries.

(Special Correspondence.)

Granada, Spain.—She was a young English girl, and she was studying the facade of the great unfinished palace to make room for which Charles V. pulled down the winter palace of the Alhambra.

The senorita was beautiful. She had the fresh pink and white complexion that comes of the moist air of Britain. She was slender and tall, with the very erect carriage in exchange for which many an American girl would barter all the prettiest gowns. She had coiled her hair high in the English knot that tips the hat down over the eyes, and her front hair was curled in that abundant and carefully arranged fuzz which distinguishes all the pictures of the Princess of Wales and her sisters and daughters.

The English senorita carried a handful of dull red chrysanthemums, and as she turned to look after the boy, one could see that she wore—if it be not sacrilege to talk of fashions among the glories of the Alhambra—a simple traveling dress of a very fine blue cloth, a powder blue with a dull soft finish that made one believe that it would not wrinkle. It made no pretensions to any estate beyond that of traveling gown, but in its own class it was perfection.

The dress had a skirt less full than New York is wearing. It seemed to be something under four yards round. It was cut smooth, and almost glove-fitting about the hips, but curved gently outward to the hem. A band of sable fur finished the bottom, and cleared the ground in cleanly fashion. English girls walk so much that their skirts average shorter than the conventional length in America, though the difference is not marked enough to be noticeable. A very trim bodice set off the pretty figure. It was cut as a glove-fitting basque under a tiny bolero edged with dainty embroidery in black silk, and finished about with the merest thread of sable fur. A lining

NORTHERN TOURISTS IN THE ALHAMBRA.

of yellow silk gleamed now and again, but was not allowed to make itself more than occasionally visible. The bolero opened upon a blouse front of dull red silk, whose soft shades harmonised wonderfully with the blue, and which seemed to hide in its folds suggestions of green, of blue and even of yellow, hinted at constantly, but never quite caught by the eye. Velvet that one would have said had been woven out of the threads that were left when the silk was finished, made the pointed belt and the stock collar, over which an edge of lace turned. The sleeves were of the powder blue of the skirt with small drooping puffs at the shoulders, smaller puffs than New York would employ. Thence to the wrists they were almost glove-fitting; at the wrists they flared like bells to let in ruffles of lace, but scant rather than flamboyant ruffles, for this was a traveling gown.

The girl wore smart, round-toed boots, and a low-crowned sailor hat of white straw. The heavy dress is an acknowledgment of the reality of winter, the straw is a protest that southern Spain ought to be warm, at all seasons, whether or not it is so.

The straw hat was interesting, also, as a prophecy of next summer. It was of the shape that Americans will buy at Easter. Last summer's sailors were round and high-crowned. The new ones are oval and quite low. Very fanciful straw paterns are used in the weaving, but the trimming is, as always, a narrow ribbon band with a flat bow.

In its flight southward to the winter world of the Riviera some considerable part of the flock of migratory birds of pleasure pauses at Granada. In the hotels on the Alhambra hill German Grafs, French counts, Belgian barons and their women folk mix with dark-eyed ladies from Madrid, "honorable misses" from every county in England and vivacious girls from America over the sea. The toilets that one sees are Paris and Vienna creations, especially prepared for the south of Europe campaign.

One morning there was gathered a most wonderful collection of furs in the old "repose-room" of the baths of the sultans. Granada is not cold in December, but it is damp and chill in the halls of the Alhambra. Against the rich-lined stucco and tiling stood out in strong contrast the heavy sables of a little lady from Brussels, whose title is longer than she is. The cloak she wore was of finer fur than it often falls to one's lot to see. It had not the look of being bulky or voluminous perhaps because its owner was so slender, but it enveloped her from head to feet. The sleeves were full enough to go comfortably over a dress. In its rich simplicity the garment was the ideal robe for a climate not so cold but that fur can be adapted to the uses of beauty as well as to those of comfort.

A dark French girl of clear pale complexion wore a little cape of gray mouffion that was very pretty. The long silky fur would have been too full for her skin, but for the sable collar which came up to her ears and had again the gray mouffion inside.

A cape of marten fur and lace was more dressy than either of these. It was really a fur cape with a white lace scarf draped about the shoulders and wide black lace draped about the edges. I say "draped" advisedly. The border lace was too wide for flouncing; it was caught up with furry heads and tails in bewildering complexity.

An English matron wore a long, black velvet cape, rich with fur and embroidery. The group you may believe was a strange one for its setting, the modish winter bonnets and hats, and the very correct clothes of the men of the party contrasting with the graceful Spanish cloaks of the guides and interpreters, and these again with the relics of the Moorish civilization, which made their background.

In the evening the gypsies who live in the caves of the Granada hills, gave a concert at the hotel, at which there was some very good guitar music. The ladies at the hotels went deep into their trunks and the English girl, whose traveling dress I have already described, came out for the benefit of her masculine admirers in a delicate silver-gray silk, striped with lines of pink and barred across with darker gray. The skirt was altogether simple. The bodice had a guimpe of pale-blue chiffon with ruches of lace at the throat. A lace fichu was drawn about the shoulders below the guimpe and knotted upon the bosom. A gray velvet pointed belt confined the blouse front. The sleeves came just to the elbows.

A very dark, handsome girl from Vienna wore a most striking costume. Its skirt was a rich black brocade figured in arabesque and just suggesting how it would be impossible to say, something deep and warm in crimson. With it she wore a Russian blouse of black silk, showing openly and even flauntingly arabesques of the skirt done in blood colors, where the skirt had the ghosts of the stain. Black velvet belted the blouse and black lace made its elbow sleeves. Deep lace ruffles fell from its collar.

A lady, whose nationality no person could guess wore a waist of sea-green chiffon all a foam of lace. With it she displayed necklace and bracelets of turquoise as big as beans, strung with pearls. There is more to tell, but it must wait, and then I write from the Riviera.

ELLEN OSBORN.

SILKS OF THE SEASON.

They Are Fine at Cobwebs and Lovely as the Rainbow.

VERY mother's daughter of us is interested in silks just now. Lovely changeable taffetas may be had for even seventy-five cents a yard, though in many cases it's wise to pay a bit more. One fetching way is to have the chic little tailor coat and skirt lined with some modish combination brocaded changeable if you've the right sort of a pure, little black spots connected with sort of spider web arrangements on green and violet, changeable. And this isn't all; the dainty blouse and the ruffly umbrella-shaped petticoat should be of this same changeable. Not so bad, eh?

And for more intimate wear, silk is no end of desirable. The yard-wide pure China in white may be had for fifty cents a yard, and makes up to splendid advantages, though some do prefer the pongee, which comes in the sweetest turquoise blue and the shimmeriest shrimp pink; it is about thirty inches wide. And there's the whole range of daintily striped wash silks, combinations to suit every taste and complexion, and, at bargain time, most every purse as well. And such luxurious comfort they represent!—beauty, too, when beautifully made and trimmed with an abundance of lace fluffiness. The chemise is the chemise of our grandmothers—great-great-grandmammas for all I know, in fact—while in drawers faddish femininity leans to the Loie Fuller design; most modish in corset covers is the bolero.

And the dainty wear in chemisettes, vests and the like! One full cream chiffon vest is dressed at intervals of an inch with tiniest pink velvet ribbon, the part which surrounds the neck being a mass of looped ribbon, and at the back and sides frills of the chiffon. And those of black silk muslin, with cream applique in a scattered design, they are delights! Then there are the heavy insertion affairs, arranged in yoke effect with wide chiffon ruffles of cloud-like daintiness over the sleeves, and no end of pretty.

And those forty-cent tinseled gauzes! Over the bodice of some shelved evening frock, they make the giddiest of evening waists. Indeed, on the slimmest bank account Madame may grace her (no, their is the word) mahogany—unless, mayhap, it's antique oak—in a way to arouse envy in even the lilies of the field. For I've no doubt if we understood those very pure posies better we'd find they have plenty of vices, just like the little feathered monsters who are ready to tear each other in half for a crumb or a bit of down, but who, for some reason or other, or perhaps none at all, are commonly supposed to pass their time billing and cooing.

And isn't bridal silk selling though?—not to mention satin. And it's time, too, if the fair one intends to begin to "obey" at Eastertide; it's only fair to suppose she's loving and honoring even now.

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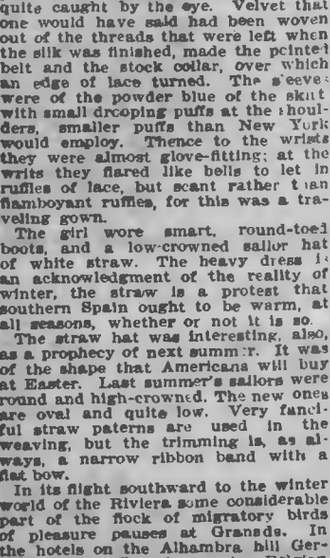

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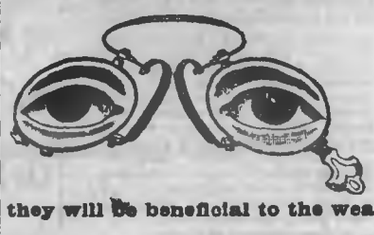

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This month we bring you face to face with the greatest Fur bargains you ever saw. We cannot change the weather but we can make you comfortable by giving you good reliable Furs that combine warmth, service and style, with a price to fit the poorest purse. This great change-of-business Sale which we announced last week, means money saving to our public—signifies that and more—this store was never so helpful as just now. The people of Peterborough and vicinity set the seal of their approval on this sale during last week, and we hope to see a continuation during this week. It means mutual benefit. We quote :—

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The Affairs of the Society in a Healthy Condition.

The annual meeting of the East Peterborough Agricultural Society was held at the town hall, Norwood, on Wednesday afternoon. There was a good attendance and the report of the secretary-treasurer showed that the affairs of the society were in a satisfactory state. After meeting all claims there was a balance on hand of $147.00. The officers for 1897 are as follows :—

President—Mr. F. Birdsall.
1st Vice-Pres.—Mr. T. Blezard, M.P.P.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mr. W. G. Patterson.
Directors—Messrs. J. Brackenridge, Geo. Elliot, Hugh Nelson, Wm. Burgess, Jas. Johnston, John Knox, J. B. Pearce, Andrew Cameron and Chas. Nicholl.
Hon. Director—Mr. Chas. O'Reilly.
Sec.-Treas.—Mr. W. E. Roxburgh.
Auditors—Messrs. W. H. Stephenson and James Calder.

Mr. Birdsall was appointed delegate to the Association of Fairs and Exhibitions.

The directors decided to purchase from Mr. Waters, of Hamilton, the four acres of land adjoining the present grounds for the sum of $600.

A further gratuity of $10 was granted Mr. Convey, whose son was injured in the accident on the speeding ring last fall.

STOCK NOTES.

Important Purchases by Otonabee Stockmen.

Messrs. W. W. Shearer and Jas. Elmhirst of Keene have recently purchased from F. W. Evans, Esq., of Yelverton, the imported Clydesdale stallion, "Craikmore Darnley." This is one of the greatest Clydesdales in Canada, not only in rare individual merit, but also in point of breeding. He is sired by that old King of Clydes, Darnley, whose progeny to-day stand without rival. His dam was by that almost equally great horse, the Druid, Grand Dam by Rob Roy and next dam by Lookfergus Champion, whose blood runs in the veins of all the best horses in Scotland to-day.

Craikmore Darnley's roll of honour exceeds that of any other stallion in Canada at the present time and he was perhaps bought at the greatest price in Scotland. He not only won a long list of prizes at all the biggest shows in Scotland, but had for three years one of the best districts in Wigtonshire, where he received £100 premium and £3 service fee, which shows the great value that was placed on him as a breeder in that country. Since coming to Canada he has also won his full share of honours. Competing in Toronto against all the crack horses of Canada he was well to the front, defeating such horses as "Lofty," "Lewis Gordon" and other equally as great stallions. At the local shows he had virtually a walk-over.

Craikmore Darnley has proved himself one of the best producers in the country, his colts winning first prize wherever shown. He is a beautiful dark brown in colour, grand feet and legs, carries no superfluous flesh and weighs 1100 lbs.

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Till the Master's arm
Found home and heaven were rest.

He, without a place,
To lay His weary head,
Carried in His face
The heaven for which He bled.

What we wish to say
In this our first "Home" poem,
Is, that we to-day,
For heaven do not roam.

In a palace grand,
A cottage, or in none,
Home is in our hand,
And heaven too is won.

Poverty is worn
As crown of jewels rare—
Burdens too are borne
Without a thought of care.

Emerson foresaw
True liberty for all;
While Carlyle found law
In duty's every call.

Law and liberty
Are blended now in one,
Since, we clearly see
That heaven at home is won.

Tempted sore to-day
To worship creature-good,
We have learned the way
By which it is withstood.

Nothing causes care :
Our needs are all supplied ;
Taught to do and dare
Like Jesus, though denied.

We have found wherein
His power really lay,
Which is still within
The soul of man to-day.

We have taken the cross,
Like Jesus, head no frown :
The world to us is loss,
Because we wear the crown.

So, we now proclaim
To all in search of rest :
Christ-life is the same
As is your constant quest.

For the loss of all
Which now to you is dear,
At the Masters' call
Come riches now and here.

Heaven and home unite,
Thus life henceforth is right ;
Christ-life is the light
That renders earth life bright !

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Jan. 22nd, 1897.

RHEUMATISM CURED.

Eighteen Months Trying to get Cured —Had the Best Doctors—He Found What he Wanted in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Goderich, Jan. 11—(Special)—A case of great interest here just now is that of Mr. Alexander J. Sharkey, who for some time has been an extreme sufferer from Rheumatism. His statement to the correspondent is as follows:—

"For eighteen months I was a victim of Rheumatism and during the whole of that time was trying every means to cure it. I had the best doctors in Canada and took their prescriptions with faith and patience.

"I got tired at last, for I found the disappointment nearly as killing as the disease.

"But one friend wiser than others convinced me that my disease must be cured by way of the kidneys and recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I have used two boxes of these pills to effect a perfect cure, and I don't care who knows it."

IS MINING RISKY?

The Industry Compared With Other Business Enterprises.

In The Canadian Miner, published for the first time in Toronto on Saturday last, appeared the following :

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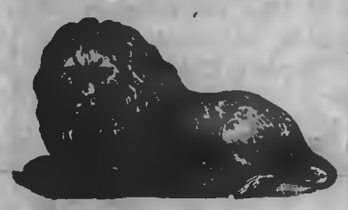

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FIREBUG SENSATION.

Five Prisoners on Trial at Shelburne, Ont.

EVIDENCE AS TO JAMES BALLARD

Objection Taken to Magistrate Hamilton Sitting as a Member of the Court, But No Support Was Given—To Get Insurance the Alleged Motive of the Burning.

Shelburne, Ont., Jan. 26.—In marked contrast with the experience of the inhabitants of Sodom and Gomorrah was that of the prisoners, David Ballard, James Ballard, Alonzo Smith, James Corbett, jr., and William Reid, who were brought from Orangeville this morning by Constables Skelding and Brundage. The 16-mile drive was made with the thermometer several degrees below zero. The train from Toronto and Orangeville was about one hour late. This train brought Government Detective Greer, Mr. Forsyth and a number of other insurance men, County Crown Attorney McKay, a court stenographer and newspaper reporters from Toronto and Orangeville, Mr. O'Leary of Lindsay is assisting County Crown Attorney McKay in the prosecution. Messrs. Lucas and Wright of Markdale are looking after the interests of the two Ballards. Mr. G. M. Vance is counsel for Alonzo Smith, James Corbett, jr., and William Reid. The bench was composed of local J.P.'s John Hamilton, John Blair and Joseph Allen. Every seat in the Town Hall was filled, even standing room in the aisles being taken up by the large crowd that came to hear this cause celebre in the criminal annals of Dufferin.

Mr. Lucas, on behalf of the prisoners, asked that one of the Magistrates withdraw from the case on account of his having a strong bias against the prisoners, and also on account of the fact that he was expected to be defendant in a charge quite as serious as those laid against the prisoners, in which some of the prisoners were expected to be the prosecutors. This, he believed, was within the knowledge of the Crown Attorney. Mr. Lucas also charged that this Magistrate had actively engaged with the officers of the Crown in securing evidence against the prisoners; that he had privately taken individuals to his office and endeavored to extort confessions from them. He asked that other justices be called in to try the case.

County Crown Attorney McKay denied that any such charge had been laid with him against a Magistrate.

Mr. O'Leary, for the Crown, concluded from Mr. Lucas' remarks that reference was made to Magistrate Hamilton, before whom the informations had been laid. He thought from what he had seen that Mr. Hamilton's conduct had been most judicious. To his (Mr. O'Leary's) own knowledge Mr. Hamilton had refused to accept information that had been tendered him. As to the statement that there was a criminal charge against Mr. Hamilton, if it was simply a charge in prospect, and not in fact, it could not be considered a good reason for Mr. Hamilton's removal.

The charge against James Ballard was first taken up. The prisoner was brought in and the information read, charging him with having attempted to incite Hamilton, Tisdale and John Charles or some one of them to set fire to the dwelling house, barn and other buildings then being on lot No. 252, con. 4, Melauchton, and thereby to commit the crime of arson.

To this the prisoner pleaded not guilty.

The first witness called was Thomas Campbell, who stated that he had an interest in the above lot in the form of a mortgage given by a Mr. and Mrs. Walker. A sale of the property to Ballard had been talked of, but never completed. So far as he (Campbell) was concerned Ballard had tried to get him to take a chattel mortgage as security for a payment of $800 and to insure buildings and chattels for $1200. The property had been up for sale under the Walker mortgage when Ballard ordered the sale to be stopped and claimed to be in possession of the property.

John Charters, sworn, stated that he lived on lot 251, con. 4, Melauchton; had known the prisoner Ballard for about 25 years, and for seven or eight years had been his neighbor, with only the line fence between them; he had some conversation with Jas. Ballard when he first came to lot 252. Hamilton Tisdale was with him. Ballard wanted him (Charters) to burn the buildings on the Campbell place, and he would give him $100; he refused the offer. He understood Campbell was bound in some way to have it insured. That was the only conversation in regard to the matter. James Ballard was putting a trunk in the house, and that was all the property he could see. He built some sticks of firewood up in the corner of the building. There was no stove. The building was a scantling frame, and was not lathed or plastered. He said he had wanted Hamilton Tisdale to "burn it, but Tisdale would not do it, as he was a coward.

Cross-examined by Mr. Wright: It was since the arrests had been made that he told Hamilton Tisdale of the offer Ballard had made him to burn the buildings on the Campbell property. He had not mentioned the matter to anyone up to that time.

To Mr. O'Leary: The reason he had kept this matter to himself so long was that he did not consider it safe to tell it.

Hamilton Tisdale, who has the reputation of being the chief informer in these cases, was the next witness. He stated that he resided at Corbetton at present, and gave the numbers of the lots he had formerly lived on. He assisted James Ballard when the latter was moving to the Campbell property. When putting the trunk in the house, Ballard had stated that his reason for doing so was that he wanted to take possession, and told him (Tisdale) that if the buildings were burned that night he could stick Campbell for insurance. He offered him (Tisdale) money to set fire to the premises. Ballard said that if the house was not his own he would burn it. That night Ballard had stated that he offered money to Frank Mulligan and Sam Seymour to get them to burn the buildings. He (Tisdale) had not said anything much regarding these cases prior to this; had told Hamilton months ago that he would divulge all the facts if he knew where to go to do so; would have gone to Crown Attorney had he known that the arrests would be made before he got back home; had no reason to believe that he would not be prosecuted, the same as others. Detective Greer had told him that no person could prosecute him, except the Crown. He had received no hint or assurance from any source that he would not be prosecuted.

To Mr. O'Leary: It was at the Campbell property that night that Charters told him Ballard had offered him $100 to burn the building. He was afraid to say anything before for fear of the Ballards.

Tisdale also gave evidence regarding a certain mortgage for several hundred dollars, given him by James Ballard, as security for a debt of $30, and which he (Tisdale) had assigned to Mr. Beattie for a debt of $150, and of the efforts made to obtain insurance again.

Counsel for the prisoner objected to this evidence being put in, so the objection was noted.

Cross-examined by Mr. Lucas: First told this to Detective Greer, in Mr. John Hamilton's office; had been wired to come down; been selling implements for Hamilton; was also an important witness for Hamilton in a lawsuit now pending.

John Seymour, sworn, said that he lived on lot 20, con. 5, Northeast Melanchton; knew the Campbell property; had purchased under an agreement from James Ballard, who wanted insurance on buildings; understood from Ballard that if he (Seymour) got it insured it would be burned. Having failed to get it insured, he returned to Ballard, who was not at all pleased; tried to get insurance from Mr. McKim. Mr. McKim's son gave him a paper, but afterwards asked it back and got it; tried elsewhere to get insurance, but failed. After a threshing for James H. Corbett at David Ballard's place, James Ballard asked him to go and fire the place, that everything was ready. Ballard did not offer him anything; said there was nothing in it. Witness said he had first told this story to Mr. Greer.

To Mr. Lucas: Could not see what Ballard's object was in having the buildings burned. Ballard told him he could take one of David's horses and go and do it.

Samuel Seymour, sworn, told of a conversation he had with James Ballard in David Ballard's yard on the day of the Dundalk show in 1893. Saw no one but James Ballard and Frank Mulligan. Ballard said he had a job for us to do that night; that he had a building he wanted us to "put up," and there was $10 in it for us.

Frank Mulligan, sworn, said that he had known James Ballard as long as he could remember; had a conversation with James Ballard regarding Campbell's property at David Ballard's place on the day of the Dundalk show in 1893. James Ballard asked us if we would do a little job for him that night—to burn a house on the back line. Refused, and went back to Dundalk. Ballard said that Seymour knew where he was.

The case for the Crown, so far as Ballard is concerned, he concluded, and counsel for the defence will offer no evidence now.

At the present rate of progress, the preliminary investigation will last a week.

Court adjourned till 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

A LITTLE MIXED.

The Governor-General and the Mayor of Ottawa Each Has an Indian Famine Fund.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—(Special.)—Mayor Bingham was summoned to Rideau Hall yesterday and, it is understood, invited by Their Excellencies to cooperate in the movement to make all Canadian subscriptions for the sufferers of India part of a national famine relief fund, which Earl Aberdeen has inaugurated. His Worship, however, failed to see how this could be done, in view of the fact that he had already transmitted to England $1000 as treasurer of the fund started by the Bank of Ottawa, as the contribution of the capital of the Dominion. Mayor Bingham will, accordingly, continue to receive and forward subscriptions independently of the national fund. Among those who contributed through His Worship yesterday was Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere.

THE TREE KILLED TWO.

Michigan Lumbermen Cut Off While Walking Through the Woods.

Marquette, Mich., Jan. 25.—Two men have been instantly killed and a third fatally wounded in an accident in the woods near Huron Bay. The killed are Joe Martin and a man named Ford. Pat Donahue was wounded. The men were returning to their lumber camp in a blinding snowstorm. A tree fell on the party, killed the first two outright and horribly mangled Donahue. Their bodies were not found until some hours afterwards, and Donahue was nearly dead. The place was remote from a settlement where surgical aid could be received. Donahue's home is here, but the homes of the other two are unknown.

MR. ROWAND IS DEAD.

The Ex-Member for West Bruce Succumbs After Long Illness.

Port Elgin, Jan. 25.—Last evening Mr. James Rowand, ex-M. P., for West Bruce, died at his residence in Saugeen Township, at the age of 67 years. He had been ailing for more than a year. Mr. Rowand had lived in Bruce County for nearly 50 years, and was in many respects one of its most respected citizens. The funeral will take place to Port Elgin Cemetery on Wednesday, Jan. 27, at 1 o'clock p.m.

Serious Loss in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 25.—The residence of Chas. J. Barnes, 2236 Calumet-avenue, was burned at 2 o'clock this morning. His private library, one of the finest in the United States, and collection of bric-a-brac, on which a high value was set, were destroyed, and, with the damage to the building and furnishings, will make the loss fully $5,000,000.

AS TO RECIPROCITY.

Mr. John Charlton Addresses a Meeting in Toronto.

HIS LATE VISIT TO WASHINGTON.

Visited the British Ambassador and Consulted Him as to What Was Correct—How Business Could be Increased by a Fair and Honorable Trade Arrangement.

Toronto, Jan. 25.—Last evening in St. George's Hall Mr. John Charlton, M. P., gave an address on Reciprocity. Mr. William Louat, Q. C., M. P., was in the chair, with Hon. G. W. Ross and other prominent Liberals on the platform.

Introduced by one of the chairman's happy little speeches, Mr. Charlton, still quite lame from the result of his recent accident, opened up with a brief review of Canadian history up to 1867. From that date, he thought, Canadian progress, though not what it should have been, was quite substantial. Turning to the subject of the area of arable land and resources of our country, he calculated that they were capable of sustaining 75,000,000 souls. He advocated reciprocity because it would not only give us enlarged trade, better markets and employment to our men, but it would also have the effect of bringing together two people with the same religion and of the same race into more friendly social and commercial intercourse. Besides the material benefit and good relationship that would accre, the friendly relations between Great Britain and the United States would also be helped on.

After speaking of the mutually profitable nature which any treaty should take on, the speaker alluded to his recent visit to Washington. He had been charged, he said, with visiting the American capital. There was no particular difference in a visit to Washington and one to Vienna, Berlin, or any European capital. It had been told abroad that he was there with Mr. Ed. Farrer. It might so happen that he and Mr. Farrer should be there at the same time, but it had not happened this time. Mr. Farrer had been there before him and had left before he had arrived.

The speaker then read an extract from The Montreal Gazette, which credited him with having said at Washington that Canada was now at the parting of the ways and that one way she might choose was reciprocity, with the possible ultimate absorption into the American Union.

He quoted the report of the United Associated Presses, which had appeared in The New York Tribune and some 400 other American papers, and which made him say: "Canada is now at the parting of the ways. On the one hand friendly relations, commercial and social, may be established between Canada and the United States and the gradual closing of the gap of unfriendliness which has existed since 1866 be effected" by the introduction of reciprocity in trade between the two countries.

"The editor who put that in," he said, referring to the article in The Gazette, "though he might not be capable of stealing hens, out of a hen roost, has no compunction about stealing away character."

The editor of The Mail had asked Mr. Charlton resumed, if he had called upon Sir Julian when at Washington. He wished to say that he arrived in the city at 10.15 a.m. and immediately after partaking of a lunch, had called upon the British Ambassador. The speaker had asked Sir Julian if it would be a proper thing for him to do to accept an invitation to speak before the Ways and Means Committee, and also if he should allow himself to be interviewed by newspaper men. Sir Julian had replied, "Do all you can to disabuse the minds of the Americans of their false ideas against Canada." When the interview with him had been published in The New York Tribune, he had been congratulated by the British representative. "Bet that over," said the speaker, "against the extracts presented to the eyes of the gullible Canadian public who read The Montreal Gazette."

Resuming, he claimed that under a reciprocal tariff Canada's trade with the United States last year, instead of amounting to $95,000,000, should have been $250,000,000. If under the present restrictions we still sold twice as much to our neighbors as to all the rest of the world, in certain lines, what would it be without restriction? In making a treaty we should make no sacrifices. We should offer justice and ask for it in return. We should avoid injury to the manufacturer, but should remember that the interests of the farmer were of prime importance in this country. The cause of hard times was the oppression of the farmer.

He referred to the arguments used against reciprocity. It was claimed that it would injure the Canadian farmer by letting in American beef and corn. The same injury was promised the American farmer. Mr. Charlton believed it would at least make higher profits for agriculturists. It was also said that we would be flooded with Yankee goods which would sell at slaughter prices. "If the Americans want to send in cheap goods, let them do it, we can stand cheap prices; they will do us no harm," was the Liberal champion's reply to that argument.

As far as its discrimination against England was concerned, the speaker maintained that such was impossible, for the imports from the two countries were of an entirely different class of goods. He had made a list of the goods imported alike from Great Britain and the United States, and he found that in his list there was $6,000,000 worth from the United States to $100,000 worth from Great Britain.

"Put that $6,000,000 worth on the free list," he suggested. The cry of discrimination against England is a pure myth.

As regards its leading to annexation, he said it was claimed by some in Canada that such would be the case, while in the States it was predicted that the opposite would happen. The question of political union was not thought of here. We did not know the States, with its socialisms and other "isms." All we wanted was to make money out of them and let them make it out of us.

Regarding the possibility of effecting a treaty, the speaker did not know whether we could or not. The golden opportunity had probably slipped past. In 1892 we could have done so without a doubt, but, under the new administration in the States, it was possible we could not. "We can exhaust every legitimate effort, however," concluded the speaker, "and, if we fail, we cannot do more, and the blame rests on the United States. Unlike Paul, we can turn from the Gentiles and depend upon our own people. If we fail in that, we can do what is the next best thing, turn to the Mother Country." His aim was to make Canada a model Christian nation.

The speakes sat down, amid applause, which was enhanced when Hon. G. W. Ross arose and moved, in a neat speech, a vote of thanks to the speaker of the evening. The motion was seconded by Mr. S. H. Janes, and was of course adopted, as was also one to the chairman.

The Carnival on Friday evening promises to be the event of the season.

Boils

It is often difficult to convince people their blood is impure, until dreadful carbuncles, abscesses, boils, scrofula or salt rheum, are painful proof of the fact. It is wisdom now, or whenever there is any indication of

Impure

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Blood

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YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Good sleighing at last and we will be on lookout for more business.

Mr. Wm. Scollard, who has been on a visit for a couple of weeks in Orillia, has returned home

Mrs. Wm. Macfarlane has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Daniel Costello, in Peterborough.

The entertainment held at South Beach Hotel on the 21st inst. was a great success. Mr. F. J. Tate, of Lakefield, acted in the capacity of chairman for the evening. The following is the programme which was very well rendered by those who took part :

Song (nigger character).....Mr C T Taylor
Sand jig.....Mr Harry Kearney
Dramatic selection.....Miss Lottie Kearney
Song.....Miss Josephine Phelan
Song and dance.....Mr H Kearney
Violin solo.....Mr D Oliver
Recitation.....Miss F Graham
Song.....Miss J Phelan
Song.....Master Brian Bellasis
Song.....Mr Harry Kearney
Song.....Miss B Phelan
Song.....Master Brian Bellasis
Song.....Miss J Phelan
Violin solo.....Mr D Oliver accompanied by Miss Maggie Kearney

The entertainment concluded with a comical farce entitled "Ici on Parle Francais," with the following characters :

Mrs Springgins.....Miss Ella Young
Annie Maria.....Miss Lillie Macfarlane
Mrs Major Ratton.....Miss Lottie Kearney
Angelina.....Miss Louisa Kearney
Major Ratton.....Mr Harry Kearney
Mr Springgins.....Mr C T Taylor
Victor Dubois.....Mr Harry Andrews

After the concert refreshments were served under the management of our hostess, Mrs. A. Allen. And everything went "as merry as a marriage bell." It is understood the same talent will give an entertainment at the town hall, Lakefield, on Tuesday, 26th inst., and "Ici on Parle Francais" will be produced there.

The Young's Point Dramatic Club will give a public entertainment at Heard's Hall, on Thursday night, 28th inst, Songs, recitations, charades, dramatic selections, farces, etc., will be produced. Doors open at 7.30, admission 10c. This club will give a good entertainment, as the members have been rehearsing and taking an interest in it.

On Tuesday evening last the Young's Point Athletic and Literary Association held their first entertainment, which was a decided success. The hall was filled to overflowing and everyone who attended seemed delighted with the evening's programme :

Chorus.....Echo Club
Violin solo.....Mr Hickey
Song.....Frank G Young
Recitation, "Country Girl".....Miss M Scollard
Mouth Organ solo.....Fred Young
Dialogue, "Bashful Lover"....Verna McFarlane and F J Young
Song, with banjo accom.....Mr O T L Laylor
Reading.....Mr S Anglesey
Song.....Miss Mary T Young
Address.....Mr Tyndall
Vocal duets....Miss E Northey and A Graham
Instrumental trio.....Mr Moore, F Young, L McFarlane
Dialogue, "story telling."....Misses Nellie Young, L McFarlane, Gertie Young, Emma Scollard, T G Young
Song.....Miss L McFarlane
Recitation, "Kelly at the Bat"..Mr H Andrews
Song, with banjo.....Mr C T Longley Laylor
Sword dance.....Mr A Allen
Recitation, "Grandmas Lovers"....Verna McFarlane
Vocal duett.....Eva Hockaday and M Quinlan
Instrumental.....Mr Hickey
Dialogue, "Men and Women's Rights".....Miss M Scollard, Lily McFarlane, Mr Fred Young and H T Andrews

The Young's Point football club intend holding their concert on or about Feb. 24. An excellent programme will be rendered. Don't forget the date.

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EX-QUEEN AND PRESIDENT.

The Dethroned Monarch of the Hawaiian Islands Has a Chat With Mr. Cleveland.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Ex-Queen Liliuokalani paid a visit to President Cleveland to-day. It was entirely informal and was so designated in the note sent by the deposed monarch to the President, requesting the privilege of calling, and the answer of the letter granting it. Joseph Heleiule, the agent and secretary of Liliuokalani, and Julius N. Palmer of Boston, the American friend who accompanied her to Washington, went to the White House this morning with an autograph note from the ex-Queen addressed to the President. She asked merely that he receive her informally in a personal capacity, basing the request on the ground that it was a custom in her country for the head of the government to receive foreign visitors of distinction. Shortly after noon the President sent a note to Mr. Heleiule, appointing 3 o'clock as the hour at which he would be pleased to have her call. At the appointed time Liliuokalani, Miss Kia Nahaoleiena, her companion-in-waiting, Mr. Heleiule and Mr. Palmer drove up to the White House in a carriage and were immediately shown to the blue room. The ex-Queen was tastefully dressed. The greeting between the President and the former Queen was extremely cordial. Mr. Cleveland, entering the room, advanced with outstretched hand and, as he grasped that of Liliuokalani, he exclaimed heartily: "Am very glad you thought of calling on me." The President invited the ex-Queen and her companions to be seated and then entered into a pleasant conversation with the former. They talked about the death of Minister Willis and the ex-Queen spoke of him in words of praise.

"Yes," answered Mr. Cleveland, "he always filled whatever official position he occupied with credit to himself and his country."

There was nothing said about restoration, but Liliuokalani took occasion to thank the President for his withdrawal of the treaty of annexation sent to the Senate by President Harrison four years ago.

When Liliuokalani enquired about Mrs. Cleveland's health, the President remarked that she had been preparing to go out as he came downstairs, but he would ascertain whether she was in or not. He called a messenger, who informed him that Mrs. Cleveland had gone out walking a few minutes before.

These things formed the bulk of the conversation, which was informal and personal from beginning to end.

The call lasted about 15 minutes and, after making their adieus to the President, Liliuokalani and her attendants went out and entered their carriage. They were driven immediately to the Shoreham, where the party is stopping.

NOTHING IN THE CHARGES.

Who Laid the Informations Against Hotel-keeper Coulter of Tweed ?

Tweed, Ont., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—Richard Coulter of this village this forenoon appeared before Justice Newton to answer a charge of having unlawfully sold intoxicating liquor on election day. Many witnesses were examined, but one and all declared that no liquor had been sold by Coulter or anyone on his behalf. The charge seemed without the slightest foundation in fact and there was nothing to show by whom the complaint was made nor was the information forthcoming, so that it could be learned by whom it had been laid. In the afternoon Coulter was again before the same Magistrate, charged with having sold liquor on Sunday last. In this case no information was on hand nor could it be learned by whom the charge was made. The witnesses called re this charge were Coulter, his wife and two sisters-in-law. This charge also appeared foundationless and was promptly dismissed. Mr. Haverson, solicitor for the Ontario License Holders' Association, appeared for the defence.

THEY SAVED THE BABY.

Aged Grandparents Had a Hard Time While Their Home Was Burning.

Tilsonburg, Ont., Jan. 25.—The house and contents of S. Sherwood, seventh concession of Dereham, was burned down last evening. The family were all at church excepting Mr. Sherwood's father and mother, an old couple, both over 80 years, and a grandchild 3 months old. The fire had gained such headway before it was discovered that nothing could be done. The old couple took the baby and escaped from the house without any wraps. Mrs. Sherwood's hands were badly frozen before help came, and they were taken into a neighbor's. Loss about $2000, insured for $1100.

Girl Struck by a Train.

London, Ont., Jan. 25.—The 11-year old daughter of Mr. Thomas Robinson, 566 Grey-street, was proceeding along Burwell-street about 2.30 o'clock, and on reaching the railway crossing just 100 feet south of the Grand Trunk, she attempted to pass in front of an outgoing passenger train. In her hurry the girl slipped and fell, but, luckily, not inside of the rails. Her head was struck by the pilot, which inflicted an ugly gash in the back about an inch long.

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Any woman who is urged by a dealer to buy these adulterated and weak dyes should refuse at once to be swindled. Such dyes are only a source of profit to the merchant who happens to sell them ; they are certainly snares and deceptions to the woman who buys them. Loss, trouble and fraud can be avoided by asking for the Diamond Dyes. Examine each package and be sure that you see the name "Diamond." Working with the "Diamond" you are sure of fast, brilliant and lasting colours.

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MISS GOTHIE WAS KILLED.

A Prospective Bride Lost Her Life While Driving With Her Affianced.

Shamokin, Pa., Jan. 25.—Frederick Graeber, a clerk in the First National Bank of this city, started out for a drive Sunday afternoon with his affianced bride, Miss Maud Gothie, an estimable young lady. When returning via the mountain road, within one mile and a half of home, their carriage, with two horses and the occupants, was precipitated into a mile breach. Mr. Graeber sustained fearful injuries. Miss Gothie was dead when her body was reached. Mr. Graeber is still living, and there is a chance of his recovery. Mr. Graeber and Miss Gothie were to have been married after Lent. Mr. Graeber is a young man of considerable wealth.

Miners Want to Work.

Leadville, Col., Jan. 25.—It is probable that the great strike has been settled. At a conference of the miners late last night there was a bolt of a part of the union members, and they resolved to cut loose from the dictation of the leaders and seek work in the mines. While this does not definitely settle the strike, it is hoped that it may soon reach that end.

Hog Cholera in Essex.

Dr. McEachran, Veterinary Inspector for the Dominion Government, called on Mr. C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, yesterday, on his way to investigate the reported outbreak of hog cholera in Essex and Western Ontario.

Cook Inlet Boom Burst.

Port Townsend, Wash., Jan. 25.—The steamer City of Topeka, from Alaska, arrived yesterday. Very few miners are wintered at Juneau, and the city is said to be very quiet. It is believed very few prospectors will go to Cook Inlet during the season. Prospectors say that the Cook Inlet boom has burst.

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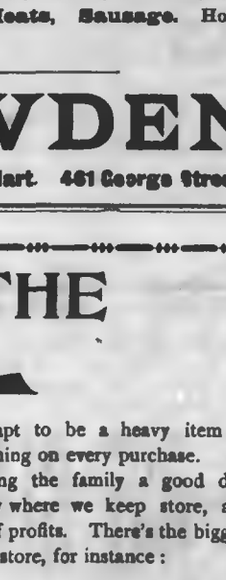

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FROM ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTRY

A Gratifying Increase in Both Exports and Imports Shown by the Trade Returns—Decisions Rendered by the Supreme Court—General News From the Capital.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—(Special.)—The suggestion of His Excellency the Governor-General for the formation of a Canadian Indian famine relief fund has met with responsive sympathy in all parts of the country. To-day Lord Aberdeen received many replies and telegrams from all parts of Canada with reference to the fund. The different Lieut.-Governors have cordially responded to His Excellency's invitation for their co-operation and support; similarly bank managers from Halifax to British Columbia have promptly and heartily replied to the Governor-General's request that they receive and transmit to him contributions to the general fund. A substantial contribution from Canada may, therefore, be fairly expected.

A comparison of the trade returns for the half year shows very gratifying results. For the six months ending Dec. 31 exports were valued at $80,908,504, or an increase of $7,681,360. The imports for the six months show an increase of $1,004,381, but there is a falling off in the duty collected on account of customs of $313,136. Of the increases in exports, mines show an increase of $1,400,000, fisheries $162,000, forest $1,607,000 and agricultural products $2,850,000. Under the heading "Animals and Their Produce," there was a falling off in exports of nearly $1,000,000.

Notification has been received that an exhibition of industrial navigation is to be held in St. Petersburg, Russia, next month, when prizes and diplomas will be awarded for models, drawings, photographs, etc., of ships, yachts, launches, boats (both fishing and pleasure), all classes of fishing gear, etc. Although the time is short for Canadians to take part, yet there may be time to send models of fishing vessels. The chairman of the exhibition is Mr. N. De Sytenke.

Dr. J. G. Duncan, Superintendent of Quarantine for British Columbia, has been at last deposed, and Dr. A. T. Watt is appointed to succeed him. The ground alleged for Dr. Duncan's dismissal is that on June 23 last, polling day, when he was in charge of the Isolation Hospital in Victoria, he allowed a suspect liberty before the expiration of the period of quarantine detention, namely, 14 days.

Wm. Russell, who was killed in the railway accident on the O. A. and P. S. Railway, near Barry's Bay, on Thursday last, has left a widow without means of support. Until a few months ago Russell held insurance on his life amounting to $2100. Of this sum $2000 was with the A.O.U.W. and $100 with the Sons of England. Some time ago Russell joined the Holiness movement, better known as the Hornerite Church. One of the rules of the church is that the members must give up any insurance they hold, and when Russell became connected with it he decided to conform to the rules. Mrs. Russell, his widow, states he had paid about $40 in assessments, all of which are forfeited. Rev. R. C. Horner was seen by a reporter this morning. Asked why the members of the Holiness movement were not allowed to carry insurance, he said there were many reasons, but he had not time to tell them, as he was teaching a class. He finally said the principal reason was because they did not consider members of the movement could pay their tenth to the Lord and put money in such a sinking fund as insurance.

In the Supreme Court this morning the following judgments were rendered, the judges present being the Right Hon. Sir Henry Strong, C.J., and Judges Gwynne, Sedgwick and Girouard; the decisions of Mr. Justice King having been transmitted in writing and announced by the Chief Justice, as provided by statute.

City of Quebec v. North Shore Railway Co., appeal allowed with costs, the Chief Justice and King dissenting.

Murphy v. Labbe, appeal dismissed with costs, the Chief Justice dissenting.

Kearney v. Letellier, appeal allowed with costs, Gwynne dissenting.

Trustees of Berthier Common v. Denis, appeal allowed and new title granted to the trustees, subject to conditions specified, the Chief Justice dissenting.

Salvas v. Vassal, appeal allowed unanimously.

Macdonald v. Whitfield, appeal dismissed unanimously.

Whitfield v. Merchants' Bank, dismissed unanimously.

Adams v. McBeath, a British Columbia will case, appeal dismissed, Gwynne dissenting.

City of Kingston v. Denman, appeal dismissed, Gwynne dissenting.

The following cases stand for judgment at a later date:

The Ship Frederick Goerling v. the Queen, Jones v. McKean.

The court then adjourned sine die.

A writ was issued in the High Court of Justice on Saturday at the instance of many ratepayers of Hintonburg against Molsons Bank, asking that a judgment obtained by the bank against the corporation of Hintonburg for $6211 be reduced to $1200, on the grounds that the village had no authority to borrow any such amount as represented in the judgment held by the bank.

A notification went the rounds of departments to-day, that in future civil service employes who are confined at home for a few days will have that period deducted from their annual vacation. It appears that of late many employes have been absent from one to three days. Their excuses were "Suffering from such a dreadful cold" and "Quite unable to go to work." A doctor's certificate must be produced hereafter as a justification for absence.

Although both the evening papers announced on Saturday that Premier and Madame Laurier would be leaving Ottawa shortly for California, such is not the case as regards the First Minister. Madame Laurier, however, leaves for San Francisco in a few days. Dr. Ubalde Laurier, the Premier's half-brother, is lying ill there, and Madame Laurier will have him brought back to Canada.

Owing to the extortionate demands of the Indians of British Columbia on the sealing captains, amounting in some cases to $4 for every skin taken, it has been decided by some of the sealers to endeavor to secure competent hunters from Indian tribes in the Maritime Provinces.

An order-in-council has been passed authorizing the taking of a Dominion plebiscite on the liquor traffic in the County of Portneuf, which is represented in the Commons by Sir Henri Joly. If the feeling of the county is in favor of prohibition the Scott Act will be revived there.

The Government has been advised by the British consul at San Paulo, Brazil, that he has forwarded more Canadians to Liverpool en route to the Dominion, this being a cheaper way than sending them via New York.

The cold snap is being very severely felt in Ottawa. Early this morning the thermometer dropped to 29 below. A high wind prevailed most of the day, which made outdoor work almost unbearable.

Hon. Sydney Fisher left this evening for Montreal, accompanied by Prof. Robertson, to meet representatives of the Canada Central Farmers' Association and discuss cold storage matters. The Minister and the commissioner will also hold a meeting in Montreal to-morrow with representatives of several steamship lines, with which arrangements have not yet been made for the transportation of agricultural and dairy products in cold storage during the coming summer.

Prof. Robertson will go west next Thursday to meet farmers and business men of Manitoba and the Territories, and confer with them on the establishment of creameries to be managed for a term of years by the Government. It is proposed to hold about thirty of such meetings. At several points where creameries cannot be started this year, preparations may be made for establishing them for the season of 1898.

A Canadian national tribute and address to Queen Victoria in commemoration of her long and benificent reign, is talked of. The plan is to have the Mayors of all the cities in the Dominion constitute an Executive Committee, with Lord Aberdeen as chairman, to arrange for the collection of any necessary funds and their disposal, the Mayor of each city to be chairman of a local committee composed of the wardens and reeves in his district.

THE LUMBER TARIFF.

Canadians Have Cut the Trade So That There is No Profit for American Dealers, So They Affirm.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 25.—A correspondent at North Tonawanda, N.Y., says the controversy which is at present being carried on relative to the effects of a tariff on imported lumber is creating deep interest here. The lumbermen are a unit in demanding a protective tariff on Canadian lumber entering this country. At a meeting of the Tonawanda Lumbermen's Association a petition was drafted and sent to the Committee on Ways and Means asking for a duty of $1 per thousand feet on rough imported lumber. The experience of the past four years has led the local dealers to take this step. During that time lumber was imported from Canada with disastrous effects to the trade here. The chief markets of Buffalo and Tonawanda are in New York State and eastern cities. For Oswego, Syracuse, Utica, Albany and Rochester, Buffalo and Tonawanda were distributing centres previous to the removal of the tariff on Canadian lumber. Now it is different. The local dealers have found that the Canadian dealers have supplanted them by placing on the market lumber at a price for which the American producer could not afford to sell in the saw mills of Michigan and Wisconsin. In order to compete with the Canadian dealer, however, the local wholesale men have lowered the prices the past two or three years, and there has been literally no profit whatever in the lumber business.

CURED OF SCIATICA.

Left Hip Affected—Suspected Kidney Kidney Trouble—Relieved and Perfectly Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 18 (Special)—Mr. H. Playter, is not a difficult man to find as everybody here knows that he is foreman at No. 1 Fire Hall. He was the picture of health when called upon by your correspondent and told his story thus:

"In April 1896 I suffered from a severe attack of Sciatica, affecting my left hip and the leg to the tip of my toes. I suspected it came from some form of kidney trouble and as they had been recommended I procured a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

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Dr. for Infants and Children. Castoria is an excellent Medicine. Chas. Hutchison

ANOTHER BANK GONE.

National Bank at Potsdam, New York State, Closes Its Doors.

Gouverneur, N.Y., Jan. 25.—The National Bank at Potsdam closed its doors this afternoon. There was no run, but one would have been probable had not this action been taken. The officials of the bank will issue no statement other than that the depositors will be paid in full. The bank examiner has been sent for, and is expected to-morrow. The true condition of the bank cannot be learned until he has made an examination, but it is believed that the statement of the bank officials will be borne out. Among the deposits is one of $1000 of the county money, but the County Treasury is amply protected by the bondsmen of the bank.

The bank was organized in 1851 as the Frontier Bank, changing later to the national system. Luke Usher is its president. According to its last report its capital stock is $200,000; surplus, $40,000; undivided profits, $8000; deposits, $350,000, and loans and discounts, $500,000. The failure, it is said, is due to unfortunate investments made of late.

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E. R. WOOD, Secretary.

Peterborough, January 13th, 1897

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J. J. CROWE
Hall's Glen P. O.
License Inspector East Peterborough

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Business during the rest of January must be in the direction of SWEEPING REDUCTIONS IN ALL WINTER GOODS, in order to start on a new leaf on the First of February.

REMNANTS OF CLOTHS—Just the thing for making a pair of Trousers for a man or a Suit for a boy—will be among the best bargains we have to offer. While they last $3.50 will be the figure for a pair of our faultless-fitting Trousers. The excellent quality of these Remnants will influence quick selling.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

The guessing competition will be one of features of the Carnival on Friday evening.

Mount Hebron Encampment.

Every member of Mount Hebron Encampment is requested to be present at the regular meeting to-night, Tuesday, Jan. 26th, as important business will be transacted. By order of the C. P. 1d

All Treated Alike.

The musical public generally will be pleased to learn that sheet music has taken a tumble in price at the Peterborough Music Company's old stand. Any one can buy it at teachers' rates—one-third off.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, on Saturday, Jan. 30th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. Hours: 12 to 4. dw

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Suit for Alimony.

The Cobourg Sentinel-Star says: Eliza Brownscombe, of Port Hope, has issued a writ for $4 per week alimony, against her husband, Jas. Brownscombe, whose place of residence is given as Peterborough. Kerr & Kerr issued the writ.

Bargains in Dry Goods and Furs.

W. W. Johnston has removed balance of the D. O. LeGendre stock to his own stand, 410 George street and as the stock must be cleared out in a short time, bargains in all lines will be given. Call and see for yourselves. 4d20

To Take a Plebescite.

A county convention is to be called on February 23rd to consider and discuss the plan of campaign for a plebescite on the liquor question. In the evening a mass meeting will be held in the George street Methodist church.

Ceylon and Indian Teas.

These fragrant and refreshing teas are the most economical, because one spoonful goes as far as two of China or Japan tea, and are cleaner, because they are prepared by machinery. Try our blends at 40c and 50c. They are giving the best satisfaction. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. 2d

The "Johnny" Rogers Benefit Concert.

The date of the "Johnny" Rogers benefit concert announced for Thursday evening, Feb. 4th, has been changed to Wednesday, Feb. 3rd. Those interested should note the change. A splendid programme will be presented, and all who attend will have an opportunity for enjoyment as well as aiding in a most worthy object.

To the North Pole.

Lieut. Perry, the explorer, wants some one with about $100,000 to help him find the missing north pole. Now, if any one has an interest to that extent in this discovery now is the chance. But when the expedition is being fitted out we cannot suppose that any person would venture so far without a supply of nice fresh groceries from E. BROWN & Co's., 294 George street. P. S.—Best Snow, Greening and Northern Spy Apples on hand.

Cutting a Quarter Off Fans.

While stock-taking is going on at the Peterborough Bookstore, bargains turn up that are worth watching and looking after sharp. A quarter has been struck off our fashionable stock of feather, silk, gauze, party and opera fans, making the prices read thus:—75c. fans now 50c., $1.00 fans now 75c., $1.25 fans now 94c., $1.50 fans now $1.12; $3.00 fans now $1.49.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Liberal With His Figures.

Apropos of the present cold snap, a farmer who is very illiterate, and doesn't seem to think it much disadvantage, had been to town, and on his return called on a village doctor. When the usual topic of the weather came up, the man who had been to town remarked that it was "awful cold—they told him up in the town that the 'momotor, or somethin', said it was 160 degrees above or below zero—he jest disremembered which." With such a wide margin to cover possible mistakes, this cautious statement is an example to those who make rash statements about the degrading conduct of the thermometer.

The Cinematographe.

There was a very large and enthusiastic audience at the opera house last night and as usual everybody expressed delight with the wonderful views shown. The children in the nursery and the garden hose scenes are most amusing and the pulling down of an old building is wonderful. Nobody should miss seeing this marvellous entertainment as there are only two more evenings, to-night and to-morrow night, with a grand matinee to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 p. m. Doors open in evening at 7.30 p. m., running continuously until 10.30 p. m., showing the entire set of thirty views twice.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Discussion on the Infectiousness of Consumption.

The organization meeting of the new local Board of Health was held yesterday afternoon at four o'clock, in the clerk's office, with Messrs. B. Shortly, H. Danne, Dr. Burnham and the mayor in attendance, as well as Dr. Clarke, medical health officer.

The town clerk took the chair and announced that the first order of business was the election of a chairman for the year.

Mr. Benj. Shortly was unanimously re-elected to the post, Dr. Burnham remarking that he was fast being broken into harness by serving the previous year in that capacity.

On taking the chair Mr. Shortly thanked the members for the honour conferred on him, promising to discharge the duties of chairman to the best of his ability.

Dr. Burnham inquired of the medical health officer his opinion regarding the theory of consumption being an infectious disease.

Dr. Clarke, in answering, strongly upheld this view of consumption, instancing a number of local cases in which the disease had appeared where it was not hereditary and mentioning the fact that in Los Angeles, California, expectorating on the streets, was strictly prohibited, as the microbes which emanated from the flem of consumption was considered most dangerous.

The discussion became general on the subject, and Dr. Burnham and Mr. Shortly enlarged on the objectionable practice indulged in by young men in hanging around street corners and spitting on the sidewalk in such a manner that ladies dresses became contaminated by the filth.

Mr. Danne thought there was about as much contamination and filth in the remarks which were passed, and urged the Board to call the attention of the council to the matter in order that the attention of the public might be called to the nuisance. The corner opposite the George street Methodist church was particularly mentioned in the discussion.

The Board adjourned to meet at the call of the chair.

The handsome pair of Persian Lamb Gauntlets offered as a prize for the Best Dressed Lady in Fancy Costume is certain to bring out some very fine costumes on Friday evening at the Carnival.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Wm. Dundas left town this morning on an extended visit to Port Hope.

Miss Frosts and Miss Helen Galley, of Peterborough, are visiting Miss Nettie Cathro, Lindsay.

Rev. Father Phelan is attending the funeral of the late Rev. Father Small, of St. Michael's College, Toronto.

The Misses Brownscombe of Port Hope, are on a visit to Peterborough, the guests of Mr. Robert McWhinnie, 190 London street.

Mr. B. T. Smith, formerly manager of the Bell Telephone Company in Peterborough, but who is now the Kingston manager of that company, was in town to-day looking up old friends.

Mrs. Frank Clancy, Mrs. F. Irwin, Mrs. Hiland and Mrs. Gibson, of Toronto, left for home yesterday, after being here for the purpose of attending the funeral of their mother, the late Mrs. Tangney.

Mr. Robert Fair is receiving congratulations to-day on attaining his majority—in business, it being just twenty-one years since he embarked on the commercial seas for himself. In 1876 he succeeded to the old, honourable and successful business of Mr. Hugh Waddell in South Monaghan and in 1883 moved into Peterborough and purchased the well established and reliable business conducted by Mr. Thos. Bradburn, known as the Golden Lion. The best wish that can be extended Mr. Fair is that he may be as successful in his future business operations as in the past.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—At the Catholic Literary Association entertainment next Tuesday evening, an address will be delivered by Mr. D. W. Dumble.

A large number of visitors from Lindsay, Port Hope, Millbrook, Keene and Lakefield are expected to take part in the Carnival on Friday evening.

—Mr. Wm. Miller was to have given an illustrated lecture in Grace church this evening, but on account of the storm it has been postponed until a week from Thursday.

—Owing to the inclemency of the weather the game of hockey between the Northern Stars of Auburn, and the Riverside seven has been postponed until to-morrow evening. Game called at 8 p. m. on the Park Rink, Ashburnham.

Tobacco Business Changed Hands.

Having purchased the tobacco business formerly carried on by Ed. B. Clegg, No. 215 George street, I have restocked the store with a full and well-selected assortment of choice cigars, tobaccoes, pipes and smoker's sundries, and solicit a share of public patronage. Prices low enough to suit all.—W. B. RICKEY. d

A DEADLOCK.

In The Selection of a Warden.

AT THE FIRST SESSION UNDER THE NEW REGIME.

The Personnel of the New Council—No Election of Warden—Mr. Casement Ties Mr. Moloney.

The County Council chamber presented a changed appearance this afternoon, when the members-elect meet in inaugural session—the first under the County Councils Act of 1896.

The chamber had been cleared of the superfluous seats required to seat the difference between twenty-three and ten members that composed respectively the old and new councils.

There were present the following members representing the respective divisions for the two years, 1897 and 1898:—Messrs. John Burnham and Wm. Anderson, No. 1, or Otonabee Division, the village of Ashburnham and the township of Otonabee.

Messrs. Jas. Middleton and Geo. Fitzgerald represents No. 2, or Bridgenorth Division—the townships of North Monaghan; Smith and Ennismore.

Messrs. R. Shaw and T. G. Eastland, No. 3, or Lakehurst division—the townships of Harvey, Galway and Cavendish, Burleigh, Anstruther and Chandos.

Messrs. Wm. Casement and John Moloney, No. 4, or Lakefield division—the village of Lakefield and townships of Dummer and Douro.

Messrs. John Brown and J. B. Pearce, No. 5, or Norwood division—the village of Norwood, and townships of Asphodel, Belmont and Methuen, and village of Havelock.

THE ELECTION OF WARDEN.

The clerk in the chair, the council proceeded to the election of a Warden by ballot.

THE FIRST BALLOT

resulted as follows:

Moloney	3
Burnham	2
Casement	5

SECOND BALLOT.

This necessitated a second ballot with the following result:

Moloney	3
Burnham	2
Casement	5

THIRD BALLOT.

No candidate having a majority, a third ballot had the following result:

Moloney	2
Burnham	2
Casement	5
Middleton	1

FOURTH BALLOT.

No election having been made another ballot was taken and resulted as follows:

Moloney	3
Burnham	2
Casement	5

FIFTH BALLOT.

According to the bylaw for the election of Warden, the lowest candidate, Mr. Burnham, dropped out and the fifth ballot was taken with the appended result:

Casement	5
Moloney	5

The vote being a tie, another ballot, the sixth, was taken as below:

Casement	5
Moloney	5

There being no prospect of breaking the deadlock at this sitting the council adjourned till to-morrow morning to elect a warden.

THE GRANITES DEFEATED.

Toronto Granites won by 7 Shots.

The Peterborough Granites were downed this morning by the Toronto Granites and are consequently out of the race for the Tankard. The results were as follows:

Toronto Granites.		*Peterborough Granites.*	
Hargraft, sk	25	T P Attrill, sk	21
Littlejohn, sk	13	Judge Weller, sk	15
	43		36

Majority for Toronto Granites, 7 shots.

NORWOOD VICTORIOUS.

Their Hockey Team Downs the Peterborough Juniors.

Last night in a very closely contested game in Norwood the second hockey team of that town downed the Peterborough III seven by the score of four goals to three.

Norwood played four of its senior team and the Peterborough boys bolstered up their Juniors by putting on Wasson of the seniors and Crossley of the intermediates. The game was the most keenly contested ever played on the Norwood ice, the score being 1—0 in favour of the Peterboroughs at the end of the first half. At this juncture Barry King took ill, and though he did not leave the ice, his usefulness was over for the evening, and at the conclusion of the game he fainted away.

The teams lined up as follows:

Peterborough.		*Norwood.*
E Wasson	goal	Beckett
W Borland	point	Code
R Thorne	cover point	McGregor
H King	forwards	Pettitrew
W Crossley	forwards	Cameron
E Grubbe	forwards	Pengelly
J Watt	forwards	Stewart

Referee, Ashe.

The game all through was in Peterborough's favour and the boys claim that two of Norwood's goals were scored on offsides, so apparent as to lead them to believe that the referee's whistle would recall the players.

Each of the Norwood forwards scored a goal and for the Peterboroughs Thorne and Crossley did the tallying. Off-side plays were very numerous all through the game.

At the conclusion the Peterboroughs were given a good time and banquetted by the Norwood club. The result of the two matches leaves a credit of four goals to the Peterboroughs, consequently they are winners of the series in this district and will play off with the second Frontenacs.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

Messrs. J. J. Turner & Son have the contract for the decoration of the rink for the Carnival on Friday evening.

Windsor Salt

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 26,—6.30 a. m.....17° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	19°	—15°

The minus sign (—) before a reading signifies below zero.

BONIFACES DINE.

Mr. Geo. Graham Represented Peterborough at a Hotelkeepers' Dinner.

At the first annual dinner of the hotel men of the Midland district, which was held Friday night at Hotel Quinte, Belleville, there was not the attendance that was at first expected, but it was in every way a success. Mr. J. F. Baird, the manager of Hotel Quinte, had done all in his power to make the affair a success, and to him is due the greatest share of praise for the excellent manner in which all the arrangements were carried out.

Among those present were: Sir Mackenzie Bowell, K.C.M.G.; Mr. H. Corby, M. P., Mr. W. H. Biggar, M.P.P.; Mr. W. B. Northrop, ex-M.P., and a number of other well known Bellevillians; James Haverson, Ed. Dickie, John Stormont, L. Reinhart, E. B. Clancy, C. D. Eck, Toronto; A. M. Chisholm, New York; H.G. Milling, E. Francisco, Napanee; Fred D. Miller, Bath; George Graham, Peterborough; T. H. Bleecker, E. J. Sweet, Trenton; James Sweetman, Frankford; S. Tufft, Madoc Junction; Fred Peake, Campbellford; G. F. Hepburn, Picton; E. J. Baird, Port Hope; Jas. Haslett, Stirling; R. J. Munro, Lakefield.

The chair was occupied by Mr. H. Corby, M.P., and the vice-chair by Mr. W. H. Biggar, M.P.P., and after the assemblage had done due justice to the many good things presented to them on the bill of fare, the toast list was taken up, and in a brief speech Mr. Corby introduced the first toast of the evening, that of "The Queen." The response was in the usual loyal manner. A lengthy toast list followed and the supper passed off most successfully.

The competition for prizes at the Carnival, on Friday evening will be very keen, as a very large number are determined to secure some of the valuable prizes offered.

Grafton & Co. are selling the best Grey Lamb Caps at $1.98 during the Clearing Sale, worth $3.00.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard.

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

Egg, Stove or Chestnut	$5 50 per ton
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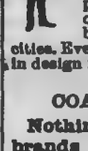

It is seldom that this chance comes to pick up such really fine things in handsome chairs, centre tables, screens, etc., are now being shown in Clegg's furniture store window. The tickets placed on the goods tell the tale of a substantial reduction. No better goods can be had in the cities. Every article guaranteed as superior in design in material and in finish.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 26c. Best quality Cadadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

Can Accommodate a Few More

Our rooms have rapidly filled during the last two weeks, but we have still room for a few more.

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Any one contemplating entering this season should make arrangements at once.

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The Night School will close the last of April. Those entering now will only be charged for THREE MONTHS COURSE.

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Dealers in Reliable Coal of all sizes.
Office and Yard—At the Elevator, west of Railway track, Ashburnham. 'Phone 34.

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We don't expect much profit while we are stock-taking. Go at random to any of our book shelves, show cases, tables or counters pick on any of the stock, the prices are all at low ebb. We own goods that were bought exceptionally cheap. They are being sold at prices that can be only matched by indifference to costs and values. Our Stock-Taking Sale is the crowning sale of the year. Take stock of these sample quotations:—

25 sheets Note Paper and 25 Envelopes, done up in a pretty box, for	10c
5 quires St. Neot's Note Paper, a fine, smooth writing paper, for 20c; single quire, 24 sheets, for	5c
5 packages Envelopes to match, 18c; single package for	4c
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5 packages good Cream Envelopes to match 35c; single package	3c
Windsor Newton's Best Artist's Colours, regular price 10 cents, for	7c
Invitation Cards and Envelopes, regular price 25c per package, for	19c
Writing Tablets, containing 100 sheets, good note paper, padded, regular 10c, for	5c
Six packages Cyclists Playing Cards, $1; single package	17c
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1000 good Business Envelopes, for	72c
Sunday at Home and Leisure Hour, one year complete, well bound, for	95c

The Ladies are invited to buy freely in Stationery, if not for present needs, for future requirements. They will not regret having been wide-awake enough to buy at present selling prices.

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OF ALL WINTER GOODS, AT
HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S.

From now till 1st February we will hold a Final Closing-Out Sale of all goods that are of a winter character. This will be a grand opportunity to many to buy goods at wholesale prices. Everyone knows that we carry no goods but the very best. We have no room for cheap grade of goods, that only look cheap in advertisement. We do for you what no other house can do, that is YOUR MONEY BACK if not suited.

MEN'S SUITS AND PANTS (To Order)

$4.50 Pants to order	reduced to	$ 3 00
$5 00 Pants to order	reduced to	3 50
$13 50 Suits to order	reduced to	10 00
$17.00 Tweed Suits to order	reduced to	13 00
$20.00 Tweed Suits to order	reduced to	15 00
$16.00 Worsted Coat and Vest to order	reduced to	13 00

All work and fit guaranteed.

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All our Trimmed Millinery at exactly HALF PRICE.

25 All Wool Tams, were 30c and 35c	reduced to	$ 0 15
All our Fez Caps	reduced to	0 20

All Felt Hats and Sailors, being cleared, regardless of cost.

JACKETS, CAPES AND FUR EDGINGS.

The balance of our Monflo Fur Edging	reduced to	$ 0 15 yd.
The balance of our Beaver Fur Edging	reduced to	0 35 yd.
The balance of our Bear Fur Edging	reduced to	0 50 yd.
The balance of our Sable Fur Edging	reduced to	0 75 yd.
Balance of our $3.50 Jackets	reduced to	2 00
Balance of our $5 00 Jackets	reduced to	3 50
1 $12.50 Fur Lined Cape	reduced to	8 00
2 $18.00 Fur Lined Capes	reduced to	11 00
$20.00 Matallasie Capes	reduced to	9 50
$22.00 Matallasie Capes	reduced to	10 00
$25.00 Matallasie Capes	reduced to	12 00
$18.00 Jackets	reduced to	10 00
2 Sealette Jackets, were $37.50	reduced to	25 00
1 Sealette Jacket, was $20.00	reduced to	11 00

You see by the price that we do not intend to carry over a single winter garment.

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8 pieces All Wool Tweed Dress Goods, were 50c	reduced to	25c
2 pieces Fancy Plaid Dress Goods, were 50c	reduced to	25c
200 yards Pongee Silk Dress Goods, were 25c	reduced to	20c

25 per cent. off all our Black Jet Trimmings.

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Special prices on all our Cashmere Gloves.

All our 25c Veilings	reduced to	18c

FLANNELS AND FLANNELETTES.

1000 yards New Flannelettes	only	$ 5
200 yards 15c Grey Flannel	only	12½
All Wool Blankets	only	2 50
All Wool 12½c Flannelette	only	10

This will be your last chance to get a choice lot of Winter Goods at prices that will pay you to buy and carry over to another season. We are bound to carry no goods over to another season.

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A Cream of Tartar and Soda Baking Powder.
Pure as Pure Gold.

Two Million Dyspeptics

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1897.

THE TOWN COUNCIL'S SPECIAL MEETING.

THE SLATE CLEARED OF A LOT OF IMPORTANT BUSINESS.

How Charity is to be Administered in Future—Will Central Park be Improved?—Continuance of the Sewers—Annexation of Ashburnham—The New Council Discusses Many Things of Interest.

At the meeting of the town council last night there were present the Mayor and Councillors Best, LePlante, Robertson, Denne, Davis, Dawson, Cobb, McWilliams, Meldrum, Graham and White.

COMMUNICATIONS

From Patrick J. McNamara and 26 others, asking that an electric light be placed in that portion of Ward No. 1, where the Grand Trunk Railway crosses Aylmer and Perry streets.—Referred to the Fire, Water and Light Committee.

From D. W. Dumble, Police Magistrate, asking that the police court be better heated—Referred to the Property Committee.

From the Town Treasurer, stating that he had issued a cheque for $108.83 to Grant & Winch, in settlement of sewer contract No. 3, but that Mr. Grant had refused to accept the cheque as in full of account—Received.

From Wm. Devlin, asking for an extension of time in which to pay his taxes—Referred to Court of Revision.

From Little Lake Cemetery Company, applying for a debenture of $1,000 of the next issue—Referred to the Finance Committee.

From T. McFadden and H. Carveth, applying for the position of assessor.—Received.

ACCOUNTS

were referred to the Finance Committee, as follows:—

R C Braund	$ 2 00
Harper Printing Co	5 50
Wm Detsher	3 00
Mrs Wainwright	5 00
R Duncan	4 25
Miss F Grundy	2 50
D Hobbins	1 75
Fitzgerald & Co	5 10
A H Stratton & Co	3 25
P Grills	2 25
W B Bamford	3 10
Auburn Woollen Co	67 25
W Bradshaw	28 00
W B Bamford	2 80
Mrs Burns	2 00
T E Boddy	1 70
Ontario Sewer Pipe Co	60 22
Light and Power Co	45 80
B McDonald	37 40
Geo Laing	6 00
T E Boddy	4 60
J Smith	4 00
P O Department	4 00
P J R Mitchell	1 00
R H Nesbitt	4 00

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE,

through its chairman, Councillor Denne, recommended the payment of the following accounts:—

T J Michiel	$ 21 35
A Peters	2 00
Walter Stocker	8 08
C P R Telegraph	76
L Williams	1 40
Adam Hall	14 36
Chas C Gunsolus	6 25
James Edgcumbe	3 30
Wm Logan	21 20
D Bellegham	13 00
P J R Mitchell	9 00
J W Brisbin	17 00
Dickson Co	20 77
Review	55 08
Wm English Canoe Co	2 10
Light & Power Co	21 35
Benj Shortly	5 70
Peter Hamilton Mfg Co	61 72
Clarke & Gibson	75
Mrs Danford	5 20
W G Fowler & Co	19 65
J Smith	11 00
C N Brown	4 60
R H Nesbitt	5 00
Jas Bogue	10 80
Brown Bros	1 08
Harper Ptg Co	7 75
Mickx & Cox	4 10
J W Moore & Co	8 00
Dominion Express Co	30
E Wills	6 50
Jas Jobe	2 35
Bell Tel Co	32 50
"	110 60
Alex Elliott	2 00
Wm Hetherington	41 80
Geo Carton	15 00
A McDonald	8 35
T Fitzgerald	4 80
A J Warne	10 00
Fertye & Harper	13 84
Robert Fair	4 50
Times	4 50
Shillbury & Co	3 35
R H Kells	2 50
John Nugent	2 60
John Armstrong	7 50
Peterborough Hardware Co	15 45
" "	10 45
Mrs Mary Burns	2 00
Little Lake Cemetery Co	7 35
Jas Morrison Brass Mfg Co	3 00

2. That W. Aldridge be paid $95 in full for examining surveys of taxes and locating different properties in Ward.

3. That the Board of Education be paid the amount of their demand for 1897 for Collegiate Institute and Public Schools in monthly instalments, as applied for by the Board.

4. That a cheque for $5,000 be issued to the Town Trust Commissioners on account of the moneys payable to them.

On motion of Messrs. Best and Meldrum, Clause 3 was referred back for further consideration. The balance of report adopted.

THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS

through Chairman Dawson, recommended That John J. Hartley and Thos. B. McGrath, be appointed assessors for Wards Nos. 3 and 4, and Thos. McKee and John Kincaid, assessors for Wards Nos. 1 and 2, at a salary of $125 each.—Adopted.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE,

through Chairman Councillor Cobb, recommended

That the town printing be let at the same rates as last year, and that it be divided among the offices of the EXAMINER, Review, Times and Harper Printing Company, on the same basis as last year, except that the printing of the auditors' report be given to the Review office.—Adopted.

Before submitting the report of the Charity Committee, Councillor Davis explained that he was about to introduce a change in the administration of the charity funds, as he had come to the conclusion that by the present method the council was working very much in the dark. His new proposition was to form a central committee composed of representatives from the various churches, etc., in order that no family could obtain help from more than one source.

THE CHARITY COMMITTEE,

through its chairman, Councillor Davis, recommended as follows:

1. That a committee be appointed to be known as the Central Charity Board, for the purpose of distributing the charity appropriations made by the town council.

2. That this Central Board consist of one representative from each church congregation of the town, including the Salvation Army, one representative from the Hall Trust Board, one representative from the Children's Aid, to be appointed by the Charity Committee after consultation with the clergymen and the bodies mentioned, also of the chairman of the Charity Committee and the Town Relief Officer.

3. That so soon as the Central Board is properly organized it be requested to submit a detailed statement of its plan of organization and distribution of charity to the Charity Committee and upon the chairman of the Charity Committee certifying that the plan has been approved of by the committee that a cheque for $200.00 be issued to the treasurer of the board.

4. That after the Central Board is organized and undertakes the duties for which it is established, no charity be given by this council, other than through the said board, except for the maintenance of the person in the Protestant Home for whom the council is now making payments to the Home.

5. That the street inspector be instructed to make use of the town team, so far as it can be done, to deliver wood given by the Central Board.

6. That the Central Board be required to make a monthly statement to the council of the distribution of the amounts placed in its hands by the council.

7. That the town treasurer be authorized to issue cheques the treasurer of the Central Charity Board as follows:—A cheque for $175 on the first day of each of the following months, namely, January, February, March, April, November and December, and a cheque for $75 on the first day of the following months, namely, May, June, July, August, September and October, making a total grant for each twelve months of $1,500, and that the first cheque under this clause be issued on the first day of March next.

8. That a Charity Relief Officer be appointed by the town to assist in the distribution of charity.

9. That Kenward Mark be appointed Charity Relief Officer at a salary of $100 per year, payable in equal proportions monthly on the last day of each month.

Councillor Davis moved the adoption of the report, with the exception of the last clause, which he desired should be discussed by the whole council, as he understood there existed a difference of opinion as to the proper man for the position. It had been suggested to him that Mr. Miller, the agent of the Children's Aid Society, had two years' experience in such work as would give him the necessary experience to deal with the different classes of poor, with which a relief officer would come in contact.

Councillor Best cordially agreed with the report, remarking that it would place a check on the loose manner in which wood had been distributed from the yard, as had been the case during the past year.

Councillors Denne and Best moved that Mr. F. W. Miller's name be inserted in place of that of Mr. Mark in the last clause.

Councillor Dawson stated Mr. Mark was fully acquainted with every needy person in town, his business bringing him in touch with all classes. Seconded by Councillor Cobb he moved that the report be adopted as presented without any change in the names.

Councillor Leplante pointed out that Mr. Miller had power, as agent of the Children's Aid Society, to enter any house in town, thereby enabling him to give better service.

Councillor Meldrum took the same ground as the previous speaker. Mr. Miller, he stated, could have a man arrested who refused to support his family, and thus would be of great assistance to the committee.

Councillor McWilliams thought the ground taken in support of Mr. Miller was the correct manner of dealing with the case. There should be a rigid investigation into every application for relief, as there had been a very strange administration of the funds during the last two weeks in December, when 186 orders had been issued by the recent chairman of the Charity Committee. He thought this was something that the County Crown Attorney should look into.

The report was adopted with the exception of the last clause, which was amended by the insertion of Mr. Finch W. Miller's name as Relief Officer.

THE STREET AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE,

through its chairman, Councillor McWilliams, reported as follows:

1. Your committee, as instructed, advertised for tenders for stone, and received a number of tenders. We recommend that the Street Inspector be instructed to purchase 30 cords of stone from any taxpayer who is a ratepayer and who will deliver stone suitable for street purposes, where required and subject to inspection, at $1.75 per cord, and that the stone be paid for on the certificate of the Street Inspector.

2. We also recommend that for this season $2.50 a cord be paid for breaking the stone, the men employed to keep their hammers in repair and to be paid on the certificate of the Inspector.

Adopted.

On motion of Councillors McWilliams and White, 25 cords will be taken from Mr. Spencely, who lives just outside the town limits.

FIRE, WATER AND LIGHT COMMITTEE

recommended and reported through its chairman Councillor White, as follows:—

1. The fire engine having been found to need some repairs your committee gave instructions to have the repairs made.

2. Your committee recommend that the police be instructed to ring the general fire alarm bell for five minutes when sounding the fire alarm.

3. When the fire alarm was sounded on Tuesday night Driver Lawrence, who was to drive the second team, was absent from the fire hall. The next morning the chairman of the committee and the mayor suspended him. Your committee approve of the action taken, but as Lawrence had arranged for a substitute to drive the team, and we believe the action taken by the mayor and chairman will be sufficient to enforce proper discipline, we recommend that he be reinstated on the expiration of the term of suspension.

Adopted.

Councillor Davis urged upon the council the necessity of watching most carefully everything which pertained to the fire protection of the town, as thirty or forty towns had recently had their ratings lowered through carelessness in the administration in this department. He congratulated Councillor White in taking the action of suspending Driver Lawrence for being absent from his post of duty. It was significant that the Peterborough council was always on its guard in respect to such matters.

THE SEWERAGE COMMITTEE,

through its Chairman, Councillor Best, reported and recommended:

That notice be given that the council intends to undertake the construction of sewers on the following streets:

Water street, from McDonel street to Argyle street.

George street, from McDonel street to Argyle street.

Perry street, from George street to Aylmer street.

Aylmer street, from Perry street to Smith street.

Stewart street, from Rink street to Brock street.

Rubidge street, from Rink street to Brock street.

McDonel street, from Water street to Dickson street.

McDonel street, from George street to Aylmer street.

Murray street, from Water street to Dickson street.

Harvey street, from McDonel street to Dublin street.

Dublin street, from Water street to Harvey street.

Simcoe street, from the creek west to Aylmer street.

Hunter street, from the creek west to Aylmer street.

Brock street, 440 feet west of George street to Aylmer street.

Murray street, from George street to Aylmer street.

London street, from George street to Aylmer street.

Charlotte street from Lewis street to Aylmer street.

And to assess upon the real property to be benefitted thereby such proportion of the cost thereof as may be just, in accordance with the provisions of sections 613 to 628 inclusive of the Consolidated Municipal Act of 1892, or so much thereof as may be applicable thereto, and subject to the provisions of such bylaw or bylaws of the said corporation, now or hereafter to be passed as shall be applicable to the same.

Adopted.

SOME BYLAWS.

Councillor Dawson introduced the bylaw for the appointment of assessors for 1897. The names were inserted, as recommended in the report of the Committee on Appointments.

Councillor Davis introduced the bylaw for the appointment of a Charity Relief Officer. On motion of Councillor Denne the name of Finch W. Miller was inserted in the bylaw as the officer.

Councillors Meldrum and Best moved that a notice be put in the papers that all last year's accounts must be sent in at once, and that hereafter accounts be required to be sent in monthly—Carried.

Councillor Dawson brought up the matter of an old promise which has been made to Mr. James Stevenson to pay half the cost of the asphalt sidewalk, which was laid at the Bank of Toronto corner. Councillor Dawson stated he was at the meeting of the council when the verbal promise was made to Mr. Stevenson in the matter.

Councillor Meldrum thought that if the council had agreed to do this the account would have been paid long ago. He thought it was rather late in the day to bring the matter up.

Councillor Best pointed out that the reason payment had been refused was on account of the upper surface scaling off.

In order that the entire question might be threshed out it was referred to the Street and Bridge Committee on motion of Councillors Dawson and Meldrum.

Councillor Davis spoke of the fact that when at the recent Dickson Company's fire he noticed that the firemen worked all night and did not receive any refreshments. He thought this was something which should be looked after more closely in the future.

Councillor White stated that probably Mr. Davis had gone home a trifle early, as refreshments were handed round before the men left the fire. It was well, however, to make provision for this, as they might not at another time receive them.

A general discussion followed regarding the application for special legislation empowering the town to collect the taxes in two instalments each year, and Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P., who was present, promised to telephone from Toronto during the week, informing the council regarding the steps to be taken in this connection.

THE CENTRAL PARK.

The opinion of the council was taken on the subject of cutting down the pine trees on the Central Park. It was represented that these huge trees were slowly dying out and that if they were removed at once, in a few years the young trees would grow up, but as it was no other tree could grow and flourish in the park, as the pines drew all the life out of them. Councillor Dawson was anxious to have Mark Spencely instructed to remove them at once.

Councillor Denne did not like to see the old landmarks go. He thought, however, that the park would be greatly improved, if the Government could be induced to erect a new drill shed on the site of the old one.

Councillor Cobb stated that the Horticultural Society was sending a deputation to the town and county councils asking for a grant and the right to improve Central Park in the same manner as Court House Park.

Councillor Meldrum was opposed to having Central Park beautified to the same extent as the one at the Court House, pointing out that the former was now a great playground for children, whereas at the Court House the little ones were not allowed off the paths. He objected strongly to Central Park being taken from the children, as it was now such a splendid breathing place for them.

The question then came up as to whether the council had the right to cut down the old trees—whether the town owned the park or not.

Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P., explained that the title was held jointly by the town and county and the matter was referred to the Joint Committee for adjustment.

ANNEXATION OF ASHBURNHAM.

The Mayor asked if the council wished to express an opinion regarding the annexation of Ashburnham to the town during the coming year. He understood that the new village council favoured the idea and as the ratepayers of both municipalities has signified in favour of the project, he thought something ought to be done in regard to the matter. Reeve Adams, of Ashburnham, had been speaking to him on the subject on Saturday and he thought the details could be easily settled.

Councillor Best did not see what the council had before it to work upon. He would like to have a proposition from the village.

Councillor Davis did not see any reason for annexing the village. It was not as though the town was growing so rapidly that it needed room on the other side of the river.

Councillor Leplante did not favour the annexing of the village, as he thought there would have to be a large sum laid out immediately on the streets.

Councillor Meldrum thought the Ashburnham streets were as good, if not better, than those in Peterborough.

Councillor McWilliams would favour the proposition if that portion of the village east of Concession street was given back to the township of Otonabee. The other portion was almost as thickly populated as any portion of Peterborough.

The matter was dropped on the understanding that a committee from each council would meet at a future date to discuss the question in all its details.

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The costumes for "Best Dressed Lady in Fancy Costume," are expected to surpass anything yet seen in Peterborough.

"Very, Very Good."

A prominent lady visiting Peterborough from New York City was so highly pleased with the photographic work she saw in

Mr. Whiten's art studio that she made an appointment and had a dozen sent to her address, 170 Lexington Avenue, New York City. She writes Mr. Whiten: "Photos arrived all right; they are very, very good; I am much pleased with them." Three different persons recently on a visit here from Montreal also had a dozen each taken by Mr. Whiten and forwarded to their address in Montreal. The above speaks well for Peterborough and the high-class work turned out by Mr. Whiten. Entrance to studio, 158 Hunter street, opposite Oak Hall. d15tf

Men's Heavy all wool Pea Jackets, in grey and black Frieze and Blue Nap, lined with heavy all wool Tweed Lining, Grafton & Co's. regular price $5, sale price during sale 3 95.

Weather will continue cold and blustery; will be cold till Friday.

The Magazines for February are coming in—"Metropolitan," "The New Illustrated," "Pall Mall Magazine," "Ladies' Home Journal," "Cosmopolitan," "The Strand," "The Black Cat," "Young Ladies' Journal," &c., &c., have arrived at

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3 Cord Brooms, (heavy)	" "	150	Cash Price	10c
4 Cord Brooms,	" "	200	Cash Price	15c
4 Cord Brooms,	" "	250	Cash Price	19c
4 Cord Brooms,	" "	300	Cash Price	23c
3 Bs. Choice Family Lard			Cash Price	25c
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Robert Hall, of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Dry Goods Merchant, Insolvent.

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE ABOVE named has made an assignment to me under the Provisions of R. S. O. 1897, Chapter 124, of all his estate in trust for the general benefit of all his creditors.

A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby called and will be held at the office of Messrs. Stratton & Hall, in the Town of Peterborough, on Thursday, the Seventh day of January, A. D. 1897, at 3 p. m., for the appointment of Inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate.

All the creditors of the said estate are hereby required to fyle their claims and fyalue their security on or before the date of said meeting. After the second day of February next I shall proceed to distribute said estate having regard only to such claims as I shall then have due notice of and proof and I shall not be held responsible for the assets of said estate nor any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim shall not then have been fyled.

W. A. STRATTON, Trustee.
STRATTON & HALL, Trustee's Solicitors.
Peterborough, December 30th, 1896. 5dm

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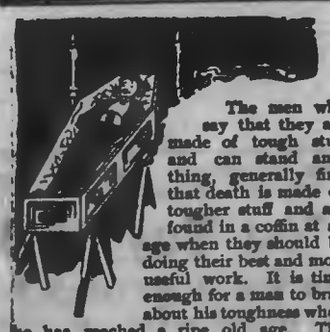

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THREE KILLED INSTANTLY.

Train on the Pittsburg and Western Railway Goes Through a Trestle and Causes Havoc.

Butler, Pa., Jan. 24.—About 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon one of the most serious accidents in the history of the Pittsburg and Western Railroad occurred at Plum Creek bridge, one mile from Shippenville station. At this point there is a big bend over the turbulent little stream, which is spanned by an S-shaped bridge about 50 feet high, and over this bridge passenger train No. 7, southbound from Kane, was dashed into the stream below, the train, with all on board, going over the trestle. Three were killed instantly and only one person on the train, it is said, escaped injury. The train consisted of engine, baggage car and two passenger coaches. About 30 passengers were on board when the frightful plunge was made, and that a soul escaped is indeed miraculous. Just as the train left the rails Baggagemaster Thomas Raney of Foxburg jumped, saving his life, but suffering very serious injury. Conductor Thomas Tanks of Foxburg went down with the train, but escaped with numerous bad bruises. He managed, although suffering greatly, to walk to Shippenville station and report the accident. The engineer, fireman and mail agent were killed outright. Relief trains were hurried from St. Petersburg and Foxburg with corps of physicians. Brakeman Wise was badly cut and bruised and received serious internal injuries that may cause his death. A passenger, whose name could not be learned, is among the seriously injured. J. T. Kelley of Cleveland was cut about the head and badly bruised. William Carothers, newsboy, was cut about the head and body. Several bad accidents have occurred at this point, ten people having met death at this same place. Mr. Kelley says there were three coaches on the train, including a standard gauge baggage car, while the track is a narrow gauge. The train, he says, was running 25 miles an hour and seemed to be gaining speed. As it approached the curved bridge, Brakeman Wise and a newsboy set the brakes. The train had gone but a little distance, however, when Wise cried: "It's no use, it's all up now." The brakes refused to hold the runaway train and the train made the awful plunge, the engine and the cars being demolished on the rocks below.

Coldest Day in Two Years.

Omaha, Jan. 24.—This has been the coldest day Nebraska has experienced in two years. At many points the mercury registered 12 degrees below zero and the warmest reported was 4 below. The Missouri River is frozen over. Little snow has fallen in this section and railroad traffic is not interfered with.

Very Easy for Him

Malone, N.Y., Jan. 23.—Dr. Osbaldeston, who, with Mrs. Metzgar, was extradited recently from Canada on the charge of being implicated in the taking of the goods from a store in this village, failed to appear yesterday when his case was called for preliminary examination before Justice Earl, and his whereabouts are unknown. He was under $700 bail, which was declared estreated. Mrs. Metzgar was held for the grand jury.

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HON. A. G. JONES

Tells a Little About the Cable Conference, But the Commissioners' Report Must Be Awaited for Details.

Halifax, Jan. 23.—Hon. A. G. Jones and Sandford Fleming, who attended the Pacific cable conference as the representatives of Canada, arrived here from England this evening on the steamer Vancouver, after a rough passage. Mr. Jones was interviewed on his arrival on the matter of the Pacific cable. He said the commission had arrived at an understanding to make nothing public until the report was submitted to the British and Colonial Governments by the chairman of the commission. Mr. Jones said he felt at liberty to state that the Pacific cable was practicable, which fact was doubted previous to the meetings of the commission. The commission unanimously agreed on a report, which cannot be made public. In his opinion, the report was satisfactory to the various governments. Mr. Jones said the reports published in the English papers and cabled to this side of the water were mainly of a speculative character. The whole evidence was highly satisfactory to the representatives of the various colonial governments, and the Imperial Government as well. No difference of opinion as to the route existed. The cable will be an all-British one. That is the desire of the Canadian Government and the point insisted upon. The cost would not exceed that which was originally stated. The question now to be taken up is as to the division of the responsibility. This feature was not dealt with by the commission. When the matter of responsibility came up it would be found that Canada's share would be very light. Mr. Jones said that Sandford Fleming rendered the commission very valuable service in giving evidence as to his knowledge of the subject.

Asked how the English people viewed Mr. Laurier's elevation to the Premiership, Mr. Jones said the English people were greatly disappointed to learn that Mr. Laurier was not able to go over. There is a great desire to see and hear him. This is particularly so from the fact that he is a French-Canadian. He was able to say on behalf of Canada that when they saw him and learned his views they would be well satisfied with him, and that he enjoyed confidence with Liberals and Conservatives in Canada. The hope is general that at no distant day he will be able to visit the Mother Country. "I found," said Mr. Jones, "a great deal of interest on the other side in every thing relating to Canada, and endeavored to give all the information possible regarding our country, its resources, capabilities and possibilities.

Sandford Fleming, from the fact of his not being a commissioner, and, therefore, not bound to secrecy, was more communicative. He said: The whole matter of a Pacific cable was entered upon in a most thorough and deliberate manner. There was no hurry or any desire to rush things to a conclusion. The mode of procedure laid down by Mr. Chamberlain was not departed from in the least. Some four months ago the British Government determined that the whole facts relating to the establishment of a cable between Great Britain and Australia, by the way of Canada, should be looked into. The Secretary of State considered the question should be carefully examined by an Imperial commission, consisting of six members. During the sittings of the committee an exhaustive enquiry was made, when the best authorities in the world were consulted on the subject—marine telegraphy—and the commission agreed on and signed a report embodying their united views. It will be first laid before the Imperial, Dominion and Colonial Governments. From the character and weight of the evidence I am convinced that the report cannot fail to sustain and confirm all that was advanced at the colonial conferences of 1887 and 1894. I believe all the essential points will be fully met and the Pacific cable beyond all dispute shown to be entirely practicable; that the cost will be moderate and, when established, it will be of immense value to the commerce of Canada and the rest of the empire. The liability to be borne by the Dominion will be very light. Another step gained is that many obstacles in the way have about disappeared, or have been rendered harmless. The hostility which existed some time back has been withdrawn or overcome in certain quarters, and it is in a fair way of breaking down or being rendered entirely harmless. The prospects for the early establishment of this important national work could not be better.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The demand for flour is limited and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.85.

Bran—Trade dull, with bran quoted outside west at $7 to $7.50 and shorts at $9.

Wheat—The local market is quiet, and prices unchanged. Red is quoted at 90c on the Northern, and white at 81c. No. 1 Manitoba hard 77c afloat, Fort William, at 22c to 93c Toronto freight. No. 2 hard sold at 74c afloat, Fort William.

Buckwheat—Trade is dull, with car lots quoted at 27c west.

Barley—The market is steady. No. 1 quoted at 34c to 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and No. 3 at 23c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are unchanged. White sold at 18c to 18½c west, and mixed at 17½c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady. Sales at 40c north and west.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 21½c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 34c west and at 35c east.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 23.—Spring wheat, 6s 9½d to 6s 10½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1d to 7s 2d; corn, 2s 9d; peas, 4s 6d; pork, 46s 3d; lard, 21s 3d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 26s 6d; do. light, 25s 6d; do. s.c., heavy, 23s 6d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 55s.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat firm; futures firm at 6s 8d for Feb., 6s 8⅝d for March, 6s 9d for April and 6s 7½d for July. Maize steady at 2s 9d for Jan., Feb. March and May, and 2s 10d for July. Flour 24s.

London—Close—Wheat on passage steadier. Maize on passage steadier.

Paris—Close—Wheat steady at 22f 30c for Feb. and flour steady at 48f for Feb.

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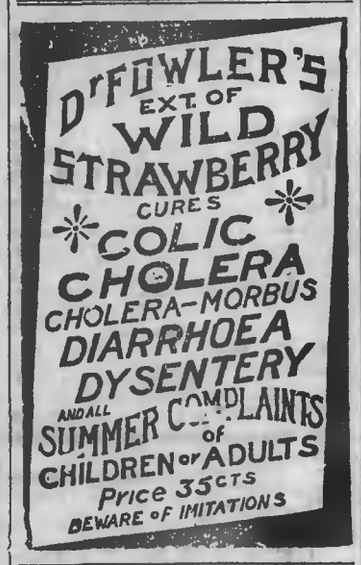

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New York, Jan. 23.—George Dixon knocked out Australian Billy Murphy to-night in the sixth round of their 20-round battle at the Broadway A.C. The deciding blow was a left hook, which landed full on the pit of the stomach with terrific force.

Dixon showed an immense improvement over his recent form, as shown against White. His attack was strong, and he rushed like the Dixon of old. He had all the best of the bout up to the knock-out, and did nearly all the fighting. Murphy countered well with his right hand, but was very often wild, and his blows lacked steam. The time of the decisive round was 3 min. 43 sec.

The opening bout was a 10-round affair between Frank O'Neil, the colored boxer, and Paddy Fenton of Boston. They weighed in at 128 pounds. Fenton knocked his man out with a left-hand uppercut on the jaw in the seventh round.

There was very little delay in starting the star bout. Dixon, as usual, was the first to appear. The dusky champion looked to be in splendid condition. He was seconded by Tom O'Rourke, Joe Ellis, Jimmy Barry and Jimmy Defforest. Murphy was looked after by Dan Creedon, Mike Conley and Benny Murphy. The betting was $100 to $80 on Dixon. Murphy had three inches advantage in height and a slightly longer reach than Dixon, and appeared to be well trained. They both weighed in at 120 pounds at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The kids shook hands at 9.30.

After a little sparring, Dixon opened with a right on the body. They exchanged lefts, and George put a good right on the body. As George rushed, Murphy put a hard left on the wind.

Dixon opened the second with two lefts on the body and neck, but Murphy retaliated with a hard left on the neck. Dixon tried a rush, but was stopped with left on the body and right on the neck. Just as the bell rang Dixon landed a hard left on the jaw.

In the third round, after an exchange of swings, Dixon rushed in with a right on the jaw. Murphy came in with both hands on the body. A hot rally followed, both being in turn forced to the ropes. Murphy swung right and left in succession hard on the jaw, but Dixon only smiled.

Dixon showed some of his old-time attack in the fourth, and with a couple of left uppercuts forced the Australian to the ropes.

George started a series of hurricane rushes in the fifth, and Murphy was in difficulty for the greater part of the round, but just before the bell rang Billy landed a couple of scorching rights on the wind.

Dixon kept up the rushing in the sixth, and landed both hands on the neck and body. Billy countering with the right on the body. Then George came in with a fearful left hook, that landed on the pit of Murphy's stomach. The Australian dropped on his hands and knees and writhed with pain. The referee counted the seconds, but Murphy was unable to rise, and was counted out. Murphy had to be helped to his feet, but revived quickly.

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CUBANS MAKE A DASH.

General Weyler Had a Narrow Escape From Being Captured—Spanish Gunboat Burned.

New York, Jan. 23.—A despatch to The Herald from Havana, via Key West, says: General Weyler has received his baptism of fire in the field. He may even have been astounded by the brilliancy of the flash of the insurgent steel before his very eyes. At all events, 10 of his special escort of guides, a corps of Cuban negroes, who enjoy the distinction of guarding the person of the Captain-General when he takes the field, arrived here Tuesday night seriously wounded with machete thrusts. Several have since died.

Eight members of the same corps, all wounded, reached Havana Wednesday morning. From their accounts, it is clear that early on Tuesday morning the rebels under Aranguren and Arango made a startlingly bold and dashing attempt to capture the Captain-General, which was nearly crowned with success.

General Weyler entered the village of Qurato Camiros Monday afternoon. Orders were at once given that all the inhabitants should leave their homes within two hours. The village being deserted, the torch was applied, and all the houses, about 300 in number, were destroyed.

The Captain-General then proceeded toward Gopaste, 16 kilometres further on the road to Guines. Gopaste was reached after nightfall, and a corps of guides was sent forward to reconnoitre. Gen. Weyler, with the main Spanish column, under Col. Segura, halted some distance outside the village. The insurgents, at the orders of their leaders, Aranguren and Arango, had concealed themselves in the houses of the town. Their plans were evidently well laid, and it is probable that they might have succeeded in capturing the desired prize, the Spanish commander himself.

Unfortunately for the fulfilment of the design of the insurgent leaders, while the Spanish scouts were engaged in the reconnaissance, the guns of some of the concealed rebels were accidentaly discharged, giving the alarm to the royal troops. Before the Spanish advance guard recovered from its surprise, the rebels, seeing that their plans had partially failed, rushed from their places of concealment and attacked the enemy with great fury, inflicting severe loss in their resistless onslaught. So bold, in fact, was the insurgent column, that it pursued the rapidly retreating Spaniards to a point almost within range of the troops in General Weyler's main body, and easily within the compass of a field glass, if the Captain-General had cared to inspect the dispersal of his own soldiers.

Captain-General Weyler spent Wednesday night in Guines, and, according to official reports received here, expected to enter Matanzas on Friday.

SPANISH GUNBOAT BURNED.

Desperate Hand to Hand Conflict on Board the Vessel.

Key West, Fla., Jan. 23.—Havana advices received in Key West are to the effect that the Spanish gunboat Cometa has been captured and burned by the insurgents. The Cometa was one of the most powerful of the smaller Spanish vessels in Cuban waters, and has been cruising near Cardenas to prevent the landing of filibustering expeditionsn. For some time she has been accustomed to anchor at night off Sierra Morra. The place where the gunboat anchored was favorable for an attack from the shore and the insurgents determined to capture her. Last Tuesday night they opened fire upon the vessel with a 12-pound Hotchkiss gun. The vessel was struck several times and badly damaged. While the crew were in confusion, boats loaded with insurgents left the short and the Cometa was boarded. A desperate hand-to-hand fight took place on the decks of the gunboat, the Cubans using the machete with deadly effect. Finally, after the Spanish commander and half his men had been killed, the survivors surrendered. The vessel was then burned.

The King's Birthday.

Havana, Jan. 23.—This being the name day of King Alfonso, it was celebrated today by services in the Cathedral in honor of the King's patron saint and by social functions. In accordance with the custom, a umber of prisoners were given their liberty. It was thought that a number of Americans now confined in Cuban prisons would be released in honor of the day, but this expectation nwas disappointed. There were only 18 men set free in this city, and they were only given their liberty provisionally. Three of them had been confined in state prison eight months in Morocco Castle. They were charged with various offences and all of them are comparatively unknown.

Several wounded rebels belonging to the rebel band led by Urras, who were hidden in a house in the outskirts of Havana, were arrested last night. All of them were brought here and placed in a military hospital.

Capt.-Gen. Weyler is now at Union de Ryes, Province of Matanzas. The Marquis de Auhamada, Marquis de Palerta, and the Civil Governor left for the Placon on an express train to-night. They will meet and hold a conference with the Captain-General.

Poisoned the Wells.

New York, Jan. 23.—A despatch to The Journal from Havana, via Key West, says: "The surface wells and smaller streams throughout Pinar del Rio and Havana Provinces have either been intentionally poisoned for some ulterior purpose, or are so thoroughly polluted with the bodies of men and horses killed in the war that the waters are more or less deadly. A fever resembling typhus has broken out among the resident pacificos at various points. A small insurgent foraging party, drinking water from the well upon an estate where a Spanish column had encamped the previous night, were all simultaneously attacked a few hours later with excruciating pains, followed by vomiting. Seven out of thirteen died in fearful agony.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—Trade remains quiet and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.85.

Bran—Trade dull, with bran quoted outside west at $7 to $7.50 and shorts at $9.

Wheat—The local market is quiet, and prices unchanged. Red and white are selling at 80c, while holders of white generally ask 81c outside. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 77c afloat, Fort William, at 83c Midland, and at 92c to 93c, Toronto freight. No. 2 hard sold at 74c, afloat Fort William.

Buckwheat—Trade is dull, with car lots quoted at 27c west.

Barley—The market is steady. No. 1 quoted at 34c to 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and No. 3 at 23c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are easy. White sold at 18c to 18½c west, and mixed are held at 18c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady. Sales at 40c west, north and west.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 22½c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 34c west and a 35c east.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 21.—Spring wheat, 6s 10d to 6s 11d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1d to 7s 2½d; corn, 2s 9½d; peas, 4s 6½d; pork, 42s 6d; lard, 21s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 53s 6d.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast steady, on passage steadier. English country markets 6d cheaper. Maize on passage steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 6s 8½d for Jan., 6s 8¾d for Feb., 6s 9¼d for March, 6s 9¾d for April, and 6s 8¾d for July. Flour and maize unchanged.

London—Close—Wheat on passage steady. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 23f 25c for Feb. Flour 48f 65c for Feb.

The Clay Eaters.

In several localities in the south, in the mountainous regions of Georgia, South Carolina and North Carolina in particular, there are families, or even whole communities, that use clay as a part of their regular diet. In northern Alabama (in Winston county) there is a bed of this peculiar edible clay, and, of course, a community of clay eaters. This queer clay is of a ghastly white color, of an oily nature, and, according to chemical analysis, it has extraordinary nutritive property, if considered only as a variety of earth.

Persons who have visited the clay eating communities say that a steady diet of this white, oily earth has a tendency to turn the skin a pale olive green. Some medical writers claim that this deathly pallor is caused by the presence of a large per cent of arsenic in the clay's composition, but this can hardly be when the statistics prove that the clay eaters live as long as or longer than their meat, grain and vegetable eating neighbors. The teeth of the clay eaters often remain sound and white beyond the seventieth year.—St. Louis Republic.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

Two games in the preliminary round of the Ontario Tankard were curled yesterday afternoon in group 7. At the Granite Rink the Toronto Caledonians wrested a victory from Galt by 5 shots, and on Victoria ice the Peterborough Granites demolished the tankard aspirations of the Hamilton Thistles through the excellent play of Judge Weller, who gave a magnificent exhibition of the game. On the 20th end in the Hamilton-Peterborough contest the score was a tie all round, but both the eastern rinks scored on the remaining end and won by 6 shots. The score :

Toronto Caledonians.		*Galt Club.*	
W G McCormick,		A McAuslan,	
G Keith,		J Cherry,	
W T McIntosh,		J McAuslan,	
D Prentice, skip	19	T Allison, skip	18
A B Nicholls,		J R Blake,	
T Rennie,		G Graham,	
W Rose,		T McDougall,	
R Rennie, skip	20	A G Gourlay, skip	16
	20		34

Peterborough Granites.		*Hamilton Thistles.*	
H A Morrow,		C Kerner,	
W L Allan,		R King,	
R M Davidson,		H Fairgrieve,	
T E Attrill, sk	12	R M Hamilton, sk	19
G Giroux,		J Leggatt,	
E A. Edwards,		A Gerrabore,	
T E Bradburn,		W Vallance,	
Judge Weller, sk	28	J Kerner, sk	15
	40		34

This morning the Toronto Granites met the Peterborough Granites at 9.30, on Victoria ice, and in the afternoon the winners played the Caledonians at 2 o'clock.

The Campbellford Colts come up to-night to play off in the draw against the Peterborough Colts. The winners will play the winners of the Norwood-Lindsay game to-morrow.

The Toronto Mail in its notes of the bonspiel says:—McLennan, of Lindsay, defeated Ray, of Peterborough, in the Consolation. The game was played on almost perfect ice, and was one of the very best played during the spiel. Ray, of Peterborough, is known from one end of the province to the other as one of the best curlers of the province. He put up a great specimen of curling, and he was well backed up by his men, but though they played magnificently, McLennan's men outplayed him. Ray at the close freely expressed himself that he had never seen finer curling than the Lindsay rink put up, and that their victory was well deserved. McLellan has been playing in great form throughout the spiel.

HOCKEY.

The Kingston Whig says: "With steady practice and well directed coaching Frontenac II team ought to occupy a good forward position in the junior series of the Ontario hockey league. The members play the game fairly well, but do not meet together as a team often enough to perfect themselves in all the points. Three or four hard grinds with the senior team for the purpose of strengthening the combination work of the forward line, would make a vast difference in the team work of the juniors. As the team will have to go to Peterborough next week the executive committee should insist on these suggestions being carried out."

In order that the Junior Peterboroughs may know what kind of an aggregation they have to run up against in the Frontenac II team, the following extracts are taken from a Kingston account of their last match:

When the players faced each other there was a look of grim determination on their faces. Spectators saw at once it was to be a sharp battle, and this expectation was fully realized. From the moment the referee's whistle sounded until the timekeeper's bell announced "time," there was no cessation of hostilities. Zip, biff, bang; everything went, and it is safe to say not a single player left the ice without at least a score of bruises on his body. Stiff body-checking was freely indulged in and at times different players were sent spinning along the ice like so many "nine pins." There was no "kicking," however, each player being content to take all given him, but determined to return with a lavish hand. . . . Up to this time about half a dozen sticks had been broken but the referee found it necessary to warn the players against rough play. Irwin was sent to the fence for five minutes, but he should not have gone alone. Before the second half started referee Coxworthy gathered the players in a circle on the ice and warned them that each and everyone indulging in rough play, slugging, etc., would be ruled off from five to fifteen minutes. This had the effect of making the play run smoother and better hockey was produced. Rose was struck in the mouth with a stick and had his lips cut open, delaying the match for some minutes. As soon as the flow of blood was staunched he pluckily continued the game."

It would be as well to steer the lacrosse hockey men up against so rough a team. The former could handle them all right.

In the Ontario senior hockey series Peterborough and Queen's teams play home and home matches, the first to be played at Peterborough on or before Feb. 8th, and the second in Kingston on or before Feb. 15th.

W. F. Nickle, manager of Queen's team, sent the following telegram from New York: "Queen's, 3; Yale, 0; 'cinch.'" "These few words," says the Whig, "told a volume. They told that at their own game Canadians are world beaters. They told of a short, sharp struggle for the honour of a college and the glory of a country. With the instinct that dominated the Roman gladiators of old the handful of Kingstonians went down to the great metropolis of the North American continent and there met an aggregation representative of the whole union, the pride of seventy millions of people. The eagle plumed itself for battle, but at a single stroke the mild-mannered, industrious beaver robbed it of its glory and tail feathers. 'Rah for Queen's! 'Rah for Kingston! 'Rah for Canada!"

The Riverside hockey club held their inaugural meeting in their club rooms at the rink Saturday evening last, when the officers for this season were elected as follows:

Hon. President—Commodore H. Calcutt.
President—H. Neil.
Vice-Pres—W. J. Scott.
Secretary—R. T. Hartley.
Treasurer—W. J. McGowan.
Captain—J. McCabe.
Committee—C. W. Calcutt, J. McCabe and L. McWilliams.

The park seven, as puck chasers, are full of vim, and are prepared to meet with a good licking or make things most lively for all comers. Though the club is young, yet the players are composed of "such material that they won't take "back water" from the best of teams, and are open for engagements at any time with any club, from a "grease spot" to a "banker." Those desirous of having a game will communicate with R. T. Hartley, the secretary of the club, Box 55.

The Life of Dr. Chase.

As a compiler of Dr. Chase's Recipe Book, his name is familiar to every household in the land, while as a physician his works on simple formulas left an imprint of his name that will be handed down from generation to generation. His last great medicine, in the form of his Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, is having the large public patronage that his Ointment, Pills and Catarrh Cure are having. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is especially adapted for all Bronchial and Astmatic troubles.

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Canadian and Russian Help.

Well authenticated reports from India show out the condition of the famine stricken districts to be simply appalling. It is estimated that six millions of British subjects are on the verge of starvation. Already the famine has claimed thousands of victims. The case of India's famishing millions appeals to the sympathies of the whole world. The appeal is being heeded. The people of England are eagerly engaged in the work of relief, and British people in all quarters of the world are sending succor to their fellow subjects in the Indian Empire. Even the people of Russia have joined in the relief movement, and are giving money and food. Canada surely will not neglect to perform her part in this great humane work. The Montreal Star newspaper has inaugurated a Canadian fund—the first to be started in the Dominion—and its publisher has headed the list with a subscription of five hundred dollars. The Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, Premier of Canada, has written to the Star, expressing his hearty approval of the relief movement and contributing to the fund a handsome cheque. The appeal for assistance is meeting with a hearty response in all parts of the country and among all classes.

All the Protestant clergymen of Montreal have written a joint memorial to the Star supporting the movement.

Every subscription to the Famine Fund sent to the Montreal Star, no matter how small it may be, will be publicly acknowledged.

The secretary of the Carnival Committee has had a number of enquiries relative to the competition for the medal for fancy figure skating.

TRENT VALLEY CANAL.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—I see in last week's EXAMINER that a deputation from the united counties of Northumberland and Durham waited upon Hon. Mr. Blair to ask him to tear out a dam at Chisholm's Rapids on the River Trent. I beg to disagree with the deputation. To tear out the dam would destroy one of the best water powers in the county of Hastings. The grist mill and saw mill that are here are a great accommodation to the settlers in this vicinity; and as to the dam drowning 30,000 acres of land, it does not drown 10,000 acres. I have lived here before the dam was built and have been over the ground. If the dam was out, with high water in the spring the most of the land they want to reclaim is under water. The low lands below the dam in the spring freshet are all overflown and under water. It would be the same above the dam if the dam was out.

I have lived here 58 years. I was here when the dam and locks were built. I was told by a prominent engineer that England paid £60,000 for the work they had done. After the works had stopped, a Mr. Boyd, from Peterborough, went to England to see if the government intended to go on with the works. The British Government told him that they had done enough for the canal. If the colonists wanted the canal built they must build it themselves, but they would given them a charter. Mr. Boyd came home and went to Chicago to raise a company to build the canal. They offered to build the canal for the use of it for twenty years, or give £10,000 for the charter. Mr. Boyd came back to Canada and told what he had been offered. The late Sir John A. Macdonald told Mr. Boyd it would not do to have a canal through our country owned by a foreign power; that our Government would build it when the country got older and the finances of the country would permit. If my informant's statement is correct Canada was made a present of £60,000 that the British paid for the work done in building dam and locks, and paying for the land they drowned by building the dam. The late government was pledged to go on with the work and complete the Trent Valley Canal. If the Hon. Mr. Blair saw the works here he would not be in favour of that petition to abolish the work. Trenton, Frankford and Peterborough, wake up and fight for our rights.

C. ARMSTRONG.
Chisholms Rapids, Jan. 18th, 1897.

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REPATRIATION OF THE 100TH.

THE EXAMINER has to thank the committee which is engaged in urging the repatriation of the 100th "Royal Canadians," the Leinster Regiment, as they are now termed, for a summary, in exceedingly neat form of the petitions upon the subject which have been sent from Canadians of all parts of the Dominion. The return, which is certified to by Major Edward Harrison, 49th Hastings Rifles, shows that in all 319 petitions have been sent in.

In addition the signatures of the commanding officers and officers of nearly all the regiments of the Canadian militia also appear. Attached to the circular is a reprint of descriptions of the presentation of the colours of 100th Regiment by the Prince of Wales in 1859, and of the disposition of the old colours in the Parliamentary Library in Ottawa.

Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

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EXPLOSION AND FIRE

The Gas Works of Berlin Blown Up.

SHELBURNE SUFFERS GREAT LOSS

Manager Breithaupt of Berlin Gas Works Very Badly Hurt and Foreman Aldridge Killed—Cause of Explosion a Mystery—Losses and Insurance at Shelburne.

Berlin, Ont., Jan. 26.—About 7.40 this evening the residents of the town were startled by two loud explosions, followed by the fire alarm, and very rapidly the news spread that the gas works were on fire. On arrival there a horrible sight was witnessed. Outside in the snow lay the almost lifeless body of E. Carl Breithaupt, manager of the gas works, whither he had been blown, in a bruised and burnt condition. He was speedily removed to the residence of Dr. Bowlby, where it is learned he is seriously, if not fatally, injured. While this was going on, rescuers made their way into the factory, knowing assuredly that others in the building must be in distress or even worse. And their fears were well founded, for, lying beside one of the tanks, where the explosion occurred, lay the lifeless body of William Aldridge, foreman, with his hands, feet and clothing burnt from off him. Another man by the name of Weller, also an employe at the works, was pulled out of the building badly burnt, but it is thought not fatally.

The injured were later removed to the hospital.

It is impossible to say how the explosion occurred. A report is going the rounds that Aldridge looked into one of the tanks with the aid of his lantern, and in some way caused the explosion. Another theory, and one which is believed to be the correct one, is that one of the men had a lighted cigar, which dropped into one of the tanks.

Mr. Aldridge had been in the employ of the gas and electric works here for ten years, and was looked upon as thoroughly acquainted with his work. Much sympathy is felt for his widow and family, who are so suddenly deprived of father and husband.

SHELBURNE BADLY SCORCHED.

The Imperial and Berwick Blocks With Contents a Mass of Ruins.

Shelburne, Ont., Jan. 26.—The most disastrous fire that this town has ever had occurred early this morning. The three-storey Imperial Block, owned and partly occupied by G. R. Hannah, hardware merchant, and the Berwick Block, also three storeys high, occupied and owned by E. Berwick & Co., general merchants and grain dealers, are, with their entire contents, a smouldering mass of ruins to-night. About 3.15 this morning Mr. Shan, who occupies part of the first flat of the Imperial Block, as a dwelling house, was aroused by the smell of smoke and hastily arousing his family, and putting them in a safe place, he sounded the alarm of fire. In a few moments the fire brigade appeared, but not much more than smoke could be found. Fire soon appeared, fanned into an awful flame by the fierce gale that was at the time raging, and in a few minutes the Imperial Block was a mass of flame, aided by a large stock of oils and turpentines in the cellar. In the same block was a boot and shoe store occupied by W. J. Sawyer and two jewelery shops, occupied by A. V. Galbraith and W. A. Fenwick respectively. From these there was hardly any thing saved. Mr. Jarvis, manager of the Union Bank, had a room on the first floor, from which nothing was saved. The Berwick block immediately adjoins the Imperial, and the firm is the oldest in business in the town. The fierce wind blew the flames through into them, and before much could be taken out the fire was master there too. After raging within these bounds and being kept from going further east by the strong fireproof wall of the Berwick block, the fire was gradually mastered and got under control. The Carson block, a frame building next the Berwick block, was wrecked, and left a gap which also helped to keep the fire in bounds. If it had not been for this the whole eastern portion of the town would have been in ruins.

A Telegram special says: At 4 o'clock the whole population were aroused by an alarm of fire that brought every able-bodied citizen in the place into the street in double-quick time.

Across from the court house flames were issuing from Hannah's hardware store in the business block on that side of the street. The whole lower part of the premises were blazing, and although the volunteer fire brigade were forthwith on the spot, their efforts were greatly hampered by the knowledge that in the hardware establishment were many pounds of gunpowder and a large amount of ammunition, which they were afraid the fire might reach at any moment, and cause a loss of life, as well as spread the fire disastrously. Their expectations were realized when the fire finally did reach the explosives, and an eruption occurred that scattered cinders and ashes far and wide, and sent up a great column of dust and ashes that has blackened the snow far and near. The violence of the explosion shattered half of the glass in the place, and the windows across the street were blown to atoms. The flames swept the block as far east as the premises occupied by Bennett & Co., destroying a boot and shoe store, a hardware store and two jewelry stores. The office of The Free Press was also destroyed, and many persons who occupied residences situated above the stores barely escaped with their lives.

The fire is said by some to have started from an over-heated furnace, but there are many who take no stock in this story and ascribe the blaze to other causes. They point out that on the day the Ballard crowd were first brought up for trial at the preliminary some one set a fire in the Mansion House. On that occasion the miscreant climbed up to the second storey window of the hotel, raised the window, leaned in and set fire to the curtains. That occurred a week ago yesterday, and it is thought the fire was set with the hope of attracting attention so that an attempt could be made to release the prisoners. If such was the case the scheme failed, and if the blaze that devastated the little town this morning was started with the same intention it utterly failed to realize the expectations of its originators, as the five prisoners are still in confinement, and so far as known no attempt whatever was made to release them.

The buildings were worth about $5000 each. G. R. Hannah conducted a hardware business and had the following insurance: On the building, $3000; in Lancashire, $2000; in the British America, on stock he had $300 in North British and Mercantile, $1000 in Western, $2000 in London, Liverpool and Globe, $1000 in Queen's and $1000 in the Royal. His total loss on stock would be about $10,000. E. Berwick & Co., were insured as follows: On building $2500 in Western, $2500 in the Waterloo; on stock they were insured for $4000 in the Gore Mutual, $3500 in the Perth Mutual, $1000 in the Wellington Mutual, and $2000 in the Royal. Their total loss on stock would be about $20,000.

W. J. Sawyers, boot and shoe dealer, lost his entire stock of about $3500. He was insured for $1000 in the Gore Mutual and $1000 in the Economical.

W. A. Fenwick, jeweler, was insured for $800 in the Wellington Mutual. Stock a total loss. A. V. Galbraith, jeweler, was insured for $350 in the Queen's. His stock was also lost. The Free Press office occupied the second flat over the easterly store in the Berwick block. The plant was insured for $900 in the Waterloo Mutual, $1000 in the Royal, and $350 in the North British and Mercantile. The entire office is a total loss, nothing being saved.

H. M. Carson, harness maker, who occupied a frame building east of the Berwick Block, was insured for $1200 on the building and contents. The building is a total wreck, but some of the contents were saved.

The Masonic Lodge room was in the third storey of the Hannah Block. The village treasurer's office was in the same block, second storey. A. L. Jarvis, manager of the Union Bank, had rooms in the same block. He lost all his furniture and clothing. Mr. Shand of the firm of Quirt & Shand, had rooms there also and lost everything.

The United Workman's Hall was in the Berwick Block. The same lodge room was used by the I.O.F. and C.O.F., Chosen Friends and Home Circle. They all lost their effects.

Thomas McKim, insurance agent, Berwick Block, lost everything in his office; no insurance.

Miss Hogg, dressmaker, lost a lot of goods in the fire belonging to customers.

Messrs. C. Mason & Co., Hillhouse & Jelly, and T. F. Brown, druggists, will have claims for damages.

A PRETTY WEDDING.

One of the Fairest Maidens of Niagara Falls Carried Off by a New Brunswicker.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Charles S. Hickman of Dorchester, N.B., was married this afternoon in All Saints' Church, Drummondville, to Miss Mary Frances Symmes, daughter of H. C. Symmes. This young lady is one of the most popular in the Niagara district, and she will be greatly missed in society circles. The church wherein the ceremony was conducted by Rev. Canon Bull was most beautifully decorated with evergreens and flowers. The groomsman was W. R. Ferguson, son of the late Senator Ferguson, and the bridesmaids were Miss Amy Symmes and Miss Morse. The wedding breakfast, prepared by Harry Webb, was served at the residence of the bride's father. The bride and groom left for New York at 4.45. They will reside in New Brunswick.

Robbers Killed Man and Wife.

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 23.—Meagre details were received here to-day of the murder of Samuel Kirby and wife at French Lick, Ind. Both were found dead in the house and evidences of robbery and struggle were apparent. It is supposed robbers entered the house and, being discovered, killed both man and wife to avoid detection.

Sandusky Almost Burned Out.

Sandusky, O., Jan. 23.—Almost an entire block of business houses on Water-street, the principal thoroughfare of the city, was destroyed by fire this morning. The following stores were gutted: George W. Rinkiet, hardware; George Stahl, wholesale wines and liquors; M. Lee, saloon, and Taubert's grocery. Loss $250,000; partly insured.

A VERY BAD WRECK

On the Intercolonial Railway in New Brunswick,

THE LOCOMOTIVE BROKE A RAIL

And the Cars Were Thrown Down an Embankment—One Man and One Woman Killed—Hon. Dr. Borden Was Among the Injured—Nearly All the Passengers Suffered.

Moncton, N.B., Jan. 26.—The Intercolonial Railway met to-day its most serious disaster since the disaster at St. Charles, near Levis, a few years ago. About a mile from Dorchester, travelers will recall that the Intercolonial takes a sharp curve and runs along the edge of Palmer Pond, the enbankment at this point being 75 feet deep. The Canadian Pacific express, west bound, due to arrive at Dorchester at 12.03, was ten minutes late. Driver Samuel Trider was in charge of the locomotive, Edwin Milligan was conductor. James Linkletter and Charles Thompson were the brakemen. The train was traveling at its normal speed, and, as it rounded the curve, the engine safely passed over a rail, which it broke in passing. Immediately there was a crack, and the coupling broke from the postal car, which was following the tender. Instantly the train of seven cars was seen to swerve, and then they toppled down the embankment. They pitched on their ends ten feet from the bottom. Several passengers, who had risen to put on their overcoats, intending to alight at Dorchester, were pitched headlong. All the occupants of the second-class car found themselves dumped in a heap at one end of the car.

The detached locomotive went to Dorchester for help. In the wreck were seven tons of new 1896 cents for use of the Federal Government, and these were scattered promiscuously around.

The scene of wreckage was almost indescribable, and the first sight that met the eyes of early arrivals was the body of a lady lying on a stretcher, who at the time could not be recognized. Subsequently it was learned that she was a Miss Patriquin of Bloomfield, Kings County, daughter of an I.C.R. section foreman, who died only three weeks ago. When she was taken from the first-class car, in which she was traveling, her face was so covered with blood as to be unrecognizable. Deputy Sheriff R. Keith, who was sitting in the seat immediately behind the young lady, and talking to Dr. Calkin of Sackville, says that when the cars fell over the embankment he and Dr. Calkin were thrown violently to the floor, and that on rising they found that Miss Patriquin was cribbed between two seats. They broke the seats and removed her. At first they thought she was alive, but before they placed her on a stretcher At this instant a cry was heard, "There is a man dead in the postal car," and there was a general rush in that direction. Messrs. Andrew McKim and Fairweather of Dorchester broke in a window and found Postal Mail Clerk Arthur C. Edgecombe crushed between two portions of the car. An ax was obtained and his body was taken out, when it was found that he was dead, his back evidently having been broken.

There were about 50 passengers. Some had their hands smashed, others had gashes on the head and others were almost covered with blood.

Arthur T. Edgecombe, who met his death, has been in the postal mail service eight or nine years. His assistant in the postal car, who was injured, was H. B. Peck of Albert County.

Miss Patriquin was 23 years old.

The injured are as follows:

Hon. Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia, who had a narrow escape, and was badly cut about the head. When he was rescued he was rapidly driven to the Windsor Hotel, where his wounds were dressed by Dr. Gaudet of Memramcook, who happened to be present.

Henry McLeod of Pictou, badly cut about the head.

Mr. Barnes of Amherst, severely cut about head, case serious, especially as he is aged.

Rupert McNeil of Westville, N.S., face cut.

Edward Blanche of Amherst, quite seriously hurt about body.

W. J. E. Wallace of Picton, Ont., hurt about face.

R. R. Wallace, his brother, of the Bank of Montreal, cut about head.

James Linkletter, I.C.R. brakesman, badly cut about body, arms and head.

G. P. Berner of Halifax, finger badly smashed.

Charles Thompson, I.C.R. brakesman, left arm cut to the bone.

J. W. Fenton, commercial traveler, Montreal, slight wound.

Basil White of Sackville, body cut and limbs injured.

C. C. Thompson and H. H. Colpitts, commercial men of Halifax, both received severe cuts.

George Cole, representing Jardine & Co., St. John, had his head badly injured, left ear bruised and right arm rendered almost useless.

R. H. Webb of the dining car "Cumberland," badly cut about the face and head.

Mr. Barret, sleeping car conductor, injured about the head.

Mr. Wiltshire, badly cut about the body.

Senator Wood was on the train. He said he had a narrow escape. He was seated in the first-class car, and when he felt the cars going down he took firm hold of the seat and, except for a shaking up, he escaped injury.

Charles Fawcett of Sackville, had his head badly cut and body injured.

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THE WABIGOON COUNTRY.

Early in the year the Ontario Department of Agriculture issued an illustrated pamphlet on "The Pioneer Farm and the Wabigoon District." Since then considerable work has been done in improving and developing the Government farm and in improving the country adjacent. The two townships surveyed last year were Van Horne and Wainwright; this year two townships adjoining on the west have been surveyed, called Eton and Rugby. The C.P.R. have put in a siding and erected a station called Dryden. There is now a post office of that name, and the Superintendent of the farm, Mr. A. E. Annis, who is also Crown Lands Agent, may be addressed at Dryden P.O. for any information desired. The townships are situated on the line of the C.P.R. north and west of Wabigoon Lake, Dryden station is 217 miles west of Port Arthur, 90 miles east of Rat Portage, and 215 east of Winnipeg.

Mr. Annis reports the crops on the pioneer farm in 1896 as follows:—Fall wheat, Dawson's Golden Chaff, 20 to 25 bushels per acre; Colorado spring wheat about 30, Herrison's bearded about 12; barley, a fair crop; oats, poor. The clover in fall wheat, sown 8th May, at time of cutting wheat was in full bloom, a lot of it two to two and one-half feet high. The timothy in wheat was also headed out. The clover was cut twice this season, the first crop about two tons and the second one ton per acre. Potatoes yielded 213 bushels per acre. Turnips and carrots will do well but cannot say as much for mangels. The first frost that injured tomatoes and other tender vegetables occurred on the 14th of September.

Sheep will do well owing to the rolling character of the land and rich natural pasture. One man had six lambs from very common ewes, two of which on October 1st weighed 131 lbs. each. They were weaned April 15th.

The town plot of Dryden was surveyed this year, and about 20 town lots have been sold. About 18,000 acres have been purchased since April 22nd. Farm lands are sold only to bona fide settlers. About 24 buildings have been put up so far in 1896. Eight and one half miles of colonization road have been built, and twelve and one half miles of road by settlers. A bridge over the Wabigoon River is now being constructed. There is a saw and shingle mill in operation at the falls, within the limits of the town site.

Over 30 gold claims have been taken up within five miles of Dryden, and two shafts are being sunk to them this winter. About 200,000 ties will be taken out along the line, and there will be a camp about 20 miles away. There is a lumber camp at Manitou Lake, about 40 miles. The miners and the C. P. R. men form a good market for dairy produce, fresh meat and vegetables. There is a general store at Dryden and boarding accommodation can be obtained.

Dr. Chase Cures Backache.

Kidney trouble generally begins with a single pain in the back, and in time developes into Bright's Disease. People troubled with stricture, impediments, stoppage of water, or a frequent desire to urinate at night, will find Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills a blessing. Read the wonderful cures in another column. One Pill is a dose, and if taken every other night will positively cure kidney troubles.

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PRACTICAL CHEESE-MAKING.

Some Hints by Mr. Barr, of the Black Creek Factory.

At Wednesday's session of the Western Dairymen's Association at Brantford, Mr. Geo. H. Barr, Manager of the Ballantyne factory at Black Creek, gave a description of that factory which he considered to be the best in Canada. It is built and equipped for both butter and cheese-making. The creamery is a room 35x40, at the south end of the building, and immediately adjoining the creamery on the north comes the vat room, which is 35x58; then comes the press room to the north of the vat room, this being 35x30. The milk is taken in at the two windows on the west side of the building, and opposite the vat room. The boiler room is on the east side of the building, and so situated that one door opens out of the vat room and another out of the creamery into it. The ceilings are twelve feet high, the walls are of hollow brick and finished outside with red mortar. There is a wainscotting of cement four feet high, and above the cement white plaster. High ceilings, large windows and white walls make an airy and well-lighted building. Both the cold and hot water tanks are elevated above the ceiling of the boiler room, the cold water tank being high enough to empty into the other, and pipes connect with both of them from all parts of the building. The whey runs from the vats to a large tank in the ground from which it is forced 100 yards through pump logs to the hog pens by an ejector. The washings and waste water go to a small tank and are forced by the same ejector past the hog pens to a large open trench with gravel bottom, through which it filters to a neighbouring stream. The factory is thus rendered free from offensive smells. The curing room contains ice racks suspended four feet from the ceiling for use in hot weather. The heating arrangement was described yesterday. A pipe runs from the cold water tank to the receiving station, and water is returned into every can after it has been emptied. This is greatly appreciated by the patrons.

The first and most important matter in connection with the making of cheese is the securing of nice, sweet, clean, flavored milk, Mr. Barr continued. This depends upon the care of patrons as to the food and water their cows receive, cleanliness of handling and aerating. Have the milk in the vat heating slowly as it is being weighed in, stirring gently meanwhile. Setting the milk is the most critical point in the making of cheese. If this is done right the curd will come right. After giving some practical information as to the processes of making cheese, Mr. Barr mentioned some results of his past year's work. These were: 1 That curds which were three to three and three quarters hours from setting to dipping made better cheese than those that occupied a shorter space; 2 That curds dipped with less than one quarter inch of acid made nicer, more silky cheese than those dipped with more than one-quarter inch. Mr. Barr mentioned a few "Don't" which were received with applause and merriment in every case.

To factorymen:

Don't cut your cheesemaker's wages any lower.

Don't buy a gang press with a tin trough under the hoops. Have it wooden.

Don't buy a cheese truck with four wheels; get one with three, invented by R. M. Ballantyne, and not patented.

Don't expect a man to make good fall cheese in a skating rink without a stove.

To cheese-makers:

Don't tender for a factory so low that you cannot live, just for the fun of making cheese.

Don't take in bad milk.

Don't over-ripen your milk to hasten the work; you will retard it and make poor cheese.

Don't give your curd more than one-quarter inch acid.

Don't wash your curd sinks once a week; wash them every day.

Don't wear the same pair of pants from April to November without washing them; keep yourself and factory neat and clean.

The discussion of the paper was very general and was led by Mr. A. T. Bell, J.A. Gray and Wm. Bothwell.

CURED OF SCIATICA.

Left Hip Affected—Suspected Kidney Kidney Trouble—Relieved and Perfectly Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 18 (Special)—Mr. H. Playter, is not a difficult man to find as everybody here knows that he is foreman at No. 1 Fire Hall. He was the picture of health when called upon by your correspondent and told his story thus:

"In April 1896 I suffered from a severe attack of Sciatica, affecting my left hip and the leg to the tip of my toes. I suspected it came from some form of kidney trouble and as they had been recommended I procured a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

At the end of the fourth day I was entirely relieved, but desiring a permanent cure I continued to use that and another box and am now cured cured and as well as ever in my life. A brother of mine living at Pine Orchard has been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

MR. FOSTER AT MIDLAND.

The Ex-Minister of Finance Addresses the East Simcoe Electors for Mr. Bennett

Midland, Ont., Jan. 26.—The Hon. G. E. Foster addressed the electors of East Simcoe in this town to-night in favor of Mr. W. H. Bennett, the Liberal-Conservative candidate. Quite a number of other speakers, including Mr. Hoyle of Cannington, and the candidate, Mr. Bennett, were present, and also delivered addresses.

Mr. Foster dealt with the Government's promises and their failure to carry them out. He spoke also of their slowness in bringing about a revision of the tariff. He dwelt lightly on the school settlement, and spoke sarcastically of the private car squabble among the Ministers. He closed by assuring his audience that Mr. Bennett would be returned to Parliament and that he would not be long in the shades of Opposition. The meeting closed with cheers for Mr. Foster and the Queen.

Don't worry. Don't run into debt. Don't trifle with your health. Don't try experiments with medicines. Don't waste time and money on worthless compounds. Don't be persuaded to take a substitute for Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the best of blood-purifiers.

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BOTH INSTANTLY KILLED.

Joshua Bowman and Wife Struck by a Michigan Central Express and Hurled into Eternity.

Attercliffe, Ont., Jan. 24.—A sad accident occurred about one mile east of Attercliffe at 3.30 p.m. to-day, by which Joshua Bowman, a farmer about 60 years of age, and his wife were instantly killed. They were on their way home from Dunnville, and when on the railway crossing at Dill's-road did not observe No. 21 Michigan Central express approaching from the west. A west-bound freight train was coming from the other direction and they were watching the freight train and were struck by the express. Both horses were killed and the sleigh entirely demolished. Mr. Bowman and wife resided at Elcho and were well known and highly respected.

Delay Means Death.

One Dose Relieves—A Few Bottles Always Cure.

"For ten years I have suffered greatly from heart disease. Fluttering of the heart, palpitations and smothering spells have made my life miserable. When dropsy set in my physician said I must prepare my family for the worst. All this time I had seen Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure advertised. As a last resort I tried it and think of my joy when I received great relief from one dose. One bottle cured my dropsy, and brought me out of bed, and five bottles have completely cured my heart. If you are troubled with any heart affection, and are in despair, as I was, use this remedy, for I know it will cure you."—Mrs. JAMES ADAMS, Syracuse, N. Y. Sold by H. S. McDonald.

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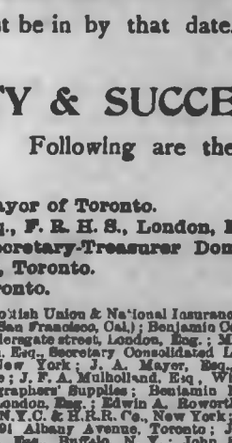

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SOLICITOR—R. S. NEVILLE, Esq., Toronto.

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30c Tea for	22½c
40c Tea for	30c
50c Tea for	35c

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A CALL FROM INDIA.

Message to Lord Aberdeen From Calcutta.

HELP NEEDED FOR THE SUFFERERS

The Case of Noble Bros. of Collingwood Dies a Natural Death - Bank Note Printers Wait on the Premier Seeking Protection From Alien Labor--Notes From Ottawa.

Ottawa, Jan. 26.—(Special.)—His Excellency received the following message to-night:

New York, Jan. 26.

Following message for Your Excellency has just been received. I shall be glad to forward free any reply which you may wish to send.

(Signed) Thomas F. Clark.
Assistant to President G.N.W. Tel. Co.

Central Committee, Indian Famine Fund, Calcutta, earnestly solicit your cordial co-operation. Highest possible scope for private benevolence; outside State relief system. Area and numbers affected enormous, and distress rapidly increasing. Feel sure the unavoidable privations of millions of industrious poor will arouse the profound sympathy of all classes. All Nations Committee make urgent appeal to you to organize relief fund, and will be deeply grateful for contributions, which will be publicly acknowledged.

(Signed) Sir Francis MacLean.
Chief Justice of Bengal and Chairman Committee, Calcutta.

For many months an investigation has been under way at the instance of Noble Bros. of Collingwood, whose tugs and nets were seized some years ago at Killarney for violation of the fishery laws. The enquiry made very slow progress, and now that the commission of Judge Johnstone, who was authorized to report on the affair, has expired and will not be renewed, the investigation will die a natural death.

The Brant Rod and Game Club is urging the Government to place a new fishway in the Dunnville dam on Grand River, as the inefficiency of the old fishery has prevented the ascent of fish up the river. The department has now two or three different kinds of fishways before it for approval.

The report of the directors of the Ottawa Electric Company for 1896 is a most encouraging one. The amount of business done is steadily growing, the number of passengers carried last year having been 4,583,235. The gross receipts were $212,105 and the net profits $67,745. The sum of $60,369 is now standing to the rest account of the company. At the meeting yesterday attention was drawn to the fact that the mileage of the company is greater than that of any other city in Canada, according to population, and twice that called for by the agreement with the corporation. Four quarterly dividends of two per cent have been declared.

Some time ago strong representations were received from anglers living in the Counties of Northumberland and Hastings that bass in the Trent River were being seriously injured by netting. Accordingly an Order-in-Council was passed prohibiting the use of nets. A petition has now been received at the Fisheries Department through Mr. W. R. Mather of Campbellford, asking for the restoration of netting privileges. Hundreds of names are attached to the petition. The ground upon which netting is requested is that inferior kinds of fish are increasing very rapidly.

On enquiry at the Department of Railways and Canals it was ascertained that the deficit on the Intercolonial during the past year was caused by the extraordinary expenditure of $65,- 000 on the wharves at Halifax, to replace those burnt down some time ago. There was also a large expenditure for new ties.

Eight employes of the British American Bank Note Co. waited upon the Premier to-day in reference to the granting of the contract for engraving to the American Bank Note Co. of New York. The employes referred to desire to have their interests protected in the event of the contract for the engraving and printing of the Dominion notes going to the New York firm. In other words, they want to be employed by the new firm, rather than that Americans should be imported to do the work which they are now engaged on. Mr. Laurier received them very kindly and promised to take their representations into consideration. Mr. Belcourt, M.P., introduced the deputation.

Major Gemell, President of the Veterans of 1866 Association of Ottawa and vicinity, intends calling a meeting for next Saturday. A constitution will be adopted and arrangements made for a deputation to wait on the Minister of Militia respecting recognition of their services in '66-7.

Madame Laurier, acompanied by her brother, Henri, leaves to-morrow for California to visit the brother of the Premier. It is expected that Madame Laurier will be absent for a month or six weeks.

The weather became decidedly warmer last night. The mercury stood 6 above zero at midnight and 18 above at noon to-day.

Lieut.-Governor Mackintosh of the Northwest Territories has got three months' leave of absence. He is going to Rossland to look into some mining speculations there.

The suit of Coroner Freeland against the Citizen Publishing Co. for libel was concluded this afternoon, when the jury brought in a verdict for the defendant company. The judge assessed full costs against the plaintiff, Dr. Freeland. The action arose over the heading of an article in The Citizen some time ago. Drs. Mark and Freeland, city coroners, quarrelled over a case, and The Citizen, heading the paragraph, "A Ghoulish Dispute," Dr. Freeland took offence, and has now to pay the piper into the bargain.

The Mayor of Ottawa's Indian famine relief fund exceeds $1700.

The Free Press says all the pending election contests in New Brunswick will be dropped.

The Central Canada Exhibition Association has decided to enlarge its grounds, and will put up a new main building.

Ex-Mayor Borthwick has been presented by Their Excellencies with a beautiful silver inkstand, bearing the Aberdeen crest, to mark their appreciation of the manner in which Mr. Borthwick discharged the duties of Mayor for the past two years.

The Premier went to Montreal this afternoon.

Hon. Donald Ferguson of Prince Edward Island is in the city, having been called here by the illness of his son.

The Ottawa Humane Society has decided to open a restaurant where the poor may obtain meals at a very small cost.

TO SAVE BRAM'S NECK.

Boston Lawyers are Making a Great Effort to Get a New Trial for the Murderer?

Boston, Jan. 26.—The hearing for a new trial in the case of Thomas Bram was continued to-day. District Attorney Hoar addressed the court and asked that they return a decision in the case as expeditiously as matters would allow. Judge Colt answered that they would do so. The question then came on exceptions taken by Bram's counsel during the hearing, and after consultation the court gave counsel for defence until Thursday morning next to prepare their bill of exceptions. It was also decided that Mr. Hear should have one week in which to prepare his reply to exceptions. Mr. Cotter then began the closing argument for defendant. He dwelt strongly upon the claim that jurors had been communicated with by outsiders. Mr. Cotter read from the decisions, "Private communication between the jury and a third party, a witness or an officer, is absolutely forbidden and invalidates a verdict.55 This is our case," concluded Mr. Cotter. Mr. Cotter finished at 12.30 o'clock, having spoken two hours and 40 minutes. At the request of counsel for defence, the court extended the time in which to prepare exceptions to Saturday noon and the Government will have a week from that day to reply. The court informed the lawyers that the decision would be given on the present motion as soon as circumstances would allow.

Superstitions of Sailors.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Jan. 26.—British schooner Moama of St. John, N.B., Captain Cox, from Buenos Ayres, for Boston, arrived last evening. Captain Cox states that the barquentine Herbert Fuller at Buenos Ayres would be ready to sail for New York in about two days after the Moama left. In speaking of the seaman's testimony on the Fuller murder case, that he looked through the cabin window with both hands on the wheel and saw Mate Bram kill Captain Nash, Captain Cox said it would have been impossible for Brown to have looked through the cabin window with both hands on the wheel, as testified. Although he would have seen through the window by letting go the wheel altogether, Captain Cox says that several captains at Buenos Ayres had tried it, but it could be readily seen from the position of the wheel from the window that it would have been impossible. Captain Cox says that every day on board the Fuller at Buenos Ayres was quiet as Sunday. The crew were superstitious and rarely spoke and it seemed as if a spell were over the vessel.

"Five years ago," says Anga A. Lewis, Ricard, N. Y., "I had a constant cough, night sweats, was greatly reduced in flesh, and had been given up by my physicians. I began to take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and after using two bottles was completly cured."

Republicans Will Be Outvoted.

New York, Jan. 25.—A special to The Herald from Washington says: "Although the election of Senator Pritchard practically assures the Republicans in the Senate a clear majority when that body comes to a vote on the tariff question, it seems equally certain that the Democrats, Populists and bolting Republicans will have a majority of at least three over the straight-out or sound money Republicans. As now figured out, the Senate when it convenes in special session will stand: Democrats, Populists and bolting Republicans, 46; Republicans, 43; vacancy from Kentucky, 1.

A Rap at Cable Companies.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee to-day reported a bill providing that the shore end of any new submarine telegraphic cable, which shall be protected in any foreign country by exclusive landing rights or other special privileges, shall not be permitted to land in this country without the consent of Congress.

AT STITTSVILLE!

The Town's Leading Merchant Laid Up

Rheumatism in various forms is one of the most common diseases there is. It arises generally from impure blood and a broken down system. In the limbs it is painful; in most of the internal organs dangerous, and in the heart usually fatal.

The experience of Mr. S. Mann, the well known general merchant of Stittsville, is interesting:

"Last winter I was badly afflicted with rheumatism. I decided to try Dr. Chase's Pills. To my surprise, I got immediate relief, and before I had used one box my affliction was gone.

"I was also troubled with biliousness for years, and at intervals of three or four weeks would be laid up with a severe headache and sick stomach. Since using Chase's Pills I have not had an attack of either.

"I may add that Dr. Chase's Ointment for piles and skin diseases is just as effective as Dr. Chase's Pills for blood troubles. I have a clerk who suffered terribly from bleeding piles. He tried Chase's Ointment and in a few days was completely cured."

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RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies	$2 00
For Gentlemen	3 00
For Girls	1 50
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For Boys	1 50

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Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

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137 Men's Overcoats of one line, all sizes and in all shades at..... **$2.45**

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These are all extra good All Wool Scotch Tweed.

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200 pairs Men's Overshoes, from **$1 up.**

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Ladies' long Rubber Boots, per pair..... **99c.**

80 pairs Youth's and Boy's Long Boots.... **99c**

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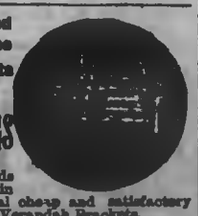

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Figure It Out

Any way you like—the CASH system, which we are about to adopt is to be as great a boon to our patrons as to ourselves.

Business during the rest of January must be in the direction of SWEEPING REDUCTIONS IN ALL WINTER GOODS, in order to start on a new leaf on the First of February.

REMNANTS OF CLOTHS—Just the thing for making a pair of Trousers for a man or a Suit for a boy—will be among the best bargains we have to offer. While they last $3.50 will be the figure for a pair of our faultless-fitting Trousers. The excellent quality of these Remnants will influence quick selling.

BOYS' FINE CLOTHING all to be sacrificed.

RED HOCKEY SWEATERS and STOCKINGS, (the club colours), just received.

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Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

The New Music Store

will open on Saturday morning opposite the EXAMINER Office. Every purchasing visitor will be presented with a sheet of instrumental or vocal music. 1dlw

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, on Saturday, Jan. 30th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. Hours: 12 to 4. dw

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gampright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Private Party.

A social hop was given Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Deremo, No. 88 Wescott street, which passed off very pleasantly. Twenty-three couple partook of the hospitality of their host. All enjoyed themselves until an early hour in the morning.

Bargains in Dry Goods and Furs.

W. W. Johnston has removed balance of the D. O. LeGendre stock to his own stand, 410 George street and as the stock must be cleared out in a short time, bargains in all lines will be given. Call and see for yourselves. 4d20

Death of Mrs. Sweeney.

Mrs. Sweeney, of the Victoria Road, mother of Rev. Father Sweeney, died yesterday. The funeral will arrive at the Grand Trunk station to-morrow, at noon, and proceed from there to St. Peter's Cathedral, thence to the Roman Catholic Cemetery.

Ceylon and Indian Teas.

These fragrant and refreshing teas are the most economical, because one spoonful goes as far as two of China or Japan tea, and are cleaner, because they are prepared by machinery. Try our blends at 40c and 50c. They are giving the best satisfaction. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. 2d

Yesterday's Storm.

The passenger and freight trains on both railroads were running on time to-day but the country roads leading into town were almost blockaded. A farmer drove in from near Norwood and his horses were snow up to the ears by reason of the drifts they had plunged through. The Lakefield road is in a bad state, particularly between Auburn and Nassau.

To the North Pole.

Lieut. Perry, the explorer, wants some one with about $150,000 to help him find the missing north pole. Now, if any one has an interest to that extent in this discovery now is the chance. But when the expedition is being fitted out we cannot suppose that any person would venture so far without a supply of nice fresh groceries from E. BROWN & Co's., 294 George street. P. S.—Best Snow, Greening and Northern Spy Apples on hand.

Cutting a Quarter Off Fans.

While stock-taking is going on at the Peterborough Bookstore, bargains turn up that are worth watching and looking after sharp. A quarter has been struck off our fashionable stock of feather, silk, gauze, party and opera fans, making the prices read thus:—75c. fans now 50c., $1.00 fans now 75c., $1.25 fans now 94c., $1.50 fans now $1.12; $2.00 fans now $1.49.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Good Roads.

An individual has been discovered whose views anent road-making are identical with those held and demonstrated by a former chairman of the Street and Bridges Committee. The new apostle writes to the Oshawa Vindicator in defence of dirty streets, and argues as follows:—"There are some people who never get tired kicking about the mud on the streets. They want things clean and nice. Their aversion for mud makes one apprehensive that they are getting ripe for the city whose streets are paved with gold and where there is no dust or fly specks. To have things just as the kickers want them would mean asphalt pavement. . . Let us have a little mud. It is the stuff we are all made of, and we should not get too much above our origin."

For Sweet Charity's Sake.

On Thursday evening in St. John's School House an At Home will be given under the auspices of the local Circle of the King's Daughters Society. The efforts of this Society are entirely devoted to the relief of the poor and suffering in our midst, and in consideration of the widespread distress in our town, the good ladies of the association should receive the generous support, not only of the members of St. John's church, but of all who are so disposed to assist the less fortunate in our midst. An inviting programme of music has been prepared, and refreshments will be served towards the conclusion of the evening. A subscription of 10c will be collected at the door, though there is nothing to prevent this subscription being doubled if desirable.

INTO RICE LAKE.

Two Accidents Occur but With no Fatal Results.

On Thursday two accidents happened at Rice Lake, near Harwood. One was at the place known as the "Opening" where a man, whose name we did not learn, drove off the ice into the water.

He immediately called for help, and a number of villagers went to his assistance, but before they reached the place the horse was drowned. The man escaped with a cold bath.

The other accident occurred at the boat houses, when George Hogg, teamster for Mr. Frank Burns, at Edetall, was driving towards Harwood, his horses broke through the ice, but being an experienced man in such accidents, he soon had his horses safe on shore. Fortunately no lives were lost, but the man who lost the horse almost yelled himself to death before he was rescued from his perilous position.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 27,—6.30 a. m.	Highest.	Lowest.
	16° above zero	
Yesterday	23°	8°

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Walkerton dealers will have to pay an annual license fee of $100, instead of $25, as heretofore.

—The Fire Brigade Band will furnish music at the Foresters' Carnival on Friday evening.

—The Central Canada Loan and Savings Company is holding its annual meeting to-day.

—The annual roll call of members of the Murray street Baptist church takes place this evening.

—City Lodge, No. 404, I.O.G.T., elects officers to-night. All members will please be in attendance.

—The annual meeting of the Charlotte street Methodist church has been postponed until a week from this evening.

—It is expected that ladies will enter the competition for the junior skating championship medal, to be held on Friday evening.

—A meeting in the interest of the McCall Mission, will be held in the Y.M.C.A. hall to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. All are invited. Collection taken up.

—Mr. Mulligan's juvenile singing class will close on Saturday, and on Monday night, February 1st, everyone is invited to hear them sing. Y.M.C.A. Hall at 7.30. Silver collection.

—Mr. G. W. Mulligan is making arrangements for the formation of a mandolin and guitar club, and will bring a special teacher from Toronto for purposes of instruction, if the membership warrants it.

—W. A. Fox died at Topeka, Kansas, the other day. He had been a deputy-returning officer and had sat so long in one position that his foot "went to sleep." The "sleep" crawled up until it reached his heart and he died. Let this be a warning to those slow-coach deputy-returning officers who are always an hour or so behind the others in making up the count.

PERSONAL.

Miss Dennison, of town, has been visiting friends in Cobourg.

Miss Fitzgerald, of Parry Sound, is in town, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. D. Lundy, Aylmer street.

Miss Fraknie Anderson has returned home after a few weeks visit to friends in Campbellford and vicinity.

Mrs. Nathan Taylor, of Bridgenorth, went to Toronto to-day to undergo an operation. She was accompanied to the city by Mrs. Jas. Stubbs.

Keep in Mind

The Foresters' Carnival on Friday evening next—the event of the season. Not yet too late to arrange for costuming to secure one of the splendid prizes offered.

"VIKING"

Wait for the "Viking" Bicycle. Its the wonder of the age. 1896 wheel manufactured for 1897. For sale at Adam Hall's. W. T. HALL and R. H. BRADBURN, Agents.

Tobacco Business Changed Hands.

Having purchased the tobacco business formerly carried on by Ed. B. Clegg, No. 215 George street, I have re-stocked the store with a full and well-selected assortment of choice cigars, tobaccoes, pipes and smoker's sundries, and solicit a share of public patronage. Prices low enough to suit all.—W. B. ROONEY. d

We Want You

to keep us in mind when you are thinking of having photos taken of yourself or your friends. Remember G. M. Whitton has a first-class studio and makes only the best of work at reasonable prices. Give me a chance and I will guarantee to please you. The new Photo Studio is 138 Hunter street, opposite Oak Hall.

DOURO'S CONTESTED WARD ELECTION.

Mr. James McCliggot, Reeve-elect Unseated on a Technicality.

This morning quo warranto proceedings were taken by Mr. W. H. Moore, on behalf of James Walsh, before Judge Weller to remove Mr. James McCliggott, Reeve-elect of Douro, from the office of Reeve of that municipality, on the ground that at the time of nomination he had not a proper qualification sufficient under the act.

Mr. W. A. Stratton, on behalf of the respondent, Mr. McCliggott, consented to the order unseating Mr. McCliggott, and the judge ordered a new election.

Although Mr. McCliggott, at the date of nomination, was technically disqualified, on the day of election he had become qualified, and intends to contest the seat again.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

At the Meeting of Mt. Hebron and Hiawatha Encampments Last Night.

The following newly elected officers of Mt. Hebron Encampment, I.O.O.F., were duly installed at the Oddfellow's Hall, in their respective chairs last night by Bro. R. M. Roy, District Deputy, assisted by Bros. James McGill, P.C.P., of Hiawatha Encampment, R. F. Morrow, P.C.P., and Joseph Kidd, P.C.P., of Mount Hebron:

Frank Perry	C P
Geo Bennett	H P
John Fanning	S W
W King	J W
R Mulligan	Scribe
W Savigny	Treasurer
W Galley	Guide
A McIntosh	I Sentinel
F Green	O Sentinel
W Hill	1st Watch
C Moffatt	2nd "
T Hill, Pontypool	3rd "
J H Smith	4th "
W Battersby	1st G of T
Jos Kidd	2nd G of T

The same installing team officiated at Hiawatha Camp's installation and placed the following officers in their chairs:—

D G Armstrong	C P
John Nugent, P C P	H P
Harry Morgan	S W
Jas A McGill, P C P	Scribe
J W Butcher, P C P	Treas
Johnston Greer	J W
M Mowry, P C P	Guide
R W Bell, P C P	1st W
Geo I Rossel	2nd W
R Stevenson	3rd W
W G Howden, P C P	4th W
W Paterson	O S
John M Gemmell	I S
D E Yarnold	1st G of T
W F Green, P C P	2nd G of T

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

At Last Night's Meeting of Auburn Lodge I. O. G. T. No. 250.

At the regular meeting of Auburn Lodge I.O.G.T. No. 250 last night the following good and true officers were elected, with the veteran temperance man, Bro. John Simpson, Chief Templar. The lodge now numbers 34 members, with seven more propositions last night, and has not been organized a year yet:

John Simpson	C T
Miss May Carter	V T
Miss Jennie Spenceley	S J T
G W Powell	Secretary
Miss Jennie McClennan	Asst "
Wm Lush	F S
J Cooks	Treas
Miss Alice Carter	Chap
Geo Sutcliff	M
Miss Eva Powell	D M
G Pratley	Guard
Ed Curtis	Sentinel
W Long	P O T
Jas Downey	D G C T

LILY LAKE LITERARY SOCIETY.

A Successful Regular Meeting—An Interesting Debate.

The regular meeting of the society was was held on Thursday, January 21st. The house was well filled and stormy nights "cut no ice" with this push society. Come along to the concert on January 29th.

Opening chorus	Glee Club
Address	President
Report	Secretary
Critic's report	Critic
Recitation	Herb McCall
Song	Mr Cunningham
Reading	Miss Agnew
Recitation	Miss Lillie Middleton
Debate—"Resolved that it is better to marry for love than money"	Affirmative—J E Middleton, J Mahood, Mrs T Calvert; Negative, Will Tully, Miss L Mahood, Miss E Tully.
Speech	W H Currens
Reading	G A Reid
Song	Mrs Simpson
Recitation	Tom Tebb
Mock trial	Breach of Promise case
Speech	W Patten
God Save the Queen.	

SELWYN LITERARY SOCIETY.

Another Successful Meeting and Another Good Programme.

The regular meeting of the Selwyn Literary Society was held in the Temperance Hall, on Jan. 22nd. The president in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed, after which the following programme was rendered:

Critic's report	W Tindal
Reading	J Hessman
Speech	N Nicholls
Solo	Mrs Jas McIlmoyle
Debate, "Resolved that fire is more destructive than water"	
Recitation	E McIlmoyle
Reading, "History of our own times"	W Tindall
Instrumental music	J J Houlihan
Paper	Editor

Mr. E. McIlmoyle was appointed critic for the next meeting which will be held on Jan. 19th. The meeting closed by singing the National Anthem. The concert will be held on Friday, Feb. 5th, at 7.30. Admission 10c.

CAVANVILLE CHEESE FACTORY.

Report of Business Done During Last Season Most Satisfactory.

We have received from Mr. Jas. Brock, one of the auditors of the books of the Cavanville cheese factory for the season of 1896, a statement which we present to our readers, showing the success of the factory. We trust it may be more largely patronized by the farmers in the future, as there is no way of taking so much money out of a cow with as little labour as through the cheese factory. The total number of lbs of cheese made was 196,126. Total lbs of milk received 1,936,614. Expenses of making $2,272.85. Number of lbs of milk to lb of cheese 11.03. Number of cheese made, 1,719. Value to patrons, $7,320.44. Total value, $10,168.29. Average price per lb of cheese for the whole season, between eight and eight and one-quarter cents.

The Life of Dr. Chase.

As a compiler of Dr. Chase's Recipe Book, his name is familiar to every household in the land, while as a physician his works on simple formulas left an imprint of his name that will be handed down from generation to generation. His last great medicine, in the form of his Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, is having the large public patronage that his Ointment, Pills and Catarrh Cure are having. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is especially adapted for all Bronchial and Asthmatic troubles.

PETERBOROUGH MADE MINING MACHINERY.

Manufactured and Shipped by the William Hamilton Manufacturing Company—The First Output of a a new Branch of Local Industry.

The William Hamilton Manufactoring Company has just completed the shipment of a ten-stamp mill for gold mining purposes to the Golden Cache Mines Company (Ltd.), Lillooet, British Columbia. The mill is complete in every particular and consists of a Blake ore crusher, challenge automatic ore feeders with ten-stamp battery and all the necessary electroplated copper plates for concentrating and collecting the gold. In a word it is a complete and perfect mill in every respect, and along with it was shipped the necessary steam plant to drive it and also a complete portable saw mill to cut the lumber for the erection of a building to contain the stamp mill.

This machinery goes as far as Ashcroft, British Columbia, by the C. P. R. From this point it will be conveyed by waggons to its destination, a distance of 76 miles. Some idea may be formed of the difficulty of transportation over the primitive and rocky roads of the region, when it is stated that the stamp mill alone weighs 35 tons.

The building and shipment of this mill are the outcome of negotiations with the E. P. Allis Company, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, which are reputed to be the most extensive manufacturers of mining and other machinery on this continent and which are represented in Canada by the William Hamilton Manufacturing Company.

Silverware.

The largest and handsomest assortment of silverware in town is to be found at China Hall. Prices and quality guaranteed.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

MARRIED.

HENRY—MANN—On Wednesday, Jan. 20th, 1897, at the residence of the bride's parents, South Monaghan, by Rev. T. S. McKee, Mr. Wm. T. Henry, to Miss Sarah Mann.

WESTINGTON—McCLELLAND—On Wednesday, Jan. 20th, 1897, at the residence of the bride's parents, South Monaghan, by Rev. T. S. McKee, Mr. Theophilus P. Westington, of Hamilton township, to Miss Anna McClelland, sister of Dr. McClelland, Roseneath. Port Hope Guide please copy.

That

Extreme tired feeling afflicts nearly everybody at this season. The hustlers cease to push, the tireless grow weary, the energetic become enervated. You know just what we mean. Some men and women endeavor temporarily to overcome that

Tired

Feeling by great force of will. But this is unsafe, as it pulls powerfully upon the nervous system, which will not long stand such strain. Too many people "work on their nerves," and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous prostration," in every direction. That tired

Feel-

ing is a positive proof of thin, weak, impure blood; for, if the blood is rich, red, vitalized and vigorous, it imparts life and energy to every nerve, organ and tissue of the body. The necessity of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for that tired feeling is, therefore, apparent to every one, and the good it will do you is equally beyond question. Remember that

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Gentlemen	1 00
Boys	50
Girls	50
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25 sheets Note Paper and 25 Envelopes, done up in a pretty box, for 10c
5 quires St. Neot's Note Paper, a fine, smooth writing paper, for 20c; single quire, 24 sheets, for 5c
5 packages Envelopes to match, 18c; single package for 4c
5 gross good Cream Note Paper, plain or ruled, for 35c; single quire for 8c
5 packages good Cream Envelopes to match 35c; single package 8c
Windsor Newton's Best Artist's Colours, regular price 10 cents, for 7c
Invitation Cards and Envelopes, regular price 25c per package, for 19c
Writing Tablets, containing 100 sheets, good note paper, padded, regular 10c, for 5c
Six packages Cyclists Playing Cards, $1; single package 17c
Nine packages Boston Playing Cards $1; single package 12c
1000 good Business Envelopes, for 72c
Sunday at Home and Leisure Hour, one year complete, well bound, for 95c

The Ladies are invited to buy freely in Stationery, if not for present needs, for future requirements. They will not regret having been wide-awake enough to buy at present selling prices.

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A Final Closing Sale

OF ALL WINTER GOODS, AT

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From now till 1st February we will hold a Final Closing-Out Sale of all goods that are of a winter character. This will be a grand opportunity to many to buy goods at wholesale prices. Everyone knows that we carry no goods but the very best. We have no room for cheap grade of goods, that only look cheap in advertisement. We do for you what no other house can do, that is YOUR MONEY BACK if not suited.

MEN'S SUITS AND PANTS (To Order)

$4.50 Pants to order	reduced to	$ 3 00
$5 00 Pants to order	reduced to	3 50
$13 50 Suits to order	reduced to	10 00
$17.00 Tweed Suits to order	reduced to	13 00
$20.00 Tweed Suits to order	reduced to	15 00
$16.00 Worsted Coat and Vest to order	reduced to	13 00

All work and fit guaranteed.

MILLINERY CLOSING SALE.

All our Trimmed Millinery at exactly HALF PRICE.

25 All Wool Tams, were 30c and 35c	reduced to	$ 0 15
All our Fez Caps	reduced to	0 20

All Felt Hats and Sailors, being cleared, regardless of cost.

JACKETS, CAPES AND FUR EDGINGS.

The balance of our Monfio Fur Edging	reduced to	$ 0 15 yd.
The balance of our Beaver Fur Edging	reduced to	0 35 yd.
The balance of our Bear Fur Edging	reduced to	0 50 yd.
The balance of our Sable Fur Edging	reduced to	0 75 yd.
Balance of our $3.50 Jackets	reduced to	2 00
Balance of our $5 00 Jackets	reduced to	3 50
1 $12.50 Fur Lined Cape	reduced to	8 00
2 $18.00 Fur Lined Capes	reduced to	11 00
$20.00 Matallasie Capes	reduced to	9 50
$22.00 Matallasie Capes	reduced to	10 00
$25.00 Matallasie Capes	reduced to	12 00
$18.00 Jackets	reduced to	10 00
2 Sealette Jackets, were $37.50	reduced to	25 00
1 Sealette Jacket, was $20.00	reduced to	11 00

You see by the price that we do not intend to carry over a single winter garment.

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

3 pieces All Wool Tweed Dress Goods, were 50c	reduced to	25c
2 pieces Fancy Plaid Dress Goods, were 50c	reduced to	35c
200 yards Pongee Silk Dress Goods, were 25c	reduced to	20c

25 per cent. off all our Black Jet Trimmings.

HOSIERY, GLOVES AND VEILINGS.

Special prices on all our Cashmere Gloves.

All our 25c Veilings	reduced to	18c

FLANNELS AND FLANNELETTES.

1000 yards New Flannelettes	only	$ 5
200 yards 15c Grey Flannel	only	12½
All Wool Blankets	only	2 50
All Wool 12½c Flannelette	only	10

This will be your last chance to get a choice lot of Winter Goods at prices that will pay you to buy and carry over to another season. We are bound to carry no goods over to another season.

SPOT CASH. ONE PRICE. NO APPROVAL. YOUR MONEY BACK IF NOT SUITED.

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Put on Your Thinking Cap

for a few minutes, and see if it won't pay to take advantage of a saving of from 20 to 25½ per cent. in exclusively custom finished Winter Suits, Ulsters and Overcoats, &c.:—

SUITS—To your measure in Imported scotch Tweeds $13.50

OVERCOATS—to your measure in Fine Cheviots, interlined $16 00

TROUSERS—to your measure in Imported English Tweeds $3.00

No deviation in the quality of our work.

ROBT. WEIR,

Merchant Tailor,

ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES,

123 George Street.

Can Accommodate a Few More

Our rooms have rapidly filled during the last two weeks, but we have still room for a few more.

DAY STUDENTS.

Any one contemplating entering this season should make arrangements at once.

NIGHT SCHOOL.

The Night School will close the last of April. Those entering now will only be charged for THREE MONTHS COURSE.

PRINGLE & McCREA,

BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1897.

A VERY YOUNG AUTHORESS.

A Daughter of Mr. R. S. Davidson Contributes to the Globe.

On the Children's Page of Saturday's Globe, the appended pretty little story appears from the pen of Miss Helen Stewart Davidson, the nine-year-old daughter of Mr. R. S. Davidson:

A SQUIRREL'S LIFE.

We squirrels live in the woods, we eat nuts climb trees, and fences all day long. One day as we were running around through the woods I thought I would take a short cut through a hollow log, just then some boys came along and poked me with sticks until I ran into a bag at the other end. Then I was taken to a house where I was put into a box and then into a cage with a wheel, and I thought I was running away in the wheel. The boy that caught me laughed at me till I would not go into the wheel again. They gave me nuts and water but still I did not like it as well as my old home in the woods where I used to play and run races with my friends. The people taught me to perform many tricks till I grew old and could not perform any longer. Then they let me go, but I felt sad because I could not find any of my old friends.

HELEN STEWART DAVIDSON,
Peterborough, Ont.

Age 9.

The obvious merit in the cutely-related little narrative apparently struck an older writer with such force as to produce the appended poem, which Miss Helen received the other day as the first tribute to her literary genius:

A poor little squirrel took a "short cut" one day,
Alas! alas! and alack!
If he only had taken the long way,
He wouldn't have been so long getting back.

For a little boy caught him and caged him;
Alas! alas! and alack!
He fed him, and petted and coaxed him,
But he insisted that he should act.

Now the poor little fellow was lonely,
And missed his companions; alack!
He sighed for his home in the woods,
And wished and wished he were back.

At last he got old and grouty,
And no longer could run with ease,
So the little boy opened the cage door
And said "Get out, if you please."

Now, this was the freedom he'd longed for,
But alas! it had come too late.
The friends he had loved had all vanished,
And he fain would have died in the cage.

Here must we leave him alone, Helen,
With none him to comfort and cheer,
All on account of the "short cut"
He took that day without fear.

Alas! Alas! and alack! SIP.

A MUSICAL FESTIVAL.

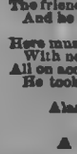
Peterborough Will Observe the Victorian Jubilee of 1897.

The various cities and towns of the British Empire are at present discussing the manner in which the Victorian Jubilee of 1897 should be observed. Canada would be lacking in imagination, in historical instinct, in the higher attributes which distinguish a people of ideas from a nation of dullards, if an event so unique as the diamond jubilee of the Queen were allowed to slip away with only the waving of flags and the booming of cannon to mark the occurrance. Public demonstrations will rightly have a place in the commemoration. But a lasting, tangible tribute should not be withheld. The Queen's hold upon the affections of her Canadian subjects is doubly strong; those who believe in constitutional monarchy are fervently grateful for the sagacity and sense of this most illustrious Sovereign; men with other ideas respect her for the purity of domestic life, and the example she has set to every grade of society in an age of luxurious living. In one or the other of these classes you will find the whole Canadian people.

But while the State as a whole should consider the proposal to erect a national memorial of the occasion, to the towns and cities will fall the duty of fittingly marking the anniversary by some purely local celebration.

Mr. G. W. Mulligan's proposal is that Peterborough hold a musical festival, and so sure is he of support in his scheme that he has already made arrangements to secure the opera house for the occasion. Any suggestions as to the form which this feast of music should take will be gratefully received by Mr. Mulligan. His large class of pupils have taken up the idea enthusiastically.

Fine Furniture at Low Prices.



It is seldom that this chance comes to pick up such really fine things in handsome chairs, centre tables, settees, etc., as are now being shown in Cheape's furniture store window. The tickets placed on the goods tell the tale of a substantial reduction. No better goods can be had in the city. Every article guaranteed as superior in design in material and in finish.

MR. WM. ANDERSON ELECTED WARDEN.

HE IS CHOSEN ON THE TWELFTH BALLOT.

He Takes the Declaration of Office and the Warden's Chair—He Thanks the Council—Auditors Appointed and a Sessional Clerk—Adjournment.

SECOND DAY—WEDNESDAY.

The council resumed session this morning with all the members present, the clerk still in the chair. Balloting for the election of a warden was resumed. There was an undercurrent of subdued excitement in view of yesterday's dead-lock, though most of the members cast their ballots with a solemnity that would befit the decision of some man's life.

The first ballot (the seventh of the series) resulted as follows:

Casement	5
Moloney	3
Burnham	2

The second ballot had the following result:

Burnham	4
Moloney	3
Casement	2
Pearce	1

The result of the third ballot was as follows:

Moloney	4
Burnham	2
Brown	2
Casement	1
Pearce	1

The fourth ballot resulted as follows:

Moloney	3
Pearce	3
Casement	2
Burnham	2

The failure to elect a Warden by the ordinary way consulting the clause of the County Council's Act was resorted to, which permits after the second ballot on the second day without election, two votes to the senior member representing the municipality having the highest assessment. In this case the two votes were cast by Mr. Middleton, of Smith. The following was the result of the fifth ballot as follows:

Moloney	4
Anderson	2
Burnham	2
Pearce	2
Casement	1

No election resulting, and the supply of ballot papers being exhausted, adjournment was made to permit of additional ballots being printed. In the meantime the members held an informal consultation on the proceedure. The council went into session and the first ballot after the adjournment resulted as follows:

Mr Anderson	6
Mr Moloney	5

Mr. Anderson subscribed to the declaration of office, and Mr. J. B. Pearce conducted the newly-elected Warden to the chair, amidst applause.

Mr. Anderson said he could hardly express his thanks for electing him as Warden of the County Council under the new system. When he was elected Warden in 1893, his election came as a surprise; but he confessed that he was much more surprised on the present occasion.

AUDITORS.

The following nominations were made for the Council's auditors:

G. J. Galvin, moved by Mr. Moloney, seconded by Mr. Casement.

George Stewart, moved by Mr. Middleton, seconded by Mr. Brown.

Geo. W. Bennett, moved by Mr. Burnham, seconded by Mr. Fitzgerald.

Mr. F. J. Bell, moved by Mr. Pearce, seconded by Mr. Shaw.

The names of Messrs. G. J. Galvin and Geo. Stewart were withdrawn, and the Warden declared Mr. F. J. Bell appointed auditor on the vote which followed.

On motion of Mr. Pearce, seconded by Mr. Moloney, Mr. W. A. Stratton was appointed sessional clerk.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received

From Wm. Collins, asking the use of the council chamber for a meeting of the Midland Poultry Association.

From J. E. Belcher, asking re-appointment as County Engineer.—Referred to the Committee on Appointments.

Council adjourned till 2 o'clock.

Afternoon Session.

The council went into committee of the whole to strike the standing committees, Mr. Pearce in the chair.

The committee rose and, the Warden in the chair, the committee reported the following as members of the

STANDING COMMITTEES

of the Council for the year 1897-98:

COUNTY PROPERTY AND APPOINTMENTS TO OFFICE—Messrs. Brown, Casement, Fitzgerald, Middleton and Shaw.

ROADS AND BRIDGES—The whole council.

SCHOOLS—Messrs. Moloney, Middleton, Shaw, Eastland and Burnham.

PRINTING AND PETITIONS—Messrs. Pearce, Moloney, Shaw, Middleton and Burnham.

FINANCE AND ASSESSMENT—The whole council.

EQUALIZATION AND ASSESSMENT—The whole council.

The report was adopted.

All Treated Alike.

The musical public generally will be pleased to learn that sheet music has taken a tumble in price at the Peterborough Music Company's old stand. Any one can buy it at teachers' rates—one-third off.

Men's Heavy all wool Pea Jackets, in grey and black Frieze and Blue Nap, lined with heavy all wool Tweed Lining, Grafton & Co's. regular price $5, sale price during sale 3.95.

Hints to Advertisers.

The true secret of success in advertisements is the same as that which distinguishes the editorial columns—sense and pith. The style should be bold, easy and correct, with a vein of lightness and elasticity to make it agreeable. The more replete the advertisement can be made with useful information, the more eagerly will every line be read and the more anxiously will the next announcement be looked for. It is needless to say that the advertisement should be changed regularly and kept fresh and bright with new ideas and additional attractions. The fact should always be kept in view that AN ADVERTISEMENT INTENDED FOR THE EYE OF GENTLEMEN SHOULD BE BOLD, POINTED AND AS BRIEF AS POSSIBLE; FOR LADIES THE STYLE SHOULD BE THE VERY OPPOSITE—SMOOTH, BRIGHT AND FANCIFUL.

CASTORIA

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

By the skin of their teeth the Peterborough Colts won their draw with the Campbellford Colts last night and pulled the match out of the fire by just one shot.

The rinks were composed as follows:—

Peterborough.	*Campbellford.*
RINK NO. 1.	
J S Knapman,	Rev R Laird,
G L Hay,	D J Lynch,
E Rutherford,	A Lowery,
G J Horkins, skip...25	D H Douglas, skip...13
RINK NO. 2.	
G S Matthews,	F J Golding,
H S H Kerner,	G A Bence,
C N Brown,	T S Tait,
D Davidson, skip...15	F J Smith, skip.....26
40	39

Majority for Peterborough, 1 shot.

This afternoon Lindsay and Norwood play off and Peterborough plays the winner in the evening. As Norwood is very young in the curling arena, the last draw in the Northern Group will probably be played off between Peterborough and Lindsay.

The visiting curlers from Campbellford were entertained by the Peterborough Colts last night.

Very few of our citizens witnessed the close of the great bonspiel, says the Lindsay Post, the last game being scored at 2 o'clock Saturday morning.

At 7.30 last evening the rink was again filled with spectators anxious to witness the closing games in the semi-finals for the Consolation series. Skip Jamieson, of Winnipeg, was pitted against Skip Rutherford, of Peterborough, and Skip McLennan, of Lindsay, against Skip Punchon, of Oshawa.

The Winnipeg curlers were placed at a great disadvantage owing to the ice being "dead" and sticky; they are accustomed to keen ice, and lost end after end in consequence of taking too narrow ice. It would have been necessary for them to have been at their best to defeat their opponents, however, who played a very strong, well-judged game, and came out the victors by the score of 27 to 9.

Skip McLennan and his men made a very hard fight in their game with Oshawa rink, but they had been playing all day and the strain soon began to tell. Slowly but surely they fell behind, while their opponents appeared to improve in form, and won by the score of 17 to 10.

Winnipeg.	*Peterborough.*
Jamieson, skip..... 9	Rutherford, skip.....27
Lindsay.	*Oshawa.*
McLennan, sk.....10	Punchon, sk.....17

After the curlers had partaken of needed refreshment in the shape of coffee and sandwiches, Peterborough and Oshawa rinks sallied out about 11 o'clock to play the final game. For the first five ends Oshawa maintained the lead, then Peterborough scored a couple of ends and crept up even. Although the players were dead tired, having been on the ice since early morning, the excitement kept them up.

Probably two hundred spectators remained as late as twelve o'clock, and nerved the curlers to fresh exertions by heartily cheering every good shot made on either side. About the middle of the game Peterborough led the score and finally won about 2 a. m., by 17 shots to 13.

The prizes have gone as follows:—First prize, double rink competition, eight pairs of red hone stones, won by Lindsay, skips McLennnn and Flavelle; second prize, two pairs of red hone stones, won by Peterborough Granites, Skips Allen and Davidson; single rink competition, four pairs red hone stones, Lindsay rink, Skip Flavelle; consolation, four pairs red hone stones, Peterborough, Skip Rutherford.

HOCKEY.

The London Free Press made an innaccurate statement about the hockey team and this is the way the Beacon gets back at the Press: "Ananias must be renewing his youth and must have improved wonderfully during the past 1800 odd years. His first effort which made him famous, could not begin to compare with this. It's a gem. It's a cuckoo. It is as much superior to the attempts of the Ottawa and Montreal liars as the sun is superior to a tallow dip. The Free Press is to be congratulated on the new acquisition to its staff."

The first game of hockey on the Riverside Park open air skating rink will be played this evening between the North Stars of Auburn and the Park Rink Seven. The teams are well matched, and no doubt the game will be fast from start to finish. The ice was reflooded this morning, and will be in capital condition. Game at 8 sharp.

WILL PLAY IN KINGSTON.

Kingston, Jan. 26.—Ald. G. H. Allan received a letter yesterday from Mr. G. J. Horkins, of Peterborough, in which he states that on the occasion of the visit to Kingston of the hockey team from Peterborough that an excursion will be run from the Midland district. Six Granite rinks will come with the excursionists, and Mr. Allan was asked if Kingston club could accommodate the team. He replied that the visiting clubs would be properly taken care of. Mr. F. J. Smith, of Campbellford, president of the Colts' Curling Association, for the Midland District, telegraphed to Ald. G. H. Allan, asking him to have two Granite rinks at Cobourg at ten o'clock this morning. Mr. Allan wired that it was impossible for the Kingston Club to leave the city this season.

Prices of Best Hard Coal.

Egg, Stove or Chestnut	$5 50 per ton
No. 2 Nut	5 00 "
Anthroxolite	4 50 "
Pea	3 50 "

Best soft coal and smithing coal in stock. PEOPLE'S COAL COMPANY, 230 Charlotte street. Telephone 366.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!

Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Canadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

MR. WARDEN ANDERSON.

For the second time in the course of his twenty years in municipal life, Mr. Wm. Anderson of Otonabee, and one of the representatives in the new County Council of the Otonabee Division, has been elected Warden of the county. Mr. Anderson entered municipal life twenty years ago, ten years of which were spent in the township council and the other ten as either deputy reeve or reeve of, next to Smith, the most wealthy and important township in the county. Mr. Anderson is a man of few words but an excellent worker. Evidence of this is afforded by the fact that in all his career he has only once had to go to the poll, having been elected on the other nineteen occasions by acclamation.

While he was in the County Council, Mr. Anderson held the position of Chairman of the Committee on Petitions and Appointments. Mr. Anderson, in the matter of the Wardenship contest, deserves well the title of peacemaker. This is the second time that he has decided a contest for the Wardenship that promised to be interminable. In 1897 he was elected Warden on the twenty-sixth ballot, the first time his name appeared. The first day there were fourteen ballots taken and the second twelve. On the present occasion Mr. Anderson came in and cut the Gordon knot on the twelfth ballot. Mr. Anderson made an excellent Warden in 1893, and with the experience of the interval, there is no doubt that he will again successfully fill the office, and justify the council in doing him the honour of making him the first Warden of the county under the "County Councils Act of 1896."

FRIDAY Don't forget the Foresters Carnival on Friday evening, 29th inst. It promises to be a big success. Several entries already received for the fancy skating competition.

Weather will continue cold and blustery; will be cold till Friday.

The Magazines for February are coming in—"Metropolitan," "The New Illustrated," "Pall Mall Magazine," "Ladies' Home Journal," "Cosmopolitan," "The Strand," "The Black Cat," "Young Ladies' Journal," &c., &c., have arrived at

Sailsbury

372 George Street

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE COUNCIL Of the Corporation of the Town of Peterborough intends after one month after the publication of this notice to undertake the construction of sewers on the following streets, namely:

Water street—From McDonel street to Argyle street.

George street—From McDonel street to Argyle street.

Perry street—From George street to Aylmer street.

Aylmer street—From Perry street to Smith street.

Stewart street—From Rink street to Brock street.

Rubidge street—From Rink street to Brock street.

McDonel street—From Water street to Dickson street.

McDonel street—From Water street to Dickson street; and from George street to Aylmer street.

Murray street—From Water street to Dickson street.

Harvey street—From McDonel street to Dublin street.

Dublin street—From Water street to Harvey street.

Charlotte street—From Lewis street to Aylmer street.

Simcoe street—From the creek west to Aylmer street.

Hunter street—From the creek west to Aylmer street.

Brock street—From 440 feet west of George street to Aylmer street.

Murray street—From George street to Aylmer street.

London street—From George street to Aylmer street.

And to assess upon the real property to be benefitted thereby such proportion of the cost thereof as may be just, in accordance with the provisions of sections 612 to 623 inclusive of the Consolidated Municipal Act of 1893, or so much thereof as may be applicable thereto, and subject to the provisions of such bylaw or bylaws of the said Corporation, now or hereafter to be passed as shall be applicable to the same.

Dated at Peterborough, January 27th, 1897.

S. R. ARMSTRONG,
Town Clerk.

NOTICE!

All persons having Accounts against the Town of Peterborough are requested to send them at once to the undersigned. And all persons who may have Accounts with the Town are requested to render them each month.

S. R. ARMSTRONG,
Town Clerk.

SOME OF THE BENEFITS UNDER THE CASH SYSTEM

BROOMS!!

Just received 50 dozen Brooms bought for Cash at half the regular price, and I am going to give the public the benefit of it:—

2 Cord Brooms, regular price 25c	Cash Price	15c
3 Cord Brooms, " " 12c	Cash Price	8c
3 Cord Brooms, (heavy) " 15c	Cash Price	10c
4 Cord Brooms, " " 20c	Cash Price	15c
4 Cord Brooms, " " 25c	Cash Price	19c
4 Cord Brooms, " " 30c	Cash Price	23c
3 lbs. Choice Family Lard	Cash Price	25c
11 lbs. No. 1 Rolled Oats, per lb	Cash Price	25c

No. 1 Lemons, 12c dozen or 2 dozen for 25c.

Note the saving. Isn't it worth while to pay Cash?

WALLER & CO

ONE PRICE CASH GROCERY,

Telephone 248. 168 Charlotte Street

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Delay is Dangerous

Serious results often follow the first neglect of even a slight injury. What to put on the wound and how to do it, is told in the little booklet accompanying every pot of the great ready remedy

"Quickcure"

It is quick, and it is sure and safe—a perfect antiseptic—soothing and healing in it's effect—easy in it's application. With 25c., 50c. and $1.00 pots come cotton and lint. With 50c. and $1,00 pots come also dental pickups for applying "Quickcure" to aching teeth. All druggists sell it, or write direct to

THE QUICKCURE COMPANY, Ltd. QUEBEC, CAN.

QUICKCURE

A MAN

Came in the other night, bought a Cigar. Came in next day—got a quarter's worth—been coming back ever since—said they were as good cigars as he wanted to smoke for the money.

Why Don't You Buy? ?

Four 10 cent Cigars for a Quarter

Give you you're pick out of six regular 10c. Cigars.

A lot of Imported Samples selling at about what they cost us.

Our Cigars are all smoke, not all smudge.

TALBOT BROS.,

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough, Sign of the Indian Queen.

Study Economy...

Everybody considers it a luxury to use Johnston's Fluid Beef, and so it is, but when it can be bought in 16 oz. bottle for $1.00 it is also economical.

Johnston's Fluid Beef 16 oz. Bottle, $1.00

BREAKFAST FOOD and MEALS.

We can strongly recommend our Breakfast Cereals and Meals, as they are the best obtainable, including the superior products of the Ireland National Feed Co. Inferior goods are not wanted here and shoppers are reminded of that.

—ROLLED WHEAT,	—FARIMOSA,
—ROLLED OATS,	—GRAHAM FLOUR,
—OATMEAL,	—SPLIT PEAS,
—CORNMEAL.	—POT BARLEY,

Try our Fragrant Coffee or Tea with any of these. Fearman's Breakfast Bacon, Fresh Eggs and Choice Butter. Store closes at NINE O'CLOCK sharp every evening until further notice.

SETTLING ACCOUNTS—We have to thank many of our customers for settling their accounts so promptly. Our office will be kept open until 9 o'clock every evening for the convenience of those who cannot call during the day to settle their bills. As stock-taking begins 1st February it will be a great favour to have all overdue accounts paid before that date.

M. L. HENRY & CO

Grocers and Wine Merchants, opposite the Opera House, George Street. Telephone 116.

The Acme Heating Drum

Is the best appliance to economize fuel. We are selling them rapidly. They pay for themselves in a short time. Read what our Citizens say:

Messrs. Micks and Cox:—

GENTLEMEN,—After giving your Acme Heating Drum a fair trial in China Hall, we have no hesitation in pronouncing it a perfect success. Our store is 30x100 feet with glass front and all of one side of glass facing the north; and the Drum with a small wood stove heats the store more perfectly than it has ever been heated before, even when we had two coal stoves which we formerly used.

Yours truly,
Peterborough, Jan. 15th, '97. McFARLANE WILSON.

Messrs. Micks & Cox:—

GENTLEMEN,—After giving the Acme Heating Drum purchased from you a full trial in severe weather we have no hesitation in pronouncing it a complete success.

Your Drum is an application of the correct principle in proper heating devices, in drawing the cold air from the floor, heating it and circulating it through the building. We heat three rooms by means of a moderate sized wood stove with your Drum attached, and find our offices very much more comfortable than formerly, at the same time using a third less fuel than without the Drum.

Yours very truly,
Peterborough, Jan. 14, '97. HATTON & WOOD.

MICKS & COX, Stoves and Hardware 137 Hunter St.

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Good value in houses, lots and farms to sell, rent or exchange. Insurance in good companies and at low rates.

A Splendid Brick House, Furnace, Bath Double Lot, Stable, Nice Situation. $3600.

Good 2-story Brick House, nine Rooms, Good Garden, Spruce and Maple Trees. $1,250.

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Dealers in Reliable Coal of all sizes.

Office and Yard—At the Elevator, west of Railway track, Ashburnham. 'Phone 24.

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C. F. KUTZBACH

ROUTLEY'S OLD STAND,
379 George Street.

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—FOR—
La Grippe, for Colds, Coughs,
AND LUNG TROUBLES,
AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL

"Two years ago, I had the grippe, and it left me with a cough which gave me no rest night or day. My family physician prescribed for me, changing the medicine as often as he found the things I had taken were not helping

me, but, in spite of his attendance, I got no better. Finally, my husband,—reading one day of a gentleman who had had the grippe and was cured by taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,—procured, for me, a bottle of this medicine, and before I had taken half of it, I was cured. I have used the Pectoral for my children and in my family, whenever we have needed it, and have found it a specific for colds, coughs, and lung troubles."—EMILY WOOD, North St., Elkton, Md.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

Highest Honors at World's Fair.

Cleanse the System with Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

USE OF BEING A GIRL

A WHITE-HAIRED TEACHER PUTS IT IN A GOOD LIGHT.

The Lesson of Life Which They All Speculate Upon, But Which Is Only Learned by Contact and Experience—The Mission of Girls.

There were a dozen girls or more, the first persons, so far as the writer knows, to express an interest in our topic, "Being a Girl, and What Is the Use of It?"

They were the lingerers in a large college for women whose homes were too distant for the usual holiday flitting. As they gathered about the study fire on Christmas eve a white-haired teacher chanced to call attention to the question.

Some of the loungers were what would be termed very earnest girls, who had thought out some things and lived out others, but the majority were every-day, average girls, with all their emotional tragedies and most of their real experiences yet to come. They were both innocent and ignorant enough to wish that the sensational phases of life would hurry along faster, feeling, as one of them expressed it, as if she were the third part, a mere fraction, of a verb. "Its function is to do, to be or to suffer," she said, "and I am not content with one. I have enough to do; parents and teachers have taken care of that. But I think it is time I began to be and to suffer." She had never dreamed, this eager girl, that the suffering which comes last in the grammar comes before the being in actual life; but it mattered little, since she was equally strange to both.

They looked serious enough for a moment when the topic was read to them, and then, as might have been expected, pounced upon it like so many kittens playing with a ball, giving it now gentle taps, now harder hits, and again a sturdy knock that sent it for a moment out of sight.

Their speculations were as diversified as the environments of their various homes, and a lull coming in the tide of talk, the teacher said, gently:

"You are wrong, girls. The experience just given is exceptional. Time was when the good of being a girl seemed doubtful. There are pagan lands in which to-day the girl is counted no addition to the treasures of a household. To many a mother nearer home the daughter, however welcomed and loved, seems only another little soul born to woman's lot of inevitable suffering from which no mother's love can shield her. To many a father the girl-baby is another claimant upon his labor and strength and thought, but one who can never share his burdens, carry out his projects, continue his work, or perpetuate his name. Yet the above conditions, instead of being common, are so rare as hardly to enter into our question, and equally rare, it seems to me, are such experiences as two of our girls have known."

Ordinarily, the girl-baby, the tiny toddling girl once out of arms, or the little maiden growing up sweet and gay by the hearthstone, is all the more tenderly cherished because of her helplessness. Ordinarily the manly, protective instinct in the brother makes him defender of his sister even against himself. Ordinarily the young girl is the queen in the home, for whom all are glad to work, to whom all pay willing tribute and whom all delight to spoil. Ordinarily and rightly, the young girl will answer for herself the question as to what is the use of being a girl by counting the constantly multiplying ways in which she can be of use to those she loves, a charm and delight to her friends.

All life and joy and love depends upon the girl as she is and as she may become.

And, furthermore, there is no use in all our schemes and plans and hopes for the home and the world if they leave the power and the possibilities of girlhood out.

MARY LOWE DICKINSON.

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Here's a clever idea for a neat "stowaway." It is copied from a studio cupboard. It is pretty and cosy, and there's a good deal of room in it. It requires no skill but that of any ordinary carpenter and such dexterity as every woman possesses by right. The shelf is a full foot in width. The studio being small, that was all that could

"STOWAWAY" FOR SMALL APARTMENTS.

be allowed, but fourteen inches would be better if the space allows. It is fitted to the wall at a distance of five feet from the floor and runs from the corner, either way, for about three feet and a half or four feet. The corners are rounded, and the whole is stained to match the woodwork of the room. All along its front edge runs a brass rod, and from this rod hang curtains of soft India silk, lined with cotton flannel to give body and durability.

The space enclosed makes an ample wardrobe for its owner's gowns. Against the wall, just beneath the shelf, are hooks screwed into a board, which in turn is nailed to the wall. Midway of the width of the board are smaller hooks screwed upward into it, and on these smaller lighter objects are hung.

The shelf itself is covered with a scarf, and shows a few bits of artistic pottery, with here and there a book. Visitors to whom the secret is unknown are apt to admire the corner as a successful decorative scheme and to give no thought to the economic principle involved. But the woman who rejoices in the generous closet considers the practical triumph is far in advance of the artistic effect. Being a decorative genius, however, she has added to the latter by covering the walls above the shelf with tea chest matting, against which background every object stands forth in perfect relief. Denims, Chester cotton, India prints—any one of a dozen good cotton stuffs can be used in place of silk, but the latter has long since ceased to be costly, and is singularly good in both color and texture, while it can always be trusted to take delightful folds.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

LOCAL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Flour—The demand for flour is limited and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.85.

Bran—Trade dull, with bran quoted outside west at $7 to $7.50 and shorts at $9.

Wheat—The local market is quiet, and prices unchanged. Red sold at 89c on the Northern, and white 81c, middle freight. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 77c afloat, Fort William, at 92c, Toronto freight. No. 2 hard sold at 74c afloat, Fort William.

Buckwheat—Trade is dull, with car lots quoted at 27c west.

Barley—The market is steady. No. 1 quoted at 34c to 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and No. 3 at 23c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are easy. White sold at 18c to 18½c west, and mixed at 17½c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady. Sales at 40c west, north and west.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 21½c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 34c west and at 35c east.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

The receipts at the Western yards to-day were 60 car loads. There was a good demand for cattle, choice shippers selling at 3¾c to 4c, and good at 3½c per lb. Bulls sold at 3c to 3¼c per lb. The best butchers' cattle sold at 3½c to 3¾c per lb., good to medium at 2¾c to 2¾c, and inferior at 2c per lb. Milch cows sell at $25 to $35 each, and calves at $4 to $7 each.

Sheep and lambs in moderate supply and prices steady. Choice sheep sold at 3c to 3¼c per lb., and butchers' at 2½c to 2¾c. Lambs are firm, there being sales at 4c to 4½c per lb., according to quality.

Hogs are firm, with receipts of 1000 head. The best sold at 4¼c to 4½c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c, lightweights at 4c, sows at 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 22.—Spring wheat, 6s 10d to 6s 11d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1d to 7s 2½d; corn, 2s 9¼d; peas, 4s 6¼d; pork, 48s 3d; lard, 21s 3d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 54s.

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Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 6s 7¾d for Feb., 6s 8¼d for March, 6s 8¾d for April, and 6s 7¼d for July. Maize steady at 3s 9d for Jan., Feb., March and May, and 2s 10d for July. Flour 24s.

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The estimate of the loss will depend upon the quantity of stock which the buildings contained. The buildings and stock are insured, but the figures are not yet obtainable.

John C. Reid, formerly managing editor of The New-York Times, died in New York yesterday.

The dyspeptic carries a dreadful load on his back. It seems as if he were really made up of two men. One of them ambitions, brainy and energetic; the other sick, listless, peevish and without force. The weak man weighs the other one down. The dyspeptic may be able to do pretty good work one day, and the next day because of some little indiscretion in eating, he may be able to do nothing at all. Most cases of dyspepsia start with constipation. Constipation is the cause of nine-tenths of all human sickness. Some of its symptoms are sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, foul breath, windy belchings, heartburn, pain and distress after eating. All these are indicative of derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels, and all are caused by constipation. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the quickest, easiest and most certain cure for this condition. They are not violent in action.

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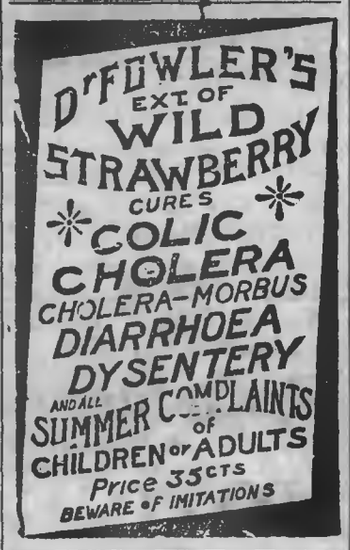

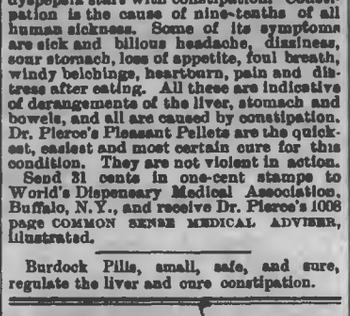
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Gretna Green and Its Past History—The Present Minister of the Place Has no Care for the Past—A Beautiful and Famous Place.

Last of the Gretna Priests.

GRETNA GREEN is, or ought to be, one of the most fascinating shrines in this island kingdom, says the London, Eng., Daily Mail. The century-full of romantic incidents which render it so alluring possess a double virtue; they are each and all matters of fact, and they are each and all directly connected with an institution dearer than all others to the human heart. Nevertheless, I would strongly advise all and sundry who contemplate a pilgrimage to Gretna Green to put on a pair of rose-colored spectacles and to steer clear of Mr. McTaggart.

I made my way, writes our commissioner, along the road which leads from the little station, on the Caledonian Railway, until I came to the church, a bare and gloomy structure enough, which faces Gretna Green itself. I hasten, with wholesome fear of M'Taggart in my heart, to observe that the church I have just alluded to had and has nothing to do with the renowned Gretna Green marriages. The church and the occupant of the snug parsonage adjoining held aloof from that celebrated series of ceremonies which continued down to recent times. For the reader is aware that in Scotland neither church nor parson is indispensable to matrimony, the candidates for which, having passed the necessary three weeks' residence in Scotland, have merely jointly and severally to declare before witnesses that they desire to be united in order to be legally man and wife.

Here, then, is Gretna Green—magic words to thousands of true lovers in the good old days of our grandfathers. An open, verdant space, a few one-storied ancient cottages, and through the trees, just opposite the church, the sloping roof and a window or two visible of the famous Gretna Hall. Standing in this spot, how easy it is to conjure up a scene common enough in the halcyon days of Gretna—the mud-bespattered post chaise, the sealous driver furiously lashing the horses, the sudden pulling-up and abrupt descent of the runaways, and their welcome by the landlord. Ten minutes elapse, another scund of rumbling wheels another postchaise; more galloping horses and, presto! the father of the bride appears. Too late!—he comes too late, for the couple have already been made one by the obliging innkeeper, and furious paterfamilias can only return to his southern home hoping, if he is not too great a curmudgeon at bottom, that the course of true love may run as smoothly as its coach has done. Requited love was then an affair of quick traveling. Elopements were not only honorable—they were often a necessity. Squire Westerns grew on every family tree, and damsels who were not quick-witted paid the penalty of lifelong unhappiness.

Gretna Hall was the scene of the more aristocratic marriages. To-day the road is blocked by a hedge; trees hide

GRETNA HALL IN ITS DAYS OF PROSPERITY.

the mansion from the Green, and it has become a private residence, occupied by Dr. H. F. Smith.

Each chamber in this house has its story. What tales they could tell, too, could they relate but a tithe of what had happened there! Talk of your lovers' walks and lovers' retreats—sanctified by the loves of a dozen, or even a hundred—how insipid and commonplace they are beside the chambers, the very steps and passages of Gretna Hall!

It was at this juncture in my apostrophes that I encountered Mr. M'Taggart. How can I describe his disgust—none the less deep-seated because impassive—on learning that the place hud any attractions for me?

"It's a' blether," said Mr. M'Taggart. "There's nowt i' the place to fash you head ower. It's a sma' dismal hamlet, an' no worth a thought!"

"Do you mean to say that it's nothing for Gretna to have been the scene of thousands of runaway marriages?"

"Marriages? Aye, ca' 'em marriages, if ye will, but in Scotland there's nothin' wonderful in that. There's an uncou' deal o' lies told about Gretna. It's a' fiction—an' when strangers came hither an' spier me about the matter, I tell 'em they've been imposed upon—it's a' rank fiction, an' they go away."

"But surely you tell them about the forge where the blacksmith priest officiated?" I pursued.

"Blacksmith priest?" exclaimed Mr. M'Taggart, with a Caledonian smile at my credulity. "Let me tell you there never was a blacksmith married a couple at Gretna. It's a' lie."

Sorrowfully I left Mr. M'Taggart, and wended my way towards the smithy in question. I found the smith a different person from M'Taggart, and under the spell of his good humor and thorough belief in the romance of Gretna, I began to forget the queer little hamlet's evil genius.

"There's some," said he, "as try to run down Gretna, an' tak' a' the poetry out of it. This smithy's been here hundreds o' years, an' in spite of a' their railin' this is the scene o' mony a Gretna marriage. That anvil yonder is unco' auld, an' I hold it to be the original of the one in the picture at Lowther Castle."

From the forge I strode between a narrow street of one-storied cottages to the Queen's Arms, where the courteous hostes showed me the duplicate certificate of the marriage of Lord Chancellor Erskine, of which interesting document I made a faithful copy, as it hung in the little parlor of the inn. I was also shown the pane of the window where his lordship had signed his name. Many scions of noble families came thus to Gretna. Army men and their lady loves fled thither frequently enough, and in the ranks of the naval skippers there is Lord Cochrane, who, as Earl of Dundonald, eloped "ower the border an' awa'" with Miss Barnes. Nor was the church behind in sending hither its candidates for matrimony.

Next door to the Queen's Arms is the diminutive cottage where lives the last of the Langs, the unofficial secular priests, who seem to have acquired a very pretty monopoly of the Gretna marriage business. First, there was Simon, then David, and then came the present William, and their records and registers have been faithfully kept during this period of three generations. Old Willy Lang is eighty-seven years of age now, and so is his wife, and they have some difficulty, in spite of the fees of visitors, in making ends meet. I examined the registers in the Lang cottage with intense interest, and was not surprised to learn that they are considered of very great value. An offer of £200 was made for their purchase by a London agent some time ago, but for some whimsical reason was not accepted by the Langs.

Not unfrequently they were wont to receive instructions to make search for particular entries, and for this service they were well paid.

It only suffices to say that thousands of en route tourists pass this most romantic spot without ever stopping to visit it. It is inexplicable that there is no hotel in the place, no guide-book or leaflet wherein are recounted the doughty deeds, thrilling adventures, heart-stirring accidents, and marvelous escapes of 10,000 English lovers, just over the border.

On Old Ocean's Bed.

What becomes of a ship that sinks in mid-ocean? If it is of wood, it takes, in the first place, considerable time for it to reach the bottom. In one hundred or more fathoms of water a quarter of an hour will elapse before the ship reaches bottom. It sinks slowly, and when the bottom is reached it falls gently into the soft, ooxy bed, with no crash or breaking.

Of course, if it is laden with pig iron or corresponding substances, or if it is an iron ship, it sinks rapidly, and sometimes strikes the bottom with such force as to smash in pieces. Once sunken, a ship becomes the prey of the countless inhabitants of the ocean.

They swarm over and through the great boat and make it their home. Besides this, they cover every inch of the boat with a thick layer of lime. This takes time, of course; and when one generation dies another continues the work, until finally the ship is so laden with heavy incrustations, corals, sponges and barnacles, that if wood, the creaking timbers fall apart and slowly but surely are absorbed in the waste of the sea bottom.

Iron vessels are demolished more quickly than those of wood, which may last for centuries. The only metals that withstand the chemical action of the waves are gold and platinum, and glass also seems unaffected. No matter how long gold may be hidden in the ocean, it will always be gold when recovered, and this fact explains the many romantic and adventurous searches after hidden submarine treasures lost in shipwrecks.—Bangor Commercial.

When the New Year Begins.

It may be of interest to know that at 20 minutes to 7 on the morning of December 31 the year 1897 will have commenced in fact. The day begins away out in the Pacific Ocean on the 180th meridian. At the hour named above it will be exactly midnight at this spot. Of course there is not a pause. On rushes the New Year over the seas and through Asia, conquering the earth at the rate of one-twenty-fourth every hour. By the time the sun is in the zenith over Pittsburg it will be New Year's day in England. It is an interesting morsel for thought, and to the strong imagination it is not impossible to picture the new day of the new year as some living thing floating around the earth on tireless wing at the rate of a thousand miles every time the minute hand of the clock completes a revolution.

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Steamboat men are still complaining of the water hyacinths in the St. John's river. They say that every stream emptying into the river is completely blocked with the plants, and it is impossible for small steamers to go up the streams after rafts of logs. In many localities logging camps have been abandoned, as the timber cannot be floated after it is cut.—Florida Times-Union.

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75 Grey Lamb Capes, worth $3.00, for..... 1 90
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RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

Freight business on the Grand Trunk has become slack, and during the past week several hundred freight cars have been stored on the Cobourg and Harwood road. It is calculated that upwards of a thousand cars will be stored there until wanted for spring trade.

The returns of the Galt, Preston and Hespeler Electric railway for the month of December were a fitting close to a successful year. They showed that 15,000 passengers patronized the road during the past month and that the amount of freight carried by the company was 7,000 tons.

Mrs. Sarah Jane Pollock, of Cobourg, has sued the Grand Trunk for $10,000 for the killing of her husband at that town last summer.

The lumbermen of the northern district of Ontario met a few days ago at Allandale and presented Mr. Jas. Webster, for the past twelve years superintendent of the Grand Trunk Railway, with a large open cabinet and a set of silver, comprising 100 pieces, accompanied by an illuminated address.

Justice was slow but sure in the case of the four Port Hope young men, Greenis, Fox, Mercier and Harrigan, who appeared before Judge Benson on Wednesday last, charged with assaulting a G.T.R. engineer at Port Hope depot. One night last summer the boys were stealing a ride on a freight to Port Hope, and it is said the train hands threw oil or water on them while they were riding the bumpers. On arriving at Port Hope the defendants pelted the engineer with stones and injured him. A detective was sent to Port Hope and after working constantly on the case, spotted his men and had them pulled. The trio pleaded guilty, and in view of Mr. Armstrong's reputation as to previous good character, they were allowed to go on suspended sentence. All of which proves that when the G.T.R. gets after anyone they are sure to catch him.

The Globe says: The recent dismissal of men along the line of the Grand Trunk has started a good deal of gossip, and, as is usual in such cases, there is a disposition to blame the Railroad Company for letting its men go. There are some who go so far as to say that it is the intention of the company to dismiss a large number of old and tried men and put new and younger men in their places. So far as can be learned, however, there appears to be no reason for these rumours. It is true that a number of men have been laid off at different points. On Thursday, it is understood, ten firemen were laid off at Hamilton; earlier in the week there were dismissals at Niagara, and at other places the working staff has been reduced. The reason for this, as explained by the Grand Trunk officials, is that freight business at the present time is very dull, and on this account the *full complement* of hands is not required. The usual course under such circumstances is to lay off all the men that are not actually required, and this is what the Grand Trunk is doing at the present time. When business picks up, the officials say, these men will be restored to their old positions. In a few cases, however, the men have been discharged for cause, and they will not be taken back.

Mr. Legate, traveller for McCormack & Co., London, says: "Miller's Compound Iron Pills restored me to health after a month of prostration from nervous shock and loss of blood." He says, "Their effect on me was simply marvellous; people say they never saw me looking so well." Sold Peterborough by Wm. Medill, druggist.

HUSTLING HAVELOCK.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Court Tecumseh, No. 306, I. O. F., installed the following officers on Monday evening, January 25th:

Bro. T Milne.....C D H C R
" Geo Liscombe.....C R
" W H Jeffs.....V C R
" W A Embleton.....R S
" J W Bryans.....F S
" T Curtis.....Treas
" J Black.....S W
" W Fanning.....J W
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" D A Forde.....J B
" W J Wiseman.....P C R
" Rev A O Tarrant.....Chap
" Dr Jeffs.....} Court Physicians
" Di Fowler.....}

A span of horses attached to a waggon belonging to Stephen Clark, of Belmont, ran away from J. Maiden's grocery on Thursday last and collided with a telegraph post, demolishing the waggon.

A number of Havelock people, who drove over to Norwood on the night of the carnival to see the race between Green, of Smith's Falls, and Fraser, of Norwood, were disappointed as Fraser was unable to skate on account of illness.

Mr. John Brown, one of our representatives in the County Council for this district, went to Peterborough on Tuesday to attend the meeting of the County Council.

Mr. Thos. Smith and wife drove to Marmora Sunday.

Messrs. A. Anderson and W. A. F. Campbell, of Norwood, were in the village Tuesday.

Mr. H. Weller, of Toronto, is in the village this week.

Engineer Doyle and Fireman Burnett left for the Montreal shops Saturday with engine No. 473 for repairs.

Walter Wood, who was kicked in the forehead, while leading F. E. Harper's horse to water last week, is around again.

The storing of ice in Swift & Co's ice house is nearly completed, 300 car loads having been stored this season. Is that what makes the weather so cold?

The carnival on January 21st proved a great success. Everybody was delighted, the management was very satisfactory and the ice excellent. List of costumes:

GENTLEMEN.

Roy Campney.....Sailor Boy
W Fry.....Burlesque Soldier
R Walton.....English Dude
Chas Carey.....Klota Chief
Thos Ashby.....Soldier
H P Irvine.....Snowstorm
C H McWilliams.....Summer sport
J Patterson.....Clown
John Archer.....Irish Duke
Loyd Knickwasser.....The Crinoline
John McKelvie.....Japanese Emperor
C McKelvie.....Georg 14th
R McKelvie.....General Tom Thumb
Jesse Waymark.....Night
T H Patterson.....Rambler from Clare
Wm Bullied.....Clown
John Carey.....Page
Geo Hart.....Negro Dude
Clarence McKeown.....Snowstorm

LADIES.

Emma Williams.....Evening Star
Myrtle Lappage.....Winter
E Scriven.....Queen Elizabeth
Mrs McMaster.....Snow
Mrs J S Lang.....The Advertiser
Jessie Watson.....Nun
Bessie Waymark.....Summer Rose
M J Irvine.....Nurse
Bessie King.....Gipsy Girl
Mrs F E Harper.....Maid of Flowers
Aggie McKeown.....Japanese Lady
Mamie Carey.....Maple Leaf
Lettie Gay.....Hospital Nurse
Madge Scriven.....Butterfly
M Reazin.....Night
Georgana Hart.....Yellow Chrsanthemum

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Best dressed girl—Madge Scriven.
Comic costume—J Mann.
Best dressed boy—C McKelvie.
Fastest skater—1st D. A. Fraser, Norwood; 2nd J Green, Smith Falls; 3rd, A. E. McGuire, Havelock.
Boys races—Russel Pearce 1st, Harold McGregor 2nd.
Judges—A. McAuley, J. Benor, and P. J. Dorricott.

Messrs. Knox and Wood, the managers, intend to have another carnival about 20th of February.

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THE SHARES AS AN INVESTMENT.

If the company should not acquire or be in a position to operate any other mining claims in addition to the Trilby and Prince of Wales, and having regard to the number of the company's shares outstanding, when the sale shall be effected of the number estimated sufficient to yield a net working capital of not less than $50,000; to the position and value of the company's holdings now being developed; to the assurance afforded the public of the prudent and economical management of the assets and working capital of the company; the shares of the company at twenty-five cents (25c) upon the dollar are relatively cheaper than those of any company operating any mine in the same stage of development as the Trilby in the Rossland district.

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HAMILTON TISDALE'S EVIDENCE

Revealed the Details of the Burning of One of David Ballard's Barns—A Shot Fired at a Skunk Under the Barn Was to Cause the Blaze.

Shelburne, Jan. 27.—The charge taken up yesterday by the court being held for investigation of the Melancthon fires was that against David Ballard, William Reid and James Corbett, of firing David Ballard's barn on Sept. 4, 1894. Hamilton Tisdale was the first witness and deposed that he was helping to work one of Ballard's farms on shares and occupied the farm on which the fire occurred. It was agreed from the time that Ballard purchased the place that the barn should be burned, and on the night of the fire witness, his brother John and the three prisoners were present. They placed a quantity of old farming machinery in the barn. They placed the worthless machinery, which had already gone through the fire at Jackson's place, in the lean-to of the barn. They threw a lot of straw out of the barn, and spread it over the irons. The prisoners Corbett and Reid set fire to the barn inside. Ballard would not give him a lease of the premises, as it would show that he rented the place, and so Ballard would not get the insurance. Ballard was with witness in the lean-to, and fired the straw covering the old iron so quickly that witness had not a chance to apply a match. They then all went away, and Corbett said to Ballard, "Your barn is on fire, David." Ballard replied, "Well, it can't be helped now." Later on they came back to the barn, and finding that some furniture which had been stored in the barn, but had been taken out of it before the fire was too near the burning building, they moved some of it away.

They arranged a story which they should tell as to the circumstances of the fire. They were all to say that Corbett gave the alarm to the witness, who was sleeping at the place, as he was returning from Dundalk, and that he had also alarmed Reid and David Ballard. The origin of the fire was to be ascribed to a shot fired by John Tisdale under the barn to kill a skunk. On examining the ruins they found that there were not enough ashes to look as if much had been burned in the barn, so they brought a quantity of grain, spread it on the floor and scorched it over. They also arranged the irons of the implements to look as if they had fallen off the machines as they were burned. Dave Ballard also brought some straw and placed it in position. When the insurance inspector came to investigate the fire David Ballard told him that the barn contained the crop of 40 acres of land, more than he actually rented. Among the irons placed in the barn were the remains of burned harrows, plows, a fanning mill, mower and a sulky rake. None of them were of any value.

Under cross-examination Tisdale admitted that he had committed deliberate perjury in connection with the suit brought by him against the insurance companies to recover his insurance. He had first committed arson by firing his barn, and then added perjury to it. He denied positively ever being offered money if he would give such evidence as would convict these prisoners.

John J. Tisdale, a young man 19 years of age, described the trip to Jackson's burned barn after the old iron and the other events of the night of the fire down to the story of the shot fired at a skunk under the barn. He had helped David Ballard to draw the straw to the burned barn to give the appearance of straw having been burned there. He admitted that he had told some "terrible lies" in connection with his brother's fire, by which he had perjured. He had never set fire to a building himself, but with Dave Ballard had induced Peter Marshall to fire a barn.

Detective Greer and others gave important testimony, and the evidence was concluded.

The inquest into the death of Edward Fenton was resumed last evening. Evidence was given by Messrs. Robt. Henderson, Joseph Meadugh and John Wallace, but nothing bearing upon the Fenton case was elicited.

The principal witness was James Ballard. He is a mulatto, over six feet in height and broad in proportion. His face is distinctly handsome and intelligent. He said that he lived about sixty rods from the house of the deceased, whom he knew well, and with whom he was on good terms. The day before the fire he walked out to another farm of his, about 3 1-2 miles distant, receiving a ride from "Ed.," as he called the deceased. That night he did not sleep soundly, as he was not well. He went to bed between 7 and 8 o'clock. He and his wife and another couple named Cotterell and their child all slept in the same room, and as Cotterell's child was ill, Cotterell had to keep on a fire. Once Cotterell looked out of the window and saw the fire. Cotterell went over to the fire in his stocking feet, but witness stayed in bed, as he was not well. Cotterell returned in about an hour and a half, and witness asked him if any stuff got burned. Cotterell replied, "Yes, some, and Ned, too." Witness asked him if Ned was badly burned, and Cotterell replied that he was still in the fire. Witness then went over to the fire, but could do nothing to help and came away. He did not believe that Fenton had an enemy in the world.

Ballard gave his evidence in a straightforward way, and spoke in regretful terms of Fenton's death.

When the court opened this morning the Magistrate committed all the prisoners for trial on the charges already gone into, and now a number of other charges will be investigated.

A VERY SERIOUS CHARGE.

Two Young Men Arrested Charged With Causing the Smash up on the O. & P. S. Railway.

Ottawa, aJn. 27.—(Special.)—Charles Golgleen and Peter Clement have been arrested on a charge of displacing a switch, whreby the accident on the O. and P. S. Railway occurred on Thursday last, in which three men were killed. The arrests were made last night by Detective Halton, and the men were placed in Renfrew jail to-day. They will come up on Monday for their preliminary trial at Renfrew.

FLORENCE BICKFORD KILLED.

A Bright Young Woman of Dundas Missed Her Footing and Fell Between the Cars.

Dundas, Jan. 27.—(Special.)—Miss Florence Bickford, 19 years of age, and second daughter of the late Henry Bickford, a former mayor of Dundas, was run over and killed by a dummy train at that place this morning shortly after 8 o'clock.

Miss Bickford had been a student at the Collegiate Institute in this city and was on her way to school when the accident occurred. She was a trifle late in arriving at the station and attempted to board the train as it was under way. She caught the railing of the first car, but slipped and fell from the step, rolling in between the trucks of the two cars. Conductor Sweet saw the accident and quicky signalled the engineer to stop. It was too late, however, for the wheels of the rear car had passed over the unfortunate young girl's body and a quarter of an hour later life had become extinct.

The young lady was in the junior leaving class at the institute and was considered a bright girl and a good student.

PRINCESS AND RIGO QUARRELLED

A Violent Scene at Milan Followed by the Separation of the Couple.

London, Jan. 27.—A despatch to The Mail from Vienna says that a violent quarrel occurred at Milan between the Princess Chimay, formerly Miss Clara Ward, of Detroit, Mich., and Janos Rigo, the Hungarian gypsey musician, for whom the Princess recently deserted her husband. The screams of the Princess and the violent language of Rigo created great excitement and alarm among the guests of the hotel at which the couple were staying, and complaint was made to the landlord. The affair was followed by the departure of the Princess, who started unattended by the gypsey for Monte Carlo. Before leaving, the Princess paid her own share of the bill due at the hotel, but refused to pay that incurred by Rigo, who is consequently in an awkward position, being in need of money to settle his account.

STRIKE ON AGAIN.

Springhill Miners Will Not Go to Work Because a Union Overseer Has Been Discharged.

Halifax, Jan. 27.—The strike at Springhill Coal Mines has broken out again. The trouble this time is over the employment of Henry Rea, an overseer, who was dismissed, the men say, because he was a member of the P.W.A. Lodge, and they refuse to go to work unless Rea is reinstated.

JACK FROST BREAKS A RECORD.

The Mercury Kept Below Zero for Three Days in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—The cold wave that began Saturday night has abated little in its severity. Up to 9 o'clock this morning the temperature in Chicago had remained for 30 hours below the zero mark. This breaks all previous records. The Weather Bureau announces the severe cold will continue the rest of the week.

Snowfall in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Jan. 27.—There is but slight relief to-day from the cold wave which has swept over St. Louis since last Saturday night. Last night snow fell to the depth of four inches, and continues falling, accompanied by a sharp wind. Nearly all trains arriving this morning were from one to three hours late. The snowstorm is general throughout Missouri, and in Eastern Kansas it is almost a blizzard, with zero temperature.

Bro. Chambers Grand Master.

Montreal, Jan. 27.—(Special.)—E. T. D. Chambers of Quebec was elected Grand Master of the Masonic Order of this province, the Deputy Grand Master being R. B. Tooke of Montreal.

BRITISH DISCIPLINE

Saved Many Lives From the Wreck of the Hastings.

TARS KNEW IT WAS LIFE OR DEATH

Yet They Obeyed Orders Strictly and Had the Women and Children Taken Off First—Only Two Lives Out of Twelve Hundred Lost From the Troopship.

London, Jan. 27.—A despatch to The Daily Telegraph from Port Louis, Island of Mauritius, published to-day, furnishes particulars of the loss of the British Indian troopship Warren Hastings, which was wrecked off the Island of Reunion on Friday, Jan. 14. The troopship ran ashore at 2.20 a.m. The shock was severe. It was very dark and torrents of rain were falling. She had on board soldiers and crew to the number of 1122 men, besides a number of women and children, the families of the married men of the military force. When the ship struck the troops were ordered to retire from the upper deck, to which they had flocked on the first alarm, and to fall in below. This they did promptly with perfect discipline, although the men were fully conscious of the danger which they were in. They were quietly mustered between decks. Owing to the fact that the surf boats could not be used, in landing the troops, two officers of the Warren Hastings were lowered from the ship's bows to the rocks, and when it was found that a landing could be effected in this way the disembarkation of the men was begun at 4 o'clock a.m., Commander Holland hoping it was safe to retain the women, children and sick on board until daylight. But the steamship was soon found to be heeling over so rapidly that everyone was ordered to the upper deck, the danger of capsizing being imminent. Thereupon Commander Holland ordered the landing of the troops to be stopped, so that women, children and the sick should be landed first. This order was obeyed with admirable discipline. By 5 o'clock the decks had heeled over to an angle of 50 degrees to starboard and the boats were all swept away. The good swimmers were then permitted to swim ashore, carrying ropes. By these means many others were landed and the disembarkation of all on board was completed with the loss of only two native servants. Many acts of personal bravery are recorded. The French officials and inhabitants of the Island of Reunion gave the shipwrecked people every assistance possible.

CONSERVATIVE ELECTED.

A Contest in Salisbury, England, Due to Mr. Hulse's Resignation.

London, Jan. 27.—The election to fill the seat in the House of Commons for Salisbury, recently made vacant by the acceptance of the stewardship of the Chiltern Hundreds by Edward Henry Hulse, Conservative, was held to-day, and resulted in the return of Mr. Alhusen, the Conservative candidate, who received 1425 votes to 1275 cast for Mr. Fuller, his Liberal opponent. At the last general election Mr. Hulse was returned by a majority of 24 over Sir W. R. Brown, Home Ruler.

CHESTER SALISBURY SANDS

Is the Name Registered at the Hotel Frontenac, Quebec, by a Man Who Shot Himself.

Quebec, Jan. 27.—A guest at the Chateau Frontenac Hotel, registered there on the 20th inst. as Chester Salisbury Sands of New Orleans, was found dead in his room at 7 o'clock this evening with a bullet hole in his head. The sum of 15 cents was found in his trousers pocket. The marks on his linen had been either cut off or erased. The suicide is a short, stout man, dark complexion and about 20 years of age. He is said to have spoken bad English. The affair is wrapped in mystery.

THE DOSE WAS TOO BIG.

George Henry Curtis Bird Took Laudanum Because He Was Despondent and Then Repented Will Recover.

Toronto, Jan. 28.

George Henry Curtis Bird is a young man from Winnipeg, who registered his full name and put up at the Hotel Metropole on Saturday last. He stayed there until yesterday afternoon, when for a short time he became tired of life, and on that account, according to his own statement, he took several ounces of laudanum. The large dose caused a severe attack of vomiting, and then it occurred to the young man that he was not so tired of living as he thought he had been, and, accordingly, he called the attention of Turnbull Smith, the proprietor, to his condition, at the same time remarking to a bystander that he had taken the drug to end his life, because he was out of funds and despondent. Mr. Smith asked advice from Druggist Matheson, who advised a fresh-air trip to the General Hospital as the best thing for the would-be suicide.

Bird was by this time in a deep stupor, and it was with difficulty that he was aroused. He was told what the druggist had said, and lost no time in availing himself of the advice, for he went unaccompanied to the General Hospital, where the drug again overcame him, but he will recover.

Bird is 26 years of age. He came to Toronto in search of his brother, Dr. Bird, who has a practice at Whitewood, N.W.T., but has been East lately. He also has another brother here, but failed to locate either, although he says he advertised for them a day or so ago. He showed the hotel proprietor a one-drachm laudanum bottle, and said he had taken four of that kind. The large quantity he took acted as an emetic and saved his life.

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Sugars.

We give you more pounds of Sugar for $1 than you can get at any other store in town

Canned Goods.

Four cans of Tomatoes, Peas, Corn or Beans for 25c.

Rice, Tapioca and Sago.

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Choice Butter, Fresh Eggs, Farmers' Cured Bacon,

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 1897.

NORWOOD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Keep cool—22 below zero.

Council meets on Monday night.

Good sleighing in town, at last.

80c. per bushel is being paid for wheat this week.

The noon mail arrived four hours late on Monday, owing to being carried through Havelock.

Annual congregational meeting at Presbyterian church to-night. Reports will be submitted and refreshments served.

Mr. D. A. Fraser won the mile race at Havelock skating rink on Thursday last, winning a handsome silver cup and beating Mr. Green, the Smith Falls hustler.

Our curlers played at Peterborough last night against Lindsay, which was the first of the series of the Colts' Midland Association.

Miss Anderson, of Whitby, and Miss Fowler, of Cobourg, having concluded a very pleasant visit in town, left for their respective homes on Tuesday.

Miss Susie Paget, Spring street, commences on Saturday a two months' trip, visiting friends and relatives at Toronto, Acton and Cenboro.

Miss Hart, of Toronto, demonstrator for the Appleton Tea Co., is in town this week serving up "5 o'clock tea" at J. B. Pearce's store.

J. B. Pearce is out of town attending to his duties at the county council.

Rev. J. C. Anderson preached missionary sermons at Grafton Methodist church last Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Payne of Warsaw spent Sunday with Mrs. Richard Nicol.

Miss Aggie Fraser spent Sunday at her home.

Misses Roxburgh and Andrews spent Saturday and Sunday at "Cessnock."

J. Nicoll arrived home from Hawkesborough last Friday.

Chas. O'Reilly is spending a few weeks under the parental roof.

W. J. Strong, inspector for the C. O. F., was in town Monday.

Mr. Harry Ford, son of Dr. Ford, arrived home from Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, for a few months recreation.

Mr. Samuel Leeson, who met with the bridge accident some time ago, visited Peterborough one day last week to consult the doctors there concerning his injuries. The interview was not of a cheering nature. We regret to learn that the doctors state that Mr. Leeson's injuries are incurable, and that he will always be hampered more or less through life.

Mr. R. J. Stewart, organizer for the C. O. F., visited Percy last week and succeeded in rolling up twenty new names for Court Warkworth, No. 638.

Grim Death has claimed another victim since last writing. Thomas Jones, a resident of Asphodel, died on Thursday morning, in his 60th year. The burial services were held on Saturday morning at ten o'clock, the remains being interred in the Norwood cemetery.

At the last regular meeting of the C. O. C.F., (Canadian Order Chosen Friends), the following list of officers were installed for the ensuing year:

Jno Walker	Past Councillor
Samuel Girvin	Chief "
A A Torrance	Vice "
M F Knox	Recorder
H Fry	Treasurer
A Knapp	Prelate
Thos Watson	Marshall
Jas Pengelly	Warden
Thos Rahal	Guard
Jno Harper	Sentry
Dr J G Moffat	M D

A very pretty wedding took place in Dummer on Wednesday of this week, at "Stony Dale," residence of the bride, the contracting parties being Miss Jennie Simpson, daughter of Charles Simpson, 9th line, and Mr. E. Hubble, son of Elijah Hubble, 12th line of Dummer. The groom was supported by W. Simpson, brother of the bride, and the bride was attended by Miss Alice Andrews. Rev. J. A. McCamus officiated in the presence of a number of invited guests. We extend our usual congratulations to the happy couple.

Rev. W. C. White, an old Norwood boy, and graduate at Wycliffe College, Toronto, left last week for the foreign mission field, to be associated with Rev. H. S. Phillips, in Fuh-kien province, China. His many friends in Norwood will wish him great success in his noble work.

At the annual meeting of the East Peterborough Agricultural Society, which was held on Wednesday, 20th inst., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mr. F. Birdsall.
1st Vice-Pres—Mr. T. Blezard, M.P.P.
2nd Vice-Pres—Mr. W. H. Pabbenson.
Directors—Messrs. Chas. Nicholls, Andrew Cameron, John Knox, J. B. Pearce, Jas. Johnston, Wm. Burgess, Geo. Elliott, Hugh Nelson and J. Breckenridge.
Hon. Director—Chas. O'Reilly.
Secretary-Treasurer—W. R. Roxburgh.
Auditors—W. H. Stephenson and Jas. Calder.

Mr. Birdsall was appointed delegate to the Association of Fairs and Exhibitions.

An additional $10 was granted to Mr. Convey, defraying expenses accrued through accident to his son during last exhibition.

The directors decided to purchase four acres of land adjoining the present grounds from Mr. Waters, at $150 per acre.

Mr. W.H. Stephenson who has leased his farm, Stony Dale, 9th line, to Mr. Simpson, disposed of his farm implements, etc., by auction last Saturday.

The first masquerade carnival of the season was held in the rink Friday evening, and was a grand success, a large number being present from the surrounding district. The races proved to be interesting, and regret was expressed that Mr. D. A. Fraser, through illness, could not enter the mile race. The total receipts of the evening were $115. The prizes were awarded as follows:

Mile race, gold medal—Mr. Green, Smith's Falls.
Half mile, (youth's race)—Harold McGregor.
Best dressed lady—Miss Fowler, Cobourg.
Best dressed girl—Grace Reynolds.
Best dressed gentlemen—Wm. Fry.
Best dressed boy—Chas. McKelvie.
Best comic dress (ladies)—Miss C. Calder.
Best comic dress (gentlemen)—Joseph Smith.
Best comic dress (girl)—Annie Beckett.
Best comic dress (boy)—Carl Pengelly.

Those dressed in costume were as follows:—

LADIES.

Mrs John Davidson	Queen Elizabeth
Miss Fanny King	Gipsy Girl
" Nellie Huycks	The Kite
" Fowler	The Bell of the Mohawks
" Geraldine Fallon	The Daisy Bride
" May Eaton	Scotch Lassie
" Butterfield	Chrysanthemum
" Ruth Birdsall	Red Riding Hood
" Gracie Reynolds	Kite
" May McNicholl	Arithmetic
" Lauretta Clancy	Welcome
" C Calder	Highland Fish Wife
" Clara McNichol	Queen of Hearts
" Amie Beckett	Chinese Girl
" Winnie Pengelly	Lady of Louis XIV
" Winnifred Hill	Vanity
" Ina Kempt	The Goddess of Love
" Emeline Fraser	Red Riding Hood
" Florence McNicholl	Stars and Stripes

GENTLEMEN.

Wm Frye	Spanish Cavalier
Albert Bettes	Jockey
Jos Smith (Havelock	Clown
Roy McKelvie	A Commodore Nut
Arthur Hall	Member of Boys' Brigade
Charlie McNicholl	Mrs Fisherty
Harry Rogers	Burlesque Soldier
Charlie McKelvie	Louis XIV as a Youth
Jas Anderson	Member of Boys' Brigade
Charlie Plant	A Turk
Charlie Ankey	Newsboy
John Sherry	Alsatian Boy
Duncan Anderson	Hockey Boy
Everett Birdsall	Newsboy
John Anderson	Medicine Seller
E Birdsall	Militia Officer

The second game of the O. H. A. junior series, Peterborough v. Norwood, was played here on Monday night, resulting in 4—2 in favour of the latter.

Mr. Edwin Squire has purchased the Norwood cheese factory from Mr. Hugh Spence, and will manage next season.

CURED OF SCIATICA.

Left Hip Affected—Suspected Kidney Kidney Trouble—Relieved and Perfectly Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 18 (Special)—Mr. H. Playter, is not a difficult man to find as everybody here knows that he is foreman at No. 1 Fire Hall. He was the picture of health when called upon by your correspondent and told his story thus:

"In April 1896 I suffered from a severe attack of Sciatica, affecting my left hip and the leg to the tip of my toes. I suspected it came from some form of kidney trouble and as they had been recommended I procured a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

At the end of the fourth day I was entirely relieved, but desiring a permanent cure I continued to use that and another box and am now cured cured and as well as ever in my life. A brother of mine living at Pine Orchard has been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

WESTWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Will Robb and Miss Kitty Robb were visiting their brother, Mr. Jas. Robb, last week.

Messrs. J. Rork and W. A. Eaton and Misses M. Eaton and A. Fowler were the guests of Mrs. Sharp last week.

Mrs. J. Sargent and son James, are visiting friends in Hastings.

Miss Maggie Comstock was the guest of Miss Maggie Cardwell on Sunday.

Mr. Stewart Payne of Warsaw was in the village on Sunday.

Miss Mary Emerson has returned home from visiting her sister, Mrs. M. Breckenridge.

Our village was fairly represented at the Norwood carnival on Friday evening. Nothing remarkable happened to mar the festivity of the occasion.

Owing to the grand skating on Wednesday last there was a considerable fall in hats and a fast rise in skates.

A Farmers' Institute will be held in the Town Hall on Friday next. The evening programme is as follows:

Chorus	Westwood Glee Club
Chairman's address	President
Song and Guitar accompaniment	Messrs Warr and Hunter
Address—"How to make money Farming"	Mr A Rawlings
Recitation	Miss Aggie McGrath
Solo and chorus	Mr George Eason and Glee club
Address	Dr Harrison, Keene
Quartette	Messrs Hunter, Comstock, McMillan and Warr
Address—"Different breeds of Poultry—their uses, characteristics and adaptability to the Farm"	Mr J E Meyers
Instrumental	Orchestra
Chorus	Glee Club

God Save the Queen.

Dr. Chase Cures Backache.

Kidney trouble generally begins with a single pain in the back, and in time developes into Bright's Disease. People troubled with stricture, impediments, stoppage of water, or a frequent desire to urinate at night, will find Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills a blessing. Read the wonderful cures in another column. One Pill is a dose, and if taken every other night will positively cure kidney troubles.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

A Lot of Newsy Paragraphs Rolled Down From the Despatches for Economy of Space.

Potatoes are selling at eight cents per bushel in Michigan.

The Tariff Commission closed its sitting at St. John, N.B., last night.

Mary Ann McCable died in Brooklyn yesterday, aged 105. She was never married.

The address in reply to the Queen's speech passed the British House of Commons last nigth.

Park Sterling and George Boon were found frozen to death by the roadside near Hamilton, Missouri, yesterday.

The arguments in the London election trial were continued yesterday, and the end is not in sight yet.

The funeral of Albert S. Willis, late U.S. Minister to Hayti, took place yesterday at Lexington, Kentucky.

The emigration from Newfoundland last year was 40 per cent. greater than in any former year in the colony's history.

Halifax parties interested in the steamship State of Georgia have given her up as lost. Her crew numbered about 20 men.

It is said Mr. Osler will bring fresh charges in the London election trial after the present case is finished if Major Beattie is not unseated.

Village Burned.

Utica, N.Y., Jan. 26.—The Village of Poland, Herkimer County, was nearly wiped out by fire last night. The loss is estimated at $50,000.

If we told you that your baby was starving, that it actually didn't get enough to eat, you might resent it. And yet there are thousands of babies who never get the fat they should in their food or who are not able to digest the fat that they do get. Fat is a necessity to your baby. It is baby life and baby beauty. A few drops of Scott's Emulsion for all little ones one, two and three years of age is better than cream for them. They thrive and grow on it.

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Canned Salmon, the best	10c
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N. B.—Outstanding accounts must be paid, as we require a large sum within the next thirty days. Brady's need is the housekeeper's opportunity.

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BONNIE JEAN 5¢ CIGAR
THE REASON IS PLAIN
IT IS AS GOOD AS MOST 10¢ CIGARS
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Pure Confectionery, plain and fancy.

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for the busy times soon to begin with us in erecting
MONUMENTS
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Talk the matter over now, and get your orders in for any work you want done in the spring or summer. If we can help you any in preparing the design or figuring out the cost, come in and we will be pleased to give you any information you require. At our show room and yard you can choose the best Canadian or Imported Granites and Marbles. All kinds of work done and satisfaction guaranteed. Monuments, Tombstones, Coping Posts and Cemetery work of any and every kind. Artistic designs and lettering faithfully executed and carved out.

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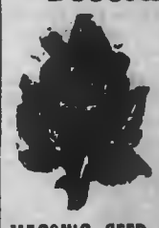

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NEWS FROM OTTAWA

Lord Aberdeen Pushing the India Famine Fund.

A FALLING OFF IN IMMIGRATION

Tablet to John Cabot to be Placed in the Parliament Buildings at Halifax—Official Report of the Railway Disaster at Dorchester, N.B.—Other Newsy Notes.

Ottawa, Jan. 27.—(Special.)—In regard to the fund for the relief of India, the Governor-General is actively engaged in pushing forward arangements in connection with this matter. His Excellency has addressed a letter to all the Lieutenant-Governors with reference to any steps which it may be thought proper to take in the various provinces. This letter will doubtless be published without delay. In accordance with a suggestion made to His Excellency by Mr. Weir, President of the Banque Ville Marie, blank forms for the use of banks, drawn up in the same shape as those in use for Government business, are being prepared, and a supply will be forwarded to the various banks for their branches. These forms, it is thought, will facilitate the arrangements for collecting and acknowledging receipt of contributions. Their supply will be arranged through the office of the honorary treasurer, with the Government's sanction.

With reference to the telegram received yesterday by His Excellency from the Chief Justice of Bengal, it should be mentioned that His Excellency sent a prompt reply, stating that a general movement had already been started in Canada, and that he was hopeful of good results. His Excellency has also communicated with the Viceroy of India.

The Merchants' Bank of Halifax telegraphed a $500 subscription to-day to the Canadian National Fund. Mayor Bingham's fund now reaches $2000.

His Excellency the Governor-General has sent this despatch to the managers of banks: "Ottawa, Jan. 25. Having arranged, after consultation with Dominion Ministry, to receive and transmit contributions from all parts of the Dominion for relief of distress in India, may I ask if you will kindly consent to arrange for subscriptions to this national fund to be taken charge of at your various branches?"

The Dominion Bank, in response to this despatch, started the list with a subscription of $1000. Other donations will be announced to-day.

Dr. Bourinot, Hon. Secretary of the Royal Society, has returned from Halifax, where arrangements were made for the meeting of the society in June. It has been decided to erect a suitable tablet to John Cabot in the Provincial Building, but this will not prevent the erection of a more costly and imposing monument in Cape Breton.

In connection with the celebration of the Queen's diamond jubilee it is proposed to ask that a day be set apart for the Cabot celebration. A statement made by Mr. Sandford Fleming, who arrived from England in time to be present at the meeting, indicated that co-operation can be secured from the municipal authorities of Bristol, and from the Italian Government, Cabot having been a native of Genoa.

The report of the Department of the Interior for 1896 will show somewhat of a falling off in immigration and settlement as compared with 1895. It also shows a reduction in revenue from land sales and like sources amounting to $32,361. The net cash receipts on account of Dominion lands were $166,264, as compared with $198,617 for the previous year. In addition to the cash receipts, however, scrip to the amount of $53,185 was taken in payment for land and rents, as against $31,897 in scrip received during 1895. The timber dues received during the last fiscal year amounted to $61,923, as against $74,079 the previous year. Homestead and inspection fees yielded $30,433, compared with $29,664. There was, however, an increase of $9080 in cash sales of Government lands, the amount received being $46,373, as against $37,293 during 1895.

The expenditure last year on account of Dominion lands amounted to $119,184, chargeable to income, besides $33,184 on capital account.

The immigration returns for the Dominion for the twelve months ending December last, show the total arrivals from Europe to be 25,571, compared with 25,478 for the previous year, or a decrease of 93.

The settlers in the Dominion for the year were 16,835, as compared with 18,617 for the previous year. Of the arrivals in 1896, 3643 were passengers to the United States, as against 6854 in 1895. The arrivals at the port of Quebec in 1896 were 15,409, at Halifax 6782, Montreal 2387, and St. John, N.B., 900. The returns for Manitoba, the Northwest and British Columbia show the arrivals to be 6206 for 1896, and 5871 for 1895.

An official report of yesterday's accident on the Intercolonial Railway near Dorchester reached the Department of Railways and Canals this morning from Mr. Pottinger, who was on the scene himself. The most careful scrutiny as to the cause of the accident was made as soon as the victims were removed from the wreck. The rails were found to be perfectly intact, and there was not a broken wheel on the coaches as they lay on the pond at the foot of the embankment. It may be that the frost had heaved the rails, but whatever the cause was will be fully ascertained by the officials of the road. Mr. Pottinger says that none of those reported injured are seriously hurt. Hon. Dr. Borden was badly cut about the face and head, but he is leaving St. John, N.B., this afternoon on the American Palace Car Company's combination coach "Boston," and will be in the Capital to-morrow noon. Sir Richard Cartwright, Hon. W. S. Fielding and Hon. Wm. Paterson will also be back to-morrow on the same train. The wrecked train was made up of C.P.R. coaches, but the officials in charge were all I.C.R. men, and the train is in fact in the hands of the Intercolonial until it reaches St. John, when it continues east over the Canadian Pacific Railway short line. Telegrams of congratulations have been coming in since yesterday afternoon to the Department of Militia, addressed to Hon. Dr. Borden, and expressing pleasure at his happy escape.

The British Consul at Rio Janeiro has cabled the Government calling attention to the fact that 11 more families of Canadians, comprising 44 persons in all, who left Montreal for Brazil last summer, are now in an extremely destitute condition there. The Consul-General wished to know whether the Government would become responsible for the cost of transporting the people to their homes in Canada. The Premier has sent a reply in the affirmative.

A message came to the Minister of Marine and Fisheries this morning from Victoria, B. C., to the effect that the Sealing Commission will finish the taking of evidence by the end of this week, and the commissioners and counsel will all be coming east without delay. There will probaby be a sitting in Montreal for argument.

The Premier has declined the invitation of the Washington's Birthday Celebration Committee of Chicago to speak at the banquet to be held in that city on Feb. 22 next.

It has been found that pilotage commissioners at different ports of Canada have been voting themselves commissions out of fees, under a provision of the law which allows them the expenses and salary of a secretary. The matter was brought to the notice of the Minister of Marine, who decided to-day that the practice must cease forthwith. The appointment of commissioner is supposed to be an honorary one.

The death is announced of Rev. Father Jouvert, who was well known in Ottawa some years ago. The reverend father was the first parish priest of Buckingham, a post he held for several years. He had for his curate the present Archbishop of Ottawa. When His Grace was appointed Archbishop he had for his first Vicar-General Father Jouvert, who afterwards resigned his position and returned to France.

Hon. L. H. Davies yesterday wired acceptance of a contract with Job Bros. of St. John's, Nfld., for a sealer in every way suited for the Hudson Bay expedition. She is not the craft for which the department had been bargaining, but is considered better for the purpose, and was offered for a smaller consideration. Dr. Wakeham will be given command of the expedition.

The County of Frontenac wants the co-operation of Carleton County to petition the Tariff Commissioners to place crude oil, coal oil, wire for fencing, and all raw material not produced in Canada on the free list. The Frontenac Council has sent down a blank petition all ready for their fellow-councillors in Carleton to fill in.

The Supreme Court will open its sitting on Feb. 16. The first business will be the hearing of the election appeals in the following cases: Assiniboia, Macdonald, St. Antoine division of Montreal, Lunenburg, Beauharnois, Marquette, Winnipeg, Selkirk and West Prince.

Dr. Chamberlain of Toronto, Inspector of Public Charities, has been in the city for a couple of days, looking into the difference between the medical staff and the Carleton County General Protestant Hospital, as a result of which difference the leading doctors have applied for a charter for a new hospital. It is understood that Dr. Chamberlain had advised the directors of the hospital that unless they arrange their difference with the doctors and institute a new method of government they will forfeit the grant of $5000 which the province gives annually to the hospital.

The franchise bill which will be introduced next session has been drafted and is now being reviewed by the Premier and Sir Oliver Mowat. Its chief provision is the acceptance of the provincial lists for federal election purposes.

A local tailor has been summoned for running an art distribution in connection with his business. It is alleged that the distribution is really a lottery under another name.

It seems now to be generally accepted that Parliament will meet on March 11 next.

The Department of Railways and Canals is calling for tenders for a supply of Portland cement.

Communications have been received at the Department of Fisheries from farmers on the Northumberland Straits asking the privilege of digging mussel mud to place on their farms. Some time ago the department stopped the practice, on the ground that the oyster beds have been depleted.

The net profit which the Dominion made on its coinage, minted in England, last year was $76,601, of which amount $69,484 was profit on silver and $7123 on copper coinage.

Dr. McEachran, Chief Veterinary Inspector of the Dominion, is investigating the recent outbreak of hog cholera in the Counties of Essex and Kent, Ont. He has been instructed to work in conjunction with the provincial authorities.

HAVE YOU CATARRH?

But One Sure Remedy—Obtain It for 25 Cents, Blower Included, and be Cured.

Catarrh is a disagreeable and offensive disease. It usually results from a cold and often ends in consumption and death. The one effective remedy so far discovered for it is Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure.

Physicians failed to cure Geo. Belfrey, toll-gate keeper, Holland Landing road. Chase's Catarrh Cure did it.

One box cured William Kneeshaw and two boxes James T. Stoddard, both of West Gwillimbury.

Division Court Clerk Joel Rogers, Robert J. Hoover and Geo. Taylor, all of Keston, voluntarily certify to the efficacy of Chase's Catarrh Cure.

J. W. Jamison, of Gilford, spent nearly $200 on doctors, but found no permanent relief until he tried a 25-cent box of Chase's.

Miss Dwyer, of Alliston, got rid of a cold in the head in 12 hours.

Henry R. Nicholls, 176 Rectory street, London, tried a box with excellent effect.

Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure is for sale by any dealer, or by Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto. Price 25 cents including blower.

Coughs, colds and bronchial troubles quickly cured by the potent discovery, Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine. Pleasant and easy to take. 25 cents.

Don't worry. Don't run into debt. Don't trifle with your health. Don't try experiments with medicines. Don't waste time and money on worthless compounds. Don't be persuaded to take a substitute for Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the best of blood-purifiers.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures Diarrhœa, Dysentry, Cramps, Colic, Cholera-Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. Never travel without it. Price 35c.

SUFFERING IN CHICAGO

One Man Frozen to Death Yesterday and Others With Hands Frozen—The Relief Measures.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Bitterly cold weather aggravated by wind continued to afflict the people of Chicago to-day. To-night the official report was that of three successive days of a temperature below zero, and in the double figures most of that time. Slightly warmer weather is predicted for to-morrow. An unknown man was found frozen to death on the outskirts of the village of Tuney Park this morning. James McCork and George Wernts, a telegraph operator, were found at an early hour near together on Wells-street with both their hands frozen. Many less severe cases of freezing were reported during the day. The Mayor's special subscription fund reached nearly $10,000 this afternoon and many thousands of dollars worth of supplies were received from citizens in lieu of cash. The whole available police force was utilised day and night to ascertain the needs of sufferers and distribute the relief in patrol wagons and ambulances. It is estimated that 15,000 persons have been given enough food, fuel and clothing to keep them from extreme suffering since the Mayor's proclamation was issued.

THE WOMEN TOO.

Back Talk Not Man's Monopoly.

Mrs. Jemima Cole, Havelock, told the following wonderful story:—"For a great many years I have suffered from disease of the kidneys. The pains in my back and side were sometimes excruciating.

"My limbs were so swollen that I could scarcely lift my feet from the floor, and I was in great agony nearly all the time. I thought that I would surely die from the pain.

"I have taken dozens of advertised remedies, aut got no better during their use. I was also treated by several doctors, but am sorry to say they did me little or no good. In fact they stated that they could do me no good, which made me despair of ever getting better.

"When I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised I sent to W. H. Jeff & Co's. drugstore and got a box thinking I would try them as a last resort.

"The change from the start was very great and now after one month I am free from all pain. The swelling has gone down and I feel quite strong and healthy.

"I was also troubled with rheumatism and neuralgia which have completely disappeared, thanks to the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. In fact I do not think there is a medicine in the world that in such a short time could have taken me from the almost dying condition in which I was to the healthy and vigorous state that I am in now.

"I recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for their wonderful virtues in curing kidney troubles."

For sale by J. J. Lynch, druggist, 168 Hunter street, Peterborough.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego Cal. says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 359 George Street.

The D. & L. Emulsion

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The D. & L. Emulsion
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Now is the time to buy if you want snaps in Overcoats, Suits, Underwear and Furnishings of all kinds, as everything is reduced.

Ordered Clothing also made up at Reduced Prices and all Cloths cut down in price.

Come and take stock of our Bargains while we are taking stock and reducing everything in the store.

H. Le Brun & Co.

There is Such a Thing

As wearing Glasses when you shouldn't, and not wearing them when you should.

It is a mistake to do either.

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Doors, Sash and all kinds of House Finish.

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Our Remnant event is always attended by eager buyers. Those who know a good thing at sight can get some excellent ends suitable for Men's Trousers and Boy's Suits.

If you wish to participate in the regular profits on these goods, and seize this money saving opportunity, do so between now and Saturday evening.

Mercer's

Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Correction.

The Illustrated Lecture in Grace church by Mr. Miller, for last Tuesday, was postponed just one week, making it next Tuesday instead of Thursday as stated.

Our German import order of Musical Goods is expected on Saturday, Jan. 30th. Need we inform you that prices will be away down for superior goods? Old stand. Peterborough Music Co.

The Nassau Bridge.

The Central Bridge Company has just been notified that it has been awarded the contract for the erection of the bridge over the canal at Nassau.

Gentlemen

Who have lost all or part of their hair, should not miss seeing Prof. Dorenwend's latest styles in Wigs and Toupees. They are true to nature and no one could tell you had one on. Call at Huffman House on Monday, February 8th. 2w16

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Men's Heavy all wool Pea Jackets, in grey and black Friese and Blue Nap, lined with heavy all wool Tweed Lining, Grafton & Co's. regular price $5, sale price during sale 3.95.

The Y. W. C. A. Boarding House.

Persons desirous of contributing towards the furnishing of the boarding house to be opened under the auspices of the Y.W.C.A., may do so by sending any articles that would be useful in house furnishing to 168 Brock street, on and after Feb. 1st. Dining room and kitchen utensils are especially needed.

Miss Shaw's Death.

The Toronto Mail and Empire has the following reference to the death of Miss Lulu Shaw, daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Shaw, formerly of Peterborough, and sister of Dr. Shaw of Keene: "Her many friends will regret to learn of the death of Miss Lulu Shaw, youngest daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Shaw. Miss Shaw had been in California for about a year and only returned to Toronto ten days ago."

To the North Pole.

Lieut. Perry, the explorer, wants some one with about $100,000 to help him find the missing north pole. Now, if any one has an interest to that extent in this discovery now is the chance. But when the expedition is being fitted out we cannot suppose that any person would venture so far without a supply of nice fresh groceries from E. BROWN & Co's., 294 George street. P. S.—Best Snow, Greening and Northern Spy Apples on hand.

The Stock-taking Sale at Oak Hall

will continue the remainder of this week. The goods must be cleared out and with that object in view we have decided to give the purchaser all the profit. Here are some of the bargains—Men's Overcoats at $1.72 and $3.47. Men's single and double-breasted Beaver Coats, black and blue, regular prices $5 50 and $6, sale price $4 and $4.50; men's black and blue Beaver Overcoats with velvet collar, elegantly lined and finished, regular price $9.50 and $10, sale price $7; a large number of all wool Overcoats, tailor-made, regular prices $7.50, $9.50, $10 and $11, sale price, $6; men's double-breasted Frieze Suits, regular price $6, sale price, $3.25; men's all wool Tweed Suits, regular price $7 and $8.50, sale price $5 and $6.50.

ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

THE MANAGERS PRESENT A SATISFACTORY REPORT.

The Report of the Session, Including Statements from Each of the Church Societies.

The congregation of St. Andrew's Church held its annual business meeting last night, preceded by the usual congregational tea, which was served between the hours of 5.30 and 7.30 p.m.

Devotional exercises were held at a quarter to eight o'clock, after which the pastor, Rev. J. G. Potter was requested to occupy the chair.

During the evening a quartette composed of Mrs. Jones, Miss Maggie Fowler and Messrs. Mulligan and Jones gave several selections.

THE REPORT OF THE SESSION

was read by Rev. J. G. Potter as follows:

In presenting its report for 1896 the Session expresses its deep sense of gratitude to the King and head of the church for continued guidance and progress during the past year. It was with deep regret that we were called upon in April to part with our late pastor, the Rev. A. MacWilliams, B.A., yet we are glad to learn that he is doing faithful service in his present charge in Hamilton. After a vacancy of five months the pastorate was filled, and the work has gone steadily forward. While the long vacancy has thrown a shadow over the financial and numerical strength of the various organizations under our care, yet it is with the greatest degree of pleasure and satisfaction in reviewing their work to notice the renewed interests and the spirit of hopefulness that augurs well for the year upon which we have entered. Communion services, the regular Sabbath services and weekly prayer meetings have been well attended.

During the year 35 were admitted, 24 by certificate and 11 by profession of faith.

We were called upon in the providence of God to chronicle four deaths:
Miss F. Carruth re, McDonel street.
Mrs. Brownlee, Aylmer street.
Mrs. Chas. Thompson, lot 26, Otonabee.
Mr. Thos. Telford, 66 Paterson street.

The membership roll is now 341.

For Sessional fund the receipts were $23.20; for relief, etc., $20.25 was expended, leaving a balance on hand of $7.95.

Special collection for Sailors' Mission, $24.00.

THE SABBATH SCHOOL.

The Sabbath School report is exceedingly encouraging, notwithstanding the discouraging features of the year. The attendance averaged 220 per Sabbath, 174 in school and 46 in Bible class. During the summer months the attendance fell very low, but since the holiday season the average attendance has been 252. The Library contains 450 volumes which are used by the scholars and to some extent by the members of the congregation. The Sunday School Association is anxious that if the library is to be open for general use the congregation would help as much as possible in keeping it well supplied. The librarians sent 36 volumes to Mount Pleasant Sabbath school. The school and Bible class were able last year to devote $8 to missions and the Association regrets their inability to do much at this time. Many of our scholars have shown a spirit of self-denial and have set aside a definite portion each Sabbath for some special mission interest. Mrs. Waddell's class gave $50 to Pointe Aux Trembles school for the support of a pupil. Mr. Mulligan is superintendent, with a staff of very efficient officers and faithful teachers.

THE Y. P. S. C. E.

The Christian Endeavour report is very encouraging. During the five months of vacancy the Society took charge of the Weekly Prayer Meeting, and thus retained their influence and interest in the church and kept up the continuity of the weekly service. Members 44; total Receipts $76 86. The members have been active in raising money by lectures and subscriptions for piano fund, and by special collection amongst members have been able to devote $30 to the New Hebrides Mission, and $5.10 for the mission schemes of the church. The Society has adopted the plan of study suggested by the General Assembly and look forward to a very profitable year. The various committees have been faithful and that has made the society prosperous. We quote the closing sentence of the report:—"We begin the new year with hearts full of gratitude to Him who has dealt so generously with us in the past, and encouraged by our experience we trust and believe that the year upon which we have entered will be the most successful in the history of the society. Mr. F. W. Gladman is the President.

JUNIOR C. ENDEAVOUR.

One of the most promising and inspiring features of any church is to see its young people taking an interest in the study of God's Word. While this is so in the senior society it is a pleasant thing to see the earnestness with which the juniors take hold of their meetings. One is charged with the preparation of the topic and in this all are interested. Social gatherings were held twice during the year. The Flower Committee provided a number of bouquets, and attaching cards with texts of scripture distributed them among the patients in the Nicholl's Hospital.

While the home duties were not neglected help was given to various mission interests:—The Sailor's Mission received $5, in July, and $5 in December; the Harvey School $3; Student's Mission $5; the Armenians $1.75; leaving a balance of $14 which has been given to treasurer to make up mission deficit. The society is society is superintended by Miss M. Forsythe.

THE LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

As usual our women have not been idle and the report shows activity and deep interest. The report says: "Our meetings have been very helpful and of a very pleasant nature. We have tried to follow the Master's words: 'Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these my brethern ye have done it unto me.'"

Regular meetings have been held. Refreshments provided at several congregational functions. Conveniences for work in the kitchen arranged for made quilts for Pointe-Aux-Trembles school and distributed donations in December. The treasurer's statement shows $89.77, of which $11.09 was expended, leaving a balance of $13.06 on hand.

Miss M. Forsythe is president, and Mrs Jones secretary. Mrs. McClelland was present when the report was arranged.

W. F. M. S.

While our women have been active in the interest of the church work here they have not forgotten the claims of Foreign Mission work. It is most gratifying to see what has been done and to find thus with the strong appeal that comes from the church on behalf of suffering and perishing womanhood there is manifested a ready and hearty response in the hearts of our women. With the two "life membership" fees of Miss Forsythe and Miss Lundy, amounting to $50, the society has raised $179.09. The Auxiliary also sent to the Northwest contributions worth $93.83.

The Session would earnestly recommend to all our women the blessedness and great helpfulness of all our woman taking an interest in both Societies, as it not only should tend to social intercourse but the influence of forces united along the lines laid down by these two Societies, yield incalculable benefits to the Church at home and abroad. Mrs. A. Stewart is President; Miss Weddell is Secretary.

THE CHOIR.

Of the choir the Session must speak in the highest praise. For regularity of attendance, efficiency of service and order and devotion in the sanctuary, they merit the greatest commendation. Throughout the whole year the interest never abated, for even during the vacation, out of a membership of 28, there was an average attendance of 19. They report having sung 154 anthems, besides special music, which represents a great deal of work. Your Session is glad to note the harmony and good will existing, and we do feel that in the service of praise these elements are of great value. The success of the choir is due to the very efficient leadership of Mr. G. W. Mulligan—to the courtesy of our organist, Miss Mary Grant, and the loyalty of the leaders in song. The choir plead for recognition, financially, so that they may be able to secure a permanent system of supply, and thus make the song service still more acceptable.

The financial statement shows $26.30, with expenditure amounting to $26.90, leaving deficit of 60 cents.

THE MANAGERS' REPORT

as submitted by Dr. Bell, showed the receipts to be as follows:

Balance on hand from 1895...		$ 22 78
Arrears, 1895.....		15 65
Subscriptions for 1896	$ 1,702 71	
Collections for 1896	272 98	1,975 69
Special subscriptions towards deficit.....		44 70
Invested property account...		431 22
		$ 2,489 54

The salaries amounted to $1,633.60, and incidentals footed up to $295.54 more, leaving a balance on hand of $26.08.

Messrs. T. Fitzgerald and R. J. McWilliams were re-elected to positions on the Managing Board, which is composed as follows.—Dr. Bell, chairman, and Messrs. J. D. Tully, A. Macfarlane, John Stanger, T. Fitzgerald, R. J. McWilliams and F. W. Gladman.

Mr. John McClelland was re-elected a member of the Nicholls Hospital Trust.

Mr. Wm. Fowler was chosen to represent St. Andrew's on the Town Charity Board.

Votes of thanks were passed to the managers and choir for their services during the year.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

CURLIANA.

The Peterborough Colts won the draw in the northern group of the Midland Colts Association at the rink last night by defeating two Lindsay rinks of Colts by one and eight shots respectively.

As stated in yesterday's issue the local boys won from Campbellford last night. Norwood and Lindsay met yesterday afternoon and, as predicted, Lindsay was the winner, the score being as follows:

Lindsay.	*Norwood.*
RINK NO. 1.	
W Williamson,	W Fry,
S Robinson,	T Finlay,
W Greer,	J McKelvey,
T McConnell, skip..27	J Cumming, skip....18
RINK NO. 2.	
A Storer,	W R Cameron,
J Hart,	M McGregor,
F Walters,	W Clancy,
J McSweyn, skip..12	F W Ashe, skip.....12
Total.....45	Total.....36

Majority for Lindsay, 19 shots.

In the evening Lindsay and Peterborough met to play off and the Colts from Campbellford and Norwood remained to see the game, and they will never regret having done so. It was a case of "when Greek meets Greek." Flushed with the victories of their recent bonspiel, the Lindsayites were naturally confident, but deep down in the hearts of the Peterborough boys was a fixed determination to retrieve the laurels lost to Lindsay earlier in the season and prove that the rising generation of Peterborough was made of the stuff to put and keep old Peterborough at the top of the heap in the curling arena.

The game was one beautiful to look at throughout. There was no laying down of stones with the eyes shut, or anything of that kind. The Lindsay boys played well—played magnificently, and as Skip Horkins says, "they kept us guessing all the time," but the local Colts were more than a match for their guests, and the scores of veterans who came down to the rink to see the game were greatly pleased with the way the two young skips built up their ends and out-generalled the Lindsay men who, to give them their just due, fought gamely until the last stone was played.

Curlers will understand the exciting nature of a contest in which there was not a single fluke—a contest in which no end larger than a "three" was scored, and in which the average was not even two.

The rinks were composed as follows:

Lindsay.	*Peterborough.*
RINK NO. 1.	
H Williamson,	J S Knapman,
S Robinson,	G S Matthews,
W Greer,	E Rutherford,
T McConnell, skip..10	G J Horkins, skip.....18
RINK NO. 2.	
A Storer,	H R H Kenner,
J Hart,	Gus Hay,
F Walters,	C N Brown,
J McSweyn, skip...13	D Davidson, skip.....14
23	32

Majority for Peterborough, 9 shots.

Skip Horkins secured a three end right at the start. Luck seemed somewhat against Skip Dickson Davidson when building up his first end and there seemed no chance for him to score, but with his last stone he raised one in and lay shot getting a cheer from the crowd for the fine play. An idea of the closeness of the game can probably be better given than any other way by the publishing of the detailed score, which was as follows:

Horkins.	McConnal.	Davidson.	McSweyn.
1— 3	x	1	x
2— x	1	x	1
3— x	3	x	1
4— 1	x	1	x
5— 1	x	x	2
6— 1	x	1	x
7— 1	x	x	2
8— x	2	2	x
9— 2	x	x	1
10— 1	x	1	x
11— x	1	x	3
12— 1	x	2	x
13— x	1	1	x
14— 2	x	1	x
15— x	2	x	1
16— 1	x	1	x
17— 1	x	1	x
18— 2	x	x	2
13	10	14	13

If the Peterborough Colts win from the victors in the southern group and secure the trophy, the boys should certainly be banquetted upon their return to town. The final draw will probably be played off next week.

It is learned that Port Hope won in the southern group draw yesterday.

HOCKEY.

The senior team goes to Norwood for a practice game next week.

There is nothing in the rumour that the Ottawa's are coming to Peterborough for a game next week.

When such good reports are coming in of the work done by the Belleville and Port Hope teams, an effort should have been made to bring both sevens here long ago.

The Millbrook hockey team comes up for an exhibition game to-night with one of Peterborough's intermediate teams. As the Millbrook boys have been playing fast hockey this year the match should be an interesting one. The teams will line up as follows:

Millbrook		*Peterborough.*
Whyte	goal	F Dixon
Coombe	point	R Glover
O'Leach	cover point	R Thorne
J Nattress	forwards	W Crossley
T Nattress		H King
P Leach		C Graham
Duncan		R Davidson

—Australia has turned against the customs of her mother country and agreed to abolish barmaids. The act does not go into effect until June 1899, but after that date the barmaid, who has little but tradition to defend her, will be seen no more in the Antipodes.

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"In September, 1894, I made a misstep and injured my ankle. Very soon afterwards,

A Sore

two inches across formed and in walking to favor it I sprained my ankle. The sore became worse; I could not put my boot on and I thought I should have to give up at every step. I could not get any relief and had to stop work. I read of a cure of a similar case by Hood's Sarsaparilla and concluded to try it. Before I had taken all of two bottles the sore had healed and the swelling had gone down. My

Foot

is now well and I have been greatly benefited otherwise. I have increased in weight and am in better health. I cannot say enough in praise of Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. H. BLAKE, So. Berwick, Me.

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Hood's Pills the best family cathartic and liver stimulant. 25c

CARNIVAL TO-MORROW NIGHT.

NIFFS VS. BIFFS.

An Exciting Game of Hockey Between these two Clubs.

Yesterday afternoon by the air of subdued excitement which pervaded the skating rink, it was apparent that something out of the usual run was in the wind.

At about five o'clock Mr. Angus McIntosh diligently scoured the galleries and waiting rooms and ejected the small boys, after which the young ladies took possession of the ice, and in a moment the rink was re-echoing with their laughter.

It was the occasion when the Niffs were about to endeavour to reverse the score of the last game, which resulted somewhat disastrously for them.

The two teams lined up as follows:

Niffs.		*Biffs.*
F Hamilton	goal	L Hamilton
Geraldine King	point	E Ackerman
Ada McBain	cover point	Madge Davidson
Linda Hall	forwards	Gertie Kendry
Pearl Hamilton		Katie Davidson
Madge McGill		M Hamilton
Mabel Bradburn		Pearl Lundy

At the close of the hour's play the score stood five goals to three in favour of the Niffs.

The scoring for the victors was done by Mabel Bradburn, Madge McGill, Pearl Hamilton and Linda Hall and for the Biffs by M. Hamilton, Pearl Lundy and Gertie Kendry.

The Lindsay young ladies are anxious to come over for a game and doubtless a match will be arranged during February.

PERSONAL.

Miss Mary O'Brien is spending a few days with friends in Peterborough.

Mrs. J. W. Gilbard, of Toronto, is visiting Mrs. Salisbury, Stewart street.

Mr. George Watson is visiting his sister Mrs. J. S. Sharpe, of Cadmus.

Mrs. J. P. Hurley will be at home on Fridays during the winter, at 569 Water street.

Miss M. R. O'Brien, of Douro, has returned home after spending a few days with friends in town.

Miss Louisa Sullivan, second daughter of Mr. J. C. Sullivan, Ashburnham, has returned to St. Joseph's Convent School, Lindsay, to pursue her studies.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer. Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 28,—8.30 a. m.....16° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	28°	15°

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We don't expect much profit while we are stock-taking. Go at random to any of our book shelves, show cases, tables or counters, pick on any of the stock, the prices are all at low ebb. We own goods that were bought exceptionally cheap. They are being sold at prices that can be only matched by indifference to costs and values. Our Stock-Taking Sale is the crowning sale of the year. Take stock of these sample quotations:—

25 sheets Note Paper and 25 Envelopes, done up in a pretty box, for..... 10c
5 quires St. Neot's Note Paper, a fine, smooth writing paper, for 20c; single quire, 24 sheets, for..... 5c
5 packages Envelopes to match, 18c; single package for 4c
5 gross good Cream Note Paper, plain or ruled, for 35c; single quire for..... 8c
5 packages good Cream Envelopes to match 35c; single package..... 8c
Windsor Newton's Best Artist's Colours, regular price 10 cents, for..... 7c
Invitation Cards and Envelopes, regular price 25c per package, for..... 19c
Writing Tablets, containing 100 sheets, good note paper, padded, regular 10c, for..... 5c
Six packages Cyclists Playing Cards, $1; single package 17c
Nine packages Boston Playing Cards $1; single package 12c
1000 good Business Envelopes, for..... 72c
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MEN'S SUITS AND PANTS (To Order)

$4.50 Pants to order.....	reduced to	$ 3 00
$5.00 Pants to order.....	reduced to	3 50
$13.50 Suits to order.....	reduced to	10 00
$17.00 Tweed Suits to order.....	reduced to	13 00
$20.00 Tweed Suits to order.....	reduced to	15 00
$16.00 Worsted Coat and Vest to order.....	reduced to	13 00

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All our Trimmed Millinery at exactly HALF PRICE.

25 All Wool Tams, were 30c and 35c.....	reduced to	$ 0 15
All our Fez Caps.....	reduced to	0 20

All Felt Hats and Sailors, being cleared, regardless of cost.

JACKETS, CAPES AND FUR EDGINGS.

The balance of our Monflo Fur Edging.....	reduced to	$ 0 15 yd.
The balance of our Beaver Fur Edging.....	reduced to	0 35 yd.
The balance of our Bear Fur Edging.....	reduced to	0 50 yd.
The balance of our Sable Fur Edging.....	reduced to	0 75 yd.
Balance of our $3.50 Jackets.....	reduced to	2 00
Balance of our $5.00 Jackets.....	reduced to	3 50
1 $12.50 Fur Lined Cape.....	reduced to	8 00
2 $18.00 Fur Lined Capes.....	reduced to	11 00
$20.00 Matallasie Capes.....	reduced to	9 80
$22.00 Matallasie Capes.....	reduced to	10 00
$25.00 Matallasie Capes.....	reduced to	12 00
$18.00 Jackets.....	reduced to	10 00
2 Sealette Jackets, were $37.50.....	reduced to	25 00
1 Sealette Jacket, was $20.00.....	reduced to	11 00

You see by the price that we do not intend to carry over a single winter garment.

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3 pieces All Wool Tweed Dress Goods, were 50c.....	reduced to	25c
2 pieces Fancy Plaid Dress Goods, were 50c.....	reduced to	35c
200 yards Pongee Silk Dress Goods, were 25c.....	reduced to	20c

25 per cent. off all our Black Jet Trimmings.

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Special prices on all our Cashmere Gloves.

All our 25c Veilings.....	reduced to	18c

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1000 yards New Flannelettes.....	only	$ 5
200 yards 15c Grey Flannel.....	only	12½
All Wool Blankets.....	only	2 50
All Wool 12½c Flannelette.....	only	10

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DAY STUDENTS.

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NIGHT SCHOOL.

The Night School will close the last of April. Those entering now will only be charged for THREE MONTHS COURSE.

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Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 1897.

FIRST SESSION OF THE NEW COUNTY COUNCIL

UNDER THE COUNTY COUNCILS' ACT OF 1896.

An Asphodel Deputation—The Historical Society Endorsed — Mud Lake Bridge Maintenance—The Town's Co-Operation to be Asked.

THIRD DAY—THURSDAY.

The council went into session this morning, the Warden in the chair.

After routine,

A deputation from the township of Asphodel, consisting of Mr. James Andrews, reeve, Mr. W. Oakman, deputy-reeve, and Mr. Robert Tudhope, appeared before the council, asking that "Steele's bridge be replaced by a new structure. Referred to the Roads and Bridges Committee, on motion of Messrs. Pearce and Brown.

Mr. Pearce, chairman, presented the report of the Committee on

PRINTING AND PETITIONS,

as follows:

The Committee on Printing and Petitions beg leave to report as follows:

1. That Mr. Pearce be chairman of this committee.

2. That the county clerk be instructed to grant to the Norwood Register and the Lakefield News alternately the printing of the list of convictions, and the assessment schedules, required by law to be published and printed, at the same price as last year.

3. That all other county printing be divided by the clerk between THE EXAMINER, Review and Times in as equal a manner as possible and that the division of such printing and the terms thereof as arranged between the interested parties and the county clerk be confirmed, save and except that the county clerk in his judgment is to apportion to the Lakefield News and Norwood Register a fair proportion of printing which he shall consider those offices to be entitled to and is to give the printing of assessment and collectors rolls and tax sales either to the Review or the EXAMINER.

4. That the County Treasurer be instructed to procure sufficient copies of the "List of Tax Sales" for this year so as to forward at least twenty copies to each post office in the County.

5. Your committee recommend that no action be taken with respect to the circular letter from the County of Frontenac asking the Dominion Government to place certain articles upon the free list in their contemplated Tariff revision.

6. Your committee recommend that no action be taken upon the petition asking this Council to memorialize the Legislature in respect to the killing of sheep by dogs.

7. Your committee recommend that no action be taken with respect to the circular letter from the County of Wentworth asking for reduction of fees of registrars of Registry Offices and for special legislation as to toll roads.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. B. PEARCE, Chairman.

County County Chambers, Peterborough, January 27th, 1897.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Middleton presented the report of the Committee

APPOINTMENTS AND PROPERTY.

The report recommended the appointment of all the old officials with the exception of jail surgeon. Clause 5 recommended that Dr. Caldwell be made jail surgeon at a salary of $150 per year.

Messrs. Casement and Eastland moved the adoption of the report.

Messrs. Burnham and Pearce moved in amendment that the name of Dr. Scott be substituted.

The amendment was declared lost by the Warden, after which Mr. Burnham amended his amendment, to the effect that the report be referred back to the committee, which was carried.

THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

A communication was read from T. A. S. Hay, Hon. Secretary of the Peterborough Town and County Historical Society, asking the county to co-operate in forwarding the objects of the Society.

Mr. Burnham described somewhat in detail the aims and objects of the society and indicated how worthy it was of such assistance as the council could give and he moved, seconded by Mr. Pearce, that the council assure the Historical Society of its sympathy with its objects and aims and that it will do all in its power by granting them such documents and things in its possession as are not required by the county and which may be of historical value to the society and that Messrs. Burnham, Casement and the Warden be a committee to act with the clerk in dealing with the matter. After further remarks from Mr. Burnham and Mr. Pearce the motion was carried.

HAVELOCK LOCK-UP.

On motion of Messrs. Brown and Pearce the request of the village of Havelock for help to build a village lock-up was referred to the Finance Committee.

BELMONT'S REQUEST.

On motion of Messrs. Pearce and Brown the application of Belmont for an appropriation of $100 for the boundary line between Belmont and Hastings, was referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

A communication from Mr. Charles Coben, reeve of Galway, respecting county assessment rates was referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Pearce introduced a bylaw to confirm the appointment of county officials which was duly passed.

Mr. Duncan Walker, Public School Inspector, Peterborough, applied for appointment on the Board of County Examiners.—Referred to the Committee on Appointments.

MUD LAKE BRIDGE.

Mr. Burnham brought up the subject of the maintenance of the Mud Lake bridge, which cost the county a large sum for maintenance. He expressed the opinion that the town should assist in defraying the cost of maintenance. He believed that if the matter was presented to the town that they would co-operate with the county, and he moved that a committee be appointed to confer with the town council on the subject.

Mr. Pearce said he understood that when the question of the joint maintenance of the Pigeon Creek bridge was under discussion, the town council promised to help maintain the Mud Lake bridge also.

The motion passed, and the following were named as the committee: Messrs. Moloney, Burnham, Casement, Middleton and Pearce.

Mr. Pearce moved that Messrs. Casement, Burnham and the mover be a committee to consider the advisability of consolidating the bylaws of the county, and report.—Carried, and the council adjourned.

CARNIVAL TO-MORROW NIGHT.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES.

The following are the newly elected officers of Tent Peterborough, No. 69:

L C Druley	Sir Knight P C
J Titterson	Sir Knight C
R Morrison	Sir Knight L C
J A Woodard	Sir Knight R F K
C S Curran	Sir Knight Chaplain
Dr W D Scott	Sir Knight Physician
S W English	Sir Knight Sergeant
R Kerr	Sir Knight Master at Arms
W H Wilson	Sir Knight 1st M of G
R McGregor	Sir Knight 2nd M of G
J Danaford	Sir Knight Sentinel
W J Lacheur	Sir Knight Picket

Auditing Committee—R Kerr, L C Druley, R Morrison.

ASHBURNHAM BRIEFS.

Rev. J. J. Rae to Deliver One of His Popular Lectures on February 26th.

The question of annexation is beginning to excite attention in the village.

Rev. J. J. Rae, of Peterborough, is to give his celebrated lecture, "Marriage—is it a success or a failure?" in Mark street church, Ashburnham, on Friday evening, Feb. 26th, under the auspices of the E. L. of C. E. The funds are in aid of the Peterborough Y.W.C.A.

The regular meeting of the Mark street W.M.S. on Wednesday, Feb. 3rd, at 3 o'clock in the church promises to be an interesting one.

Prof. Dorenwend

Will be in Peterborough at the Huffman House on Monday, February 8th, with a complete line of 1897 styles in art Hair Goods, consisting of Ladies' Wigs, Bangs, Frontpieces, Switches, etc. As the Prof. always has his hands full when here, intending callers should call early as he cannot stay over the time stated. 2w16

Tobacco Business Changed Hands.

Having purchased the tobacco business formerly carried on by Ed. B. Clegg, No. 215 George street, I have re-stocked the store with a full and well-selected assortment of choice cigars, tobaccoes, pipes and smoker's sundries, and solicit a share of public patronage. Prices low enough to suit all.—W. B. RICKEY. d

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THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

CENTRAL CANADA LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY

OF ONTARIO,

Submitted to the Shareholders of the Company at their Annual General Meeting held in Peterborough on Wednesday, the 27th Day of January, 1897.

The Directors submit herewith their Thirteenth Annual Report, showing the results of the business for the past year, accompanied by the Financial Statement, duly audited.

The earnings for the year amounted to $289,603 43. This enabled the Directors, after providing for interest on deposits and debentures, expenses in connection with money borrowed or loaned, and the expenses of management, to declare four quarterly dividends of 1½ per cent. each on the paid up Capital of $1,250,000, amounting to $75,000, transfer to the Reserve Fund $10,000, and to the Contingent Fund $5,451.42.

The Reserve Fund now stands at $335,000, and the Contingent Fund at $37,525.85, the two being within a fraction of 30 per cent. of the paid-up Capital.

At 31st December, 1896, the total amount due depositors and debenture holders was $3,708,033.52. By reference to the statement of assets and liabilities it will be observed that this amount was increased during the year by $21,743.71, and now stands at $3,729,777.23.

The payments maturing during the year on the Company's investments have been satisfactorily met.

The books, accounts and securities have been carefully examined by the auditors and Inspection Committee, as will be seen by the attached certificates.

The Directors record with profound regret the removal by death of one of their number, Mr. J. R. Dundas, Vice-President of the Company. Mr. Dundas was one of the incorporators of the Company, and from its very inception took a warm interest in its welfare. His mature judgment and keen business insight are greatly missed at the meetings of the Board.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Directors.

GEO. A. COX, President.

Financial Statement for the Year Ending 31st December, 1896:

ASSETS.

Net value of mortgages and other securities		$4,303,926 20
Cash on hand		6,315 35
Cash in banks		66,226 08
Sundry accounts due Company		476 07
		$5,464,944 35

LIABILITIES.

To the public:		
Deposits with accrued interest	$ 777,794 65	
Currency debentures	835,086 68	
Sterling debentures	2,116,896 90	
		$3,729,777 23
Amount retained to pay encumbrances, and for loans in progress	91,993 57	
Sundry accounts due by Company	1,896 76	
		93,891 27
To the Shareholders:		
Capital stock subscribed	$2,500,000 00	
Upon which has been paid		$1,250,000 00
Reserve fund 31st Dec. '95	325,000 00	
Add from profits of year	10,000 00	
		335,000 00
Contingent fund 31st Dec. '95	34,025 40	
Add from profit of year	5,451 42	
	$ 39,476 82	
Less losses written off	1,950 97	
	37,525 85	
Dividend No. 31, due 2nd Jan, 1897	18,750 00	
		$1641,275 85
		$5,464,944 35

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Dr.

Interest on deposits, currency and sterling debentures and bank balances	$147,616 23
Expenses in connection with, and commission paid on money borrowed and loaned	8,465 67
General expenses, including cost of management, Directors' and Auditors' fees, officers salaries, inspection, tax on dividend, rent, postage, advertising, etc.	23,070 12
Balance carried down, being net profit	90,451 42
	$269,603 43
Quarterly dividends Nos. 28, 29, 30 and 31	$ 75,000 00
Transferred to Reserve Fund	10,000 00
Transferred to Contingent Fund	5,451 42
	$ 90,451 42

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Interest on investments, rentals, etc.	$269 603 43
By balance brought down, being net Profits for year	$ 90,451 42

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

We hereby certify that we have carefully examined and audited the books and accounts of the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company of Ontario (with the exception of the books of the Manitoba Branch, which have been audited by Mr. F. H. Mathewson, of Winnipeg, the Company's local auditor), for the year ending 31st December, 1896. All disbursements have been satisfactorily vouched for, the postings and balances of the Company's ledgers have been examined, and we find the whole correct, and in accordance with the above statements.

HENRY M. PELLATT, WILLIAM MANSON, } Auditors

INSPECTION COMMITTEE CERTIFICATE.

We hereby certify that we have made a careful examination of the securities of the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company of Ontario (with the exception of the Manitoba Branch securities, which have been inspected by Mr. F. H. Mathewson, the Company's Auditor at Winnipeg), that we have checked the same with the mortgage registers, and find them correct and in accordance therewith.

E. S. VINDIN, F. C. TAYLOR, } Inspection Committee

Peterborough, 14th January, 1897.

After the reading of the annual report, it was, on motion of the President, seconded by the Vice-President, unanimously adopted, after which the directors were re-elected, and the usual votes of thanks to the President, Vice-President, Directors and officers were passed.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors the Hon. Geo. A. Cox was elected President and Richard Hall, Esq., Vice-President.

DEYELL—CHAMBERS.

A Marriage at Stewart's, Otonabee, on Wednesday Evening.

A very interesting event took place on Wednesday evening, Jan. 27th, at the residence of Mr. Robert A. Deyell, when his daughter, Miss Olivia, was united in marriage to Mr. James Chambers, of Otonabee.

Rev. W. C. Boer, of Mark street church, Ashburnham, tied the knot in the presence of a large number of guests.

The many handsome presents received by the bride testified to her popularity.

The young couple have the best wishes of a very large circle of friends. They will reside in Otonabee.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, Jan. 28th.

At the court this morning, Police Magistrate Dumble presiding, Ida M. Wesley wife of Fred Wesley, and of the firm of Wesley & Co., fancy goods dealers, (who conducted a business on George street about two months, assigning a few days after Christmas), was charged with that she did "on or between the first day of December, 1896, and the first day of January, 1897, with intent to defraud her creditors, dispose of her property."

Mr. R. E. Wood, County Crown Attorney, appeared for the Crown, and requested an enlargement of the charge till next Monday, and his request, though strongly opposed by the counsel for the accused, Mr. O. A. Langley, of Toronto, was granted. Subsequently Mr. Langley requested an enlargement for one week, and this request the Magistrate also granted; the case, therefore, stands enlarged till Thursday, Feb. 4th.

Mr. R. R. Hall, of Stratton & Hall, appeared on behalf of interested parties, and Mr. F. D. Kerr was associated with Mr. Langley, in case the latter was required to give evidence, he having been in charge of the Wesley business since the assignment.

OBITUARY.

Death of Allan M. Simonds, in Belleville.

The Belleville Sun of Tuesday says Allan M. Simonds died this morning at the family residence in this city as the result of a complication of diseases resulting from a severe cold. The deceased was born in Sophiasburg on September, 24, 1824, and was consequently in the seventy-third year of his age. He had been a resident of Belleville for 27 years and was employed as a millwright with the Gilmour Co., and with Mr. H. Corby in that capacity. He was married to Miss Charity Butler, of Demorestville, and she with seven children survive him. The children are: Mrs. Cummings, Trenton; Mrs. Thompson, Picton; Mrs. M. Hutchinson, Ottawa; Miss Nettie Simonds, Peterborough, and Misses Maggie and Laura and Mr. Charles Simonds of this city. The deceased gentleman had always been very healthy and was a hard working man of temperate habits. He never lost a day's work through illness or from any fault of his own. To his wife and family he was a good, kind husband and father and to his neighbours he was all that a good citizen should be. The sorrowing widow and family have the sympathy of a large number of friends in their bereavement.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Mr. Wm. Anthony, of Union street, swallowed a glassful of washing fluid in mistake for water, last night, and had his throat and mouth severely burnt. His injuries are painful but not serious.

—Remember the "At Home" to-night in St. John's School House, under the auspices of the King's Daughters, and on behalf of the Poor fund of the parish. An attractive programme will be provided. Refreshments served.

—"There have been many estimates published of the total expenditures of Americans in Europe every year," said a steamship agent to a New York Mail and Express reporter. "I estimate that $500 is the average expenditure of each tourist. I believe that 120,000 Americans went abroad last season. This would make the total expenditures last year, at $500 a head, $60,000,000.

Weather will continue cold and blustery; will be cold till Friday.

The Magazines for February are coming in—"Metropolitan," "The New Illustrated," "Pall Mall Magazine," "Ladies' Home Journal," "Cosmopolitan," "The Strand," "The Black Cat," "Young Ladies' Journal," &c., &c., have arrived at

Sailsbury

372 George Street

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BROOMS!!

Just received 50 dozen Brooms bought for Cash at half the regular price, and I am going to give the public the benefit of it:—

2 Cord Brooms, regular price 20c	Cash Price	15c
3 Cord Brooms, " " 12c	Cash Price	9c
3 Cord Brooms, (heavy) " 15c	Cash Price	10c
4 Cord Brooms, " " 20c	Cash Price	15c
4 Cord Brooms, " " 25c	Cash Price	19c
4 Cord Brooms, " " 30c	Cash Price	23c
3 lbs. Choice Family Lard	Cash Price	25c
11 lbs. No. 1 Rolled Oats, per lb	Cash Price	25c

No. 1 Lemons, 12c dozen or 2 dozen for 25c.

Note the saving. Isn't it worth while to pay Cash?

WALLER & CO

ONE PRICE CASH GROCERY,

Telephone 242, - - - 168 Charlotte Street

BREAKFAST
Is the most enjoyable meal of the day when you drink
CHASE & SANBORN'S
SEAL BRAND COFFEE
FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS IN EACH CAN

ART HAIR COVERINGS.

PROF. DORENWEND'S

WINTER VISIT OF 1897.

HE WILL BE IN

PETERBOROUGH

AT HUFFMAN HOUSE ON

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8th.

His many patrons and all who are afflicted with Baldness or thin hair should consult him and see his beautiful Hair Goods, in

Gent's Toupees and Wigs, Ladies' Bangs, Switches, Wigs, and other Hair Goods he manufactures.

Thousands upon thousands enjoy health, comfort and youthful appearance by wearing them. Why not you? Remember at HUFFMAN HOUSE, Peterborough, on MONDAY, FEB. 8th.

BEFORE. AFTER.

Consultation and fitting on free. Prices, as usual, very reasonable.

A MAN

Came in the other night, bought a Cigar. Came in next day—got a quarter's worth—been coming back ever since—said they were as good cigars as he wanted to smoke for the money.

Why Don't You Buy??

Four 10 cent Cigars for a Quarter

Give you you're pick out of six regular 10c. Cigars.

A lot of Imported Samples selling at about what they cost us.

Our Cigars are all smoke, not all smudge.

TALBOT BROS.,

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough. Sign of the Indian Queen.

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Real Estate, Insurance and Employment Office.

Good value in houses, lots and farms to sell, rent or exchange. Insurance in good companies and at low rates.

A Splendid Brick House, Furnace, Bath Double Lot, Stable, Nice Situation. $2600.

Good 2-story Brick House, nine Rooms, Good Garden, Spruce and Maple Trees. $1,350.

Telephone 269. Rents Collected.

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JUST COAL.

Simple words—but full of meaning these wintery days and frosty nights. You can depend on it doing its work well, not sometimes, but always. Its the great COLD CURE. Sold by

SCOTT & HOGG,

Dealers in Reliable Coal of all sizes.

Office and Yard—At the Elevator, west of Railway track, Ashburnham. 'Phone 254.

A Penny Saved Is a Penny Made.

You're only beginning to feel the need of a Winter Overcoat or Suit, just when our January Reduction in prices takes effect. Winter not half over yet, and you can save ONE FOURTH on every stitch of clothes we make up for you during the next 30 days.

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No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

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The chance to buy cheaply is a good one; why not use it.

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(LARGEST IN CANADA.)

The Riverside Park is now open and in excellent condition:—

SEASON TICKETS:

Ladies	$ 75
Gentlemen	1 00
Boys	50
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—FOR—
La Grippe, for Colds, Coughs,
AND LUNG TROUBLES,
AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL

"Two years ago, I had the grippe, and it left me with a cough which gave me no rest night or day. My family physician prescribed for me, changing the medicine as often as he found the things I had taken were not helping me, but, in spite of his attendance, I got no better. Finally, my husband,—reading one day of a gentleman who had had the grippe and was cured by taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,—procured, for me, a bottle of this medicine, and before I had taken half of it, I was cured. I have used the Pectoral for my children and in my family, whenever we have needed it, and have found it a specific for colds, coughs, and lung troubles."—EMILY WOOD, North St., Elkton, Md.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

Highest Honors at World's Fair.

Cleanse the System with Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

THE GAME ROSE WORKED.

Degraded Her Majesty's Uniform in a Blood-Curdling Play at an Ottawa Public Hall.

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—(Special.)—A peculiar case came up in the Police Court this morning, a charge being brought against S. R. Rose by Major W. G. Hurdman of Ottawa Field Battery, of having refused to hand over the uniform of the Field Battery. The young man, who is subject to fits, was given his discharge from the battery in July last. The Major has repeatedly sent to Rose for the uniform, but in each case the messenger has returned with the information that Rose would hand over the outfit when he was ready. An investigation showed Rose's reasons for delaying. Several military men about town were of the opinion that they recognized the uniform of the Ottawa Field Battery on one of the "heroes" in a recent blood-curdling play at Grant's Hall. The indignation of the officers of the battery knew no bounds when it leaked out that the uniform was being hired from time to time for that purpose. Finally Major Hurdman took action, with the result that Rose stood before the bar of justice this morning with his uniform in his arms. He told the magistrate that some time ago he had left word with friends to return the uniform, as he was going out of town, but this his friends had failed to do. The magistrate ordered Rose to hand over the uniform, remarking that Rose should have certainly complied with the rules and regulations of the battery. It is said members of different military organizations in the city are making a practice of hiring out their uniforms and there promise to be more cases to come before the magistrate unless the practice is stopped. The fine for refusing to return one of Her Majesty's uniforms is $20 and costs.

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—(special.)—Up to a late hour this afternoon nothing of an official character had been received at the Railway Department respecting the Intercolonial accident, Dr. Borden, however, telegraphed that he was continuing on to Ottawa. Great satisfaction was expressed here at the Doctor's escape.

An Ocean Race.

Queenstown, Jan. 28.—The British barque Cedarbank, Captain Moody, which sailed from San Francisco Sept. 13, for Hull, passed Prawle Point this afternoon. The Cedarbank is racing for a wager with the British ship Ditton, Captain Stap, which sailed from San Francisco on the same day for Queenstown. The latter vessel has not yet been sighted.

Canadian Vessel Burned.

North Sydney, C.B., Jan. 28.—The side-wheel steamer Magnolia, lying in the stream at Sydney, was burned to the water's edge this morning. The vessel was laid up for the winter, and was owned by George L. Burchell of Sydney. She was 151 tons register.

GRAVEL IN THE BLADDER.

Used Eighteen Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills—The Stone Dissolved and Removed—Knew of Others Cured.

Shelburne, Jan. 25 (Special).—Mr. John Medill, known locally as well as far and near as a physical giant, and glorying in his strength, came to be a great sufferer and tells of his cure as follows:—

"I do not hesitate to speak of Dodd's Kidney Pills or anything else exactly as I find them. If a medicine cures me and I think it will cure others why not say so?

"It is true I had been suffering for some time with Bladder trouble, and, learning of a cure made in a similar case by Dodd's Kidney Pills, I commenced using them.

"In all I have used eighteen boxes and they have dissolved the stone and have entirely cured me of any sign of such difficulty. I do not hesitate to speak of Dodd's Kidney Pills in the highest terms of praise, for I know of many persons who have been cured by them."

Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 25 and 50c.

CASTORIA.

Bears the fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

GREAT FIRE IN PHILADELPHIA.

Among the Property Attacked Was Mr. Wanamakers Biggest Store in America.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 28.—A disastrous fire started shortly after 7 o'clock this morning in the rear of Handscomb Bros.' grocery store, No. 1217 Market-street. It spread with alarming rapidity, and soon gutted the large store. The loss will probably amount to $1,000,000.

Owing to high wind, the flames spread across Market-street to the extensive general store of John Wanamaker. The firemen soon had the Wanamaker fire under control, and the damage will probably not be material.

Hilrsch & Bros., umbrella manufacturers, were also sufferers. They employed 500 hands.

John A. Felt, who was employed at Irvins, Diets & Magee's carpet store, No. 1217 Market-street, a half-block from the scene of the fire, dropped dead this morning. While the flames were raging nearby, the work of carrying out goods was started, and it was while assisting in that work that Felt dropped dead. The excitement is believed to have caused his death.

Mrs. Sarah Hall, janitress of the building No. 1312 Filbert-street, which was in the burned block, occupied the fourth-storey back room, with her two children. All were asleep when the fire started. Mrs. Hall was aroused by a sense of suffocation, and doubtless would have died had it not been for Harry McKnight, who forced his way into the room and carried out the three occupants. The two firemen who were injured by falling walls while engaged in fighting the fire from Silver-street were William J. Gorman, aged 32 years, assistant foreman of Engine Company No. 1, and Frank Piper, 36 years old, a hose man. Gorman was severely injured about the head, and burned on the neck by flying embers, and Piper was struck by falling bricks and had his shoulder contused. Several other firemen were overcome by the smoke, and others were affected by the intense cold, and had to be taken to hospitals for treatment.

Mr. Wanamaker estimates his loss at $100,000; insured. The flames raged fiercely until 11.30 o'clock, when they were gotten under control. The Hirsch building was owned by the Henry C. Gibson estate and its approximate value was $500,000. The property is believed to have been fully insured. The total loss, it was estimated at noon, will aggregate $1,000,000.

The various properties in the block that were either destroyed or badly damaged were, in addition to the Hirsch building, as follows: Hilland's drug store, J Nicolay & Co., confectioners; Sterner & Ball, tobaccos; H L Roberts & Co., the Mesopth Restaurant, Well's hat store, James Dickson, heaters; Alfred Godwin, stained glass; Showll & Fryer, grocers; Jacob Miller, men's furnishings; E Jarbilas, tobacco; Alexander McCnue, pictures; E Pitber, stationery; S S Shull, drugs; A Heines, bakery; Cafe de Blamberg, Budd & Kite, jewelers; barber shop, Huber & Weber, opticians; J H Stoll, jeweler; William Stelfer, wall paper; Foley, oyster house; Gallagher & Loughelm, leather; Furlong's saloon; the building 1304 Filbert-street, occupied by a dozen tenants, the seven-storey building 1306 to 1310 Filbert-street, occupied by the Colling's Carriage Company, and the Dunlap Printing Company. A dozen business places on the east side of Thirteenth-street and between Market and Filbert-streets were damaged by smoke and water. The streets in the vicinity of the fire were covered with ice, and the trolley and other wires in the neighborhood were broken down.

Early this morning fire was discovered on the sixth floor of the carpet store of John & James Dobson, 809 and 811 Chestnut-street. The fire was confined to the upholstery department on this floor, but the floors below were badly damaged by water. Loss $75,000, covered by insurance.

Big Fire at Syracuse.

Syracuse, Jan. 28.—Fire last night destroyed the Dilisyevann block and badly damager the Pike and Butler blocks, all on South Salina-street. The New York Cloak Store, A A Graff's cloak store, W W Kimball's piano store, R A Goodwin's photograph gallery and A E Willis & Co.'s hair store were totally destroyed. There are numerous other lowers by fire and water. The loss is $136,000, fully insured.

Four People Burned.

Belleville, Mich., Jan. 28.—The farm house of A. B. Vandewater, located three miles south of this place, was destroyed by fire this morning and four persons were burned to death. They were Mrs. Vandewater and her two children, a boy aged 9 and a girl aged 14, and Miss Anne Vandewater, a sister of Mr. Vandewater.

Death in a Hotel Fire.

Fort Smith, Ark., Jan. 28.—The new Windsor Hotel was destroyed by fire this morning and I. H. Pray, egg buyer for a Chicago commission house, was burned to death. Many of the guests had narrow escapes in their night clothes and all lost their belongings. The fire was caused by the explosion of a lamp.

Big Four Freight House Gone.

St. Louis, Jan. 28.—The newly-erected freight house of the Big Four Railroad in East St. Louis, together with an immense amount of merchandise, was destroyed by fire to-day. Loss $100,000, with little insurance. The fire was caused by the explosion of a barrel of oil.

The Whole Story

Of the great sales attained and great cures accomplished by Hood's Sarsaparilla is quickly told. It purifies and enriches the blood, tones the stomach and gives strength and vigor. Disease cannot enter the system fortified by the rich, red blood which comes by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, indigestion, billiousness. All druggist. 25c

WARDENS ELECTED.

The Gentlemen Who Will Preside Over the Deliberations of the County Councils This Year.

Brant—Joseph McIntyre.
Norfolk—William Kelly of Houghton.
Haldimand—J. H. Salter of Hagersville.
Ontario—Charles King of Whitby.
Wellington—John McNab of West Luther.
Dufferin—R. Bickey.
Victoria—Dr. Wood of Kirkfield.
Lennox—Bowen E. Aylesworth of Bath.
Elgin—No election; a deadlock.
Peterborough—Tie between Messrs. Moloney and Casement; no election.
Waterloo—A. H. Erb of Elmira.
Wentworth—Dr. McGregor of Waterdown.
Welland—R. Morris.
Kent—Jonas Goenell.
Oxford—Louis Kaufman of East Zorra.
Peel—John Graydon of Streetsville.
Prince Edward—Parker B. Young of Picton.
Lanark—A. Carswell of Pakenham.
Perth—Nelson Monteith of Dowale.
Frontenac—J. McTaggart of Bedford.
Middlesex—Dougald Leitch of Caradoc.
Carleton—A. P. McDonald of North Gower.
Lambton—Albert Duncan of Petrolea.
Hastings—John S. Dench of No. 1 Division.
Bruce—James Shouldice of Elderslie.
Lincoln—John Jackson of Calstor.
Huron—John Cox of Goderich Township.
Haliburton—Dr. Giles of Haliburton.
Northumberland and Durham—J. G. Preston of Manvers.
Cornwall, Stormont and Glengarry—John H. Meikle of Morrisburg.
Grey—James Allen.
Essex—N. A. Coste of Malden.
Renfrew—Dr. Chantenhouse of Eganville.
Leeds and Grenville—James B. Saunders of Athens.

Cold at Newmarket.

Newmarket, Jan. 28.—(Special.)—The mercury registered as low as 28 below yesterday morning.

Dr. Lows, Pleasant Worm Syrup removes worms of all kinds from children or adults.

YOUNG PEOPLE MAIMED.

A Sleighing Party of Tyrone, Pa., Drove Into a Quarry and Many Were Badly Hurt.

Altoona, Pa., Jan. 28.—Last evening a sledding party of 40 persons from Tyrone drove into a quarry at Pemberton, six miles below that place. The sled, horses and pleasure-seekers were precipitated to the bottom of a precipice, where they lay in a great mass. As soon as the news reached Tyrone a special train was fitted out by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and all the doctors in the town were conveyed to the scene.

The party was mostly made up of young people. Boys and girls with arms and legs broken and with blood streaming from their wounds lay in great drifts of snow slowly perishing from the intense cold. The mercury stood at three degrees below zero, adding to the horror of the accident. Latest reports say that nome are dead, though about 20 are injured.

Health and strength carry us through dangers and make us safe in the presence of peril. A perfectly strong man with rich, pure blood has nothing to fear from germs. He may breathe in the bacill of consumption with impunity. If there is a weak spot where the germs may find an entrance to the tissues, then the trouble begins. Disease germs propagate with lightning-like rapidity. Once in the blood the only way to get rid of them is to kill them. This is what Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is for. It purifies the blood. That means that it kills the germs, but that is only part of what it does. It assists digestion by stimulating the secretion of digestive fluids, so promoting assimilation and nutrition; purifies and enriches the blood and so supplies the tissues with the food they need. It builds up strong, health flesh and puts the whole body into a disease-resisting state.

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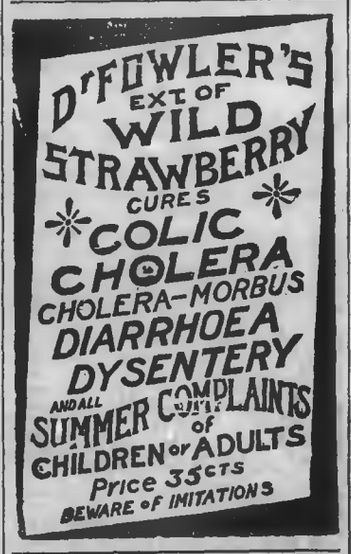

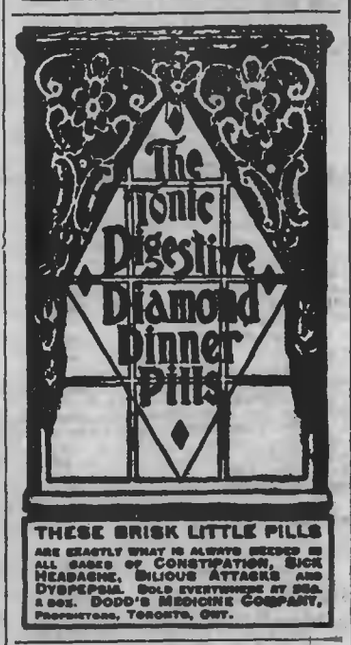

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Facts About Furs and Bankrupt Stocks.

Some dealers in Furs believe in selling Bankrupt Stocks but others there are who do not; yet, at the same time have offered several bankrupt stocks for sale within a short time, while claiming also to sell nothing in Furs but of their own manufacture. We certainly must stand away ahead of our competitors as we do not require the aid of such stocks but stand on the merits of our own manufactured goods, which we can always guarantee as such. Our reputation of 36 years standing without a failure is the best proof that customers believe in us and support us so well. We do not require to make any bombastic statements regarding the size or quality of our stock; both are only too well known in the town as well as in many other places at great distances. We wish to thank our customers for their patronage through the late season.

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A Discovery, Based on Scientific Principles, that Renders Failure Impossible.

In the matter of good health temporizing measures, while possibly successful for the moment, can never be lasting. Those in poor health soon know whether the remedy they are using is simply a passing incident in their experience, bracing them up for the day, or something that is getting at the seat of the disease and is surely and permanently restoring.

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The great discoverer of this medicine was possessed of the knowledge that the seat of all disease is in the nerve centres, situated at the base of the brain. In this belief he had the best scientists and medical men of the world occupying exactly the same premises. Indeed, the ordinary layman recognized this principle long ago. Everyone knows that let disease or injury affect this part of the human system and death is almost certain. Injure the spinal cord, which is the medium of these nerve centres, and paralysis is sure to follow.

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Blow winds of January, blow!
The rose of June is not so sweet
As white star blossoms of the snow.

For June sends Daphne from me far
To shining sands and shimering sea,
Where radiant and remote, a star,
She whirls through heaven, forgetting me.

Through all the fall I count the days
'Till golf be done and shooting past;
'Till Christmas shopping, from its maze,
Yields Daphne back to me at last.

When 'ere her Lenten prayers arise
And churches claim her, this for me—
A month when I gaze in her eyes,
Across a daily cup of tea!

Wherefore, O haste ye, frost and sleet!
Blow, winds of January, blow!
Love counts than June's rose far more sweet
The white star blossoms of the snow.

—New York Journal.

WHEN CHILDREN PLAY.

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What to do with restless, noisy children on a rainy day is no longer a bitter question with the progressive mother, whose babies are learned Miss kindergartenners and who is firm against whips or severity as a means of keeping peace in the house.

Her secret of restful rainy days is clearly explained by a glimpse at her gymnasium nursery. It is a delightful place. Perhaps it cost a trifle more than the ordinary nursery in the beginning, but what of that? Down stairs all during the snows Saturdays the literary head of the house sits peacefully at his desk, with no tumbling about of amateur bear hunters or piercing shrieks of human locomotives to upset his train of thoughts. No pantries are raided, no cooks set by the ears, no maternal bronchitis tubes were hoarse from correction and fairy-story telling because of this home of athletics.

The children themselves get through the day without quarreling, fretting or falling into mischief, and rather rejoice in the inclement weather that keeps them busy over their new-found treasures.

Now, the nursery gymnasium is best set in the marret. If the house boasts a large and airy one—no matter if the roof slopes, provided the windows can be cut out a generous size—that is all that is needed. The best gymnasium of its kind, in fact, the best, to the writer's knowledge, that was started—was thrown open to children in a garret room quite unplastered.

So much the better, for a gymnasium ought to have wooden walls. Therefore, over the beams plain boards were nailed. Then the children were taken down, the five of them, to a sporting goods shop and allowed to select the requisite furnishing. The three boys and two girls were given their choice, and on a portable striking bag they all combined. A Whitely exerciser for every one of the five was the next selection, and then a rowing apparatus and a pair of climbing ladders. According to their individual strength each one of the children was given a pair of iron dumb-bells; an adjustable trapeze and a pair of swinging rings made up the sum of gymnasium fittings.

With every one of these purchases the dealer gave a paper book of instructions away, and then the children were required to put their temple of athletics in order. They did it, and from that time forth, the downstairs nursery was deserted. Of course, simple flannel shirts and knickerbockers were provided, with cheap flat-heeled shoes, for all five, and training up muscles became the order of the day.

Rules were posted up on the gymnasium door that nobody should ever have any of their clubs, etc., lying about, as tracks were provided for everything, and any quarreling meant banishment of the offenders for a week from the garret-room. On looking once a day into the gymnasium the mother of the family rarely saw any occasion to enforce the penalties, and as she watched the children she came to the conclusion that young bodies as well as young minds flourish under the proper sort of training.

Under the guise of playing the boys and girls began to discover for themselves brawn and muscle and by instinct they fell into drills and regular exercises. Two or three big old mat-

A TYPICAL NURSERY GYMNASIUM.

tresses were hauled up into the gymnasium and by placing them under the rings, trapeze and ladders, no tumbles were attended with bruises and when a bad day set in a circus was the order of the day. All the children chose fancy names, drew on long white or pink stockings, the boys wore false mustaches, the girls let down their hair, everybody was donned with gilt paper stars, and grand exhibitions followed.

Other boys and girls crowded in to see the fun, and great was the applause showered on the youthful prowess displayed. The news of the gymnasium getting about, other wise mothers followed suit, in chasing out the superabundance of toys and picture books and substituting complete athletic fittings. In many instances the gay wall paper was torn off and plain wood wainscoting put on this to afford strong wall space for adjusting chest pulleys and platform striking bags. Floors of hard wood have in many instances taken the place of carpets and over the loss of so much luxury not a child complains, while in one instance a family of ambitious children, whose parents were not able to do over their nursery in approved style, worked for and bought their own fittings.

Why not profit by the experience of others who have found a permanent cure for catarrh in Hood's Sarsaparilla.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The flour trade is dull and prices purely nominal. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.85.

Bran—Trade dull, with bran quoted outside west at $7 to $7.50 and shorts at $9.

Wheat—The decline in Chicago and Liverpool created a very bearish feeling here, and the market is dull and heavy. Red wheat sold west at 73c, and white is quoted at 80c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is offering at 77c afloat, Fort William, and the nominal price, Toronto freight, is 92c.

Buckwheat—Trade is dull, with car lots quoted at 37c west.

Barley—The market is steady. No. 1 quoted at 33c to 34c. No. 2 at 28c to 29c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and No. 3 at 23c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are weak. White sold at 18c west, and mixed at 17c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady. Sales at 40c north and west.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 21½c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 34c west.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

The offerings to-day at the western yards were smaller than on Friday, and they sold well early in the day. There were 42 car loads. The best export cattle sold at 3¾c to 4c per lb., and good at 3½c. Bulls brought 3c to 3½c per lb. Butchers' cattle to 3¼c per lb., good to medium at 2½c to 2¾c, and inferior at 2c per lb. Milch cows sell at $25 to $35 each, and calves at $4 to $7 each.

Sheep and lambs in moderate supply and prices steady. Choice sheep sold at 3c to 3¼c per lb., and butchers' at 2½c to 2¾c. Lambs are firm, there being sales at 4c to 4¼c per lb., according to quality.

Hogs are firm, with receipts of 1000 head. The best sold at 4¼c to 4¼c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c, lightweights at 4c, sows at 3c and stags at 2c per lb.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 26.—Spring wheat, 6s 9d to 6s 10½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 0d to 7s 2d; corn, 2s 9d; peas, 4s 6d; pork, 46s 3d; lard, 21s 3d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 28s 6d; do. light, 25s 6d; do. s.c., heavy, 27s 6d; do. light, 25s 6d; tallow, 12s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 56s.

London—Opening—Wheat on passage rather easier. English country markets quiet. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spring wheat quiet; futures steady at 6s 7¼d for Feb., 6s 8d for March, 6s 8¼d for April and 6s 6¾d for July. Maize easy at 2s 9d for Jan., Feb., March and May, and 2s 10d for July. Flour 24s.

Paris—Wheat 22f 80c for Feb. Flour 48f 20c for Feb.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quiet and steady. Maize quiet.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 6s 7¼d for Feb., 6s 8d for March, 6s 8¼d for May and 6s 6¾d for July. Maize ¼d to ½d weaker at 2s 9¾d for Feb. and May, 2s 8¼d for March and 2s 9¼d for July. Flour 24s.

Paris—Close—Wheat dull at 22f 75c for Feb. Flour 48f 10c for Feb.

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INDIA FAMINE FUND.

Sir William Wedderburn Would Like to Know Why the People Are Helpless to Resist the Evils.

London, Jan. 26.—In the House of Commons to-day a motion was introduced by Sir William Wedderburn, Radical, member for Banffshire, that the Home Government make an inquiry independent of that of the India Government, into the condition of the masses in India, with a view of ascertaining why the people are helpless to resist the famine and pestilence with which they are now afflicted.

Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for India, defended the action already taken in the direction indicated, and opposed any independent investigation, which, he declared, was wholly unnecessary, adding that famines in India are much rarer now than they were years ago. The motion of Sir Wm. Wedderburn was rejected.

Strangled on the Edge of a Tub.

Kingston, Jan. 26.—This morning James Elliott, an old man who lived alone on Redan-street, was found dead with his head hanging inside of a tub. He was 90 years of age and many years a carter. He was kindling a fire when it is thought he fell, struck his neck on the tub's rim, and was strangled to death, having been stunned by the blow.

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YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Good sleighing at last and we will be on lookout for more business.

Mr. Wm. Scollard, who has been on a visit for a couple of weeks in Orillia, has returned home

Mrs. Wm. Macfarlane has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Daniel Costello, in Peterborough.

The entertainment held at South Beach Hotel on the 21st inst. was a great success. Mr. F. J. Tate, of Lakefield, acted in the capacity of chairman for the evening. The following is the programme which was very well rendered by those who took part :

Song (nigger character).....Mr C T Taylor
Sand jig.....Mr Harry Kearney
Dramatic selection.....Miss Lottie Kearney
Song.....Miss Josephene Phelan
Song and dance.....Mr H Kearney
Violin solo.....Mr D Oliver
Recitation.....Miss F Graham
Song.....Miss J Phelan
Song.....Master Brian Bellasis
Song.....Mr Harry Kearney
Song.....Miss B Phelan
Song.....Master Brian Bellasis
Song.....Miss J Phelan
Violin solo.....Mr D Oliver accompanied by Miss Maggie Kearney

The entertainment concluded with a comical farce entitled "Ici on Parle Francais," with the following characters :

Mrs Spriggins.....Miss Ella Young
Annie Maria.....Miss Lillie Macfarlane
Mrs Major Rattan.....Miss Lottie Kearney
Angelina.....Miss Louisa Kearney
Major Ratton.....Mr Harry Kearney
Mr Spriggins.....Mr C T Taylor
Victor Dubois.....Mr Harry Andrews

After the concert refreshments were served under the management of our hostess, Mrs. A. Allen. And everything went "as merry as a marriage bell." It is understood the same talent will give an entertainment at the town hall, Lakefield, on Tuesday, 26th inst., and "Ici on Parle Francais" will be produced there.

The Young's Point Dramatic Club will give a public entertainment at Heard's Hall, on Thursday night, 28th inst. Songs, recitations, charades, dramatic selections, farces, etc., will be produced. Doors open at 7.30, admission 10c. This club will give a good entertainment, as the members have been rehearsing and taking an interest in it.

On Tuesday evening last the Young's Point Athletic and Literary Association held their first entertainment, which was a decided success. The hall was filled to overflowing and everyone who attended seemed delighted with the evening's programme :

Chorus.....Echo Club
Violin solo.....Mr Hlokay
Song.....Frank G Young
Recitation, "Country Girl".....Miss E Scollard
Mouth Organ solo.....Fred Young
Dialogue, "Bashful Lover"....Verna McFarlane and F J Young
Song, with banjo accom.....Mr C T L Taylor
Reading.....Mr S Anglesey
Song.....Miss Mary T Young
Address.....Mr Tyndall
Vocal duets....Miss E Northey and A Graham
Instrumental trio.....Mr Moore, F Young, L McFarlane
Dialogue, "story telling,".....Misses Nellie Young, L McFarlane, Gertie Young, Emma Scollard, T G Young
Song.....Miss L McFarlane
Recitation, "Kelly at the Bat".Mr H Andrews
Song, with banjo.....Mr C T Longley Taylor
Sword dance.....Mr A Allen
Recitation, "Grandmas Lovers".....Verna McFarlane
Vocal duett.....Eva Hookaday and M Quinlan
Instrumental.....Mr Hickey
Dialogue, "Men and Women's Rights".....Miss E Scollard, Lily McFarlane, Mr Fred Young and H T Andrews

The Young's Point football club intend holding their concert on or about Feb. 24. An excellent programme will be rendered. Don't forget the date.

LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.

Mrs. (Dr.) Chamberlain, of Morrisburg, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. C. Sherin.

Mr. Richard Darling, who has been visiting friends here for the past two months, returned to his home at Pleasant Point, Manitoba, on Tuesday.

Mr. Jas. Linton, of Orono, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. T. H. Benson.

Miss Beattie Ferguson, who has been visiting at Belleville for the past month, returned home on Saturday.

An entertainment will be given in the town hall on Thursday evening of this week, in aid of St. John's Sunday school. A good programme is provided, consisting of recitations, dialogues, vocal and instrumental music, tableaux, etc. Admission 15c, children 10c.

Rev. W. P. Reekie, of Toronto, occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church last Sunday.

Rev. H. S. Erb, of Toronto, is expected to preach in the Baptist church next Sunday, morning and evening.

Mr. W. H. Casement is in Peterborough this week attending the county council.

Mrs. W. Baptie is in Norwich, visiting Mrs. T. Stevenson.

Mr. T. G. Eastland, of Apsley, passed through here on his way to attend the county council.

Mr. Staples, representing Coff Bros., of Toronto, for furnaces, was in the village this week.

R. Graham & Son have a large number of remnants of good useful lengths in dress goods, flannelettes, mantle cloths, tweeds, etc., which they are selling at bargain prices.

SCHOOL BOARD.

Minutes of a meeting of the School Board held in the town hall, on Wednesday evening, January 20th, at which there were present Dr. J. R. Fraser, Wm. Harper, W. MacDonald, R. Q. Dench and J. E. Richardson.

A certificate was read from the village clerk that Dr. J. R. Fraser and Wm. Harper had been elected trustees of the school by acclamation, and that they had taken the required declaration of office.

Moved by R. Q. Dench, seconded by J. E. Richardson, that Dr. J. R. Fraser be chairman for the year 1897.—Carried.

Moved by W. McDonald, seconded by W. Harper, that Wesley Sherin be appointed secretary for the year 1897 at the usual salary.—Carried.

Moved by W. McDonald, seconded by J. E. Richardson, that the standing committees for the year 1897 be as follows :

Finance—Messrs. McDonald and Harper.

Property—Messrs. Dench and McDonald.

Supervision—Messrs. Dr. D. Fraser and Richardson.

Moved by W. McDonald, seconded by R. Q. Dench, that the accounts of J. F. Lillicrap & Co., $6.50, Isaac Watson $2.50, and W. H. Casement, $11, being found correct by the Finance Committee, be paid.—Carried.

Tenders for wood were received from the following parties :—W. H. Wilson at $3 per cord, Isaac Freeborn at $2.95 per cord, John Lemay at $2.90, Jas. Matthews at $2.88 per cord.

Moved by R. Q. Dench, seconded by W. McDonald, that tender of John Lemay for wood for the school at $2.90 per cord be accepted, 20 cords being required, 17 cords for the brick school and 3 cords for the ward school.—Carried.

The Board then adjourned.

On Tuesday a very successful entertainment was held in the Town Hall. There was a good attendance, notwithstanding the stormy evening. The following was the programme :

Song, 'Sweet May'.....Mr Harry Kearney
Song, 'Sneezing Song'.....Mr C J Blomfield
Irish jig.....Mr Harry Kearney
Farce, 'Ici on Parle Francis'.....Young Point Dramatic Club. Characters—Mrs Spriggins, Miss Young ; Mr Spriggins, Mr Taylor, Anarlia, Miss Louise Kearney ; Victor Dubois, Mr Andrews ; Major Rattaw, Mr Harry Kearney ; Mrs Rattaw, Miss Lottie Kearney ; Anna Maria, Miss Lily McFarlane.
Song, 'My Mother was a Lady'.....Miss Josephine Phelan
Song.....Mr Taylor
Recitation, 'The Face upon the Floor'.....Miss Lottie Kearney
Song, 'Mr Brown'.....Mr Lampriere
God Save the Queen.

During the evening several selections were rendered by the orchestra. Owing to the stormy night the Peterborough friends who were to have taken part in Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works were unable to be present.

The following resolution of condolence was presented Mr. Geo. Postlethwaite by members of Court Lakefield No. 43, C.O.F.:

To Geo. Postlethwaite, Esq., Lakefield, Ont :

DEAR BROTHER,—The members of Court Lakefield No. 43, C.O.F., desire to express to you their most heartfelt sympathy in your sad time affliction.

We cannot express to you our sympathy in words, your cup of sorrow has indeed been filled to the brim, but we would desire by our sympathy to help alleviate your sorrow, for the sad loss of your beloved wife; and we would ask you to remember that though parted here in life, there is a meeting place in Heaven, where loved ones shall meet to part no more.

On behalf of Court Lakefield No. 43, C.O.F.

We remain, yours fraternally in L.B. & C.

(Sgd.) J. R. FRASER, M.D.
W. H. CASEMENT,
W. M. GRAHAM.
} Committee.

Lakefield, Jan. 21st, 1897.

SOCIETIES.

Next week is societies week :—

On Monday evening Beresford L.O.L. No. 128 meets in their hall.

On Tuesday evening Clementi Lodge No. 313 A.F. and A.M. meets.

On Wednesday evening Stanley Lodge of True Blue meets in the Orange Hall.

Young Canadian L.O.L. No. 1385, in the Sons of England hall.

The regular meeting of the School Board in the town hall.

On Thursday evening Court Lakefield No. 43 C.O.F., meets in the Foresters' hall, and Loyal Lakefield Lodge C.O.O.F. meets in the Sons of England hall.

On Friday evening the Christian Endeavour societies of the different churches.

The Life of Dr. Chase.

As a compiler of Dr. Chase's Recipe Book, his name is familiar to every household in the land, while as a physician his works on simple formulas left an imprint of his name that will be handed down from generation to generation. His last great medicine, in the form of his Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, is having the large public patronage that his Ointment, Pills and Catarrh Cure are having. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is especially adapted for all Bronchial and Asthmatic troubles.

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Dr. Mary Walker was asked in Washington the other day if she still liked trousers? Her answer was : "Like them? the counter question was rife with meaning. "You poor, benighted woman, you have all your life gone groping about in rainy weather with a skirt flapping about your ankles and hitting the back of your socks—your stockings, excuse me—as you held it up ; you who have had the wind blowing a lot of silly lace and silk about your knees ; you who have worn feathered and flowered head gear that either tilts over your eyes until you can't see or sits back and gives you neuralgia in the top of your head—what do you know of the comfort and freedom of masculine habiliments?

Mrs. S., says : "I suffered from rheumatic pains for months, Miller's Compound Iron Pills cured me." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, on Saturday, Jan. 30th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. Hours : 12 to 4. dw

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Anthroxolite.....4 50 "
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It is seldom that this chance comes to pick up such really fine things in handsome chairs, centre tables, screens, etc., are now being shown in Clegg's furniture store window. The tickets placed on the goods tell the tale of a substantial reduction. No better goods can be had in the cities. Every article guaranteed as superior design in material and in finish.

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NOTICE!

All persons having Accounts against the Town of Peterborough are requested to send them at once to the undersigned. And all persons who may have Accounts with the Town are requested to render them each month.

S. R. ARMSTRONG,
Town Clerk.

Overhauling The Heaps!

WHAT WE FIND WE ARE SHOVING OUT TO QUICK BUYERS.

We've the work of stock-taking on our hands. As we travel through the stock we come on a lot of goods of mighty fine value. Still we want to get rid of them. We've put them down for a sacrifice. We're going to burn them as the boys say.

SEE WHAT OUR SEARCH DISCLOSES :

137 Men's Overcoats of one line, all sizes and in all shades at..... $2.45

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These are all extra good All Wool Scotch Tweed.

1 lot of Heavy Blue Serge, 70 Suits, only large sizes left, will sell for..... $3.50

500 Boys' Suits, 2 piece, sizes from 22 to 28, at 98c, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.60 each.

50 doz. Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers at..... 25c.

25 doz. Men's York stripe Underwear at..... 35c.

1000 pairs Men's Braces at..... 5c.

Only 10 doz. of the famous Loch Lommond Flannel Top Shirts left, now selling for 49c.

500 pairs German Felt Slippers 10c. to 40c.

400 pairs Ladies' Felt Boots, 25c. up.

200 pairs Men's Overshoes, from $1 up.

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Yours truly,
Peterborough, Jan. 18th, '97. McFARLANE WILSON.

Messrs. Micks & Cox :—

GENTLEMEN,—After giving the Acme Heating Drum purchased from you a fair trial in severe weather we have no hesitation in pronouncing it a complete success.

Your Drum is an application of the correct principle in proper heating devices, in drawing the cold air from the floor, heating it and circulating it through the building. We heat three rooms by means of a moderate sized wood stove with your Drum attached, and find our offices very much more comfortable than formerly, at the same time using a third less fuel than without the Drum.

Yours very truly,
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R. F.

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Ladies who shop here have shown their appreciation of our goods and our plain way of doing business. We have reason to be thankful for their confidence and patronage, and solicit a continuance of their favours for another year.

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Peterborough Water Company.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual General Meeting of the Peterborough Water Company, will be held at the Company's office, 208 Hunter street, in the town of Peterborough, on

Monday, 1st day of February, 1897

At the hour of Three O'clock, p. m.

G. W. RATTON,
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If the United States Continues Its Crusade

AGAINST CANADIAN WORKINGMEN

Mr. Laurier Will Introduce a Law to Shut United States Wage Earners Out of This Country—The Immigration Policy Will be to Bring Good Settlers Here

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Ottawa workingmen are getting restive about the American alien labor law. The contract for a new opera house has gone to an American citizen, and with the prospect of many United States citizens working on the job the outlook is certainly not a pleasant one for organized labor at the Capital. This morning, therefore, a deputation of labor men waited upon the Premier to present to him their views on the alien labor question and immigration. They urged upon him the settlement of the unemployed of the cities and towns on the vacant lands of the Dominion. They desired friendly labor relations between Canada and the United States, but wanted Canadian labor protected. They desired no immigration from Europe until the Canadian unemployed were provided for.

Mr. Laurier, replying, stated that he had had conversations with several American gentlemen on the question of their alien labor law. They had all stated that their law was never intended to be applied to Canadian labor. It was certainly unfairly enforced against them. His colleagues would be visiting Washington on official business presently and this would be one of the questions discussed by them. He urged all the labor organizations to use their influence in having this misapplication of the American alien law removed. For himself he was in favor of the law as applied against cheap European labor, but its enforcement against Canadians was most galling and unbearable. If his colleagues found it impossible to have the law non-applicable to Canadian labor then his Government would pass a law identical with that of the United States. He was, however, anxious that an amicable arrangement should be arrived at through the influence of the international labor organizations, which he was pleased to know existed. He was determined to see Canadian labor protected at an early date.

On the question of immigration it was the intention of his Government to use every means in their power to populate this country. They would utilize every agency to bring settlers to this country. He was, however, free to inform them that it was only farmers and those willing to become that would be urged to immigrate to this country. The only class of immigrants wanted were men who could work upon our farms, other unemployed in overcrowded cities and towns were not wanted. Good, strong young farmers in Great Britain, Ireland, Norway and Germany would be persuaded, if possible, to make their homes in Canada. In closing his remarks the Premier urged the deputation to interview the Minister of the Interior, who would be pleased to receive any suggestions that the labor organizations throughout Canada could offer him.

GENERAL OTTAWA NEWS.

Costa Rica Denounces a Part of the Treaty With Great Britain.

An examination of the treaty between Great Britain and Costa Rica shows that the clauses which have been denounced by the latter country are (No. 5) the most favored nation clause, No. 6, which provides for reciprocity in light, harbor and pilotage dues, and No. 7, providing for reciprocal duties on goods, whether imported into Britain or Costa Rica by the vessels of either country.

Fishery Overseer Kyle at Rat Portage has seized a large number of nets in Manitou Lake, north of Lake of the Woods. A portion of them belong to Americans. These will be confiscated. Those belonging to Canadians will be returned, as it appears owners were about to apply for a license and were merely testing the fishing ground.

Mr. Johnson, Dominion Statistician, has received the official figures of the population of Japan as it stood on Jan. 1. The number of habitations in the country was 7,935,969 and the total population 42,270,620, an increase of 51,700 houses and 475,405 persons in the year.

The Government has been advised that the United States authorities have removed the restrictions formerly imposed upon importation into Alaska of breech-loading rifles and ammunition.

The Department of Trade and Commerce is informed that the Republic of Nicaragua has imposed an export duty on coffee at the rate of $1 per 100 pounds. This has been done to enable the republic better to meet interest upon its outstanding indebtedness.

Quite a stir has been raised in the city by the statement of Dr. T. F. Chamberlin, Provincial Inspector of Hospitals and Prisons, who is in the city, to the effect that the Ontario Government intended to force the Protestant Hospital directors to give in to the late medical staff, on pain of losing the Government's $5000 grant. It is said the inspector has intimated that the hospital must reduce its Executive Board to eight or ten directors, must reinstate the medical staff, with a pledge not to interfere with them again; should give the staff complete control of the medical and surgical management and must improve the hospital equipment. Otherwise the Ontario Government would take away its grant and give it to the proposed new hospital, which the medical staff talk of. The hospital directors regard the Government's action as one-sided and designed to help the medical profession in their struggle with the directors.

The lumber owned by the insolvent estate of MacCracken, Boyle & Co. was sold at the instance of the Bank of Ottawa. There was a large attendance of buyers. Item No. 1, a million and a half feet of white and red pine, was bought by Mr. J. C. Brown of Ottawa at $7.75 per thousand; 16,000 feet dimension pine lumber was also bought by Mr. Brown for $6.75 per thousand. Mr. Fred Powell, local agent for Rathbun & Co., Deseronto, purchased 155,000 feet of pine lumber, paying $7.90 for it, and the 244,000 feet of basswood, ash, maple and elm was also bought by the same gentleman for $7 per thousand. Mr. Grier of Montreal was the highest bidder for the 42,000 feet of square cedar, paying 2 1-2c per foot for it. Bidding for 1247 railroad ties and 1000 fence posts was very lively. Mr. Patrick Burns, an Ottawa contractor, secured them for 10c apiece. Mr. George Harris of Ottawa bought 218,950 feet of lath at 63c per thousand. Mr. J. A. Bruce, Ottawa, secured 476 cords of blocks and 1000 cords of 4-foot wood at 62c per cord.

The Finance Department has been notified of the arrival of a consignment of $10,000 of copper coins from the Imperial mint. It was on board the train that was wrecked at Dorchester on the Intercolonial Tuesday afternoon. The new issue of coppers will be handed over to the banks and circulated through them. A supply is generally received about every two years to make up the large number which are continually being lost. The copper coinage is never called in like paper money, but every year there is a deficiency through one cause and another, so that the amount in circulation does not increase in anything like the proportion to new supply.

The annual report of Chief of Police Powell shows the appropriation for the department for the year was $29,300; the total expenditure of the department for the year was $29,117. The number of arrests made during the year were 764, being 59 less than the previous year. The amount of collections during the year were: Fines and fees $3085.19, licenses $5734.85; total $8810.04. The premises visited by the police as sanitary inspectors numbered 9295. The prosecutions for violation of the Liquor License Act were: Prosecuted by police and convicted 26, fines and costs $1162; prosecuted by license inspectors and convicted 2, fines $74; total 28; prosecuted by police and dismissed 20; prosecuted by license inspectors and dismissed 5; total 25.

A. G. Pittaway's photographic studio, on Sparks-street, was gutted by fire this morning. Beament & Johnson's furnishing store and C. A. Douglas' office also suffered. The total loss amounts to $12,500, made up as follows: A. G. Pittaway $4000, Beament & Johnson $8000, C. A. Douglas & Co. $300, Mrs. Short $200. The total insurance reaches $11,650; Beament & Johnson carried $8000, A. G. Pittaway $2150 and C. A. Douglas & Co. $500.

Two offers of contributions toward the Bisley quarters were received yesterday, including the iron roofing and a magnificent cooking range.

Joseph Martin, ex-M. P., is in the city. His visit here has no political significance. Mr. Martin says he is out of politics for good, and is now devoting his attention to gold mining.

Mr. Lash, Q. C., was here to-day on legal business.

Messengers of the civil service are petitioning that their pay may be increased to $400 a year. At present (and for many years) they only receive $500.

Representatives of the woolen industry from all parts of Canada and an influential delegation of oil men from Petrolea are here to interview the Ministers to-morrow on tariff matters.

A deputation from Cornwall arrived to-night to see the Government regarding the construction of the Ottawa and Parry Sound Railway.

Family Frozen to Death in Arkansas.

St. Louis, Jan. 28.—A special from Little Rock, Ark., says: "A family named Norton, consisting of father, mother and three children, froze to death last night in their home near Mount Ida, Montgomery County, Ark.

They Favor the Treaty.

London, Jan. 28.—The British and Foreign Arbitration Association has cabled to Washington a petition to the United States Senate in favor of the ratification of the Anglo-American treaty.

"Billy" Bryan visited the Texas Legislature on Wednesday and spoke two hours, business being suspended.

Mrs. Susan Amelia Mooran Steers, a well-known lecturer and writer, has just died of paralysis in New York. She was born in Cork, Ireland, 81 years ago, and on arriving in America settled in Canada, afterwards removing to New York.

TIMES IN THE STATES

A New York Man Tells a Terrible Tale of Woe.

CORRUPTION OF THE PUBLIC MEN

Representatives and Senators Charged With Concocting Schemes to Rob the People Who Elect Them—Another Article in Mr. Tarte's Paper—Montreal News.

Montreal, Jan. 28.—(Special.)—A well-known gentleman in Montreal has received the following from a friend in New York, the letter bearing date Jan. 27, 1897: "Things are very dull here and trade awfully bad. The fact is the republic is tottering towards its downfall. The corruption and venality, lying and treachery, make up the ingredients that compose the draft these Yankees will have to swallow to death. The rascally American Congress, and still more villainous Senate, spend their time in concocting plans to rob those who elected them, and the hard-working people and the business community are the victims of these pot politicians, so-called 'statesmen.' The dignified (?) Senators actually pull the wires of the executive of the country for stock jobbing purposes, and actually propose war with peaceful countries in order to put stocks up or down, as the case may be, for their own purposes. I have now been here for thirty years, and I never saw so much poverty and absolute want as to-day. The United States is played out and deteriorated. Canada seems to be forging ahead slowly but surely, but 'Old England' makes them all appear tributaries of London, which they really are, New York included. If the leaders of the American Revolution could arise out of their graves and see where the boasted superiority of the republican form of government is, as compared with the 'wicked monarchies,' they would have their names taken off all monuments and histories in disgust."

"Man's inhumanity to man" was never better exemplified than in the case of Mr. G. Ayles of 289 Magdalen-street, who made a double attempt at suicide last night; first by drinking a bottle of medicine for external uses only, and then by cutting his throat with a razor. Mr. Ayles has been in the service of the Grand Trunk as an engine turner for many years. About six weeks ago he was discharged, but was promised other work. Day after day he has been looking for the new position, and, with a family depending upon him, his position became serious. He grew exceedingly despondent, but the thought of suicide, according to his confession this morning, never entered his mind. Yesterday he had hoped would bring him good news of work, but again he was disappointed. After tea he retired to his room and, while alone, swallowed a bottle of rheumatic medicine and then, taking his razor from a drawer, drew it across his throat. His family heard his groans and a doctor was quickly summoned. Everything that medical skill could devise was put into operation and it is probable that the patient's life is saved. He is to-day apparently recovering. Mr. Ayles is a member of St. Matthew's Presbyterian Church, and is known and respected by a very large number of people.

Under the heading "Have Patience" and over his signature, the Hon. Mr. Tarte writes as follows in this week's Cultivateur: "The politico-religious differences which at present disquiet many consciences will have an end, like all other things in this world. In this country events move with electric rapidity. Let our readers have confidence and let them remember that it is never so fair as after a storm. The leaders whom the majority in this country have chosen to administer its affairs will remain firm and dignified in their stand. To the provocations, to the crying injustice of which they are the victims, they reply by moderation and correctness of language. I have seen Cartier treated as is Laurier to-day by the same school, by the same people. To those who become impatient we say 'have patience.' History has seen the same thing before and history teaches us that true liberty is an invincible power. J. Israel Tarte."

Mr. Beaugrand is much better and will, no doubt, be up in a few days writing articles for La Patrie.

PALMER OWNS HIS IDENTITY.

The Alleged Murderer, However, Talks Like a Demented Man—Divinely Inspired, He Says.

St. Louis, Jan. 28.—Arthur Palmer, who murdered his mother, sister and brother at their home in Mamaroneck, Westchester County, N.Y., on the 18th inst., and who was captured at the Planters' Hotel here yesterday afternoon passed last night in a cell at Police headquarters. When first arrested he denied his identity, but later last night he acknowledged that his name was Palmer and that he was the man wanted. He made a rambling statement, and tried to make it appear that he was guided in his actions by divine inspiration. He told of his treatment by Dr. Hunter, the family physician, several years ago, and his marriage in 1892 to a servant girl at Mamaroneck. He stated that after the birth of their child he and his wife disagreed, and that one month ago his wife left to visit her parents in Canada. Palmer claims that he learned a short time ago that his mother, his brother Leonard and his sister Gertrude were trying to kill him and get possession of his property, which he claims is worth about $12,000.

Palmer was asked if he knew anything about the crime before he left home, and said: "Yes, I had an idea they were to be killed, but I did not know they were dead until I was arrested yesterday."

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 1897.

SIX MONTHS' WORK.

The present Dominion Government has only been about six months in power, but they have not been idle. The Globe submits the following as a partial summary of which has been done in the space of half a year.

Settlement of the Manitoba school question—pending under the manipulation of the late government, for six years.

Arrangement for the removal of the quarantine restrictions on Canadian cattle entering the United States.

Large reduction in the cost of printing Dominion bank notes.

Revision of the mail contracts and general reduction of expenditure in the Post-Office Department.

Perfecting of arrangements for a complete chain of cold storage from the railway stations in Canada through the shipping ports to the English market. Three hundred creameries will have cold storage chambers; the railways will provide refrigerator cars from their doors to the large centres where cold storage warehouses are built or will be built, and at the great shipping points arrangements have been made to provide cold storage until the products are put on the steamships. There will be weekly steamship services to the chief ports in England.

TORONTO was elated elaborately skyward a short time ago on the discovery of salt under the city, and now the city is excited over discovering gold under the Don Valley. The Don does not really run gold, for the find was discovered at a depth of 1,300 feet. Somebody was busy boring for oil and struck gold. Pity they hadn't struck a little oil, it would have been useful for lubricating purposes in the talking up of new companies.

A REPRESENTATIVE of West Wellington Farmers' Institute appeared, as reported, before the Tariff Commission and urged that an effort should be made to reduce the cost of the civil service by lengthening the hours of labour and reducing the pay and then there would be fewer applications for "situ" in the civil service. It is very natural that farmers whose "office hours" are from dawn till dark, with perhaps a few hours overtime when it looks like rain in the hay-harvest, should consider civil servants a highly favoured class with their office hours from nine or ten till four; and there is no doubt that a little more work could be got out of many of the civil servants without imperilling their health. In fact the present Government since its accession to office has reduced the staff very considerably in some of the departments, and thereby lessening the expense without impairing the efficiency of the service. The late Government was somewhat in the habit of pensioning party workers in the civil service with the result that in some of the departments employees were tumbling about in each other's way. But it must be remembered, at the same time, that the value of the labours of civil servants is not always to be judged by their hours of labour. Payment is generally graded according to the responsibility of the position; and it must be remembered, too, that an office employee who diligently performs the work of his office eight or nine hours, often goes home more fatigued than the navvy who has spent his ten hours with pick and shovel. If a farmer undertook to take the work of a civil servant for one day, he would probably sweat as much over it as the latter would over "mowing away" dusty pens on a sweltering day of August up near the end. However the civil service is susceptible of great improvement in the way of decreasing the expense and increasing its efficiency, and the present Government may be counted upon to do all that can be done in this direction. The pace set by Mr. Mulock, Postmaster-General, who has already effected large savings, will be followed as largely as circumstances will permit.

PETERBOROUGH AND HASTINGS MINES.

Latest Information From a Competent Authority.

(From an Occasional Correspondent.)

This district is still continuing to attract the attention of the mining world, and every train brings with its prospectors, experts, promoters, capitalists all endeavouring to secure from the owners of mines or prospects the control of these properties.

Messrs. J. Enoch Thompson and Jno. Lamb, representing Toronto capitalists, have secured an option on the once famed Richardson mine, intending to develop it in order to ascertain finally if the exceedingly rich deposit that caused the rush to the Madoc region in 1866 was only a pocket or, what is thought by many practical miners and mining experts, to be a strong, persistent and rich vein.

It is to be hoped that the result of their work may be to prove the latter to be the case, and the stories circulated by interested parties years ago, which ended in its abandonment, that the mine was exhausted and played out, were untrue. In any event, Messrs. Thompson and Lamb deserve the thanks of the community for the display of the necessary courage to tackle the problem and solve the mystery that has hung over this mine during the long years that have elapsed since the old Madoc boom.

The old veteran mining engineer, Mr. F. Straith Miller, has also shown his faith in the mines of Hastings County by investing his dollars in several good locations in Tudor and elsewhere, and is making the necessary arrangements for the working of his properties as soon as the spring opens.

Mr. E. Strachan Cox, of Toronto, recently paid the district a visit in company with Mr. Bogle, a mining expert from Rossland, who is largely interested in mines in that and other districts in British Columbia. These parties, I am informed, examined one of our most valuable properties with a view to purchase, and I understand are in negotiation therefor.

C. W. Volney, a German Mineralogist and Mining Engineer of repute, has also appeared in the district and, if Dame Rumour is correct, is quietly securing some good arsenical properties in the near neighbourhood. Mr. Volney is not a stranger in this section, as he visited the Gatling Mines shortly after their discovery in the interests of English capitalists. He was also engaged recently in exploiting the Lithographic Stone deposits of the region, and two or three years ago read a very elaborate paper thereon before the American Institute of Mining Engineers at St. Louis.

You can see from this that the Hastings mining regions is coming to the front and is attracting the notice of capitalists and mining men from all parts of the world. Let them come Mr. Editor. The country will bear inspection; the better the expert and the more searching the examination the better the report will be.

When such men as Prof. Ricketts, of Columbia College, New York; C. Ropell, a mining-engineer of world-wide fame, of London England; also J. W. Chenhall, Assoc. M. I. C. E., F. G. S., of the same city (both of the gentlemen have had a wide practical experience in South Africa, Australian and South American mining fields), and a score of other authorities of a like character, after a most exhaustive examination of the different mines and mining areas of this district, all agree as to its richness and great possibilities, there can be but little doubt that Hastings will soon take rank amongst the great gold producing sections of the world. Take the opinion of these men, corroborated as it is by the developments already made on the Deloro, Belmont, Ledyard, Craig and other properties, there can be no possible room for doubt, by even the most skeptical, that we have in our midst the means of great wealth.

The conditions surrounding mining enterprises here are of the most favourable and economical description; fuel at less than half the cost of other sections of the country; labour cheap; transportation facilities by railway almost at the pit's mouth, within four or five hours ride of the trade centres of the country, render mining easy, cheap and comfortable.

I would like, before I close this letter, to say a word or two to the owners of mines; and that is not to throw any obstacles in the way of the prospector or investor, let them rather give them what information and assistance they can. Should they want to buy a property, sell it at a reasonable price, considering only the amount of development work done. If it is only a prospect, sell it at a prospect price. These mines are no good to any one if they are not developed and worked. Should they want supplies, don't take advantage of any untoward conditions and charge more than the article is really worth elsewhere. Be fair to the investor and to capital, and in the long run you will be sure to profit by it.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Items Gathered From the Despatches and Rolled Down to Paragraphs for Convenience of Readers.

There are 75,000 men out of work in Chicago.

John P. Jones has been re-elected as U.S. Senator for Nevada.

Mrs. Beerbohm Tree has given birth to a daughter in London. Mother and child are doing well.

Three hundred employes of the Rubber Works in Newton, Conn., struck yesterday.

The Kansas Legislature elected W. A. Harris to the United States Senate to succeed Mr. Peffer.

Frank J. Lespa, cashier of the State Bank at Clarkson, Nebraska, has killed himself. No cause given.

The defalcations of ex-Treasurer Miles of the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, amounted to $148,462.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone started from Hawarden for London yesterday en route for Cannes. Both are in excellent health.

United States Senator Wolcott, with his family, started yesterday from London for Paris, where he will continue his mission in the interests of bimetallism.

The U.S. Senate yesterday passed the Military Academy Appropriation bill. It appropriates $479,572, or $5000 more than the bill as it passed the House.

A Washington paper says Cornelius Vanderbilt has leased a house their for three months and will transfer his household and horses to the Capital.

A despatch this morning from Dorchester, N.B., stated that Hon. Dr. Borden was too stiff and sore to leave for Ottawa last night, and will have to remain where he is for several days.

The British Admiralty has given instructions for the Hotspur (coast defence ship) and the Monarch (third-class battleship) to be commissioned at an early date for service in Bermuda.

The Metropolitan Traction Company of New York has absorbed the Second-avenue Railroad, and it is said as underground trolley system will be substituted for the horse system.

The petition against Hon. G. E. Foster in York, N.B., was yesterday thrown out of court by the decision of Judge Barker of Fredericton, and the ex-Minister of Finance holds his seat.

The SS. Lake Ontario, with the returning Canadians from Brazil, arrived at St. John, N.B., yesterday. She also had on board the two champion speed skaters of Norway, on their way to Montreal for the races there.

The steamship Wandsworth, formerly in the coal-carrying trade between Sydney, C.B., and Montreal, and one of the best boats of the Watt-Ward Line, is reported to have been wrecked at the entrance to Shields' harbor, England.

The C.P.R. and G.T.R. will next summer run regular trains over their roads for the convenience of shippers of dairy produce and fruits for the British markets, and Hon. Mr. Fisher has completed arrangements with the steamship companies at Montreal for cold storage on their ships, the Government to pay half the cost.

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LATEST CABLE NEWS

Pacific Cable Report Not Ready for Parliament.

IT MUST FIRST BE DISCUSSED

By the Colonial Ministers—Dervishes in the Soudan Again Becoming Restless—Not Much Prospect of Amnesty to Irish Prisoners—News From the Old Land.

London, Jan. 28.—In the House of Commons to-day Sir George Baden-Powell asked the Government to inform the House of the date upon which the report of the Pacific Cable Commission would be presented. Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, said that no date for presenting the report to Parliament had as yet been fixed, as the report would first be made the subject of confidential discussion by the Colonial Ministers. Mr. R. W. Hanbury, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, stated that the Government had not yet decided upon the question of extending the Halifax and Bermuda cable to the West Indies.

A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury and Government Leader, replying to-day to John G. S. McNeill, anti-Parnellite member for South Donegal, who asked whether, in view of the Queen's coming jubilee, the Government would advise her to grant amnesty to political prisoners, said: The questioner is aware that I have never admitted there is any distinction between treason-felony and other long sentence prisoners.

In the House of Commons to-day Mr. Chamberlain moved the reappointment of the committee to enquire into the affairs of the British South Africa Company and South African matters generally.

James M. Maclean, Conservative, suggested an amendment to Mr. Chamberlain's motion, declaring that in view of the facts that the trouble with the Transvaal had been peacefully settled and the leaders of the raid into that country had been punished, it was needless to reappoint the committee.

Sir John Lubbock, Liberal Unionist, seconded the amendment. While the debate was in progress the hour of adjournment arrived, and the House rose. The discussion of the matter will be resumed to-morrow.

GREEN-EYED MONSTER

Said by Earl Cowley to Have Caused His Domestic Troubles.

London, Jan. 28.—In the trial of the suit for divorce brought by Countess Cowley against her husband, Earl Cowley, was resumed in the divorce division of the High Court of Justice to-day after an adjournment over several days. Earl Cowley took the witness stand, and testified that his wife was unreasonably jealous of him. She had not permitted him to maintain marital relations with her since the birth of their only child. There could be no desertion on his part. They had mutually agreed to live apart. Earl Cowley admitted having stayed at Hotel Orange at Scheveningan while Mrs. Cherrington was there, but denied that he had carried her to her bedroom. Upon a certain occasion he said he took her upstairs and laid her on a sofa, from which her maid took her to her bedroom.

TROUBLESOME DERVISHES

Said to be Advancing on Agordat—Fear of the British Expedition.

Massowah, Jan. 28.—Advices from Agordat say that the Dervishes, who were believed to be advancing on that place, have abandoned their fortified camp, at Amideb, and are retreating in the direction of Almoasa, pursued by the friendly natives. It is further announced that there are no Dervishes in the vicinity of Kassala.

Preparing to Meet the Expedition.

Cairo, Jan. 28.—Advices received here from Dongola show that the Khalifa Abdullah Taashi, the leader of the Dervish hordes, is making preparations for the expected advance of the Anglo-Egyptian expedition against him. The greater part of the garrison at Berber, an important town on the Nile south of Dongola, have been taken to reinforce the Dervishes at Khartoum, at the junction of the Blue and White Niles, and at Omdurman, directly opposite Khartoum. The women, children and old men at the two latter places are being sent to El Obeid, in Kordofan, the chief city of the Dervishes, and there are other indications that the Khalifa intends to attempt to hold the expedition in check at Khartoum. The Dervishes at Abou Hamed, a town on the Nile, being Dongola and Berber have deserted, and the expedition therefore does not expect to meet with any opposition until it advances for some distance past the mouth of the Black Nile unless the Khalifa later reinforces the Berber garrison.

Getting Afraid.

London, Jan. 28.—A special to The Daily News from Cairo says that the Khalifa is removing all women, children and valuables from Omdurman on the Nile, opposite Khartoum, to El Obeid, the chief city of Kordofan, fearing the immediate advance of the Anglo-Egyptian forces. Abdul Hamid has deserted the main portion of the Berber garrison and gone to strengthen the fortifications at Omdurman, which is being strengthened in every possible way.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

A Sharp Yankee Who is Said to Have Secured $100,000 by Forgery Arrested.

London, Jan. 28.—A man named Jones, who has been engaged as a stud-keeper at Scalby, near Scarborough, has been arrested upon a warrant, charging him with the crime of forgery alleged to have been committed in New York in 1894, whereby he is said to have obtained the sum of $100,000. He will be brought to London to-night and later arraigned in proceedings for his extradition to the United States.

The London Star, in announcing the arrest of Jones, describes him as "Latimer Ridley Jones, a well-known American gentleman."

Tempest-Tossed Steamships.

London, Jan. 28.—The American Line steamer New York, from New York Jan. 20, arrived at Southampton to-day. She had a very rough passage. Among her passengers is a French journalist named Bronard, who claims to have won a wager by making a circuit of the world under adverse conditions within 11 months.

The White Star steamer Germanic from New York, Jan. 20, for Liverpool, passed Bow Head at 5.55 o'clock this morning. She reported having experienced violent gales throughout her passage. Two of her lifeboats were stove.

Plague Ravages.

Bombay, Jan. 28.—The official report just issued shows that there have been 4396 cases of the bubonic plague and 3275 deaths from the disease in the city of Bombay, and 694 cases and 614 deaths from the plague have occurred at Karachi. There have been 65 cases and 60 deaths at Poonah, and a few cases have appeared at Kathiawar, Suret, Cutch, Baroda and other places.

How to Reach the Pole

Christiania, Jan. 28.—Dr. Nansen, the Arctic explorer, delivered a lecture in this city last evening, in the course of which he said that the best course to take to get to the North Pole was from Behring Sea towards the north-northeast, afterwards drifting with the ice current, which would be certain to lead to Greenland.

Muravieff in Paris.

Paris, Jan. 28.—Count Muravieff, the newly appointed head of the Russian Foreign Office, arrived in Paris this morning. A large crowd of persons assembled at the station to await his coming and greeted him with cheers and cries of "Vive Russia!" as he made his appearance.

Lost 97 Cattle.

London, Jan. 28.—The steamer Memnon (Br.), Baes, from Portland, arrived at Bristol yesterday, reports that she met with very heavy weather during the voyage. She lost many of her cattle pens and 97 head of cattle. She also started her steering gear. The barque Valona (Br.), Johnson, at Fleetwood, from St. John, N. B., reports that she lost her deckload during the voyage.

The steamer State of Georgia (Br.), Stewart, from Dantzig, Dec. 23, for Halifax and St. John, N. B., was today re-insured at 60 guineas premium.

The Monarch Launched.

London, Jan. 28.—The battleship Monarch was placed in commission at Chatham on Tuesday. She will go to South Africa. The report that the Monarch was to join the North American and West Indian squadron is thus disposed of. She will join the Cape of Good Hope and West coast of Africa squadron, which is commanded by Rear Admiral Rawson.

Italian Troops for Egypt.

Rome, Jan. 28.—The War Office has ordered six battalions of troops to be put in readiness to start for Massowah.

Don't worry. Don't run into debt. Don't trifle with your health. Don't try experiments with medicines. Don't waste time and money on worthless compounds. Don't be persuaded to take a substitute for Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the best of blood-purifiers.

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NOVELTIES.

Travelers' bags built of pigskin is the correct thing.

Black monkey skin bags with gold or silver mounts are the latest thing out for shoppers.

There is quite a fad now for silver articles which stand on feet, such as jewel boxes, cord baskets and the like.

Umbrellas with leather handles finished with Dresden, Doulton or Coalport ware are novelties in this direction.

The new postal case consists of a little booklet of leaves bound in a silver cover. The stamps are placed between the leaves.

Twin jugs in cut glass are the newest things out for cordials. These hold two kinds of liquors and are connected at the top by a glass handle.

Handled tea tables, as the name indicates, have handles on either end, same as a tray, and can be shifted from place to place without removing the tea service.—Jewelers' Circular.

THE TRAIL OF DEATH

It begins at the Throat and ends at the Grave. How many a human life is unnecessarily sacrificed.

There are many remedies on the market for the cure of consumption, but consumption, once it reaches a certain stage, cannot be cured. In professing, therefore, to do what is impossible, these remedies prove themselves to be simply humbugs.

Consumption is a disease which destroys the tissue of the lungs. Once gone, no medicine can replace that tissue. Good medicine may arrest the disease even after one lung is wholly gone, as long as the other remains sound. Once both are attacked, however, the victim is doomed.

Just why people should risk their lives to this dread disease and go to great expense afterwards to check it, it is hard to conceive. It is much easier prevented than cured. Throat troubles and severe colds are its usual forerunners. A 25-cent bottle of **Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine** will drive these away. It is, without doubt, the best medicine for the purpose to be had anywhere.

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1 lot of Heavy Blue Serge, 70 Suits, only large sizes left, will sell for..... **$3.50**

500 Boys' Suits, 2 piece, sizes from 22 to 28, at **98c, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.60 each.**

50 doz. Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers at..... **25c.**

25 doz. Men's York stripe Underwear at... **35c.**

1000 pairs Men's Braces at..... **5c.**

Only 10 doz. of the famous Loch Lommond Flannel Top Shirts left, now selling for **49c.**

500 pairs German Felt Slippers **10c. to 40c.**

400 pairs Ladies' Felt Boots, **25c. up.**

200 pairs Men's Overshoes, from **$1 up.**

Men's Alaska Overshoes, worth 99c, for.... **60c.**

Ladies' long Rubber Boots, per pair..... **99c.**

80 pairs Youth's and Boy's Long Boots.... **99c**

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Our Remnant event is always attended by eager buyers. Those who know a good thing at sight can get some excellent ends suitable for Men's Trousers and Boy's Suits.

If you wish to participate in the regular profits on these goods, and seize this money saving opportunity, do so between now and Saturday evening.

Mercer's

Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Business Changed Hands.

Mr. D. Kerneghan has bought out the grocery and provision business of Mr. Thos. Brady, corner of Brock and George streets. See advertisement in another column.

Our German import order of Musical Goods is expected on Saturday, Jan. 30th. Need we inform you that prices will be away down for superior goods? Old stand. Peterborough Music Co.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Presbyterial of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society will be held in St. Andrew's church on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 9th and 10th of February.

Big Musical Opening Saturday.

Special programme at night. Everyone welcome. Six hundred copies good music will be given away to the purchasing visitors. MULLIGAN & POTTER, 416 George street.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Bargains in Dry Goods and Furs.

W. W. Johnston has removed balance of the D. O. LeGendre stock to his own stand, 410 George street and as the stock must be cleared out in a short time, bargains in all lines will be given. Call and see for yourselves. 4d20

The Y. W. C. A. Boarding House.

Persons desirous of contributing towards the furnishing of the boarding house to be opened under the auspices of the Y.W.C.A., may do so by sending any articles that would be useful in house furnishing to 168 Brock street, on and after Feb. 1st. Dining room and kitchen utensils are especially needed.

Skating all the Rage.

Skating has once more become the rage. In England it is looked upon as one of the most desirable of accomplishments and the English bid fair to rival us since the adoption of their great artificial ice rinks. The Niagara is one of the longest in the world. In New York, Montreal and Toronto many clubs have been formed for the renewed cultivation of the art.

Tramp Nuisance.

The comparatively mild weather of this winter has brought out an unusually large crop of tramps. Frequent complaints of their numerous calls and appeals for food come from all parts of the town. Many of the wandering wayfarers secure a night's lodging in the police cells, and continue their aimless wanderings the next day. Like many other evils, the tramp evil seems beyond the possibility of being dealt with satisfactorily with a view to its abolition.

The Stock-taking Sale at Oak Hall

will continue the remainder of this week. The goods must be cleared out and with that object in view we have decided to give the purchaser all the profit. Here are some of the bargains—Men's Overcoats at $1.72 and $3.47. Men's single and double-breasted Beaver Coats, black and blue, regular prices $4.50 and $6, sale price $4 and $4.50; men's black and blue Beaver Overcoats with velvet collar, elegantly lined and finished, regular price $9.50 and $10, sale price $7; a large number of all wool Overcoats, tailor-made, regular prices $7, $8, $9.50, $10 and $11, sale price, $6; men's double-breasted Frieze Suits, regular price $8, sale price, $6.25; men's all wool Tweed Suits, regular price $7 and $8.50, sale price $5 and $6.50.

A STONE-BREAKING WELCOME FOR TRAMPS.

Sentences for Vagrancy Will Hereafter Carry a Stone Hammer With Them.

After the adjournment of the County Council this morning, the Joint Committee of the town and the special committee appointed by the council, met and considered the question of the utilization of the work of persons committed to jail under sentences involving "hard labour" especially in the matter of breaking stones for street material for the town. After consultation the county committee agreed that the prisoners sentenced to the jail at hard labour were to be used to break stone supplied by the town—on condition that the latter arrange with the government and bear any expense incidental to guarding the prisoners while at work. This arrangement, if carried out, will be very like a death blow to the tramp nuisance. A tramp committed for vagrancy instead of, as at present, luxuriating in jail as a favoured guest, with abundance of food and more leisure, will have a far different experience when confronted for ten hours a day with a heap of stones and a hammer. After one experience of this kind, the tramp fraternity will blacklist Peterborough as a stopping place, and we shall be very largely rid of these decidedly undesirable visitors.

The stone to be broken will cost the town $1 50 per cord, and the breaking will cost only the incidental expense of guarding the prisoners. At present the stone broken by the town costs $3.75 for the breaking alone, so that taking the cost of the raw material at $1.75 per cord (the present price paid to ratepayers' furnishing stone) it costs the town under the present arrangement $5.50 per cord for metal before it is ready to be placed on the streets.

The new arrangement will not deprive any ratepayers, who may desire to be employed in preparing stone for the streets, of employment, for the stone broken by the prisoners will fall far short of supplying the requirements of the town; and besides the number of tramps committed will grow beautifully less as the story of the stone hammer and stone heap becomes better known among the fraternity. It would pay to spend considerable to keep tramps clear of the town, but when we can do so and save money, so much the better.

CARNIVAL TO-NIGHT.

SIX MONTHS IN THE MERCER REFORMATORY.

The Sentence Imposed on a Woman Bigamist this Morning.

Margaret Blanco, alias Groves, alias Lackey, was brought before Magistrate Dumble this morning on the charge on which she was arrested last Saturday, viz., bigamy.

The circumstances and details leading up to the arrest, and the story connected with the case appeared in Monday's EXAMINER.

No evidence was taken this morning, the woman entering a plea of guilty, and receiving a sentence of six months in the Mercer Reformatory at Toronto.

Frederick Lackey, her last husband, has been placed under arrest on the same charge, it being preferred against him on the ground that he knew the woman was married at the time he was united to her in wedlock. Charges of perjury will also be brought against the pair.

THE CHARITY CONCERT.

Given by the King's Daughters of St John's Church.

An entertainment for the benefit of the poor fund of the King's Daughters of St. John's church was given under the auspices of that Society last evening in the Sunday school.

The affair was a success financially, and though the attendance was not quite as large as was expected, yet those present spent a most pleasant evening.

The following programme was presented:

Piano solo (selected).....Mr Owens
Vocal solo—"Lullaby".....Miss Annie Sherwood
Vocal trio—"Shepherds, Can ye Tell Me".....
Messrs Lount, Morphet and Kingscote
Reading.....Rev E V Stevenson
Guitar duet.....Messrs Roper and Lefevre
Quartette—"Stars of Summer Night"...Messrs Lount, Morphet, Kingscotte and Stevenson

Refreshments were then served and a pleasant hour spent in social intercourse.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cases.

Dr. Ryerson begs to inform the public that he will be at the Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, on Saturday, Jan. 30th, for consultation in eye, ear, nose and throat cases. Hours: 12 to 4. dw

An Invitation to All.

You are cordially invited to call at our store on Monday and Tuesday, the 1st and 2nd of February, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m., to examine and try a cup of the "Winsor Cereal Coffee," prepared by the McMullen-Winsor Coffee Co., of Chicago, Ills. A representative of the company will be present to show how to make it and to give desired explanations. This is a very healthful and pleasant beverage, with a perfect coffee flavour and taste, and can be freely used by persons unable to drink pure coffee.—Very respectfully, E. F. MASON & Co. 3d29

Death of Adam Rutherford.

News of the death of Adam Rutherford, of Zion, Otonabee, will be received with grief by his many friends. The sad occurrence took place yesterday after an illness of ten months duration. The deceased was 63 years of age and was one of the most esteemed of the old residents of the township, where he lived since boyhood. A widow and three children survive to mourn the death of a most kind and indulgent father viz., Bella and Sidney, who reside at the homestead, and Mrs. John Moncrief, of North Monaghan. Mrs. John McWilliams and Mrs. Richard Morgan, of Ashburnham, are sisters of the deceased. The funeral will take place tomorrow to the Little Lake Cemetery.

A Pleasant Evening.

Last evening Mr. J. Glass, Bible class teacher in the George street Methodist Sunday school, entertained the young gentlemen members of his class, consisting of about sixteen, at his residence, Aylmer street. This has been Mr. Glass's custom for several years past, and a very excellent one it is, as it brings teacher and scholar together in social intercourse which is beneficial to both. All kinds of games were provided and much enjoyed by all. The games were in constant demand and after a few hours had been spent with them, the members repaired to the dining room where a sumptuous repast was partaken of. The party was brought to a close in the wee small hours of the morning. The members of Mr. Glass's class will not soon forget his and Mrs. Glass's hospitality and kindness to them.

LAST NIGHT'S HOCKEY MATCH.

PETERBOROUGH INTERMEDIATES WIN A DECISIVE VICTORY.

They Worst The Millbrook Team by Eleven Goals to Five.

A large crowd gathered at the rink last last night to witness a match between the Millbrook team and the local intermediates, and the fastest game of the year was witnessed. The Millbrook boys play no combination whatever, but their forwards are very speedy, and their individual rushes were something terrific at times, and the puck would be carried down on the Peterborough flags like a whirlwind—the flying Millbrooker only stopping when Glover or Wasson laid him gently to rest in the corner. When the Millbrook boys abandon this individual play, and go in for combination, they will give "the best of them" a tussle before being beaten. A little team play could have won the match for them last night, as Thoane at cover point was away off colour, and thus Glover, who is putting in his first year at the game, and Wasson were left to cope with the Millbrook forwards. Time and again Wasson was forced to leave his flags and dash into a melee in one of the corners, and while thus away from his post four out of the five Millbrook goals were scored. In the latter part of the match Glover settled down and put up a remarkably fine game, getting in some of his old lacrosse touches that considerably astonished any of the visiting forwards who tried to give him a body check.

On the Peterborough forward line Davidson, Crossley, Graham and King all did well, but there was no sign of combination play until the second half, which explains why only two goals were scored in the first half, whilst nine were tallied in the latter half of the game. Once the combination play began the Millbrook defense had its work cut out for it and some fine play was witnessed. Again and again the four crimson jerseys went down the ice in a row—through the defense—as though it did not exist and a roar from the crowd would signify that one more game had been tallied.

The two teams were composed as follows:

Millbrook		*Peterborough.*
Whyte	goal	E Wasson
Coombe	point	R Glover
T Nattrass	cover point	R Thorne
J Nattrass	forwards	R Davidson
G Leach	forwards	G Graham
F Leach	forwards	W Crossley
Duncan	forwards	H King

The puck was faced at 8.26, and travelled with a fast rush into Peterborough territory, where Glover relieved and neatly passed to King, and the rubber was carried down on Millbrook's flags. Up and down the battle raged, individual rushes on both sides being the principal feature. The first game was finally scored by Millbrook in four minutes and the score or so of Millbrookites, who came up with the team, shouted themselves hoarse, and even Peterborough could scarce forbear a cheer.

T. Nattrass, who all through played a splendid game at cover-point, took the puck directly after the face off and made an exceptionally fine rush down the ice with it, until he reached Glover, who stopped him and relieved well. Elated by scoring the first goal the visitors rushed the game for all it was worth, and the way they "followed up" was a lesson to the local players. They were right on the puck all the time and Wasson had his work cut out for him. The scrimage was hot around the goal for a time, but the play was finally worked up the ice to the visitors' flags, and Davidson scored the first game for Peterborough. Time, 15 minutes.

Millbrook took the puck from the face off and scored the next game in half a minute.

In two and a half minutes Harry King evened the score by tallying for Peterborough, but Millbrook took the lead again in two minutes by scoring another goal. There was no more tallying until half time was called, when the score stood 3—2 in favour of the visitors.

The whistle called the players out again on the ice at eight minutes after nine, and it just took Peterborough half a minute to make the score "three all." In five and a half minutes more Graham and King made a pretty rush down the ice, as the result of which the former scored. Just two minutes later the Peterborough forwards came down the rink in a line, King scoring in a pass from Graham.

The Millbrook boys now awoke up and again commenced to rush things, scoring in three minutes. Score 5—4 in favour of Peterborough.

The combination work of the home team seemed to demoralize the visitors, and when three minutes later the forwards started off again down the rink King had no difficulty in making the score 6—4.

Davidson scored the next game for Peterborough in half a minute, making one of his old-time rushes, which are not seen as often as in the days when he and King were the brightest stars of the students' team.

Crossley then made a dash in on the Millbrook goal, and raised the score to 8—4 in a minute and a half.

The combination work kept steadily improving as the forwards began to find out just where the puck could be passed to a comrade.

King scored again in 8 minutes, and two minutes later Roger Davidson sent a bullet-like shot between the Millbrook flags.

Millbrook scored in one minute, and King made the score 11—5 in favour of Peterborough just before time was called.

NOTES.

The Millbrook boys and their friends drove up in a couple of busses, returning home after the game.

In future before a match is played, the forward line should be practiced together a couple of times. Last evening it was not until the latter half that the boys began to work together, it being the first time they had all been on the same forward line.

A word of advice should be given Graham and King regarding the carrying of the puck too far up the ice before shooting on goal.

The game did not start on time last night and the attendance at the matches will most assuredly fall off if the patrons are to be kept waiting half an hour before the game begins. If the players cannot get on the ice until 8.30, why not say so on the bills, and spectators need not come until that hour.

If You Can't Write, Don't Read This.

A few reasons why Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens are the best: It is always ready, and writes continuously without shaking. It writes as freely as a dip pen, and feeds the ink more regularly. The principle which regulates the flow of ink is as old as split pens and equally as reliable. All our pens are filled ready for use. Drop in and try one. We will allow you to take it home, and if not satisfactory, bring it back.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

T. Fitzgerald's Coal and Wood Yard

Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

A COUPLE OF ACCIDENTS.

One of Them may Prove Serious—Internal Injury Feared.

Wednesday afternoon while Mr. John Couch was operating a saw in J. Walter Green's pump factory, Ashburnham, a board flew from the saw, striking him in the abdomen. He was conveyed to his home and suffered great pain. It is feared he is badly injured internally.

Last night, when endeavouring to stop the rush of a Millbrook forward down the ice at the hockey match, Chris. Graham sent the man up in the air and was struck in the lobe of the left ear with the point of one of the skates. A deep cut was the result, and though Chris. bandaged it up and went on playing, a couple of stitches had to be put in afterwards by a physician.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Geo. Robinson has been in Lindsay for the past few days.

Mr. Harb. Middleton, of Lindsay, has returned home after spending a few days in town.

Mrs. John D. Armstrong, Water street, her friends will regret to learn, has been confined to her room with illness for the past few days.

Mr. W. E. Green, representative of the Heintzman & Co. Piano, yesterday placed one of their beautiful instruments in the residence of Mr. H. P. Kennedy, corner of Park and Gilmour streets.

THE EXAMINER's thanks are due Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Kennedy for a much appreciated remembrance in the shape of a piece of the wedding cake. That their wedded life may be as satisfactory as the quality of the piece de resistance of the bridal banquet, is expressing a most hearty wish for their future happiness.

At the annual convocation of the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Mason, the election of officers has particular interest for the craft in Peterborough, from the fact that R. Ex. Comp. G. F. Shepley, Q.C., who is well known in Peterborough, having been at one time a student in the law office of Scott & Edwards, was elected 3rd Prin. J., and R. E. Wood was elected Grand Superintendent of Works for Ontario district, No. 10.

BIRTH

STEVENSON—In Peterborough, on Friday, January, 29 h, 1897, the wife of Mr. Rufus Stevenson, Collector of Customs, of a daughter.

Sour

Stomach, sometimes called waterbrash, and burning pain, distress, nausea, dyspepsia, are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. This it accomplishes because with its wonderful power as a blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla gently tones and strengthens the stomach and digestive organs, invigorates the liver, creates an appetite, gives refreshing sleep, and raises the health tone. In cases of dyspepsia and indigestion it seems to have "a magic touch."

"For over 12 years I suffered from sour

Stomach

with severe pains across my shoulders, and great distress. I had violent nausea which would leave me very weak and faint, difficult to get my breath. These spells came oftener and more severe. I did not receive any lasting benefit from physicians, but found such happy effects from a trial of Hood's Sarsaparilla, that I took several bottles and mean to always keep it in the house. I am now able to do all my own work, which for six years I have been unable to do. My husband and son have also been greatly benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla—for pains in the back, and after the grip. I gladly recommend this grand blood medicine." MRS. PETER BURBY, Leominster, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1.

Hood's Pills cure all Liver Ills and Sick Headache. 25 cents.

CHANGED HANDS!

I have bought out the Grocery and Provision Business carried on for the past six years by Mr. Thos. Brady, on the corner of Brock and George Streets, I therefore beg leave to solicit a continuance of the patronage of all the old customers of this store, as well as of my friends and the general public.

It is my intention to conduct the business in a safe and satisfactory manner—by keeping full stocks of all lines of the Choicest Groceries, Flour, Feed and Provisions—by giving constant attention to the business—and by selling for cash at the closest prices for the best goods that can be bought. An early call is invited.

D. H. Kernegan

"MINING PROFITS WITHOUT MINING RISKS.

SEND FOR A PROSPECTUS OF

THE EASTERN MINING SYNDICATE

E. L. SAWYER, Manager
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LOW EBB PRICES

We don't expect much profit while we are stock-taking. Go at random to any of our book shelves, show cases, tables or counters pick on any of the stock, the prices are all at low ebb. We own goods that were bought exceptionally cheap. They are being sold at prices that can be only matched by indifference to costs and values. Our Stock-Taking Sale is the crowning sale of the year. Take stock of these sample quotations:—

25 sheets Note Paper and 25 Envelopes, done up in a pretty box, for..... 10c
5 quires St. Neot's Note Paper, a fine, smooth writing paper, for 20c; single quire, 24 sheets, for..... 5c
5 packages Envelopes to match, 18c; single package for 4c
5 gross good Cream Note Paper, plain or ruled, for 35c; single quire for..... 8c
5 packages good Cream Envelopes to match 35c; single package..... 8c
Windsor Newton's Best Artist's Colours, regular price 10 cents, for..... 7c
Invitation Cards and Envelopes, regular price 25c per package, for..... 19c
Writing Tablets, containing 100 sheets, good note paper, padded, regular 10c, for..... 5c
Six packages Cyclists Playing Cards, $1; single package 17c
Nine packages Boston Playing Cards $1; single package 12c
1000 good Business Envelopes, for..... 72c
Sunday at Home and Leisure Hour, one year complete, well bound, for..... 95c

The Ladies are invited to buy freely in Stationery, if not for present needs, for future requirements. They will not regret having been wide-awake enough to buy at present selling prices.

A. H. Stratton & Co.

THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

A Final Closing Sale

OF ALL WINTER GOODS, AT

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S.

From now till 1st February we will hold a Final Closing-Out Sale of all goods that are of a winter character. This will be a grand opportunity to many to buy goods at wholesale prices. Everyone knows that we carry no goods but the very best. We have no room for cheap grade of goods, that only look cheap in advertisement. We do for you what no other house can do, that is YOUR MONEY BACK if not suited.

MEN'S SUITS AND PANTS (To Order)

$4.50 Pants to order.....reduced to $ 3 00
$5 00 Pants to order.....reduced to 3 50
$13 50 Suits to order.....reduced to 10 00
$17.00 Tweed Suits to order.....reduced to 13 00
$20.00 Tweed Suits to order.....reduced to 15 00
$16.00 Worsted Coat and Vest to order.....reduced to 13 00
All work and fit guaranteed.

MILLINERY CLOSING SALE.

All our Trimmed Millinery at exactly HALF PRICE.
25 All Wool Tams, were 30c and 35c.....reduced to $ 0 15
All our Fez Caps.....reduced to 0 20
All Felt Hats and Sailors, being cleared, regardless of cost.

JACKETS, CAPES AND FUR EDGINGS.

The balance of our Monflo Fur Edging.....reduced to $ 0 15 yd.
The balance of our Beaver Fur Edging.....reduced to 0 25 yd.
The balance of our Bear Fur Edging.....reduced to 0 50 yd.
The balance of our Sable Fur Edging.....reduced to 0 75 yd.
Balance of our $8.50 Jackets.....reduced to 2 00
Balance of our $5 00 Jackets.....reduced to 3 50
1 $12.50 Fur Lined Cape.....reduced to 8 00
2 $16.00 Fur Lined Capes.....reduced to 11 00
$20.00 Matallasie Capes.....reduced to 9 50
$22.00 Matallasie Capes.....reduced to 10 00
$25.00 Matallasie Capes.....reduced to 12 00
$18.00 Jackets.....reduced to 10 00
2 Sealette Jackets, were $37.50.....reduced to 25 00
1 Sealette Jacket, was $20.00.....reduced to 11 00
You see by the price that we do not intend to carry over a single winter garment.

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

8 pieces All Wool Tweed Dress Goods, were 50c.....reduced to 25c
2 pieces Fancy Plaid Dress Goods, were 50c.....reduced to 35c
200 yards Pongee Silk Dress Goods, were 25c.....reduced to 20c
25 per cent. off all our Black Jet Trimmings.

HOSIERY, GLOVES AND VEILINGS.

Special prices on all our Cashmere Gloves.
All our 25c Veilings.....reduced to 18c

FLANNELS AND FLANNELETTES.

1000 yards New Flannelettes.....only $ 5
200 yards 15c Grey Flannel.....only 12½
All Wool Blankets.....only 2 50
All Wool 12½c Flannelette.....only 10

This will be your last chance to get a choice lot of Winter Goods at prices that will pay you to buy and carry over to another season. We are bound to carry no goods over to another season.

SPOT CASH. ONE PRICE. NO APPROVAL. YOUR MONEY BACK IF NOT SUITED.

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Put on Your Thinking Cap

for a few minutes, and see if it won't pay to take advantage of a saving of from 20 to 25 per cent. in exclusively custom finished Winter Suits, Ulsters and Overcoats, &c.:—

SUITS—To your measure in Imported Scotch Tweeds $13.50

OVERCOATS—to your measure in Fine Cheviots, interlined $16 00

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No deviation in the quality of our work.

ROBT. WEIR,
Merchant Tailor,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES,
422 George Street.

Can Accommodate a Few More

Our rooms have rapidly filled during the last two weeks, but we have still room for a few more.

DAY STUDENTS.

Any one contemplating entering this season should make arrangements at once.

NIGHT SCHOOL.

The Night School will close the last of April. Those entering now will only be charged for THREE MONTHS COURSE.

PRINGLE & McCREA,
BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 1897.

FIRST SESSION OF THE NEW COUNTY COUNCIL

UNDER THE COUNTY COUNCILS' ACT OF 1896.

Only Lasted Four Days—The Several Committees Report — Deputations From the Town And Board of Trade —Adjournment to Meet at the Call of the Warden.

FOURTH DAY—FRIDAY.

The council went into session; all the members present; the Warden in the chair. After routine, Mr. Moloney, chairman, presented the report of the Committee on

ROADS AND BRIDGES

as follows:

The Committee on Roads and Bridges beg leave to report as follows:

1. That Mr. John Moloney be chairman of this committee.

2. Your committee recommend that your council take no action with respect to building a new bridge over the river Ouse as it crosses the concession line between the second and third concessions in the township of Asphodel in lieu of the present Steele's bridge, except on terms stated in minutes of special standing Committee on Roads and Bridges.

3. Your committee recommends that the report of the County Engineer be received and adopted.

4. Your committee recommend that the matter of re-flooring Young's Point Bridge be left in the hands of the Warden and County Engineer with power to act.

5. Your committee recommend that the matter of re-flooring the Lakefield bridge be left in the hands of Mr. W. H. Casement with power to act.

6. Your committee recommend that the County Engineer ask for tenders for re-painting Sullivan's bridge and also Allandale, Warsaw, Crow River, Deer River and also all other bridges under the jurisdiction of this council. Such tenders to be referred to a special meeting of this council to be called by the Warden in April next.

7. That the matter of Preston's bridge be referred to the next meeting of this council and that in the meantime the County Engineer prepare plans and specifications and ask for tenders both for a wood and iron bridge with stone piers and abutments.

8. That the matter of repairing Welbeck bridge in Asphodel be left in the hands of Mr. Pearce, with power to act.

9. That the Warden be instructed to ask for tenders for the lumber, and award the contract for repairing Hope's bridge in the township of Otonabee.

10. Your committee recommend that this county grant $100 towards repairing the boundary line between the townships of Monaghan and Cavan, provided the united counties of Northumberland and Durham grant $150, the township of Monaghan $100, and the township of Cavan $150, all for the same purpose and that Mr. Middleton be commissioner for expenditure of same, he to furnish a certified statement in detail of the manner in which such moneys are expended.

11. That no action be taken upon the application of the township of Smith for the purchase of a stone crusher by this county, in conjunction with them. Your committee commend the idea of several townships joining together in the purchase of a stone crusher but do not consider that any workable scheme can be proposed for the operation of a stone crusher if purchased by this county.

12. That a special grant of $100 be granted towards opening up the boundary line between Marmora and Belmont, between lots Nos. 14 and 30, both inclusive, upon condition that before expending any part of this grant the township of Belmont will guarantee this county that they have at least the additional sum of $200, for the purpose of opening up such boundary line, and that they will expend such sum for that purpose, and that Mr. John Brown be commissioner for the expenditure of the same, he to furnish a certified statement in detail of the manner in which said moneys are expended.

13. That a special grant of $75 be given to each of the townships of Burleigh, Harvey, Chandos, Galway and Methuen for expenditure on roads and bridges therein, and that the following be commissioners for expenditure of same: Mr. Eastland for Burleigh and Chandos; Mr. Shaw for Harvey and Galway; and Mr. John Brown for Methuen, each to furnish a certified statement in detail of the manner in which said sums are expended, the remuneration of such commissioners to be 3 per cent. of amount expended.

14. That a special grant of $60 be given to the township of Dummer for the purpose of repairing the north Warsaw road between lots 20 and 21 in the first concession of Dummer and Douro upon condition that the township of Dummer expend a like sum on the same road.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN MOLONEY, Chairman.

County Council Chambers, Peterborough, January 28th, 1897.

Mr. Casement, Chairman, presented the report of the

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

as follows:

The Committee on Finance beg leave to report as follows:—

1. That Mr. Casement be chairman of this committee.

2. That hereafter this council pay each nominating officer $4.00 for his services, exclusive of disbursements, and that in addition thereto a mileage fee of 10c. one way be allowed to such officer.

3. That the matter of supplying a case for the preservation of forms in office of County Crown Attorney be referred to the next meeting of this council.

4. That no auctioneer's license be granted except to the single individual in any case applying.

5. That no action be taken with respect to the communication from the secretary of the Ontario Provincial Constabulary Association, asking this county to defray the expenses of the county high constable during his attendance at their meeting.

6. That no action be taken upon the application of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society for a special grant.

7. That no action be taken upon the application of the reeve of Galway for a refund of the county rate on certain lands in the township of Galway, save and except that the sum of $27.85 interest account be remitted.

8. That no action be taken upon the application of Mrs. Paton, county president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, asking for certain prison reforms.

9. That no action be taken upon the application of the village of Havelock for a special grant towards the building of a lock up in that village.

10. That the Board of Examiners called to try the McFimoe case be allowed to consider the appeal provided the applicant deposit with the county treasurer sufficient moneys to cover the costs, which moneys are to be returned to him if his appeal is sustained.

11. Your committee recommend that the county treasurer pay to the Norwood High School Board the amount to be paid by this county for the maintenance of county pupils, such amount to be paid upon the certificate of the chairman of the Norwood High School Board.

12. That W H Porter be granted a one-horse peddler's license for one year for $15, this council remitting to him one-half of the license.

13. That the following accounts be paid:

G H May	$ 40
H Nesbitt	3 80
J S Cairncluff	25 13
W E Roxburgh	25 20
Samuel Edwards	4 00
Jas Drummond	4 00
Jas Calder	14 25
R W Twey	9 25
Ontario Gazette	4 60
Bell Telephone Co., Judge's Chambers	12 50
" " Treasurer's office	12 60
Geo Keeper	19 75
J O'Grady	5 50
Postage acct	1 68
H Gibbs	4 00
Henry Owens	5 00
Town of Peterborough, re T V Canal	134 90
" re Otonabee bridge	7 43
Stevenson Coal Co	70
Peterborough EXAMINER Printing Co	2 25
Times Printing Co, (conditional)	5 50
Peterborough EXAMINER Printing Co	161 07

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. CASEMENT, Chairman

County Clerk, County Council Cambers. Peterborough, January 28, 1897.

Mr. Middleton, chairman, presented the report of the Committee on

COUNTY PROPERTY AND APPOINTMENTS,

which was referred back yesterday, as follows:

The Committee on County Property and Appointments to office, beg leave to report as follows:

1. That Mr. Middleton be chairman of this committee.

2. That Mr. W. E. Roxburgh be re-appointed trustee of the Norwood High School.

3. That Messrs. John Burnham and R. C. Strickland be members of the Board of Audit of accounts in connection with the administration of justice.

4. That J. E. Belcher be re-appointed county engineer.

5. That Dr. Wm. Caldwell be appointed gaol surgeon, at a yearly salary of $150, payable as formerly, this sum to cover all extras heretofore charged.

6. That Mr. Henderson Nesbitt be re appointed caretaker of the Court House, at a yearly salary of $175, payable as formerly.

7. That Mr. W. B. Kelly be re-appointed caretaker of the Mud Lake bridge and swing, at a yearly salary of $20, payable as formerly.

8. That Mr. W. D. Chase be re-appointed caretaker of the Gannon's Narrow Ferry, at a yearly salary of $125, payable as formerly.

9. That Mr. John Flood be re-appointed caretaker of the Pigeon Creek bridge, at a yearly salary of $25, payable as formerly.

10. That Mr. S. Purser be re-appointed caretaker of Buckhorn bridge, at a yearly salary of $5.

11. That the County Engineer be instructed to procure a suitable witness box for the Division Court room.

12. That the caretaker of the Court House be instructed to procure sufficient lumber for the re-building of the ice house in connection with the gaol.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. MIDDLETON, Chairman.

County Council Chamber, Peterborough, January 27, 1897.

On motion to adopt the report, Mr. Burnham moved, seconded by Mr. Pearce, that the fifth clause be amended by substituting the name of Dr. Scott for that of Dr. Caldwell, as jail surgeon.

The amendment was lost and the report adopted.

Mr. Shaw, chairman, presented the report of the Committee on

SCHOOLS.

The Committee on Schools beg leave to report as follows:

1. That Mr. Shaw be chairman of this committee.

2. That the report of the County School Inspector be received and adopted and printed in the minutes of this council.

3. That the County Inspector be instructed to send to the Trustees of each school section a memorandum embodying his views as to the conduct and mode of teaching in the schools of this county, and the changes and improvements which he would suggest for the rectification of the present state of affairs.

4. Your committee recommend that the attention of the Minister of Education be called to the injustice done by the renewal of third class certificates to those of mere primary standing, without their undergoing an examination for at least Junior Leaving standing, inasmuch as the renewal of such certificates deprives better qualified teachers of the opportunity of obtaining situations. The action of County Boards of Examiners should in this regard be made uniform.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ROBERT SHAW, Chairman.

County Clerk, County Council Chambers, Peterborough, January 28th, 1897.

The report was adopted.

Bylaws to confirm the several reports were passed. Also a bylaw to authorize a loan of not more than $25,000 to meet current expenses.

The council adjourned to 10.30 to meet a deputation.

A TOWN DEPUTATION.

A deputation from the town council consisting of the joint committee, Messrs. J. B. McWilliams, W. H. Meldrum, Adam Dawson and R. Neill, waited upon the council in reference to the utilization of prison labour.

Mr. McWilliams said the town had been greatly troubled with tramps and persons of that class, and with the consequent dispensing of charity. He suggested in order to make idle persons that preyed upon the community earn their keep, that the town purchase stone to be broken by prison labour, and that the town use this broken stone for use on the streets, or that the county purchase the stone with a similar object to secure the desired end. The object of the deputation was to secure the co-operation of the county in this matter.

Mr. Meldrum pointed out that the system adopted in the town secured the co-operation of the churches in dispensing charity. The services of the agent of the Children's Aid Society was also available to discover and prosecute those who refused to work, bring them before the magistrate and have them committed. He pointed out that the co-operation of the county with the town would stamp out the nuisance involved in idle persons preying upon the county in summer and resorting to town for the winter.

Mr. Dawson favoured the principle of the plan proposed by Mr. McWilliams, but preferred that the county buy the stone, the town to buy the broken metal.

Mr. Pearce of the County Council, suggested that the town furnish the stone.

Mr. Moloney said it seemed to him that the county had at one time suggested employing prisoners in some way, but that the Inspector of Prisons interposed some obstacle in the way of properly guarding the prisoners while at work.

Mr. Stratton thought there would be no difficulty in this respect.

The matter was referred to a special committee consisting of Messrs. Moloney, Burnham, Middleton and Pearce.

BOARD OF TRADE AND T. V. C.

A deputation from the Board of Trade, consisting of Messrs. B. Shortly, President, J. R. Stratton, M. P. P., Wm. Manson, John Carnegie and Peter Hamilton appeared before the council in reference to securing the co-operation of the council in sending a deputation to Ottawa to impress the importance of continuing work on the Trent Valley Canal upon the Government.

Mr. Shortly said he would content himself with introducing Mr. John Carnegie, who would fully explain the object of the deputation.

Mr. Carnegie said it would be sufficient if he merely mentioned the Trent Valley Canal. He pointed out that we had now certain portions of the work under contract and in a satisfactory way to completion and he supposed that the new government would naturally wish to consider the advisability of completing the work. It was only fair to present the matter to the present government as had been done with the late government. He believed that if the matter had not been vigourously pressed in the past the present progress would not have been realised. He asked the co-operation of the county council with the town in the matter of a strong deputation to Ottawa.

Mr. Stratton pointed out that a large deputation had visited Ottawa, asking for the removal of the dam at Chisholm's Rapids, which all would recognize, if effected, as a death blow to the canal. (hear, hear.) The Minister of Railways and Canals had told the speaker that he was favourably impressed with the canal scheme and the splendid water stretches, and the government needed to have the fact urged upon them that the people were in earnest about the canal. He urged that the county appoint a large deputation (for governments were much impressed with large deputations as they represented votes, and impress upon the government the necessity of building the canal, as the late government had been impressed time after time.

Mr. Hamilton agreed with what had been said, especially with the remarks of Mr. Carnegie, that in justice to the new government they should be placed in possession of the feeling of the people on the subject, as had been done with the late government. So much money had been spent on the canal that we could not afford to let the work drop now. He urged the appointment of a strong deputation to confer with a similar one from town.

Mr. Wm. Manson was heartily in sympathy with the completion of the work, and a deputation would be a move that he approved of.

Mr. Casement moved, seconded by Mr. Moloney, that the Warden appoint a committee to co-operate with any deputation that might be organized in town.

The council then adjourned, and the special committee went into session with the committee from the town, in regard to the matter of employing prison labour to break stone.

CARNIVAL TO-NIGHT.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 29,—6.30 a. m. ..... 8° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	23°	14°

MORE NEW BOOKS FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following new books have been placed on the shelves of the Public Library:

The Balkans	Miller
Physicial Geography	Maurey
Hints on Advocacy	Harris
Mere Literature	Wilson
Sweetheart Travellers	Crockett
Quo Vadis	Sienkiewich
Nancy Noon	Swift
Andrea	White
An Isle in the Water	Tynan
Mark Heffron	Baillie

Tobacco Business Changed Hands.

Having purchased the tobacco business formerly carried on by Ed. B. Clegg, No. 215 George street, I have re-stocked the store with a full and well-selected assortment of choice cigars, tobaccoes, pipes and smoker's sundries, and solicit a share of public patronage. Prices low enough to suit all.—W. B. RICKEY. d

To the North Pole.

Lieut. Parry, the explorer, wants some one with about $120,000 to help him find the missing north pole. Now, if any one has an interest to that extent in this discovery now is the chance. But when the expedition is being fitted out we cannot suppose that any person would venture so far without a supply of nice fresh groceries from E. BROWN & Co's., 294 George street. P. S.—Best Snow, Greening and Northern Spy Apples on hand.

Men's Heavy all wool Pea Jackets, in grey and black Frieze and Blue Nap, lined with heavy all wool Tweed Lining, Grafton & Co's. regular price $5, sale price during sale 3.95.

OBITUARY.

The Late John Gall, of Keene.

This morning Mr. John Gall, of Keene, died at his residence at the age of 65 years. His last illness was of only ten or twelve days duration, and his death was due to inflammation of the lungs. Mr. Gall was a native of Scotland, and has been a resident of Keene for the last forty years. He was a well known man—his portly presence is familiar to hundreds of the travelling public of the country, and to thousands in this county. In his earlier years in Keene he was connected with the stage line, that has been superseded by the railway. He has conducted the well known brick hotel for a great many years, succeeding to the business of the late Thomas Drummond, whose sister he married, and who still survives him. He was noted for keeping a most orderly and well managed house, and though strict in the management he enjoyed a wide popularity among his patrons and the public generally. He was pretty well read, and could converse fluently on almost any topic. He was upright in his dealings, and had no sympathy with fakirs such as hay fork men, etc., who frequented his house, so far breaking the laws of bonifacial hospitality as to warn farmers against their wifes, and instances are related where he has prevented a farmer from signing an innocent-looking receipt for hay forks or churns, or something of that kind, which would have serenely cropped up afterwards as a a note for $300 or $400. He would do this at the risk of offending a profitable, if sharky, customer. He amassed considerable money by his business, and a year or so ago he retired to a fine new residence he had built to occupy in his declining years.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Chas. Facey is requested to call on the agent of the Children's Aid Society at once.

—The Sewerage Finance and Market Committees of the town council meet to-night.

—It is sensible advice an exchange gives in the following words:—This is the season of the year in particular when people should keep their months shut—that is, breathe through their nose and not their mouth. A strict observance of this very important matter would prevent numerous cases of colds, sore throats and lung troubles. The mouth was never intended to breathe through.

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Egg, Stove or Chestnut	$5 50 per ton
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2 Cord Brooms, regular price 9c			Cash Price 5c
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4 Cord Brooms, " "	25c		Cash Price 19c
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3 lbs. Choice Family Lard			Cash Price 25c
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Yours truly,
Peterborough, Jan. 15th, '97. McFARLANE WILSON.

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Wednesday, 10th of February, 1897,

At Two O'clock in the afternoon.

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Peterborough, January 27th, 1897.

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SKATING TICKETS

SEASON 1896—7.

The rink is now open for skating forenoons afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies	$3 00
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THE BAPTIST WON.

Mr. McKergow Elected President of the Board of Trade of Montreal.

Montreal, Jan. 27.—(Special.)—Immersion has carried the day, and Mr. John McKergow of the firm of A. A. Ayer & Co., was to-day declared elected President of the Montreal Board of Trade, defeating Mr. John Torrance, who received 351 votes, against 468 cast for Mr. McKergow. Mr. James Crathern was elected first vice-president by acclamation, and the vote for second vice-president stood thus: Thomas F. Smith of the firm of James McCready & Co. 438, David McFarlane 341.

The following 12 gentlemen will compose the new council, with the number of votes each received, there being 26 in the race:

E. L. Bond 462, A. J. Brice 408, Chas. Chaput 499, Fred W. Evans 472, Robt. Mackay 543, W. B. Mathewson 536, Chas. McLean 468, Jas. W. Pyke 556, A. W. Stevenson 397, Harry Stikeman 553, David S. Thompson 476, David Watson 595. Mr. Henry Miles was elected treasurer by acclamation.

There were 20 candidates nominated for the Board of Arbitration, and the following were elected: Robt. Archer 601, Robt. Bickerdike 633, J. A. Cantlie 424, E. B. Greenshields 702, Edgar Judge 510, John McKergow 443, W. W. Ogilvie 578, David Robertson 478, A. A. Thibaudeau 437, Adam S. Thompson 465, John Torrance 430, Jas. Williamson 424.

President McKergow in his inaugural speech pronounced against reciprocal trade with the United States, saying that England was Canada's natural market. He also favored a Canadian insolvency law, and less discrimination on the part of the railway companies.

Before adjourning the following resolution, moved by Edgar Judge and seconded by Alexander McFee, passed unanimously: "That in the opinion of the Montreal Board of Trade, the bonds which unite the empire would be greatly strengthened by the adoption of a system of preferential trade in the empire, that it is ready to give its active support to any well considered scheme that would be fair both to the Mother Country and to Canada. Further that it would request the Dominion Government to consider whether the time had not arrived to suggest to the Imperial Government the calling of an Imperial conference to mature some practical plan for securing this important boon to the empire."

Alderman Stevenson is circulating petitions to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, praying that the term "England" shall no longer be used in an Imperial sense, and that the country be termed Great Britain by diplomats and others. The petition alleges that it is an insult to Scotsmen to be wholly ignored, and declares that this is an error in Imperial nomenclature.

The election of officers of the Corn Exchange took place to-day, Mr. Edgar Judge being returned president by acclamation. The interest was centered, however, in the contest for the treasurership. Mr. W. A. Hastings of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company defeated Mr. Stewart of the Kingston and Montreal Forwarding Company by 18 votes.

GRAVEL IN THE BLADDER.

Used Eighteen Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills—The Stone Dissolved and Removed—Knew of Others Cured.

Shelburne, Jan. 25 (Special).—Mr. John Medill, known locally as well as far and near as a physical giant, and glorying in his strength, came to be a great sufferer and tells of his cure as follows:—

"I do not hesitate to speak of Dodd's Kidney Pills or anything else exactly as I find them. If a medicine cures me and I think it will cure others why not say so?

"It is true I had been suffering for some time with Bladder trouble, and, learning of a case nearly in a similar case by Dodd's Kidney Pills, I commenced using them.

"In all I have used eighteen boxes and they have dissolved the stone and have entirely cured me of any sign of gravel. I do not hesitate to speak of Dodd's Kidney Pills in the highest terms of praise, for I know of many persons who have been cured by them."

THE CATTLE AND THE COLD.

Half a Million Sheep in Nebraska Being Fed and Many Have Died—Losses in South Dakota.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 27.—For several days the mercury has been from 10 to 15 degrees below zero throughout Nebraska. There are 500,000 sheep being fed in Nebraska at present and many have been lost on account of the severe cold. The aggregate will be many thousands, but deaths of animals on the range at present are confined largely to sheep. No native range cattle have died, comparatively. As a result of the great supply of provender many Texas steers were shipped to the Nebraska ranges to be fed this season. In this class the cold has caused considerable loss.

All Right in Montana

Helena, Mont., Jan. 27.—The storm which has prevailed in Montana for several days, while severe, is not having a serious effect on range live stock. This is due to the fact that the snowfall has been light and there has been little wind. The sheep men are all well provided with feed and they were able to get their flocks into the sheds before any loss occurred.

Not Much Loss in Wyoming.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 27.—The cold wave of this week has not been severe in Wyoming and loss of stock has been nominal.

South Dakota Suffers Heavily.

Yankton, S.D., Jan. 27.—Reports are meagre from the cattle ranges of this state. The losses along the Missouri River will be heavy. It is feared the losses in that section will run from 20 to 25 per cent. The mortality among sheep is much greater and may reach 50 per cent.

Killed Thousands of Cattle.

Denison, Texas, Jan. 27.—Prominent stockmen of the Indian Territory and the Pan Handle report that the recent blizzard has resulted in the death of thousands of cattle on the range. For the first time in a number of years large watercourses are frozen over.

ARBITRATION TREATY.

The Senate Committee Discussed It Yesterday But Reached No Conclusion.

Washington, Jan. 27.—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations to-day considered the general treaty of arbitration between this country and Great Britain without reaching a conclusion. The general drift of the discussion indicated that the instrument must be amended so as to eliminate any possible inclusion of questions concerning the domestic or foreign policy of either of the contracting parties.

It is believed by some members of the committee that a conclusion will be reached at a special meeting on Saturday, and that the treaty will be reported to the Senate Monday.

While it is believed that the treaty may be made satisfactory by one or two amendments, each member of the committee has his own ideas as to the exact language to be employed in so doing. The ardent friends of the Nicaraguan Canal insist that in some way that question be lifted bodily from the treaty and guarded against. The fear that Great Britain may be seeking a pretext to interfere not only in our foreign policy, but in domestic affairs as well, leads others to urge an amendment providing that no questions affecting either the domestic or foreign policy of the contracting parties shall be brought within the provision of the general treaty. This, it is contended, will also carefully guard the Monroe doctrine without referring to it in name. The designation in the treaty of the King of Norway and Sweden as umpire is causing the committee much concern, and, in looking up the diplomatic history of this northern country, the committee has discovered that a compact exists between Great Britain and France, on the one hand, and Norway and Sweden on the other, in which the two great powers of the south agree to stand by the weaker nation. The designation of King Oscar will, in all probability, be eliminated and an amendment reported requiring the selection of an American umpire for American questions and a European umpire when the matters in dispute relate to affairs in the eastern hemisphere.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—Trade is very dull and unsatisfactory. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80.

Bran—Trade dull, with bran quoted outside west at $7 to $7.50 and shorts at $9.

Wheat—The local market is dull, with the feeling bearish. Red wheat sold west at 78c, and white is quoted at 79c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is offering at 77c. afloat, Fort William, and the nominal price, Toronto freight, is 92c.

Buckwheat—Trade is dull, with car lots quoted at 27c west.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 1 quoted at 33c to 34c, No. 2 at 28c to 29c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and No. 3 at 23c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are heavy. White sold at 18c west, and mixed at 17c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices steady. Sales at 40c north and west.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 21½c outside.

Rye—The market is easier, with sales on the Midland at 34c.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 27.—Spring wheat, 6s 8d to 6s 9¼d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 6s 1½d to 7s 1½d; corn, 2s 5d; peas, 4s 6d; pork, 46s 3d; lard, 21s 3d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 28s 6d; do., light, 25s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 28s 6d; tallow, 12s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 56d.

London—Opening—Wheat on passage dull for white and firm for red. English country markets dull. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 6s 6¼d for Feb., 6s 7d for March, 6s 7½d for May and 6s 5¾d for July. Maize easy at 2s 6¾d for Feb., 2s 6¼d for March, 2s 5¾d for May and 2s 5¼d for July.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures steady at 6s 5¾d for Feb., 6s 6¼d for March, 6s 6¾d for May and 6s 5¼d for July. Maize steady at 2s 6¼d for Feb., March and May, and 2s 5¼d for July. Flour 24s.

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SULLIVAN MUST DIE.

Found Guilty of the Murder of Mrs. Ducher and Her Son—To be Hanged March 12.

Dorchester, N. B., Jan. 27.—The jury in the Ducher murder trial has brought in a verdict of guilty against the prisoner, John E. Sullivan.

Sullivan was sentenced to be hanged on March 12 between 6 and 12 a.m.

NEEDLE IN HER HEART.

Surgeons Opened a Way and Took it Out and the Girl Will Recover.

Muskegon, Mich., Jan. 27.—Miss Maggie Heese of Muskegon, who drove a crochet needle into her side by accident, puncturing the heart sac, was operated upon yesterday at her home. The surgeons' knife exposed the pulsating heart of the woman and liberated about two tablespoonfuls of pus that had accumulated in the sac, after which she rallied handsomely and will probably recover. Before the operation communion was administered to Miss Heese and she bade her relatives farewell.

Health and strength carry us through dangers and make us safe in the presence of peril. A perfectly strong man with rich, pure blood has nothing to fear from germs. He may breathe in the bacilli of consumption with impunity. If there is a weak spot where the germs may find an entrance to the tissues, then the trouble begins. Disease germs propagate with lightning-like rapidity. Once in the blood the only way to get rid of them is to kill them. This is what Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is for. It purifies the blood. That means that it kills the germs, but that is only part of what it does. It assists digestion by stimulating the secretion of digestive fluids, so promoting assimilation and nutrition; purifies and enriches the blood and so supplies the tissues with the food they need. It builds up strong, health flesh and puts the whole body into a disease-resisting state.

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In all times the rich man has been a target for the shafts of writers, and never more so than in these days of our own. It is somewhat novel, therefore, and indeed refreshing, to discover Ian Maclaren, essentially a man of the people, a champion of the much-berated possessor of wealth. His is a qualified and discriminating appreciation, it is true, and the more interesting because of these conditions.

It has been the fashion of literature to put this man in a pillory, says the distinguished Scotch author, and to make play with him, and to leave the impression that any scribbler who could string together a few verses, although neither he nor his verses had any claim to character, stood higher by the truest standards of worth, and was of more value to the community. This man is also apt to give himself away by too often insisting on his own history, and by speaking as with his own sword and bow, and not by the good favor of the Almighty, he had achieved his success. But it is common speech which does him most injustice, and quite confuses the situation. For it is asked, "How much is he worth?" and then the answer is given in figures. If this were indeed the exact value surely his life had been a sad fiasco, and he himself was of no account. What he is worth is another thing from what he possesses and if you go into the matter his fortune becomes a mere symbol to be transferred from figures into qualities. Just as half a dozen books stamped with university arms show that a young scholar has made a fair beginning in culture, or a simple bronze cross on a soldier's breast proves that he has played the man on the field of battle, so does honorable success in business bear witness to character. It means that a fellow-man called to his work in his calling has not been idle and careless—flinging away his opportunities and denying his duties. It means that he has not yielded to the lower impulses of his nature and done foolishly, to the weakening of his mind and body. It means that he has resisted temptation to trickery, deceit and unprincipled work of all kinds. This ten or hundred thousand pounds are in themselves only dust and vanity. But consider them as x, and work the equation out, and they read industry, perseverance, thrift, intelligence, self-denial, integrity. This gold is but another word for brain and conscience, and proves that one has done the work laid to his hand with all his might, and in so doing has built up his manhood.

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worked upon by hundreds of skilled toilers.

When it was at last finished and set up before the royal palace at Heliopolis she spent days in watching the strange hieroglyphics being cut upon it.

Nearly all that we know of the history of the world has occurred since then, and yet to-day, after a lapse of thirty centuries, the body of that Egyptian princess, perfectly preserved, lies in state in the museum in Central Park, says the New York Journal, and not two hundred feet away stands the hoary obelisk as if keeping guard over her sacred remains.

Thousands of miles from their former home, these reminders of the glory of dynasties now but a half-forgotten tradition of the remote past, are strangely reunited. To those who love to delve into antiquity the obelisk is the most wonderful of the many relics of the early history of the world.

When the Saviour walked the earth it stood at Alexandria, a hoary relic of almost fifteen hundred years. To go back still further, the same obelisk had survived the rise and fall of Egypt, and stood a monument of her glory centuries before the palace of Nimrod, Nineveh and Khorsabad were built. Daniel, the great prophet, lived and died hundreds of years after its erection.

The college student, slowly tracing the number of "persangs" which marked the advance of the great Zenophon, looks on the history which he is translating as extremely remote, yet even this was so recent that Zenophon marched over the sites of the then long buried and forgotten cities mentioned without discovering a trace of their hidden mysteries.

Older yet is this ancient obelisk. Standing at Heliopolis, in the dim dawn of human history, looking to the east as a harbinger of the morning, Moses himself doubtless often read its hieroglyphic inscriptions, for he was learned in the lore of the Egyptians, and the obelisk was nearly 300 years of age when he wrought his miracles before Rameses II. and led the children of Israel out of their captivity.

It is strange that of the thousands who look with awe on this reminder of the past but few really appreciate its antiquity. They interpret the name "Cleopatra's Needle" literally, when, in fact, the beautiful Egyptian Queen never saw the monolith, which was fourteen centuries old when Cleopatra was born, and stood at Heliopolis until eight years after her death, when it was removed to Alexandria, B.C. 23, by order of Augustus Caesar.

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An Artificial Rain Experiment

M. Errera, professor at the University of Brussels, has succeeded, and by a very simple process, in making artificial rain. All that he uses is a bottle of Bohemian glass, which is covered with an ordinary procelain saucer and is half filled with alcohol of 92 degrees strength. He heats this bottle in a bath of water until the alcohol, the sides of the bottle and the saucer are of an almost equal temperature. Then he takes it out of the bath, places it carefully on a table and observes it closely.

He is rewarded by an interesting sight. The vapor of the alcohol soon fills the bottle, but the saucer cools rapidly and the vapor being warmer, becomes condensed as soon as it comes in contact with it. The upper air in the bottle also quickly becomes of a lower temperature and real clouds soon appear. These speedily become dissolved into a multitude of tiny rain drops, which fall thickly, just as an ordinary rain shower.

The bath of water performs the function of the sun, the alcohol represents the ocean; the clear space beneath the saucer may be compared to the pure sky, which dominates the somber mass of clouds, and the upper air in the bottle, chilled by contact with the saucer, plays the role of the cold atmospheric currents which bring about the condensation of vapor into clouds.

We see, then, the phenomenon is faithfully reproduced in all its details. A still more striking result can be obtained by using a cold saucer in place of the warm one. In that case the difference of temperature will be increased and we can witness a regular old-fashioned storm or hurricane. This is, indeed, a tempest in a bottle. —New York Herald.

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Lexington, Ky., Jan. 27.—Late yesterday afternoon, on Green River, near Brownsville, a battle occurred, in which 40 shots were fired, eight of which took effect. The combatants were Eugene Carrier, J. L. Carrier, Nathan and Luther Scaggs, on one side, and G. W. Hazelip, Alfonso Hazelip and his son on the other. G. W. Hazelip was shot in the groin and hand, and Alfonso in the breast, arm and side. Nathan Scaggs was shot in the shoulder, and Ben Scaggs, a bystander, in the arm. The two Hazelips will die. The trouble occurred over the alleged betrayal of Carrier's sister by Alfonso Hazelip. All are prominent people.

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A Writer Wants to Know how Newspapers Manage the Obituary Business.

To the Editor of the Examiner :

Sir.—Is it possible to transmit by telegraph portraits of individuals? Only by this agency can I account for the extreme rapidity with which facsimiles of men of note appear in the public press. To take the latest case, that of Sir Isaac Pitman, who died in London, England, on the 22nd of January—lo! the Montreal Star of the same date has his portrait and a lengthy notice of his life from his birth to his death. Does the Star keep a gallery of portraits in anticipation of their being some day wanted, or is there any means of transmitting such a thing as a portrait by electricity? Do please enlighten me and relieve the feelings of

One Perplexed.

[Outline portraits can be sent by telegraph. The old method was to have every part of a cylinder touched by a needle, tracing five parallel lines screw-fashion, the electric current being completed only when the needle crossed part of the outline. If a square plane surface was used, instead of a cylinder, the needle traced the parallel lines by running back and forth. The machines at each end had to be adjusted to the nicest synchronism, and this difficulty was the bar to commercial success. A later method is that of Gray's teleautograph, which allows the needle to play freely in any direction, tracing continuous lines, the current being always flowing. Even this however, has not come into practical use. The rapid publication of portraits and biographies, as in the instance mentioned, depends upon no marvel of science. Papers which maintain photo engraving establishments keep the photographs of celebrities always on hand, and can prepare an outline drawing and produce an engraving therefrom at very short notice. As for the biographic sketches which appear so promptly, these are provided in various ways. Metropolitan newspapers maintain obituary departments, in which the career of every notable person is kept written up to date. Smaller offices depend principally upon indexed files and works of reference. Lately the Associated Presses have accompanied death announcements with brief sketches from one or another of the biographical dictionaries.—Ed.]

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To the Editor of the Examiner :

Sir,—If it is in the power of the Street Car Company, and if it does not require the circumlocution of a by-law, I would suggest that a notice to the above effect be exhibited in each car of our local company. As yet spitting is not carried to excess, but there is a tendency to it (and this is shared even by some of the officials), and it is as well to nip the filthy habit in the bud.

Traveller.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

The first team of the Frontenacs, of Kingston, will be here on Monday next to play the Peterborough Intermediates, and in the early part of of the same week the second seven of the Frontenacs come up to play the third team of the Peterboroughs. These are two games which will be brim full of ginger, snap and go, and will, without doubt, be liberally patronized. In other years the Peterboroughs had all they could do to hold down the Athletics, of Kingston, and as the Frontenacs have taken the pick of this team and united it with the old Limestones, two very strong sevens have been placed on the ice, and the Peterboroughs will be hard pressed to retain their supremacy, and the name of being unbeatable on their own rink. Both games should draw tremendous crowds.

CURLIANA.

The Kingston News says : Neither the president nor the committee of the curling club know anything about the Peterborough Curling club's intended visit to Kingston. But they say if the visitors do come they will be glad to arrange a game for them.

MENACE TO CANADA.

United States Maintains a Fleet on the Lakes Contrary to Agreement.

By an agreement with Great Britain and the United States, entered into in 1817, it was decided that neither nation should build or maintain warships on the Great Lakes. Each was to be allowed three gunboats for revenue purposes, but these were not to exceed more than 100 tons each or carry more than one 18-pound cannon. We have rigidly adhered to this agreement. At present Canada only has on the lakes two vessels, the Petrel and Dolphin. The former is 95 tons, while the latter is only a steam launch.

But the United States has been quietly building and arming a whole fleet during the last few years. She now has the Fessenden, a boat of 320 tons, armed with one 30-pound gun, two 24-pound Dahlgren Howitzers and two 3-inch rifles; the Johnston, 430 tons; the Perry, 251 tons; the Michigan, a side-wheel iron steamship of 498 tons, with two 8-inch guns and four 32-pound cannonades; and the Grenhan, recently launched, a fast armed cruiser of over 900 tons. In addition two more cruisers of the same type, heavily armed, have been ordered.

Here is a fleet sufficient in case of war to ravage the whole Canadian coast line. Kingston, Toronto, Hamilton, Windsor, Sarnia, Chatham, and every other Canadian city which could be reached by water would be at the mercy of these cruisers. This fleet has been built and armed in direct contravention of the agreement. It is time the Canadian government woke up to this fact. If the United States is bound to have a fleet on the lakes Canada must take the necessary precaution of having one, too, cost what it may. It is probable, though, that a sharp protest to Washington would stop the further building of men-of-war under the guise of revenue cruisers.

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COAL OIL AND WOOL

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LEAVE THE DUTIES AS THEY ARE

Is the Substance of the Arguments Advanced—Mr. Jenkins of Petrolia Was the Oil Men's Orator, While Mr. Penman of Paris Spoke for the Woolen Men.

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Influential representatives of the Canadian oil industry, the woolen manufacturers and the knitted goods manufacturers occupied the attention of the Tariff Committee of Ministers all day to-day.

The first to address the Ministers were the Ontario oil delegates, headed by Mr. Fraser, the Liberal M.P. for East Lambton.

The other delegates were Messrs. J. H. Fairbank, ex-M.P., H. Hammond, J. L. Englehart, J. D. Noble, Charles Jenkins, Petrolea; Charles Mackenzie, ex-M.L.A., Sarnia, and F. A. Fitzgerald, London.

The Ministers who received them were Hon. Mr. Fielding, Sir Richard Cartwright and Hon. Mr. Paterson.

Mr. Fraser, M.P., introduced the deputation, announcing that he was in thorough accord with its objects. Mr. Jenkins then addressed the Ministers. He gave a long history of petroleum in Canada, going back to the early part of the sixties, and tracing the industry down to 1876, when the Mackenzie Government had to deal with the question. He wanted to say that the Mackenzie Government dealt with it in a bold and comprehensive way, so that the article was left without interference for 17 years. The duty placed by the Mackenzie Government on American oil, not for protection, but as a revenue, was 7 1-5 cents per gallon. In 1893 there was an unfair agitation against the oil duty, which it was said was all going to the Canadian refiners, and in 1894 Parliament reduced the duty on the American article to 6 cents a gallon. The representatives of the industry told the Finance Minister at the time that the industry could not stand this. The result of the reduction in duty was to make Petrolea a city of the dead. After a year or so providentially the United States market changed by increased values, so as to allow the old state of affairs, and since then the industry was getting on fairly well. He showed that the industry contributed about $120,000 to the general finances of the country, and combated the idea that any of the duty went to the pockets of those in the trade. He complained of the way the industry was misrepresented by those who were not acquainted with the facts.

There were five distinct refineries in Petrolea, 8000 wells in operation and 600 owners, which showed that there was no combination. There was, on the contrary, an active competition between each. He argued that Canadian oil was superior to the United States production, but the difficulty was that the lamps were nearly all made to suit American oil. The Canadian oil needs more oxygen than was permitted by the American burners. The Canadian oil was 1-3 better than the article in the States.

Mr. Fitzgerald followed with statistics to show that the present duty was essential to the trade, and that any further reduction meant the destruction of the industry in Canada.

J. H. Fairbank, ex-M.P., also addressed the commission in favor of retention of the present duty. The prejudices, he said, against Canadian coal oil were fast disappearing. In London Canadian oil alone was used, and there was more of it used in Toronto than the American article. In December Toronto peddlers sold 54,500 gallons of American oil and 62,000 gallons of Canadian. The 8000 wells at Petrolea cost about $400 each. The last reduction of duty was ill-advised and the Finance Minister of that day knew it, but pressure made him yield.

What the Government could do to assist the industry was to enquire why it cost five cents to carry oil 400 miles from Thunder Bay to Winnipeg and only two and a half cents from Petrolea to Halifax and St. John. There was no other business in which labor figured more. There was no combine, trust or corner in the Canadian oil trade. Every man was fighting to keep up his own business. Efforts had been repeatedly made to ship Canadian oil and products of petroleum to foreign markets, but there was no opening for them and the experiments had invariably proved futile. But the Government could place them in a position to ship their lubricating products, for the market was now in better shape than it had ever been. He only urged, however, that the present duty should be let alone.

Mr. Englehart also made a few observations in reply to questions from the Ministers, and maintained that the refiners and producers are linked together in the matter, their interests being largely identical.

Mr. Noble appeared, representing the farmers of Lambton, Essex and Kent, and supported the contentions of the gentlemen who had spoken. He took the position that if the duty was taken off oil the Canadian manufacturers would not pay the owners of the wells even the $1.50 per barrel on crude oil which was now paid.

The deputation then withdrew.

THE WOOLEN MEN

Request That the Duty on Their Goods be Not Interfered With.

The next deputation was woolen men, which included Messrs. Rosamond, M. P., Almonte; Kendry, M. P., Peterboro; Willett, Chambly; John Turnbull, Sherbrooke; J. Gillies, Carleton Place, and J. Morley, Waterloo. They asked to be heard in private and their wish was acceded to. The deputation represented to the Government that it would be inadvisable to make any change in the duty on woolens, which at present is 20 per cent. ad valorem and 5 cents per pound. They stated that the capital invested in the industry amounted to $15,000,000, the number of hands employed was 15,000 and the annual amount paid in wages $5,000,000. A reduction of the duty meant a cut in wages of probably 10 per cent.

The Ministers resumed work shortly after 3 o'clock, when the knitted goods manufacturers' deputation were heard. This deputation consisted of Messrs. J. Ellis of Port Dover, J. Penman and Henderson of Paris, J. Hewton of Kingston, Cantlie and McKay of Toronto, Forbes of Hespeler and Anderson of Guelph. The case of the deputation was represented by Mr. Penman in a very forcible manner. He stated that the present duty on knitted wear was 35 per cent., and on socks and stockings of all kinds 4c. per dozen pairs, in addition to the ad valorem duty. The contention of the deputation was that this industry could not stand any alteration in the present duty. He said they were under greater cost for raw material, plant, supplies, fuel, etc., than their competitors. In importing the wool which they used they had to pay freight, insurance and exchange more than their English or German rivals. They had, moreover, to pay a duty of 30 per cent. on the trimmings.

In the matter of wages a Canadian mill employing 326 hands would annually pay $101,730; in England the same number of hands would receive $73,950, and in Germany $52,590. The Canadian manufacturer for his coal had to pay from $3.50 to $4.50 per ton, while in England it cost but from $1 to $2.25 and in Germany from $1.85 to $2. Canadian manufacturers were under the necessity of heating their buildings in winter more than was required in England. To fit up a Canadian mill the cost of machinery would be about $300,000. In England or Germany it would cost one-third less, or a saving of $100,000. Statistics showed that Great Britain was losing her hold in foreign markets, and if the Canadian tariff were lowered the Canadian manufacturer would likewise suffer.

He proceeded to give the following figures of the Canadian knitted goods industry: Value of plant $4,000,000, number of hands employed 4900, yearly wages paid $1,250,000, value of fuel used $56,500, amount paid for freight $58,000, duty paid on supplies brought in $35,000 a year, duty on machinery, etc., $25,000 a year. Whatever protection the Government thought the woolen manufacturers should have, the same should apply to the manufacturers of knitted underwear. A reduction in the tariff would bring them face to face with cheap German labor, and to keep the Canadian mills going there must be a reduction of wages. That would mean taking the bread out of the mouths of the people. The deputation would also urge that there should be a change in the present duty on woolen yarns and worsted yarns. Mr. Penman mentioned that European exporters were in the habit of dishonestly offering two invoices to their customers. In order that there might be uniformity of appraisement he suggested that importations should only be permitted at leading ports.

Mr. Fielding asked how the importers would like such an arrangement.

Mr. Penman said the system worked well in the United States.

Sir Richard Carwright said he had been looking at the returns, and found that the importations of hosiery had fallen from $393,000 worth in 1892 to $180,000 worth last year. It looked as if the competition were lessening.

Mr. Penman said that the figures were misleading. All the manufacturers knew that prices had fallen. The Canadian producers had not been idle in looking for outlets for their goods, but what they valued most was the home market.

The deputation showed to the Ministers some fine specimens of the product of their mills and quoted the prices. A child's sock of excellent quality was exhibited, and the Ministers were surprised and interested when they were informed that all the manufacturers got for them was 20c for a dozen pairs.

Mr. Fielding expressed the thanks of the Ministers for the information furnished. Another session of the Tariff Commission will be held to-morrow, when the cotton manufacturers will have their innings.

FRANCE AND RUSSIA.

Something Seems to Have Ruffled the Sereneness Lately Manifested Between These Allies.

New York, Jan. 29.—A special to The Herald from St. Petersburg says: Replying to The Paris Gaulois' attacks against the Franco-Russian alliance, The Novosti hits back. It says: "Before her alliance with Russia, France only played a secondary political role for 20 years. After it she at once rose to the first rank."

The attacks which have recently been delivered by The Figaro and The Gaulois cause high feeling here, and have been the reason why so much stress is being laid upon the visit of Count Muravieff, which is being emphasized in the strongest manner.

It is even hinted that the opportunity of the Count's visit will be taken to come to an understanding with France in the eastern question, as it is well known here that what action there has been comes from resentment of the French bondholders, who own, according to M. Cambon, 63 per cent. of the Turkish debt; consequently they most actively favor the financial commission's plan, from which Russia has held aloof.

THE FIREBUG CASES

David and James Ballard Committed for Trial.

HOW THE SCHEME WAS WORKED

In Order to Get Money Out of the Insurance Companies—William Reid, the Silent Member, Discharged, Because the Charge of Over-Valuation Was Not Proved.

Shelburne, Jan. 29.—This morning David Ballard was committed for trial for firing Henry Jackson's stable in January, 1893.

Jackson testified that the fire was deliberately planned between himself and Ballard, and that a horse which had been injured by a hay-fork was burned for the insurance.

John Martin swore that he brought an ax to Ballard before the fire, and that he saw the horse lying dead in his stable before the match was applied.

William Reid, the silent member of the gang, was then placed in the dock, charged with having feloniously set fire to his barn in August, 1893. William Trudgeon swore that he had certain conversations with the accused in the house and at the mill, which was burned that night, after taking his last load of furniture away. Reid admitted to witness that he knew all about this fire, although he was away from home at the time. Reid told witness he had a horse that was through three or four fires, and he was a good horse yet.

William Withers, a near neighbor of the accused, testified that he was working with Reid that harvest. The night of the fire Reid and his wife were away from home, Reid hitching up about dark and going after his wife. The witness went to bed and was awakened by the fire, which happened about an hour after Reid left.

The witness' memory seemed very defective about certain conversations between the accused and himself as to setting fire to his barn and having time to reach Toronto before it burned. James Stewart had traded with Reid a self-binder for a democrat wagon and a buggy, which he had offered before for $16, valued the binder at $15, and it was put in Reid's claim papers at $75.

Alexander Marten said Wm. Reid's barn was burned about three years ago. He was in church at the time. Reid told the witness how buildings could be burned. This conversation took place about the time of the fire.

Hugh Reid, secretary-treasurer Sydenham Mutual Fire Insurance Company, stated the loss was adjusted for $283.60.

This closed the case for the Crown. The Magistrates did not consider the charges as to overvaluation, etc., proven, and the case was dismissed.

The charge against Jas. Ballard of burning three buildings in the month of March, 1892, was then taken up.

Walter Thompson, the first witness, remembered drawing lumber from Corbetton to James Ballard's place. When at his house could not see much furniture in the house. Ballard told Thompson that he had removed most of his furniture to John Wallace's; was aware that Ballard's organ was upstairs in Wallace's, and helped to move it into Jas. Hammond's wagon; Ballard told the witness, laughingly, that he was lying. Ballard, according to testimony of witness, had holes dug in the ground and posts set in to deceive the insurance companies as to the size of the building.

Ed. Wellwood, the next witness, stated that he and Morrow were on their way home from Flesherton when they saw the fire. When they got to the scene all the buildings were nearly consumed, except the house. Witness said he did not try to put out the fire, as he did not wish to monkey round the place.

Robert Hammond gave testimony as to the moving of the organ and stove from Ballard's. These articles were taken over to his father's, James Hammond. Shortly after that Mrs. James Ballard came over to Hammond's and got them to remove the organ to Charles Higgins', in Dundalk. Hammond and Ballard made a trade of stoves, and that settled the deal.

John Wallace's evidence threw some light on the history of the organ. It seemed Ballard owed Wallace a sum of money, so Ballard made a deal with Wallace to take the organ. Wallace went to Ballard's for it one night after dark. Ballard's wife and Wallace's wife quarrelled, and Mrs. Wallace ordered Ballard to take the organ away. It went from there to Hammond's. Mrs. Wallace, wife of the previous witness, thought that the organ came to her house the night of the fire; understood that there was an arrangement between Ballard and her husband as to a deal about the organ.

J. W. Morrow, who drove up with Ed. Wellwood, said he did not get out of his rig. He told Wellwood that the sooner they got away from there the better, as there was something wrong.

Mary Jane Hammond, wife of James Hammond, remembered about the organ being brought to her house after dark. Mrs. James Ballard and her daughter came and took away the organ after dark a few months afterwards. The stove is in Hammond's possession yet. James Hammond remembered all about moving a stove, organ, bedstead and some bedding from Jas. Ballard's house before the fire. There was nothing left in the house but an old stove, valueless, and some broken crockery. That night the buildings were burned. The witness did not remember when Ballard told him he would burn the buildings, but thought it might have been the day he was there putting in the bogus foundation.

This closed the case, and the accused was committed for trial.

THE TREACHEROUS ICE.

Henry Tripp Lost His Son and Had a Narrow Escape Himself on Lake Erie.

Ridgeway, Ont., Jan. 29.—A distressing accident, resulting in the death of a 14-year-old boy, occurred Wednesday off Windmill Point. Henry Tripp and his son started out about noon on a fishing excursion. They took a team of dogs and a small sleigh. The lad also provided himself with a pair of skates. When the lake was reached the elder Tripp seated himself on the sleigh, the boy seized one of the supports behind and the little party started out on their journey over the ice. It is a peculiarity, owing to the choppy waves, that ice of no considerable thickness ever forms at Windmill Point. It was so in this case. The little party had not proceeded far before both dogs, the sleigh and father and son were ingulfed in the chilling waters of Lake Erie. The lad never rose to the surface, but the sleigh supported the elder Tripp. After a long and desperate struggle he succeeded in getting out of the water onto the ice that would bear his weight. One dog was drowned, the other pulled himself out, and dripping with water that was fast forming into icicles crawled to where his master stood. Tripp was powerless to help his son, who, probably, long before his father succeeded in getting out of the water, was a corpse. He made his way to the shore and told his pitiful story.

A searching party was organized, and late in the afternoon the boy's body was found and taken from the lake.

Two years ago Edward Gothard, a fisherman, had a narrow escape from drowning in about the same fatal spot where young Tripp lost his life. Gothard, too, was seated in a sleigh, to which was hitched a span of dogs. All went into the water. Gothard, after a terrible struggle, succeeded in getting out, but his faithful dogs lost their lives.

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THE NEW COUNTY COUNCIL.

The experience of the first session of the County Council under the new regime is certainly an evidence of the wisdom of the enactment of the County Councils Act of 1896. As a matter of economy it was a decided gain—a gain represented by a difference of $264 between the cost of the first session under the new regime and the average cost of a session under the old system. For instance, this week ten members, at $3 per day, sat four days—$30 per day—which represents a total sum for salaries of $120. Add to this mileage, at an average of $3 per member, and we have a total cost of the first session under the new regime of $150. The invariable length of a session under the old system was five days at a cost for salaries of $69—twenty-three members at $3 per day, totalling $345. With the same average mileage—$3 per member—added, we have an additional $69, or a total of $414 as the cost of a session under the old system, not counting the cost of attendance, fuel, etc., which is about the same in both cases.

We have therefore a double source of financial gain to credit the new system with—shorter sessions, with a decrease of sessional expense of over a hundred per cent.—$150 as against $345, in the matter of salaries alone, and a similar decrease in mileage as represented by the difference between ten members at $3 each and twenty-three members at the same figure. In regard to the relative length of sessions it may be pointed out that the late session was practically only three days, two days instead of one, as was usual in the past—though there were exceptions — having been taken up in the election of a warden.

It is fair to state that the business of the first session was somewhat lessened by the special session in December, though some matters that hung over a couple of sessions were disposed of this week.

And, moreover, the business was well, as well as expeditiously, transacted, as is probable with a reduced membership, when there are fewer differences of opinion to reconcile and decisions are more easily reached.

The spirit of fair play that seemed to animate the new council, indicated that the members considered themselves as much representatives of the whole of their respective divisions as of the township or other municipality in which they reside. Judging by the first session of the new council, there is no probability of the interests of any particular municipality or part of a division being neglected, or of the interests of one being advanced at the expense of another. The usual special grants were promptly made to the financially weaker municipalities, and in one or two cases, increased. Though experience may develop some points of friction in the working of the new system, yet, on the whole, the principle seems to be sound, and more than likely to work, in the main, successfully and beneficially in the direction of greater economy and generally more efficient transaction of the public business.

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The Governor-General Gives Suggestions—Municipalities of the Country Asked for Aid.

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—(Special.)—The Indian famine relief movement is making satisfactory progress. His Excellency has sent a letter to all the Lieut.-Governors, in which he says: "I shall feel greatly obliged if Your Honor will kindly inform me as to any steps that may be taken in your province with reference to this most urgent and grand work of charity. I am well aware that in some respects the time is not favorable for financial benevolence and that claims are numerous, but I feel confident that the people of your province will not be backward in doing what can be done. Especially do I hope that it will be recognized that, while large donations have their peculiar value, no contribution, if it be only 50 cents, or even 25 cents, is too small to be offered. And, in one sense, a sum contributed by, for instance, twenty different persons is of more value than if the same sum were given in one direction because indicating a wider area of sympathy. Your Honor will very likely have considered and consulted with your Ministers as to the steps which should be taken, and, therefore, I need not perhaps offer any suggestion beyond remarking that probably a circular letter might with advantage be sent by you to mayors of cities, to chairmen of county councils, etc., bringing the urgency of the appeal before them and inviting their co-operation. Of course, the effective aid of the churches, which may be confidently looked for, will be of the utmost importance. And it may also be thought advisable that meetings should be convened at all the chief centres, where accurate information could be given as to the causes and extent of the grievous disaster which has overtaken our fellow-subjects in India, and which we cannot forget may have had indirectly the result of, in a sense, ministering to the prosperity of Canada."

IN TORONTO.

The Banks Have Opened Subscription Lists—Bring in Your Money.

The Indian famine fund has been taken up by all the banks and now all that is necessary is for those so inclined to subscribe their names and pay the cash right away, so that it may be used for its good purpose immediately.

The list at the Dominion Bank, outside of the large donations by the big institution, contains these names: G. F. Hagarty $10, T. C. Street Macklem $5, W. H. Brouse $5.

The Bank of Commerce will have the list ready to-day at the head office and all of its branches. The donation of $1500 has been forwarded to the Governor-General.

The Bank of Toronto has its list on the counter, but has not yet announced its own subscription.

The sheets at the Bank of British North America, the Ontario Bank and the Standard Bank are also ready for names.

Molsons Bank clients have affixed their names as follows: A. Bote $5, Robert Myles $5, C. J. Agar $5, A Friend $5, A Friend $3, F. Winthrop $3, Mrs. Carlton $1, D. Cameron 50c, and A Friend 25c. Total $27.75.

The Bank of Montreal's big subscription of $5000 will, no doubt, be largely added to by the bank's clients, and all of those interested in these lists urge the desirability of subscriptions being made at once to relieve the distress of the unfortunates.

FOR THE PUBLIC GOOD.

Mrs. Liscumbe Makes a Statement for the Benefit of Others.

Mrs. Liscumbe is well known in Havelock and this is how she spoke to our representative:—

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For sale by James Lynch, druggist, 168 Hunter Street, Peterborough.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

Jones, the Alleged Forger From America, Will Fight the Case.

London, Jan. 29.—Latimer E. Jones, the American who was arrested on his stud farm at Scalby, near Scarborough, yesterday, upon a warrant, charging him with forgery, was arraigned in the Bow-street Police Court this morning, Arthur Gill, counsel for Jones, stated that the prisoner was ready to face the charge against him. Part of the money which he is alleged to have wrongfully obtained, Mr. Gill said, had been repaid, at the time of the alleged forgeries, and the prisoner had since remitted another payment to the prosecutor of the action against him. Jones was remanded and application for his release on bail refused.

French Government Narrowly Escapes.

Paris, Jan. 29.—The Government narrowly escaped defeat in the Chamber of Deputies to-day on an amendment of the Sugar Bounty Bill offered by M. Jaures, a Socialist member, which aimed to make the bill not retro-active. The Government opposed the amendment. When the vote was taken the Government had a majority of only 11, the vote standing 252 to 241. Afterwards the Chamber adopted a clause fixing the bounties at from 3½ to 4½ francs per 100 kilograms, according to quality.

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Mr. Legate, traveller for McCormack & Co., London, says: "Miller's Compound Iron Pills restored me to health after a month of prostration from nervous shock and loss of blood." He says, "Their effect on me was simply marvellous; people say they never saw me looking so well." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

It Has Begun in Chicago in Earnest—One Man Arrested—Will be a Test Case.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 24—The anti-spit crusade is on with a vengeance, and the first victim of the Board of Health's new regulation is in the pillory. Being quite up to the date in the microbe cult, the Board has ordered that every person expectorating in a public place shall be warned, and upon a second offence shall be placed under arrest and prosecuted, under a section of the city ordinances that places the penalty at $10.

A. Farian, an engineer in the Grant Locomotive Works, has carved for himself a place in local history by getting himself arrested on the charge of spitting on the floor of a car after being warned, and the city is waiting with breathless suspense the result of the prosecution the Board of Health will give the case.

Some personal rights' theorists have been unkind enough to remind the Board of Health that many of Chicago's streets have not been cleaned—well, perhaps since the World's Fair, and that none of her garbage boxes had been emptied since the change in the weather last fall terminated their claims to being a "live" question, but the anti-spittists are so determined that they have evolved all kinds of theories, and have terrorized the town to such an extent that a man is almost afraid to moisten his own postage stamp.—Buffalo Express.

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Yours truly,
McFARLANE WILSON.
Peterborough, Jan. 15th, '97.

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GENTLEMEN,—After giving the Acme Heating Drum purchased from you a full trial in severe weather we have no hesitation in pronouncing it a complete success.

Your Drum is an application of the correct principle in proper heating devices, in drawing the cold air from the floor, heating it and circulating it through the building. We heat three rooms by means of a moderate sized wood stove with your Drum attached, and find our offices very much more comfortable than formerly, at the same time using a third less fuel than without the Drum.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors for the past year, election of Directors for the ensuing year and other general purposes connected with the business of the Company, will be held at the office of the Company in the Town of Peterborough on

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M'KINLEY'S CABINET-MAKING.

General Alger Takes the War Portfolio and Lyman J. Gage Takes the Treasury Department.

Columbus, O., Jan. 29.—A press special from Canton, Ohio, says that at 8 p.m. Gen. R. A. Alger was formally offered the Secretaryship of War and accepted it.

Mr. Gage for the Treasury.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Lyman J. Gage arrived in the city to-day from Canton, where he was yesterday offered and accepted the Secretaryship of the Treasury. Mr. Gage was met at the depot by a number of friends, who were profuse in their congratulations. The new Secretary of the Treasury was not inclined to talk, but acknowledged that the question of his becoming a member of Major McKinley's Cabinet has been settled satisfactorily.

GAVE AWAY HIS CRUTCHES.

THE STORY OF MR. J. McDONOGH, OF TIVERTON, ONT.

Suffered From Two Severe Attacks of Rheumatism — Doctors Feared the Trouble Was Going to His Heart—Pink Pills Cured Him and he Gave Away his Crutches.

From the Tiverton Watchman.

Anyone seeing the robust health and active form of Mr. Jack McDonogh, who is managing Mr. A. Gilchrist's harness business during his absence in Scotland, would be considerably surprised to learn that only two years ago he was a confirmed invalid and unable to walk without the aid of crutches. But such is the case, and hearing of his remarkable cure from the excruciating agony of inflammatory rheumatism by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, a representative of the Watchman called upon him to learn the particulars. Mr. McDonogh was found working at the harness bench, as well and active as any young man in the country, and in reply to a question about his cure said:—"Yes, mine was quite a remarkable case. Two years ago last spring, while at home in Wingham, I was suddenly taken down with rheumatism, my feet and ankles swelling so that I could not even put on an overshoe. I was in bed for three weeks under the care of the doctor, and had to use crutches for a long time after that. The next spring the rheumatism came back again, worse than ever, attacking all my joints, but principally my ankles, knees, hips, elbows and wrists. The doctor gave me very little encouragement, and said he was afraid of it going to my heart and killing me. I had read a great deal about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and the cures they had wrought and I determined to try them. At first I did not notice much change, but before I had taken half a dozen boxes I was so much improved that I had given away my crutches, and I have never required their use since. I still took the Pink Pills for some time longer, and I have never had a touch of rheumatism since, and hope I never may. I can say that Pink Pills cured me of a bad case of rheumatism and I cheerfully recommend them to others suffering as I did.

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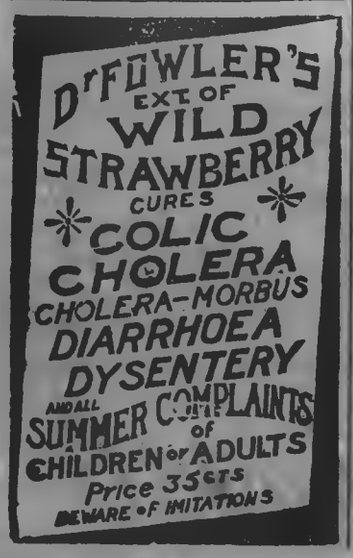

AS TO SOUTH AFRICA

And the Appointment of a Commission of Enquiry.

UNREST STILL PREVAILS THERE

And Mr. Chamberlain Says Settled Peace Will Not be Secured Until the Grievances of the Uitlanders are Redressed—The Princess and Rigo Have Not Separated.

London, Jan. 29.—In the House of Commons to-day the discussion of the question of the appointment of a commission to enquire into the troubles in South Africa was resumed. In the course of the debate Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, declared that the position in South Africa was still unsettled, and that during the last few months there had been a recurrence and increase in growth of the feeling of unrest, which must be allayed. Matters had been rendered much worse, he said, by the recent legislation on the part of the Boer Parliament, and, moreover, although President Kruger had again and again promised to give favorable consideration to the grievances of the Uitlanders, he had not done so. Mr. Chamberlain declared that peace was insecure and would remain so until the Uitlanders' grievances were redressed. He felt sure that an enquiry by a commission formed for that purpose would further these ends.

Pursuing the discussion, Sir William Harcourt, the leader of the Opposition, reminded the House that the proposed enquiry was not only for the House of Commons, but for the whole world as well. He then spoke in favor of the motion and against the amendment offered yesterday by Mr. M. J. MacLean, which recited that, in view of the peaceful settlement of the South African question and the punishment of the Transvaal raiders, it would be inexpedient to reopen the matter and needless to reappoint the committee. Mr MacLean then withdrew his amendment, and eventually a South African committee was appointed.

In reply to a question by Sir George Baden-Powell, Mr. Chamberlain said that the Government, with the approval of Her Majesty, had invited the Prime Ministers of the several colonies to come to England and take part in the celebration of the completion of the sixtieth year of the Queen's reign. [Cheers.] If the invitations were accepted, Mr. Chamberlain continued, the Premiers would be the guests of Great Britain. [Cheers.] Replies to the invitations, he added, had already been received from the Premiers of Canada and the other North American colonies, the Cape Colony and Natal, all of which were extremely gratifying.

The Hon. George A. Kirkpatrick, Lieut.-Governor of Ontario, who recently underwent an operation in the South-street Hospital, continues to make favorable progress towards recovery, although his physicians are unable as yet to fix upon a date for his leaving that institution.

EARL COWLEY ADMITS.

The Proposed Bringing Forward of Another Co-respondent Weakens Him.

London, Jan. 29.—The trial of the action for divorce brought by Countess Cowley against her husband, Earl Cowley, was continued in the divorce division of the High Court of Justice this morning. Mrs. Charrington, who is named by Countess Cowley as co-respondent, was called to the stand. She denied having been guilty of adultery with Earl Cowley, and at the conclusion of her testimony counsel for Countess Cowley asked leave of the court to amend the petition of the plaintiff by introducing a new co-respondent on Monday. The request was granted and the jury accordingly discharged. When the case is called on Monday no defence will be made, Earl Cowley admitting his misconduct with the second co-respondent.

THE PRINCESS AND RIGO.

Denial by the Infatuated Lady That They Have Separated.

Nice, Jan. 29.—The reports that have been circulated recently that the Princess of Chimay and her Hungarian gypsy lover, Rigo, have quarreled and separated are denied by the Princess herself. Both were in Monte Carlo yesterday and appeared to be on the best of terms. They went away, and it is given out that they have gone to live together in retirement.

CURED OF SCIATICA.

Left Hip Affected—Suspected Kidney Kidney Trouble—Relieved and Perfectly Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 18 (Special)—Mr. H. Playter, is not a difficult man to find as everybody here knows that he is foreman at No. 1 Fire Hall. He was the picture of health when called upon by your correspondent and told his story thus:

"In April 1896 I suffered from a severe attack of Sciatica, affecting my left hip and the leg to the tip of my toes. I suspected it came from some form of kidney trouble and as they had been recommended I procured a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

At the end of the fourth day I was entirely relieved, but desiring a permanent cure I continued to use that and another box and am now cured cured and as well as ever in my life. A brother of mine living at Pine Orchard has been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Crests and Stationery.

The taste for crests is increasing, and not content with blasoning it on one's stationery, it is now the mode to have it exquisitely hand-painted on parchment, framed and hung in a conspicuous place in hall or library. For mourning stationery, dead white linen with a narrow black border is the correct style. The very wide black border, which was supposed to gauge the depth of the writer's grief, is quite out of date. For second mourning, pure white paper, with a very narrow border of pale grey or violet, is sometimes used, with monogram or address die in color to match.

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Our Remnant event is always attended by eager buyers. Those who know a good thing at sight can get some excellent ends suitable for Men's Trousers and Boy's Suits.

If you wish to participate in the regular profits on these goods, and seize this money saving opportunity, do so between now and Saturday evening.

Mercer's

Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

India Famine Relief Fund.

Subscriptions for the Governor-General's India Relief Fund will be received by the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Special Meeting L.O.L. No. 49.

In Unity Hall, Tuesday evening, Feb. 2nd, at 7.30 p.m., sharp. Every brother is requested to be present. By order of the W.M. 1d

Our German import order of Musical Goods is expected on Saturday, Jan. 30th. Need we inform you that prices will be away down for superior goods? Old stand. Peterborough Music Co.

Solicitors for the Government.

Messrs. G. M. Rogers and E. B. Edwards have been notified by Sir Oliver Mowat, Minister of Justice, of their appointment as legal agents of the Government at Peterborough.

East Riding License Commissioners.

The East Riding License commissioners held an organization meeting to-day. There were present Messrs. Wm. Moher, J. M. Drummond, Robert Wilson and J. J. Crowe, inspector. Mr. Wm. Moher was elected chairman of the Board for the nineteenth time in succession, and Mr. Drummond was appointed secretary.

The Peterborough Central Poultry and Pet Stock Association

Will hold a public meeting in the County Council Chamber on Monday evening next, Feb. 1st, at 7.30 p.m. when it is expected that Messrs. J. E. Myer, A. Rawlings and G. C. Caston (the Farmers Institute deputation) will be present and give short addresses. Mr. R. Cockburn, of Lakefield, will read a paper on "General Management of Poultry." Discussion invited, and everyone welcome. WM. COLLINS, Secretary-Treasurer. 1diw

I. O. F. Installation of Officers.

The new officers of Court Chemong, No. 539, I.O.F., were installed last night by Bro. Hebble, D.H.C.R. The officers for 1897 are:

Bro Dr M A Morrison	C D H C R
" Geo Robertson	C R
" Jno Logan	V C R
" J W Burgess	R S
" H A Wife	F S
" W H Meldrum	Treas
" A Allison	Chap
" Dr T N Greer	Physician
" P Shearer	S W
" R J Matchett	J W
" J Smith	S B
" A W Fleming	J B

Bros. Dr. T. N. Greer and Geo. S. Ames, representatives to High Court.

Sudden Death.

Robt. Caldwell, the well-known drug traveller, died on Thursday in Meaford. The only information elicited in regard to the sad affair is that Mr. Caldwell drove into Meaford on Wednesday night from one of the outlying villages and put up at Paul's hotel. He partook of a hearty supper and some time afterwards complained of suffering a great deal of pain in the stomach. He awoke about 5 o'clock Thursday morning, and went to the room of Dr. Snelgrove, who boarded in the same hotel, and awakened him. Twenty minutes after, when he was dead. The deceased was well known in Peterborough, the town being in his district, and receiving frequent visits from him.

The Stock-taking Sale at Oak Hall

will continue the remainder of this week. The goods must be cleared out and with that object in view we have decided to give the purchaser all the profit. Here are some of the bargains—Men's Overcoats at $1.72 and $2.47, Men's single and double-breasted Beaver Coats, black and blue, regular prices $5 50 and $6, sale price $4 and $4.50; men's black and blue Beaver Overcoats with velvet collar, elegantly lined and finished, regular price $9.50 and $10, sale price $7; a large number of all wool Overcoats, tailor-made, regular prices $7.50, $9.50, $10 and $11, sale price, $6; men's double-breasted Frieze Suits, regular price $8, sale price, $6 25; men's all wool Tweed Suits, regular price $7 and $8 50, sale price $5 and $6.50.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

ANOTHER CHARGE OF FRAUD.

Brought at the Instance of Creditors

Mr. T. Brady, a former member of the town council for No. 4 Ward, who has for some years conducted an apparently successful general grocery, flour and feed business in the old post office block, corner of George and Brock streets, was yesterday arrested at Bridgenorth by Chief Rozzel on the following charge preferred by Messrs. Meldrum & McAllister:

"That he, with intent to defraud his creditors, Meldrum & McAllister, did make sale of his property, to wit, a stock of groceries and other merchandise, to one, David Kernaghan, contrary to the statute in that behalf."

It appears that on Wednesday, as announced in last evening's issue, Mr. Brady sold out his stock and business to Mr. David Kernaghan, as his creditors assert, for cash, and at figures much below the value of the stock, hence the arrest.

Mr. Brady was arraigned before Police Magistrate Dumble last night at 8 o'clock, and the case was enlarged, the accused giving bonds for his appearance at the police court on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

WEST END WEDDING BELLS.

Nuptials of Mr. R. J. Soden and Miss Laura Lane.

An unusually pretty and interesting, though quiet, wedding, was celebrated at the residence of Mr. Philip Lane, Sherbrooke street, this afternoon, when his daughter, Laura Alberta, was united in marriage to Robert James Soden, of Montreal, P. Q. The ceremony was performed in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties by Rev. J. J. Rae. The duties of bridesmaid were performed by Miss Emma Lane, sister of the bride, and Mr. J. Goulthorpe, of Montreal, assisted the groom. The happy pair left on the 4.45 C. P. R. express for a bridal tour west, and on their return they will proceed to London, England, where Mr. Soden has an engagement with a commercial house. The bride is a most estimable and highly respected young lady and hosts of friends wish her and her husband a happy and prosperous wedded life.

WILL OF THE LATE RICHARD NAGLE.

It is filed for Probate in Ottawa—Disposition of the Estate.

In the despatches from Ottawa to the Mail and Empire is found the following paragraph, which will be of local interest:

The will of the late Richard Nagle has been filed for probate. Mr. Harry Phelan, of Peterborough, and Mr. Thomas Fortyre, of the same place, are the executors. By the terms of the will $1,000 is given to St. Patrick's asylum, of Ottawa, and the balance of the estate is divided between the daughters of the deceased in following proportions:—One-half to Mrs. H P. Phelan Peterborough, and one-fourth each to Mrs. T. B. Brophy and Mrs. H. J. Friel. The value of the estate is placed at $74,252, of which $52,550 is real estate, $15,000 is timber limits and $6,342 28 is cash in bank.

THE NEW CHARITY BOARD.

It Met Yesterday and was Formally Organized.

The Charity Board met yesterday for organization with the following members present: Councillor Davis, chairman of the Charity committee, Ven. Archdeacon Casey, of St. Peter's cathedral; Mr. R. Innes, St. Paul's church; Peter Campbell, St. John's church; Wm. Fowler, St. Andrew's church; Jos. Batten, Charlotte street church; W. B. Bamford, St. John's South Ward Mission; Wm. Aldridge, Murray street Baptist church; Adjt. J. R. Wiseman, the Salvation Army; T. H. Best, Bethany Mission; A. L. Grover, Park street Baptist church; J. J. McBain, the Children's Aid Society, and F. W. Miller, Charity Relief Officer.

Councillor Davis was elected chairman; Mr. R. Innes, vice chairman; Mr. P. Campbell, treasurer; Mr. F. W. Miller, secretary.

From November to April the Board will meet every Monday and during the remainder of the year the first Monday of the month.

THE COLLEGIATE LITERARY SOCIETY.

The Glee Club Purchases Books—An Interesting Programme Furnished.

The twelfth regular meeting of the P. C. I. Literary Society was held Jan. 29th, with the President in the chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

The secretary-treasurer's statement of receipts and expenses of the concert held Jan. 23rd, was then read and approved.

The following resolutions were then passed:

Moved by Mr. Alexander and seconded by Mr. Brooks, than ten books be purchased for the Glee Club.

Moved by Mr. W. Alexander and seconded by Mr. E. Zimmerman, that a basket ball be purchased for the use of the Society.

The following programme was then rendered:

Instrumental duet, violin and banjo	Miss Carey and Mr Brooks
Reading	Mr M Beer
Instrumental solo	Miss Ayres
Reading	Miss Kendry
Journal	Editor
Instrumental duet	Misses Morrow and VanEvery

The meeting then closed with the National Anthem.

Pencil Drawing.

Mr. Spencer, a pupil in the Peterborough Business College, is a rising artist in pencil drawing. A recent production from his pencil, showing a collection of lillies and roses on a rich display of lace, is a very creditable piece of work.

Men's Heavy all wool Pea Jackets, in grey and black Frieze and Blue Nap, lined with heavy all wool Tweed Lining, Grafton & Co's. regular price $5, sale price during sale 3.95.

Gentlemen

Who have lost all or part of their hair, should not miss seeing Prof. Dorenwend's latest styles in Wigs and Toupees. They are true to nature and no one could tell you had one on. Call at Huffman House on Monday, February 8th. 2w16

If You Can't Write, Don't Read This.

A few reasons why Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens are the best: It is always ready, and writes continuously without shaking. It writes as freely as a dip pen, and feeds the ink more regularly. The principle which regulates the flow of ink is as old as split pens and equally as reliable. All our pens are filled ready for use. Drop in and try one. We will allow you to take it home, and if not satisfactory, bring it back.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

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THE SPIRIT OF CARNIVAL.

IT HELD SWAY AT THE RINK LAST NIGHT.

The Fancy Dress Evening—Those Who Skated and the Costumes They Wore—Pretty Effects Made Prettier in the Glow of the Electric Lamps.

Many and varied were the characters represented at the Canadian Foresters' fancy dress carnival in the rink last evening.

In one corner might have been seen the religiously inclined Quakeress flirting outrageously with a private of the 57th, while the quiet Japanese lady tore around on the arm of dark town dude. Tramps, convicts and vagabonds of all descriptions dashed about under the very noses of various knights and earls and other "minions of the law," who were so busily engaged "making eyes" at all ranks of the gentler sex from a queen to a nurse girl that they had not time to attend to their duty.

In fact if there is anything out or the ordinary it might easily have been found last evening at the rink.

Taken on the whole the Forester's carnival was a decided success. Fully 500 skaters took part, while there were almost a thousand spectators. One of the features was the "Coxey's Band," a number of young fellows dressed as tramps carrying instruments who several times during the evening endeavoured to get up and opposition to the music rendered by the Fire Brigade band.

Court Peterborough is to be congratulated on the success which attended its undertaking.

Amongst those in costume were the following:

LADIES.

K Green	Lady Farthingale
Lizzie Watson	Servant Girl
May Odette	Hungarian Peasant Lady
Lottie Whitcroft	Kite
Ethel Cousson	Little Huntress
May Fitzgerald	Good Luck
Gertie Hutchinson	Moonlight
Addie Armstrong	Beauty
L Whitcroft	Columbine
Sadie Crowe	Queen of Sheba
Annie Hepburn	Moon and Stars
Olive Waller	Little Flower Girl
Edith Montgomery	Fairy Witch
Alice L Scott	Valentine
Mabel Montgomery	Starry Night
E Frost	Parisian Girl
Minnie Shoemaker	Starlight
E Brunson	Child of the Stars
Kittie Graham	Child Bride
Mary MacMahon	Gipsy Queen
M Logan	Queen of Water Lilies
Jennie M Scott	Kite
Norah McDonough	Fairy Enchantress
Ethel Thorton	Gipsy Girl
Gertie McCabe	Brenton Lassie
May Smith	Night
Nellie Pratt	Italian Street Singer
Nellie McAndrew	Helen McGregor
Pearl Fitzgerald	Queen of Roses
Miss Grace	Flour of the Family
Etta Smith	Bandie of Samples
Katie McNamara	Kite
Maude Dawson	Charles' Wain
Lulu Harlow	The Outcast
May Trombley	Tambourine Girl
Kathleen Watson	Jewelled Queen
Gertie Buck	Brettavia
A O'Connell	Queen Lil of Hawaii
Florence Hall	Red, White and Blue
Madge Burton	Gipsy Girl
Gladys Melrose	Morning
Adda McFarlane	Gipsy Fortune Teller
Daisy Jackson	Boadicea
Vesie Harper	Violet
Eva Rutherford	Foreign Bride
Grace Kendry	Sunset
H M Cahill	Eastern Queen
Lota Wilson	Maude Muller
A Gosselin	Irish Washerwoman
Ida Laureta Bogan	Canary
Lottie Lynch	America
Annie O'Neil	Delft
Rose Fox	Witch
Lulu Faux	Normandy Bride
Lizzie Faux	Queen of Oudah
Edna Stangar	Pumpkin blossom
Sarah Murphy	Queen of Colours
Bessie McAuliffe	America
Annie Gosselin	Grandma
Lottie Bell	Evening Star

GENTLEMEN.

Louis Speer	Turk
Wm Carson	Opera Prop'r
Robbie Duncan	Highland Laddie
Chas Cavanagh	Housemaid
Louis Potvin	Night
Thos Frost	Red Riding Hood
Reginald Turner	Knight of the White Cross
Webber Turner	Earl of Kentucky
Achilles Turner	Moses Abraham, Jewish Pawnbroker
Bert Cranfield	Grandma and her Grandson
Joe Pollard	Groceries, E Brown & Co
Jas Doris	Earl of Essex
Oliver Earle	Highland Chieftain
Allis Gibbs	Sailor boy
Percy Jamieson	Spanish Page
J L Picard	Just tell them that you saw me
W Roadhouse	Two Early Birds
P King	
Willie E Meagher	He may have seen better days
John Laing	Star
W H Roberts	New Woman
Allie Hubbs	Clown
Hollie VanEvery	Little Lord Fauntleroy
Erle Weller	Lilliputian Soldier
Harold Graham	Nigger
Percy Graham	Prince of the stars
Herbert Wood	Soldier Boy
Fred Metcalf	Clown
Eddie Devine	Weary Rognos
Roland Clark, Wallace Kennedy,	Consolidated Milling Co. Twins.
Frank Larose	Girl from the South
Charley Gray	Canadian Boy
George Armstrong	Turk
W Thompson	Battle
Geo Carton	Punch
Will Bradburn	Spanish Page
J Alan	Pickwick
Frank Brisbin	Roland De Lotta
Jack Jinks	Eclipse
— Williams	Printer
W H Dudley	Darktown Dude
Reg McFadden	Flour, M Brown & Co
Gordon Miller	Grandma
Leo Young	Morning Star
Percy Smith	Bugler Boy
D J Gervais	Doctor What-do-you-call-him
G H Dawson	Highland Soldier
W Ball	Topsy
Willie Kendry	Red Riding Hood
John Gunn	Card Decorater
W Shaw	Sailor Boy
Medas Gagnon	Bugler
Ray Cavanaugh	Page
B Smith	Travelling Minstrel
Dick Simons	Pat from Cork
Frank Frost	Lacrosse player
James Dolan	Boy of the Regiment
Frank Crowe	Bugler
Geo Hall	Sergeant
Price Adamson	Irish Nurse
A Noble	The Brigand
V M LeBar	Captain of Militia
Warren Dean	Punch
Fletcher McKee	Frog
Harry Green	Brittania
Harry McKee	Mephistopheles
Douglas Hammond	Chinee
John W Reid, Neche, North Dakota	Pride of the West
Walter Burns	John Bull
W Morrison	Oak Hall
Geo Parks	Turkish Boy
Willie Bradburn	Knight of Armour
Willie Connors	Sweet Anne Page
M Martyn	Sailor Boy
W Borland, R Davidson, P Rubidge, B Bellegham, G Riley, O B Shortly	"Shortly, the Live Bicycle Agent."

THE PRIZES

were awarded as follows by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stratton and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meldrum, who were the judges:

Best dressed lady, in fancy costume—Pair of finest Persian Lamb gauntlets, value $10—Miss Lizzie Faux—Queen of Oudah.

Best dressed lady, in comic costume—Handsome Onyx top table, value $6—Miss Rose Fox—Witch.

Best dressed gentleman, in fancy costume—Gentleman's solid oak rocker arm chair, value $6—Reginald Turner—Knight of the White Cross.

Best dressed gentleman, in comic costume—Fancy table and washstand (combined), value $5—F W Logan—The Lion emblematic of John Bull.

Best dressed girl, in fancy costume—Album stand, in plush and silver, value $6—Vesie Harper—Violets.

Best dressed girl, in comic costume—Lemonade set and basket, value $2—Maude Hayes—Gipsy.

Best dressed boy, in fancy costume—Boy's Overcoat, value $4.50—Hollie Vanevery—Little Lord Fauntleroy.

Best dressed boy, in comic costume—Special prize by A. E. Stratton & Co., crocinole table (4 games in one)—Warren Dean—Punch.

Partners' race (3 laps)—Handsome Work Basket and Stand, value $3—Harry Bell and Lillie Bell.

Mile race (16 laps)—Pair of Hockey Boots, value $2 50—Lorne A. McWilliams.

Boys' race (3 laps)—Pair Nickel Plated Skates, value $1.50—Fred Whitcroft.

Curling match, three rinks of Canadian Foresters, against all comers; for the Broome—won by "All Comers."

Barrel race—Boy's strong Hand Sleigh, value $1.00—Bruce Ridpath.

Potato Race—Hockey Stick and Puck, value $1.00—Reg McFadden.

Three-legged race—Two pairs of Boys' Boxing Gloves, value $2—S. and R. Ridpath.

Guessing competition—An Art Study Picture, handsomely framed, will be awarded the party guessing the nearest to the number of tickets taken at the door on the evening of the carnival. Coupons attached to admission tickets for the purpose—J. A. Melrose and Roland Clinkscale (tie) 987.

THE CURLING MATCH

of Forester's against "All Comers" resulted in a victory for the "All Comers" by one shot. The rinks were composed as follows:

Foresters.	*All Comers.*
RINK NO. 1.	
J Stanger,	W F Nelson,
J B Pentland,	J A Cameron,
G S Matthews,	E Rutherford.
J Connal, skip.....11	S Ray, skip.....12
RINK NO. 2.	
Dr Carmichael,	J McKaig,
Dr Greer,	H R H Keaner,
J S Knapman,	J Jeffreys,
D Belleghem, skip..9	Geo Brown, skip.....17
RINK NO. 3.	
R Kerr,	Alf Terrill,
Geo Morrow,	H Snowden,
G Fitzgerald,	C N Brown,
T Rutherford, skip..17	C Rutherford, skip..9
37	38

Majority for "All Comers," 1 shot.

The "All Comers" are therefore each entitled to a broom.

The silver medal for the fancy skating championship of the town and county was won be Mr. Herb. McMaster, of Deseronto. The other competitors were Messrs. Osias de LePlante and A. Talbot. The prize in this case was awarded on the ground of gracefulness of movement and because the winner followed the figures called by the judge, Mrs. J. A. Aylmer. The winner in this event was a pupil of Mr. Edg. Hartley, champion fancy skater of Canada, who is giving lessons in fancy figure skating at the rink.

The rink was never so elaborately decorated before and the artistic manner in which the bunting and flags were arranged earned many compliments for J. J. Turner & Sons., who had charge of the work.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Jan. 30,—6.30 a. m. ..... 7° below zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	19°	3°

"VIKING"

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Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5 50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

Weather will continue mostly fair and cold; with local snow flurries.

We have a few lines of Playing Cards of which we have too many in stock. We will offer the inducement of low prices to clear:—

"SURPRISE" - worth 5c, for 3c.
"BOSTON" - worth 15c, for 8c.
"CYCLIST" - worth 25c, for 16c.

Sailsbury

372 George Street.

A Penny Saved Is a Penny Made.

You're only beginning to feel the need of a Winter Overcoat or Suit, just when our January Reduction in prices takes effect. Winter not half over yet, and you can save ONE-FOURTH on every stitch of clothes we make up for you during the next 30 days.

W. J. GREEN,

No. 145 Hunter Street, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

CHANGED HANDS!

I have bought out the Grocery and Provision Business carried on for the past six years by Mr. Thos. Brady, on the corner of Brock and George Streets, I therefore beg leave to solicit a continuance of the patronage of all the old customers of this store, as well as of my friends and the general public.

It is my intention to conduct the business in a safe and satisfactory manner—by keeping full stocks of all lines of the Choicest Groceries, Flour, Feed and Provisions—by giving constant attention to the business—and by selling for cash at the closest prices for the best goods that can be bought. An early call is invited.

D. H. KERNEGHAN.

Windsor Salt

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

Israel Tarte

Prophecies that "The politico-religious differences which at present disquiet many consciences will have an end, like all other things in this world."....This reminds us that we have come to the end of our stock-taking; but the disquiet occasioned thereby will have to be tolerated a while longer, until we have made a thorough clearance, or "cut the heads off" a lot of ODD LINES which have come to the surface We can't allow them to disturb the harmony of our well arranged stock, and, therefore, hand them over to you, PROFITLESS—without compunction or coercion. We prophecy the end of these Odd Lines in a very short time:—

Odd Lines of Fine Stationery,
Odd Lines of Well-Bound Books,
Odd Lines of Evening Games,
Odd Lines of Children's Sleighs,
Odd Lines of Window Blinds,
Odd Lines of Cornice Trimmings,
Odd Lines of Wall Papers,
Odd Lines of Fancy Goods.

There's a lot of good fortune and good luck awaiting those who will use a little alacrity in getting here early to make selections. The oftener you come until the end comes, the more interested will you become in these Odd-Line-Offerings. You can bank on that!

A. H. Stratton & Co.

THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

A Final Closing Sale

OF ALL WINTER GOODS, AT

HALL, GILCHRIST & CO'S.

From now till 1st February we will hold a Final Closing-Out Sale of all goods that are of a winter character. This will be a grand opportunity to many to buy goods at wholesale prices. Everyone knows that we carry no goods but the very best. We have no room for cheap grade of goods, that only look cheap in advertisement. We do for you what no other house can do, that is YOUR MONEY BACK if not suited.

MEN'S SUITS AND PANTS (To Order)

$4.50 Pants to order	reduced to $ 3 00
$5 00 Pants to order	reduced to 3 50
$13 50 Suits to order	reduced to 10 00
$17.00 Tweed Suits to order	reduced to 13 00
$20.00 Tweed Suits to order	reduced to 15 00
$16.00 Worsted Coat and Vest to order	reduced to 13 00

All work and fit guaranteed.

MILLINERY CLOSING SALE.

All our Trimmed Millinery at exactly HALF PRICE.	
25 All Wool Tams, were 30c and 35c	reduced to $ 0 15
All our Fez Caps	reduced to 0 20
All Felt Hats and Sailors, being cleared, regardless of cost.	

JACKETS, CAPES AND FUR EDGINGS.

The balance of our Monflo Fur Edging	reduced to $ 0 15 yd.
The balance of our Beaver Fur Edging	reduced to 0 35 yd.
The balance of our Bear Fur Edging	reduced to 0 50 yd.
The balance of our Sable Fur Edging	reduced to 0 75 yd.
Balance of our $3.50 Jackets	reduced to 2 00
Balance of our $5 00 Jackets	reduced to 3 50
1 $12.50 Fur Lined Cape	reduced to 8 00
2 $18.00 Fur Lined Capes	reduced to 11 00
$20.00 Matallasie Capes	reduced to 9 50
$22.00 Matallasie Capes	reduced to 10 00
$25.00 Matallasie Capes	reduced to 12 00
$18.00 Jackets	reduced to 10 00
2 Sealette Jackets, were $37.50	reduced to 25 00
1 Sealette Jacket, was $20.00	reduced to 11 00

You see by the price that we do not intend to carry over a single winter garment.

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

3 pieces All Wool Tweed Dress Goods, were 50c	reduced to 25c
2 pieces Fancy Plaid Dress Goods, were 50c	reduced to 35c
200 yards Pongee Silk Dress Goods, were 25c	reduced to 20c
25 per cent. off all our Black Jet Trimmings.	

HOSIERY, GLOVES AND VEILINGS.

Special prices on all our Cashmere Gloves.	
All our 25c Veilings	reduced to 18c

FLANNELS AND FLANNELETTES.

1000 yards New Flannelettes	only $ 5
200 yards 15c Grey Flannel	only 12½
All Wool Blankets	only 2 50
All Wool 12½c Flannelette	only 10

This will be your last chance to get a choice lot of Winter Goods at prices that will pay you to buy and carry over to another season. We are bound to carry no goods over to another season.

SPOT CASH. ONE PRICE. NO APPROVAL. YOUR MONEY BACK IF NOT SUITED.

Hall Gilchrist & Co

130 to 134 Simcoe Street.

Dying by Inches

Many a person is losing his hold on this life by being gradually poisoned by eating food baked with impure Baking Powder. The quantities taken into the system are small, but they are slowly and surely eating the coating off the stomach and ruining the digestion and the nervous system.

Use Pure Cream of Tartar and Soda Baking Powder and live. We guarantee

PURE GOLD

BAKING POWDER

PURE AS PURE GOLD

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Can Accommodate a Few More

Our rooms have rapidly filled during the last two weeks, but we have still room for a few more.

DAY STUDENTS.

Any one contemplating entering this season should make arrangements at once.

NIGHT SCHOOL.

The Night School will close the last of April. Those entering now will only be charged for THREE MONTHS COURSE.

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BUSINESS COLLEGE. Peterborough.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. George Paton's, 292 Brock street, on Monday, Feb. 1st, at 3 o'clock sharp. All are welcome.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Natural Science Association.

The regular meeting of the Natural Science Association, to have been held on Tuesday evening next, is postponed owing to the illness of a gentlemen who was to have taken an important part in the programme of the evening. The date of meeting will be announced later.

Prof. Dorenwend

Will be in Peterborough at the Huffman House on Monday, February 8th, with a complete line of 1897 styles in art Hair Goods, consisting of Ladies' Wigs, Bangs, Frontpieces, Switches, etc. As the Prof. always has his hands full when here, intending callers should call early as he cannot stay over the time stated. 2w16

Tobacco Business Changed Hands.

Having purchased the tobacco business formerly carried on by Ed. B. Clegg, No. 215 George street, I have re-stocked the store with a full and well-selected assortment of choice cigars, tobaccoes, pipes and smoker's sundries, and solicit a share of public patronage. Prices low enough to suit all.—W. B. RICKEY. d

The McAll Association.

The first auxiliary meeting of the McAll Association will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Monday afternoon next, commencing at half past three o'clock. All Christians are urgently invited to be present at this meeting, as another will not be held until April, and as this society is undenominational we hope to see each church well represented. Mrs. Garvin, president, will conduct the meeting.—Mr. M. L. DENNISTOUN, Sec.-Treas.

To the North Pole.

Lieut. Perry, the explorer, wants some one with about $180,000 to help him find the missing north pole. Now, if any one has an interest to that extent in this discovery now is the chance. But when the expedition is being fitted out we cannot suppose that any person would venture so far without a supply of nice fresh groceries from E. BROWN & Co's., 294 George street. P. S.—Best Snow, Greening and Northern Spy Apples on hand.

Figure Skating Contest.

Rumour has it that Mr. Talbot of town would like to arrange a championship figure skating match with Mr. E. J. Hartley for a trophy and the championship of the county. Mr. Hartley on being asked if he would skate, stated that Mr. Talbot could meet him at any time and on rink in the town. If the rumour be true, Mr. Talbot will kindly let the sporting Editor of the EXAMINER know his intentions, which will facilitate the arranging of a contest.

An Invitation to All.

You are cordially invited to call at our store on Monday and Tuesday, the 1st and 2nd of February, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m., to examine and try a cup of the "Winsor Cereal Coffee," prepared by the McMullen-Winsor Coffee Co., of Chicago, Ills. A representative of the company will be present to show how to make it and to give desired explanations. This is a very healthful and pleasant beverage, with a perfect coffee flavour and taste, and can be freely used by persons unable to drink pure coffee.—Very respectfully, E. F. MASON & Co. 3d29

Norwood Cheese Factory.

Mr. Edwin Squire has purchased the Norwood cheese factory and equipment from Mr. Hugh Spence. The deal was completed this week, and the new proprietor, who is an experienced cheese-maker and an enterprising young man, is now perfecting arrangements for next season's business. As evidence of his enterprise we may add that a new vat has been ordered, a new verandah will be erected and the factory re-floored at once. Mr. Squire has engaged Mr. Oakley (whose reputation as a cheese-maker is well known) for the coming season. We wish the new proprietor success.—Com.

The Theatre Hat.

After several flashes in the pan, Chicago has delivered a volley point blank at the big theatre hat. The city council has passed and the mayor has signed a curious bylaw. Women may wear hats in the theatre if they will. Their rights are not invaded. But when a woman does go to a theatrical performance in a hat she must remove it on complaint of any one in the rear seats. A failure to comply with the request is regarded as a refusal to abate a nuisance, and the bylaw ordains a fine on the offender. On the surface this looks like a pretty sensible bylaw. It does not forbid high hats nor any kind of hat, but it invites contingencies which make the wearing of a hat risky. And come to think of it, why should a woman wear a hat in a theatre?

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

There will be a meeting of the executive of the Hockey club at the rink parlours to-night.

The Frontenac II, Kingston, the winners in the junior series, Eastern district, telegraphed this morning asking a game on Wednesday night. This proposition will will be considered at to-night's meeting.

The Bank of Toronto seven, of Toronto, wired this morning that they could not give Peterborough a match next week at all.

Mr. Ashe, of Norwood, will referee the match in the rink on Monday night, between Frontenac I, Kingston, and Peterborough Intermediates.

The Collegiate Institute and Business College teams met yesterday for a friendly game in the Ashburnham rink. The two sevens lined up as follows:

Business College		*Collegiate Institute*
P Laing	goal	Lou Best
Melrose	point	S Hall
J Comstock	cover point	J Dixon
H Labbe	forwards	F McGrath
Spencer		R Collins
Snowden		O Dumble
W Ackerman		M Boswell

Referee—Alf Terrill.

Although the boys haven't had much practice the game was rushed for all it was worth from start to finish. The Business College had the heavier team, and in Labbe, Comstock and Ackerman had three experienced players. The Collegiate team was very light and made up for their deficiency in weight by their quickness and the combination which they played.

The game resulted in favour of the Business College by six goals to three.

The Collegiate Institute claims that the two Burnhams are their best men, and as they were absent think that with their assistance they could down the College. Another match will be awaited with interest.

The Institute boys have, it seems, made arrangements to practice regularly on the Ashburnham rink, and they should develop a fine team, as the rink is fully twice the size of the town rink, is boarded along the sides, and has perfect ice.

Without doubt a tremendous crowd will greet the Frontenacs of Kingston at the rink on Monday night, as they have on several occasions almost beaten the Peterboroughs, and on this occasion come to town exceptionally strong.

In speaking of a recent game between the Prairie City and Chicago hockey clubs a despatch to the Montreal Star says:—"The Chicago Hockey Club are composed of all Canadian men, two well-known hockey players, and played a grand game for the club. Great credit is due to Capt. Wonham, as it was he who started hockey in this city, and the clubs are about to form a league. All through the match, which was won by the Chicagos, Wonham figured in every combination and scored most of the goals.

Yesterday's Mail and Empire in speaking of a hockey match, in which St. Michael's College played, mentions the work of Pat Kelly, of Peterborough, on the forward line as being a revelation to the spectators.

The Toronto Globe is the authority for saying that the Bank of Toronto team from the Queen City will play in Peterborough on Monday evening next, but there is a mistake somewhere as the Senior Frontenacs play here on that date. The Globe also says: "If Peterborough does not win at least one championship there will be a sadly disappointed crowd of sports down in that section of the country."

PERSONAL.

Rev. T. S. Cole, Travelling Secretary, Y. M. C. A., is in town to-day.

Mr. William Potter, of the firm of Mulligan & Potter, returned from Toronto yesterday.

Mrs. Robt. Hamilton, of Ashburnham, has returned home after a visit with friends in Norwood.

Rev. W. R. Young goes to Pontypool to-morrow, where he will conduct Quarterly meeting services.

Mrs. H. P. Kennedy will be at home at her residence, corner of Park and Gilmour street, (280 Park street) on Wednesday and Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Eig. Hartley has received an officer to teach fancy figure skating in Buffalo, N.Y., but the offer comes too late in the season to make consideration of the offer profitable.

Mr. H. LeBrun left for Montreal last night to join his wife, who has been on a visit to relatives in that city. Mr. and Mrs. LeBrun will return home the latter part of the incoming week.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—There are seventeen engineers and firemen on the G. T. R. in Belleville unable to work from la grippe.

—The men's meeting in Y. M. C. A. hall at 4.15, Sunday, will be addressed by the Travelling Secretary, Mr. Thos. S. Cole.

—That's a bright and brainy idea of Mr. W. J. Green's for keeping up your storm collar on a stormy day. Many a fortune has been made out of a less useful wrinkle.

—To-night's the night to lay in a stock of Sunday reading at the Peterborough Bookstore. Your favourite book, newspaper, illustrated magazine or story paper is here awaiting you.

—Last week's Grand Trunk earnings were $30,943 in advance of the corresponding week last year. The passenger earnings were $92,796, as against $89,231 in 1896, and the freight receipts were $230,873, as against $213,445 last year.

Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

Fine Furniture at Low Prices.

It is seldom that this chance comes to pick up such really fine things in handsome chairs, centre tables, screens, etc., are now being shown in Clegg's furniture store window. The tickets placed on the goods tell the tale of a substantial reduction. No better goods can be had in the cities. Every article guaranteed as superior in design in material and in finish.

THE LATE WM. APPLEYARD.

Death of Mr. Wm. Appleyard, one of Peterborough's Oldest Residents.

A correspondent in Buffalo writes that Mr. W. Appleyard, an old and respected resident of Peterborough, and a veteran of 1837-38, passed away on the evening of the 27th inst., at the residence of his son, Mr. James Appleyard, with whom the old gentleman has lived for the past year. Deceased was 76 years old and was born in England. When a young man he came to Canada and for the last fifty years at least has been a resident of Peterborough. He leaves two sons and one daughter to mourn his loss. The kindest sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones.

THE DEATH OF CATHARINE SWEENEY.

The Funeral Took Place Thursday—Brief Sketch of Her Life.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Catharine Sweeney took place Thursday. The remains were brought from Victoria Road by the G. T. R., reaching here by the noon train, and were met by a large concourse of friends, among whom were several priests of the diocese. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's Cathedral, where the Libera was sung by a full choir, and the Absolution was given by his Lordship Bishop O'Connor. Ven. Archdeacon Casey officiated at the grave.

Mrs. Sweeney leaves two sons, Rev. James Sweeney, of Victoria Road, and Dr. Sweeney, of Merrill, Mich., and two daughters, Mary Anne and Catherine, to mourn her loss. They were all at her bedside when, fully conscious, she breathed her last and gave her pure soul back to her Maker.

Mrs. Catharine Sweeney was born some eighty years ago in the County of Tyrone, Ireland. Her husband died ten years ago. This was a great affliction to her. She saw friend after friend drop away and she was separated from all she held dear by the broad ocean. Great as was her love for her native place, her chief desire was that her children might be able to gather around her death bed and close her eyes. She therefore willingly accepted the invitation of her son, Rev. Father Sweeney, and came to this country about eight years ago. She was most highly esteemed by all who knew her. Her fervent spirit of prayer, her unremitting kindness to all, her quiet charity and her unfeigned piety were sources of great edification to all who had the happiness of making her acquaintance. She came to Canada to spend the remnant of the days with her son, Rev. James Sweeney, who sought in every way to comfort her declining years, and brighten her pathway to the grave. May her soul rest in peace.

OBITUARY.

Death of Thomas Jones, of Asphodel.

One by one the old residents are passing to the great beyond. On Thursday morning last, after an illness of only a few days, Mr. Thomas Jones died at his home, lot 19, in the 6th concession of Asphodel, in his sixtieth year. He was born in Ashburnham, and quite early in life settled on a farm in the 8th concession of Dummer, where he resided until five years ago when he removed to Asphodel. He leaves a wife and eight children, four boys and four girls. Mrs. Jones is a daughter of Mr. Christopher Andrews, of Dummer. The daughters are: Mrs. Louis Cross and Mrs. Robert Hannon, of Dummer, and Eliza Jane and Maggie. The last two named and the four sons—Thos., Richard, Joseph and George Edward—all reside at home. Mr. Jones was a quiet, industrious man, devoted to his family and respected by the people of the community. He was a member of the Methodist church for many years and was a Conservative in politics. The funeral took place on Saturday at 10 a.m. to the Norwood cemetery. Rev. J. C. Anderson, pastor of the South Dummer Methodist church, officiated.

ONE VIEW OF THE MATTER.

The Relation of Immigration to the Alien Labor Law of the United States.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR.—I venture the opinion that both the great political parties in this country are extremely illogical on the immigration policy of Canada. For instance, the theory held by both parties is that they should use all the means in their power to populate this country. This we think is all right so far: but the inconsistency comes in when we howl frantically for retaliation against the United States "Alien Labour Law," which, when fairly understood, helps to populate this this country, which is the very thing we all advocate. Now, it is well known that many of our Canadian people try to leave us and go south, but just as soon as Uncle Sam claps an eye on them, he fires them back to us again. Well, isn't that what we want? Don't we want more population, and where could we find better citizens than our own people? Now, Uncle Sam not only sends our stray Canadians back again to the home of their childhood, but he does more—he sends us many of his own enterprising citizens to help to populate this country, and is it not very much better to have such settlers here than to have the imported pauperism of Europe and China? Uncle Sam is simply acting as an immigration agent for us without his services costing us one cent.

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Dr. Chase Cures Backache.

Kidney trouble generally begins with a single pain in the back, and in time developes into Bright's Disease. People troubled with stricture, impediments, stoppage of water, or a frequent desire to urinate at night, will find Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills a blessing. Read the wonderful cures in another column. One Pill is a dose, and if taken every other night will positively cure kidney troubles.

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No. 2 Nut	5 00 "
Anthroxolite	4 50 "
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CHURCH SERVICES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be two masses celebrated, the first at 8 a.m., the second at 10.30 a. m., and Vespers at 7 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Assistant Curate. Fourth Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 31st. 8.30 a.m. Celebration of Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon; 3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible classes; 7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. Ushers on duty—Messrs. Macfarlane Wilson, Joseph Mitchell, James E. Johnston and William Doanel.

ST. JOHN'S MISSION CHAPEL.—Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. Fourth Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 31st 11 a. m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon; 3 p. m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. Baptisms in the chapel by appointment with the clergy.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. R. Young, B. A., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 24th. Services at 11 a. m. and at 7 p.m. conducted by Rev. A. D. Drew, of Hackstock. Sunday School and Bible class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats. Grace church Sunday School at 10 a.m.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. J. Rae, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 31st.—Service at 11 a.m. and 7 p m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday school and Bible Class at 2.30 p. m. Strangers welcome.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B. A., pastor. Jan. 31st. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. conducted by pastor. Sabbath School and Bible class 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Monday at 8 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Seats free. Junior C. E. meets every Sunday at 4 o'clock.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance D. D., pastor, Sunday, Jan. 31st. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Y.P.S. C.E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 31st. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 3.00 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all are welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. F. Tapscott, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be cordially welcomed. Regular meeting of Young People's Society on Wednesday evening.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST.—Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., in the rooms in the Bank of Commerce Block, entrance on Water street, same as Business College. Public meeting every Friday night at 8 o'clock. A welcome extended to all.

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Men's Scotch Tweed Suits, single-breasted, cutaway, Italian linings, were $9.50, for $5.00.

Men's Heavy Tweed Pants, were $1.25, for 99c.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual General Meeting of the Peterborough Water Company, will be held at the Company's office, 228 Hunter street, in the town of Peterborough, on

Monday, 1st day of February, 1897

At the hour of Three O'clock, p. m.

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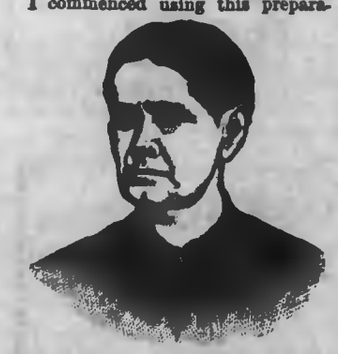

tion, and was so well satisfied with the result that I have never tried any other kind of dressing. It stopped the hair from falling out, stimulated a new growth of hair, and kept the scalp free from dandruff. Only an occasional application is now needed to keep my hair of good, natural color. I never hesitate to recommend any of Ayer's medicines to my friends."—Mrs. H. M. HAIGHT, Avoca, Neb.

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COOK GETS THE LUMBER VOTE.

Mr. Marcil of Montreal So Told the East Simcoe Electors at Wyebridge Last Night.

Wyebridge, Ont., Jan. 28.—The largest meeting held for years in Waubaushene was held last evening in the Public school house, which was crowded to the doors. Many ladies were present. The meeting had been called in the interests of the Liberal candidate, H. H. Cook. The chief speaker was Charles Marcil of Montreal, Liberal candidate in Gaspe against Premier Flynn, who spoke for over two hours in French and English, defending the policy of the administration. The meeting was a grand success and was closed by H. H. Cook, the Liberal candidate. Mr. Marcil announced, amid tremendous applause, that he was authorized by W. J. Sheppard, President of the Georgian Bay Lumber Company, to announce that the company was supporting the Liberal nominee, with the intention of giving the Laurier administration fair play. This means that three hundred votes cast for the Conservative candidate last June will now be given to Cook, and insure his election by a large majority. The announcement has caused a sensation in the district. Mr. Marcil has gone to Lafontaine and Penetanguishene to address the French voters.

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Paine's Celery Compound surely and quickly takes off the load of disease that presses so heavily on the broken down body, and gives to the victim a fresh and joyous existence. Will you have faith sufficient to make a trial of that marvellous curer that has so many bright victories to its credit?

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"It affords me unbounded pleasure to bear testimony to the marvellous cure effected by the use of your Paine's Celery Compound. I was troubled with kidney complaint, or, as the doctor called it, an enlargement of the neck of the bladder. Be that as it may, I suffered the most intense pain therefrom. I applied to my physician for relief, but with little encouragement; he thought the only way for me to obtain was to submit to an operation. I went home very much discouraged, and was prevailed on by my wife to try your Paine's Celery Compound. I did, with but very little faith in it, purchase one bottle, but the results were indeed marvellous, as I received immediate relief after taking it. The pain is all gone, and my skin, instead of being dry and harsh, as it used to be, is soft as velvet; in fact, I feel like a new man, and never felt better in my life than I do at present. Wishing you unbounded success, I hope this may meet the eye of some one similarly afflicted who is anxious for relief."

GOOD LUCK 'GOVERNMENT.

A Frenchman Donates 50 Francs to Canada's Poor and the Amount is Added to Country's Assets.

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—(Special.)—For the past three years Mr. J. M. Rousseau of Paris, France, has made a contribution of 50 francs a year to the poor of Canada. The first year the Finance Department did not know what to do with it. Reams of paper were used in correspondence, and finally, by order-in-council, Rousseau's contributions reached the Indian Department to better the lot of Poor Lo. The next year Rousseau was again heard from, and after further correspondence the $9.65 (50 francs) was sent to the French Consul at Montreal for his disposal. Then for the third time the generous donor was heard from, and on this occasion the happy thought struck an official that as the people of Canada were debtors to a very large amount the 50 francs might as well be added to the assets of Canada, leaving the net debt on June 30 last at $258,497,432.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Items Culled From the Despatches and Boiled Down to Paragraphs to Save Space.

The Springhill, N.S., miners' strike is still on.

The city of New York had ten inches of snow yesterday morning.

Dr. Zdikauer, private physician of the Czar, is dead at St. Petersburg.

Mrs. Lucy Bresee, aged 90, died Wednesday night at the residence of her son in Belleville.

Mrs. James G. Flood, widow of the famous millionaire of San Francisco, died suddenly on Wednesday night.

Reports from the Northwest indicate milder weather. Gilbert Rud, aged 25, was frozen to death near Spring Valley, Minn.

John Smith's farm house in Thurlow, near Belleville, was burned yesterday morning. Loss $1000, partially insured.

A. W. Sneath of Elmvale was yesterday elected Warden of Simcoe County, over J. Martin of Sunnidale and John Nettleton of Collingwood.

Goepper's immense malthouse and Overman & Schrader's corunge building in Cincinnati were burned yesterday. Loss $400,000.

Captain John Campbell of the British barque British-America was frozen to death about two miles from Mobile, Alabama, Tuesday night.

The heavy ice in the Ohio at Louisville, Ky., has caused a total suspension of navigation. All the upper and lower boats have tied up in the canal.

Veterinary Inspector McEachran says hog cholera in Essex has greatly diminished. There has not been a new case for a week, which is unusual.

A bylaw for the appropriation of $6000 for the extension of the water works system to supply residents on the hills above the town is being prepared at Owen Sound.

Morris Jackson shot Fred McIntosh and Miss Ella M. Ausman at their boarding house in Little Falls, N.Y., last evening. He then attempted to kill himself. Jealousy was the cause.

DeBarry, the great debarrer of Canadians seeking employment in the United States, views the new Carliss-McCall restrictive bill with high approval, but does not think it yet sufficiently stringent.

Messrs. McCameron, Richard Balden and Robert Stoness have been elected Councillors of Portsmouth, Ont., in place of three who were unseated for lack of property qualification.

The small steamer Plankinshaw was scuttled by ice in the Ohio River near Evansville, Indiana, Wednesday night and sank. The engineer, John Orr, was drowned, but 17 others on board were rescued in a frost-bitten state.

A Kingston despatch says James Mackie, station agent at the G.T.R. Junction, and Robert Thompson, sr., of the freight office, have been notified of their removal on Feb. 1. Both have been from 30 to 40 years in the service.

At a meeting of farmers in Kingston yesterday it was resolved to petition the Tariff Commissioners to have cottons, woolens, tweeds, coal oil, workmen's tools, farm implements, fence wire, binder twine, iron and corn placed on the free list.

Baltimore rejoiced in the jingling of sleighbells yesterday, having had a fall of the beautiful to the depth of seven inches. Ice is troubling shipping men in Chesapeake Bay.

Hon. J. I. Tarte, Minister of Public Works, has signified his intention of visiting Owen Sound some time during February, when representations will be made to him with reference to certain public works required there.

President Cushman of the Ohio State Horticultural Society, has issued a call for a national horticultural convention to be held at Washington, March 5, the object being to devise measures for preventing insects and fungi from being introduced into orchards in the United States.

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A Story of Herrmann's Pity.

"A professional man who had struck a streak of hard luck went to Herrmann for a loan. He wanted $2500, and was willing to secure it with a life insurance policy for $15,000. Herrmann let him have the money and took the policy, as it was purely a business proposition, and not a matter of friendship. The borrower's fortunes fluctuated from bad to worse, and about a year after the loan was made he died, leaving his affairs in a very tangled condition.

"The death notice of the man recalled the circumstances of the loan to Herrmann, and he hunted up the policy, which he had forgotten entirely. He was on the point of placing it in the hands of an attorney for collection—in fact, I believe he had given it to his lawyer—when he heard that the dead man's wife was absolutely penniless and helpless, with several children on her hands. He instructed the attorney to discontinue proceedings, and the policy was transferred to the widow with the explanation that the debt had been cancelled before her husband's death, and that the policy having been misplaced accounted for the delay in its return.—New York Journal.

The Dangers of India.

India is a dangerous country to live in, as the following figures showing the death from wild beasts and snakes during one recent year will testify. In one twelvemonth snakes killed no less than 19,740 persons. Tigers killed 1063 persons and 27,517 head of cattle; bears 126 persons and 4087 cattle; wolves, 177 persons and 4087 cattle; hyenas, 17 persons and 2748 cattle; elephants, 56 persons and 4 cattle; while other wild beasts, such as jackalls, buffaloes, boars, crocodiles, etc., were responsible for the deaths of 969 persons and 2165 cattle.

The Life of Dr. Chase.

As a compiler of Dr. Chase's Recipe Book, his name is familiar to every household in the land, while as a physician his works on simple formulas left an imprint of his name that will be handed down from generation to generation. His last great medicine, in the form of his Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, is having the large public patronage that his Ointment, Pills and Catarrh Cure are having. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is especially adapted for all Bronchial and Asthmatic troubles.

SMASH AT NIAGARA FALLS.

Broken Train Was the Cause—A Grand Trunk Switchman Killed in the G.T.R. Yards.

Niagara Falls, Ont. Jan. 28.—(Special.)—A small wreck occurred on the main line of the Michigan Central at Morrison-street crossing here just about daybreak this morning. A freight eastbound broke into three pieces some distance up the grade, which runs down towards the cantilever bridge. The front end stopped at the bridge and the rear end was being brought down by another engine, when it crashed into the centre portion, which was not known to have broken loose. Two cars of packed pork were smashed and hams and bacon were scattered over the track. The goods, which were in bond, were taken to the customs office, transferred to another car and re-sealed. Traffic on the road was not delayed.

James Mussels, a switchman, was killed in the G. T. R. yards here tonight shortly after going on duty. He was coupling cars in the west end of the yards, when the bumpers on two G. T. R. cars slipped and allowed the ends of the cars to come together, crushing Mussels between them. Death was instantaneous. Deceased was a man of about 40 years and leaves a family of six children, one of whom is married. The widow is at present dangerously ill and much sympathy is expressed for her and the family. This has been the first fatality in the G. T. R. yards here for some years.

At this moment thousands of men are standing at the cross-roads of life. Death in the guise of a foolish ambition coaxes them to take one road, while health and happiness in the form of wife and babies coax them to take the other. For the sake of a few added dollars will they continue to over-work and neglect the commonest precautions for the preservation of health, or will they listen to love and reason and draw back before it is too late? A man may do almost any amount of good, hard work if he will take care of his health and when he feels out of sorts will take the right remedy.

The great blood-maker, flesh-builder and nerve tonic is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the hard-workers' medicine. It corrects all disorders of the digestion, invigorates the liver, purifies the blood and tones and steadies the nerves. It makes the appetite hearty and brings refreshing sleep. Thousands of hard-workers owe their lives to it and have said so over their signatures. Druggists all sell it and all substitutes are frauds.

"I was taken with erysipelas in my hands and went to the doctor," writes Mrs. Lena Baumgartner, of Joy, Charlevoix Co., Mich. "He said he could not cure me. He gave me medicine to ease me but the disease spread all over my body. I took two bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two of the 'Favorite Prescription' and am entirely cured. I have a boy three weeks old. I was helpless two or three months before confinement, but after taking the 'Favorite Prescription' I was able to do my washing three days before I was confined."

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2. The competition will close the last day of each month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Messrs. Lever Bros. Ltd., and their families are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of winners in competitor's district will be forwarded to competitors 21 days after each competition closed.

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CANADA'S RAILWAYS.

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The Number of Miles of Railway in the Dominion in Operation—Statistics as to Every Branch of the Railway Carrying Trade.

The Dominion of Canada is fairly well supplied with railways. The Canadian statistical year book shows that on the 30th June, 1895, there were 15,971 miles of railway in operation in the Dominion, and 16,091 miles of track laid.

The railway mileage of track laid and square miles of area to each mile of railway, according to provinces, are shown as follows:

Ontario has 6,403 miles of track; Quebec, 3,139 miles; New Brunswick, 1,404; Nova Scotia, 891; Prince Edward Island, 210; Manitoba, 1,472; North-West Territories, 1,772; and British Columbia, 890.

There is one mile of track laid to every 24 square miles in Ontario, to every 72 square miles in Quebec, to every 20 square miles in New Brunswick, to 23 in Nova Scotia, to 9 1-2 in Prince Edward Island, to 44 in Manitoba, to 225 in the North-Wesht Territory, and to 478 in British Columbia.

In addition to the above there are 28 miles of railway owned by five coal and iron companies, all in Nova Scotia. This mileage is all of the 4 feet 8 inch gauge, with the exception of three miles with a 3-foot gauge.

The southern portions of the Provinces of Quebec and Ontario are covered with a network of lines. Several railway centres have been established. Six lines centre at Quebec City, seven at Montreal, seven at Toronto, and six at Ottawa. No less than nine railways centre at Winnipeg.

Of the older provinces, New Brunswick is better supplied with railways in proportion to area than any of the others.

According to population Ontario has 42.7 per cent. of the people of Canada and 39.8 per cent. of the railway mileage. Quebec has 30.8 per cent. of population and 19.5 per cent. of the railway mileage. British Columbia has 2 per cent. of population and 9.1 per cent. of railway mileage. The North-West Territories have only 1.4 per cnt. of population and 11 per cent. of railway mileage.

In the year 1850 there were only 66 miles of railway in operation in all Canada. These had increased to 2,065 in 1860, and to 2,278 miles when the provinces were united. During the next ten years there was an increase of 3,304 miles. In 1888 there were 12,124 miles in operation, and in 1895, as stated above, 15,977 miles. Thus since confederation there has been the enormous increase of 13,699 miles of railway in operation. In 1868 the paid-up capital invested in railways amounted to $160,471,190 and in 1895 to $894,640,559.

Altogether Canada has had to date 136 railways. Twenty-five of these have amalgamated and form the Grand Trunk railway system. The consolidation of 22 others have produced the Canadian Pacific railway system. The remaining 89 have more or less consolidated, so that in all there are 76 separate organizations. Two of these are bridge companies with 3 3-4 miles of rails; one is a tunnel with 2 1-4 miles of rails. Two are electric railways, one nearly 14 miles long, the Niagara Falls Park and River Electric Railway, and one 22 miles in length, the Montreal Park and Island Railway, leaving 69 railways, besides the Canadian Pacific, the Grand Trunk and the Intercolonial.

The mileage (miles laid) of the several railway companies is as follows: Canadian Pacific, 6,174 miles; Grand Trunk, 3,161; Intercolonial, 1,382; other railways, 5,332. Electric railways, 35; bridges and tunnels, 6.

As a rule the railways of Canada are built with a gauge of 4 feet 8 1-2 inches. The exceptions are the Carillon and Grenville, with a gauge of 5 feet 6 inches; the Prince Edward railway with a gauge of 3 feet 6 inches, and the Montford Colonization and the Alberta Coal railways, each with a gauge of 3 feet.

The railways of Canada have been greatly assisted by State and municipal aid. The Dominion Government has contributed at the rate of $9 369 per mile constructed, the Provincial Governments at the rate on an average of $1,847 per mile, and the municipalities at the rate of $881 per mile on the total mileage. As, however, the provincial contributions were limited to roads within the province, the individual provincial contributions per mile were much larger. On the whole the Dominion Government has contributed $150,000,000; the Ontario Government, $6,700,000; Quebec, $14,400,000; New Brunswick, $4,400,000; Nova Scotia, $1,400,000; Manitoba, $2,600,000; British Columbia, $37,500. Municipalities have contributed the large sum of $14,000,000. Taking into consideration the various sources from which the whole railway capital has been drawn, it appears that the ordinary share capital is 28 per cent. of the whole; the bonded debt, 36 per cent.; Dominion Government aid, nearly 17 per cent., and Provincial Government aid, 12 per cent. Very nearly 32 per cent of the total capital has been contributed by Federal, Provincial and municipal aid.

The earnings 20 years ago of Canadian railways were $19,470,539. Last year the earnings were $46,785,487. The working expenses in 1875 were $15,775,532; in 1895 they were $32,749,869.

The expenses were 81 per cent. of the receipts in 1875. In 1895 they were 75 per cent., and in 1895 70 per cent.

The average cost per completed mile of roadbed in Canada up to the present time is $55,599. In Great Britain the cost per mile has been $269,851; in the United States, $61,409; in India, $43,785, and in Western Australia, $21,720. The proportion of net revenue to capital cost is very small, almost the smallest in the world.

In the last 20 years there have been killed in railway accidents on Canadian railways no less than 3,415 people and 11,463 have been injured. Taking the year 1895 as an average year there were nine passengers killed and 60 injured; 51 employes killed and 488 injured; 127 others killed and 110 injured. Seven of these passengers were killed while getting on or off trains in motion. Six employes were killed by being on the track, and 17 by falling off trains. Of the other fatalities 85 out of 127 were killed by being on the track.

The average of passengers killed during the past 20 years is only one in every one million carried. The average in United States in 1893 was only one to every 1,985,152 carried. As a matter of fact a higher percentage of passengers have been killed and injured on Canadian railroads than in any country in the world during the past twenty years.

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"I always try to make as many friends as possible," said the woman who gossips.

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FOR THE ANGLERS.

Canada Made the Advance and Uncle Sam is Expected to Observe Reciprocity.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 28.—In refrring to its efforts to establish a state reservoir upon and along the St. Lawrence River, the State Game and Fish Commission says in its annual report: "The Canadian Government, under a mutual understanding that this State would reciprocate, has already set aside 25 of its islands for unrestricted use of boating and picnic parties of both countries. It is quite generally understood by our Canadian friends that our people will provide for similar use several islands or pieces of land along the shore of the St. Lawrence River, and it is also understood by the people of that locality that if our State does not provide such public places then the right to use the Canadian islands by our people will be withdrawn. Should the Canadian Government take this action the natural result will be that many fishermen and summer visitors to that resort will go across the national line and stop at Canadian hotels and be obliged to employ foreign oarsmen. This would mean that the hotel business of the great resort would be seriously injured and our oarsmen driven to Canada. Our people, not from this State only, but from many other States, that are now spending their money in our midst would spend it in a foreign country.

"Uniform fish laws for this locality have already been enacted by Canada and the State of New York, in pursuance of the mutual understanding that a park would be provided for public use.

"In view of all the circumstances, it is our opinion that places for public use should be provided by the State. This can only be done by an appropriation being made to purchase islands and places along the shores.

"The State should appropriate a sum sufficient to acquire several islands or points that will provide places for the free use of the people who visit this great health resort."

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"They are worth 2 cents," replied the postmaster.

"Oh, you can beat that shorely. Can't you gimme one stamp an a postal kyard fer 2 cents?"

"No."

"You say stamps hain't gone down a bit?"

"Not a bit."

"An cotton an corn an everything plum down to nuthin."

"We can't help that."

"W'y, I paid 2 cents fer stamps when cotton wus 9 cents an wheat $1."

"That's all true."

"An you ain't goin to cut down a bit on 'em?"

"Not a bit."

"This is jest simply a plum outrage. I'll go clean to Possum Trot an quit paternizin your blamed office. I know I kin git stamps right frum them. They'll gimme a good, fresh, whole stock stamp an a chaw of good 'backer fer 2 cents. I don't purpose to be robbed in broad open daylight if I know myself. You've had a grindin monoperly here jest about as long as the people is goin to stand it anyhow. You hev jest ground 'em an ground 'em with extortionate prices until the fust thing you know some 'commodatin feller will start up another postoffice in this town an bu'st you higher'n a kite. See ef they don't!"—Calhoun Times.

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The Ethics of Citizenship (by Prof. MacCunn.

(II.) THE EQUALITY OF MEN.

A writer in the National Home Reading Union Magazine tells us that "Four men, of varied type, at different times, found this book, "The Ethics of Citizenship," either on my table or in my hands. The result was the same in each case. After looking into the book, reading a chapter or two, or testing it here and there, these four men in turn, have each, in effect said: "I must have this! Where can I get it?" We should feel well rewarded for the labour of writing these articles, if a few of our readers should ask the same question.

The word "Ethics" is a technical philosophical term, which requires definition. We shall give two or three definitions, which will, we trust convince everyone that it is a beautiful word and stands for a subject worthy of our attention (1) "Ethics is the science of right conduct and character. (2) Ethics taken in its proper signification, includes two things. On the one hand, it consists of an investigation into the nature and constitution of human character, and on the other hand, it is concerned with the formulating and enunciating of rules for human conduct." (3) "Ethics may either be regarded as an enquiry intonature of the good,—the true end of action; or as an investigation of the right, the true rules of conduct, duty, the moral law, etc." And last and as we think best of all, though it requires a little reflection and some exercise of the imagination. (4) Ethics is the science of ideal humanity."

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It will be clear from the above definitions that we may have many divisions of the subject matter of Ethics. There might be the Ethics of the family, the Ethics of the individual, the Ethics of the church, the Ethics of the market-place. Wherever men are associated together for the promotion of any good end there must be a right and a wrong way of working, and the Ethics of that association of the largest and most important associations of men, is the association of citizenship. A citizen of a town is one who enjoys the rights and privileges of the town, and a citizen of the state or nation is, similarly, one who enjoys the common rights and privileges of a member of the state. It is clear then that the Ethics of Citizenship is a wide and important subject. How many of us are the best possible kind of citizens? How many might not be better citizens if we understood the Ethics of Citizenship? If there be corruption and self-seeking in the governors of a city, every member must share in the responsibility, for corrupt and self-seeking aldermen or members of parliament could only be elected by corrupt and self-seeking voters.

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Prof. MacCunn's first chapter is devoted to an enquiry into the nature of the Equality of Men. What do we mean by the Equality of Men? And is it true that all men are equal? Men are certainly not equal in possessions. Some are rich and some are poor. But the poor man may say, "That is because of injustice and wrong, and fraud." We ask then "are men equal in physical strength?" "Are they equal in intellectual capacities?" "Are they equally good or bad?" It is quite clear that all these questions must be answered in the negative, and therefore it is probable that it is not simply on account of injustice that some are richer than others. If you put down two men with exactly the same outfit of tools upon a desolate but fertile island, and the one is physically and mentally double as strong as the other, we know perfectly well which will be the wealthiest in ten years. The doctrine then of "the equality of men" is not true, and no real good can come of clinging to a falsehood. "Men," says our author, "are highly complex organic beings, no two of them . . . . operated upon by just the same influences or shaped by just the same history."

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Yet although demonstrably false, "The Equality of Men" is a formula which persists, is used and asserted, not merely by unlearned, but by learned men. And we may lay it down as a valuable principle, that any formula which persists even after its illogicalness and falsehood have been demonstrated, persists not because of the obstinacy, or the ignorance of men, but because it contains some grains of truth. Nothing absolutely false can last long. "This dogma of the Equality of Men persists, and will in all probability continue to persist, because to so many minds, it has come to express truths, and facts, of the first importance." (p. 3).

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Then there are these truths. "One of them—in a sense the root of all the rest—is the truth that all men have worth, that effectually parts the man from the chattel, and even from the highest animal." "We disarm in man a principle of moral and spiritual life, which enjoys the unique distinction that, whereas nothing else in the world—gifts, or power, or wealth, can be pronounced absolutely good, this always can." In this sense there is an equality, not absolute, but an equality in the sense that "worth" is a common possession. "It is only the snob, or because they have unlettered minds, or scant house room, or shabby coats, or awkward manners" (p. 5). Hence we owe to our fellow men respect, and hence men have a right to justice. The civil and political rights of men are based upon the theory that all men have moral worth.

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1. The first definite and practical form of equality mentioned by Prof. MacCunn is the "Equality of Civil Rights." All men, rich, poor, great, learned, obscure or ignorant are equal in the eye of the law. The justification of this civil right is formed in the fact that without it man is deprived of the opportunity of doing his duty to the state. "We justify rights as the fundamental condition of the discharge of duties."

2. In addition to civil there are political rights. "Where the suffrage is universal and all office open to all, there is here a second and immense instalment of equality. It is not so easy to justify this right as the former. There are certainly some good reason for withholding the vote from some men. But it is clear that the possession of worth involves a Right to vote, although that right for good reasons might be withheld for a time. It might be wisdom to withhold the franchise from a body of newly-emancipated slaves, but it would be the duty of the State to educate them for its reception bye and bye. "We cannot respect men for the moral worth that is in them, and yet think it a final and satisfactory state of things that they should spend themselves wholly on interests that never go beyond the narrow range of private lives." "A vote, just like any civil right, is simply one more opportunity, one more instrument, whereby the potential moral worth of the man becomes the realized and practical worth of the enfranchised citizen!" The proper reason for the demand for the suffrage is that thereby "we may make men of ourselves, in that larger sense that lies open to to the life of active citizenship." (p 10)

3. The limits of space demand that we should simply notice the third point in this discussion of equal rights. Does "worth" demand equality of wealth? Prof. MacCunn's conclusion is as follows: "It seems reasonable to insist, that in any society that is not a failure, every citizen should have within his reach that modicum of competency without which a good life is fatally obstructed, and the value of civil and political rights destroyed; herein lies a justification of movements for a greater equalization of ways and means. But once this modicum of competency is ensured, there are reasons why the problem of equalization of wealth becomes of secondary importance. Independence grounded on a true equality is not disturbed by the inevitable existence of many forms of inequality.

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They Took the Negative Side on the Question of Prohibition and Outtalked McGill Men.

Montreal, Jan. 29.—(Special.)—The debate between representatives of Toronto and McGill Universities took place this evening, resulting in a victory for the Queen City. Prohibition was the subject, and Toronto took the negative side, represented by G. C. Bellery and W. H. Greenwood.

CUSTOMS INSPECTOR KILLED.

Frederick H. Bathey Fell From a Train Going Through the Tunnel.

Sarnia, Ont., Jan. 29.—Frederick H. Bathey, an American customs inspector of immigration, while on duty and in crossing an express, No. 3, on the G.T.R., going west, through the St. Clair tunnel, about 3 p.m. to-day, evidently fell off the train and was killed by fracture of the skull. He was found about an hour afterwards by Roadmaster Young, while walking through the tunnel. The accident occurred about 40 feet on the Canadian side of the tunnel. An inquest will be held to-morrow.

A Monster Locomotive.

Schenectady, N.Y., Jan. 29.—One of the largest locomotives every built in America has just been completed at the Schenectady Locomotive Works, for the Northern Pacific Railroad Company. It is a compound, 12-wheeler, and weighs 92 tons. It carries steam pressure of 200 pounds to the square inch of boiler surface, and is equipped with the most modern improvements.

Mrs. Beecher Worse.

Stamford, Conn., Jan. 29.—It is reported here to-day that the condition of Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher had changed for the worse. Dr. Samuel Pierson, the attending physician to-night gave out this statement: "Mrs. Beecher is suffering again from an old ailment, but her condition is not what can be called serious."

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OF INTEREST TO CORPORATIONS.

Responsibilities of Municipalities in Respect of the Condition of Streets.

A despatch from Ottawa says that the judgment of the Supreme Court of Canada on Monday in Kingston v. Drennan is of interest to the cities and towns of Canada. Miss Drennan, who was a student at college, slipped on the pavement on the main street, fell and injured herself. It was shown that the merchants levelled the snow and ice opposite the stores down to the granite pavement, but nobody touched the crossings, so that as winter wore on the crossing came to be several inches higher than the sidewalk and pedestrians were liable to make a swift descent from one to the other. This was how Miss Drennan's accident came about, and the Supreme Court says that the corporation is responsible for such a state of things. The slippery character of the granolithic pavement is bad enough in itself; to level the street crossings would cause inconvenience to vehicles; there is no reason why, in places where snow and ice accumulate on the street, the snow on the stone pavement should not be left alone after the loose top is shovelled or ploughed off.

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The Company proposes to engage in and carry on the business of mining for Gold and Silver in Ontario and in British Columbia. For that purpose it has already bought and paid for the valuable **Trilby and Prince of Wales Group,** which it is now equipping with a machinery plant. These properties give every present indication of developing into rich producing mines at an early date; but the company will not confine its operations and its chances of ultimate success to these properties. It is **Primarily a Development and Exploration Company,** and its present holdings were acquired on that basis.

Having highly promising mines with which to commence its business, the initial risk upon which, to a large amount, was carried by its organizers (and is still being so carried, as they receive stock for their interests and no cash out of the Treasury), and an unusually large and safe allotment of shares having been made into the Treasury, the Company is confident of realizing ample capital with which to transact a large and profitable general mining busines without exhausting its large holdings of Treasury Stock.

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HOLDINGS OF THE COMPANY.

The Company has acquired the assets of **The Trilby Mining Corporation,** Ltd., which has been in operation in British Columbia during the past six months. These consist of **The Trilby and Prince of Wales,** valuable properties in the South Belt at ROSSLAND, upon which development has been carried on during the last five months on behalf of the Company with most satisfactory results. In addition negotiations are pending with a view to the acquisition by the Company of other properties in the **Slocan and Rainy River Districts.**

Active exploration has been carried on in the various mining districts of British Columbia on behalf of the organizers of the Company during several months past, and its agents in the field are in possession of valuable and, in some instances, exclusive information as to the newer sections which will be opened up with the advent of spring. Having been early upon the ground, they have exceptional facilities for obtaining control of the safest and most eligible locations in the country.

Trusted agents of the Company have also been and are now at work in the rich **Rainy River District,** and it is confidently expected that negotiations being carried on by them will result favourably, and be able to be announced to shareholders at an early day.

THE SHARES AS AN INVESTMENT.

If the Company should not acquire or be in a position to operate any other mining claims in addition to the Trilby and Prince of Wales, and having regard to the number of the Company's shares outstanding, when the sale shall be effected of the number estimated sufficient to yield a net working capital of not less than $50,000; to the position and value of the Company's holdings now being developed; to the assurance afforded the public of the prudent and economical management of the assets and working capital of the Company; the shares of the Company at twenty-five cents (25c) upon the dollar are relatively cheaper than those of any company operating any mine in the same stage of development as the Trilby in the Rossland district.

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NEWS FROM OTTAWA

Parliament to Be Summoned for Thursday, March 11.

A TALK ABOUT THE PACIFIC CABLE.

Mr. Sandford Fleming Says Britain Does Not Need Neckar Island as a Landing Place—Alleged Train Wreckers in Jail — Departmental and General Notes.

Ottawa, Jan. 31.—(Special.)—At yesterday's meeting of the Cabinet it was decided to call Parliament together for the despatch of business on Thursday, March 11. The format Order-in-Council will be passed in a day or two, and a proclamation based thereon will appear in the Canada Gazette next Saturday.

THE PACIFIC CABLE.

Mr. Sandford Fleming, C.M.G., returned to the city on Friday, after a lengthened visit to England in connection with Pacific cable business. Your correspondent called his attention yesterday to a telegram which appeared in a number of newspapers a few days ago, stating that two gentlemen are now in Honolulu endeavoring to purchase Neckar Island from the Hawaiian Government for the purpose of landing a Pacific cable there, and that they had been sent out by the British Government. Mr. Fleming said: "I may state with some knowledge of the facts that the last statement is entirely devoid of truth. If there are any persons negotiating for landing rights in Honolulu they will represent interests hostile to the British Pacific cable. It is well-known that the agents of the Eastern Extension Company have been trying to secure a landing place in the Pacific with a view to defeating the project of the independent cable line to Australia, so that they may maintain the telegraph monopoly which they at present possess. I can authoritatively state, however, that a landing on the Hawaiian islands of an all-British cable is not required. Great Britain possesses a sufficient number of islands in the Pacific for mid-ocean stations without landing anywhere within the sphere of he Hawaiian islands. The trans-Pacific cable determined on to connect Canada with Australia will touch only at Fanning Island, Fiji Island and Norfolk Island, which are all British possessions. The report of the Imperial and Colonial Committee, which has been investigating this important subject, with all necessary information in detail, is now before the several Governments concerned."

Detective Hatton returned to the city yesterday from Renfrew, where he saw the two men, Charles Gogoleen and Peter Clement, arrested for causing the recent fatal accident at Barry's Bay, safely jailed. The accused will be tried before the magistrate at Renfrew to-morrow. The chain of evidence is complete, although it is generally conceded there was no intention on their part to cause so frightful a smash. It seems the men were engaged by a farmer named Conway, and were driving to a shanty some two miles distant. It was necessary to cross the track in order to reach their destination. On coming to the crossing the men turned down the track for a short cut, and in doing so misplaced the switch. This fact is supported by strong evidence, and it is said the men have admitted it. The law in relation to railway accidents does not require premeditation or intention to be proven, so that they are just as guilty as if they had smashed the switch with a sledge hammer. They were trespassing on private property, and the result was the loss of three lives, the serious injury of Engineer Taylor and the destruction of property.

The County Council yesterday passed a grant of $200 to assist Mr. McLeod Stewart in having further plans of the Ottawa, Montreal and Georgian Bay Ship Canal prepared.

In regard to the request of the County of Frontenac that the County of Carleton should co-operate in petitioning the Tariff Commissioners to place certain articles on the free list, the council adopted a report expressing the opinion that this is a matter that cannot be properly dealt with by county councils, and recommended that no action be taken.

Justice MacMahon yesterday sentenced Thomas Mussell, convicted of outraging his stepdaughter, to 7 years in Kingston Penitentiary. John Gunn robbed a shantyman named Richardson of $150, and was given 2 1-2 years in the same institution.

The Georgian Bay Ship Canal and Power Aqueduct Company will apply next session for Dominion incorporation, and that the company may have power to acquire and improve other canals in Canada, and for a general extension of the borrowing and other powers of the company.

Since 1891 in cases where it was desirable to make any reduction in the price of Dominion lands from $3 an acre, the practice has been to do so in every case by the passage of an order-in-council, but as this has been found a very clumsy way of managing the business, and very precaution is taken by the inspection of any parcel of land by a competent officer of the department, the Minister of the Interior has been empowered to deal direct with all such cases in the time to come.

The E. B. Eddy Company have increased the price of matches 8 per cent. The company's output amounts to about 30,000,000 matches daily. The firm claims to have been working at a loss for the past two years to overcome competition.

The Canadian Mining and Smelting Company is the name of a new company seeking incorporation from the Dominion Government for mining in British Columbia, and elsewhere. Their capitalization is to be $200,000, and the promoters are Winnipeg men, including Hon. Hugh John Macdonald.

Letters patent of incorporation have been granted to The Intelligencer Printing and Publishing House, with Sir Mackenzie Bowell at its head; also to the Hobberlin Bros. Company to carry on a tailoring and drygoods business in Toronto.

Mr. Laurier left for Orillia to-night.

Tenders will be received at the Inland Revenue Department till Feb. 15 for the privilege of ferrying across the Ottawa River from Pembroke to Allumette Island. The contract will be awarded for five years from May, 1897.

The annual meeting of the Dominion Artillery Association, which, by the constitution, is to be held in February, will be postponed for a month or so.

Sir Henry Joly, who early in the week contributed $100 to the Indian famine fund, on Saturday sent a cheque for $100 to Mayor Bingham for the poor of Ottawa, on the principle that charity begins at home.

Notice is given of a proposed application to Parliament for the incorporation of a new insurance company to be known as the National Life Insurance Company of Canada.

Messrs. Haggart and Montague have returned from the west. They did not go to British Columbia, owing to stormy weather and the state of Dr. Montague's health. It is said that Mr. Haggart will go into North Ontario this week, and Dr. Montague into South Brant.

The Premier will be asked this week to name a day to receive a deputation in the interests of the Ottawa, Montreal and Georgian Bay Ship Canal.

THE TARIFF ENQUIRY.

Sugar Refiners and Cotton Manufacturers Before the Commissioners at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Jan. 31.—(Special.)—Sugar and cotton were the two commodities which the members of the Government learned about yesterday. It was half-past 10 when the Ministers got down to work, Mr. Laurier being present in addition to the three Ministers to whom the matter of the tariff had been referred. It was 2 o'clock before the meeting was concluded. Both delegations were heard in private.

The representatives of the sugar industry were Senator Drummond, W. W. Watson, E. Baumgarten, N. Greenshields and T. Lubatt of Montreal; J. F. Stairs and T. M. Cutter of Halifax and B. T. Rogers of Vancouver. Their request in effect was no interference with the present duties, and, if possible, a little more protection.

The cotton men were Messrs. A. F. Gault, D. Morrice, jr.; R. R. Stephenson, A. A. Ayer, A. Ewing of Montreal; R. R. Stevenson and Simpson of Valleyfield, C. D. Owen of Providence, R. I.; William Parks of St. John.

The chief spokesmen were Messrs. Gault and Ayer. The deputation mentioned that the capital invested in the industry amounted to $15,000,000 and their yearly production to $30,000,000; 9675 hands are employed in the factories, drawing $2,556,816 in wages annually, and, besides this, the companies pay yearly $260,500 for their coal supply, $1,004,000 for supplies and stores, $502,400 to railway companies on freight charges, $85,850 in duties on machinery and supplies, and $607,200 in local plant and improvements. They strongly urge that any reduction in the tariff would simply wipe them out. The profits have been unreasonably low for the last two years, especially on account of Canada being made a slaughter market for American goods. There was a cut of 10 per cent. in prices on Canadian-made goods last summer, and another cut may have to be made to keep our products before the public. Canadian cotton manufacturers would like to go into the making of the finer lines, such as dress goods and yarns, but to do so they would need a duty at least 5 per cent. higher against foreign competition.

The shirt, collar and cuff makers of Canada are represented before the enquiry by Messrs. Tooke of Montreal, Greene of Berlin and Spelton of Montreal. They seek the retention of the present duties, and state that a reduction would mean the importation of cheap foreign labor and the establishing of sweat shops as those institutions existed in the Old World and in New York.

CLEVER CANADIAN DEAD.

A Brother of Mr. Justice Curran of the Supreme Court Dies at Manhattan College.

New York, Jan. 30.—Francis C. Curran, known in religion as Brother Noah, professor of English literature at Manhattan College, died there at midnight last night. He was born in Montreal in 1846. In 1879 he became President of La Salle College in Philadelphia. He was a brother of Judge T. Curran of the Supreme Court of Canada, and two of his nephews, F. C. and T. F. Curran, are members of the Canadian bar. Another nephew is in the Victoria School of Medicine, Montreal.

OPPOSITION SHOWN

In the Senate Committee to the Arbitration Treaty.

THE VOTE STOOD SIX TO FOUR.

Two Amendments Proposed Which Will Make the Agreement as Weak as Water —Objection to the King of Sweden for Umpire—London Times' Comments.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Every member of the Senate Committee of Foreign Relations, with the exception of Mr. Turple, was present this morning when the committee convened, a few minutes before 11 o'clock and took up for consideration the general treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain. At 1.30 o'clock a vote was taken on the treaty, and a favorable report was ordered made to the Senate next Monday, with certain amendments. This action was not unanimous, and some individual amendments were reserved for submission to the Senate when the subject shall come up. The most important and amendment was that which added at the end of article 1 the following words: "But no question which affects the foreign or domestic policy of either of the high contracting parties or the relations of either with any other State or power by treaty or otherwise, shall be subject to arbitration under this treaty except by a special agreement."

The second amendment strikes out all reference to His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway as the umpire, in case the court fails to agree upon an umpire in accordance with the provisions of article III. and article V. The motion to strike out this clause was carried with but one negative vote, that of Senator Gray of Delaware.

It was decided that the treaty should be called up in the Senate at the earliest day possible. The question of its possible consideration in open session was discussed. It is understood that, while the members of the committee believe that such a motion may prevail if made, no member of the committee will initiate it. This motion, owever, may find some votes in the membership of the committee.

The vote on the final option to report the treaty to the Senate, as amended, was so close that it startled some of the friends of the convention, who believed there would be practically no opposition to the amended treaty. When the roll was called the votes were cast as follows:

In favor of reporting the treaty to the Senate—Sherman (Ohio), Davis (Minnesota), Frye (Maine), Lodge (Massachusetts), Cullom (Illinois), Republicans; and Gray (Delaware), Democrate, total 6.

Against reporting the treaty to the Senate—Morgan (Alabama), Mills (Texas), Daniel (Virginia), Democrats and Cameron (Pennsylvania), Republican total 4.

An amendment was also offered inserting a clause stating in positie terms that the Alaskan boundary question should not be submitted to arbitration under this treaty, but it was rejected by the same vote of 6 to 4. It will be offered in the Senate. The debate in the committee room developed an opposition of the treaty under any conditions tat was entirely unexpected, and if the minority of the committee represent a proportionate membership of the Senate, the indications are that the treaty will have a hard time securing the requisite two-thirds vote.

The Thunderer's Comments.

London, Jan. 31.—The Times, commenting to-morrow upon the changes made in Anglo-American arbitration treaty by the Senate's Committee on Foreign Relations, will say it regrets that the convention has been altered to an extent which seems to reduce it to an empty form. It adds that even if the Senate does not ratify the treaty in its original form, the good work is not entirely lost, for it has educated public opinion in both countries, and even to some extent in all countries.

The Alaskan Boundary.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Secretary Olney and the British Ambassador at the State Department at 11 oclock this morning signed "A convention between the United States and Great Britain for the demarkation of so much of the 14th meridian of longitude, as may be necessary for the determination of the boundary between their respective possessions in North America."

The President will send this convention to the Senate on Monday for ratification. It provides for a commission similar to the Mexican Boundary Commission, which will avail itself of the information already collected under the commission, under the charge of Professors Mendenhall and Duffield, and Mr. King of Canada, who were working under an agreement made in 1892.

This treaty is to define the boundary between Canada and Alaska and it is believed will settle the controversy over the location of the gold fields in that territory.

MRS. STERNAMAN

Will Come to Canada if the Venue is Changed so That Her Trial Will Take Place in Toronto or Hamilton.

Buffalo, Jan. 31.—There seems to be a wavering of opinion amongst Mrs. Sternaman's friends as to whether she should give up further proceedings in fighting extradition. Charles J. Thomas, who was legal agent for the Ontario Government, returned from Toronto last night and, it is said, has arranged that a change of venue be had and the trial take place out of Haldimand County, where Mrs. Sternaman claims public opinion would condemn her, no matter how strongly the evidence would tend in her favor.

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AN EVIDENCE OF PRACTICAL INTEREST.

The Premier of Canada began the exhibition of his interest in the prosperity of the most important interest in Canada by selecting a practical farmer as Minister of Agriculture. And the results have justified the wisdom of his choice. A profitable trade with the United States have been made more possible by an arrangement for removing the quarantine restrictions against Canadian cattle imported into the United States. A further evidence is afforded by the scheme for a system of cold storage for the purpose of facilitating a trade in perishable articles with the old country. The Government's scheme for cold storage accommodation next summer is now pretty fully worked out. The Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk railways have entered into an agreement to give a weekly or fortnightly service over their through lines, thus giving the producers of perishable products just the chance that they needed to get their goods through to Montreal and then ship by one of the several lines to be fitted out with cold storage. The Elder Company gives a weekly service with 20,000 cubic feet of cold storage. These boats are five in number and run to Bristol. Then the Allans and Dominion people give a weekly service also to Liverpool also with 10,000 cubic feet cold storage accommodation. A weekly service will also be secured to Glasgow as well as facilities on boats running from St. John and Halifax. The Government assumes the liability for one-half of the cost, payable in three years.

ANOTHER LESSON.

THE EXAMINER has frequently in the public interest called attention to the necessity of thorough auditing of the accounts of municipal treasurers, pointing to the experience of Guelph and other places as examples. Now Brantford furnishes another object lesson, emphasized by a shortage of the large sum of $30,000. A perusal of the details is instructive:

A profound sensation was created in Brantford on Thursday evening when it leaked out that there was a serious deficit in the county and township funds. For some days past an audit has been carried on of the accounts of Mr. W. S. Campbell, the late treasurer of the County of Brant and Township of Brantford, Mr. R. S. Schell, acting for the township, and Mr. McCosh of Paris for the county. They had not been long at work before it began to be hinted at that matters had not been found just right, but people were slow to believe that any business that the late treasurer had on hand could have been transacted on other than proper business methods. It seems, however, that the worst fears are likely to be realized, and that a deficit has been discovered of about $30,000, for which it has been found impossible thus far to obtain any satisfactory explanation. It would seem that deficits have been going on for some years past, and must inevitably have been discovered had there been anything like a proper audit of the accounts, but in this, as in other matters, the municipal authorities seem to have erred in the direction of too rigid economy. The township is the heaviest loser. From what can be ascertained at present, there was withdrawn last year from the consolidated fund, on the joint order of the reeve and Treasurer the sum of $16,905. Of that amount only $7,360 seems to have been invested, and the remainder of the sum was transferred to the private account of Mr. Campbell. In addition to this amount there was a shortage of $3,382 last year, and there were payments on mortgages not accounted for, making a total deficiency of $14,000 in the township funds. The deficiency to the county appears to be $6,000, but, as there are so many mixed transactions, owing to the fact that Mr. Campbell was treasurer for both the county and township, a joint audit will probably be necessary in order to straighten matters out.

The statement that these defalcations, which have been going on for years, and must have inevitably been discovered "if there had been anything like a proper audit," is a suitable text for a strong sermon to municipal bodies to see to it that proper auditing of public accounts is brought about. In these days when the struggle of life is so fierce, competition so keen, "short cuts" to money getting so frequently employed and the temptations to dishonesty so strong, it is perhaps, if uncharitable to a certain degree, prudent to suspect every treasurer of dishonesty and give him a strict watching through a proper audit. The honest treasurer cannot object to this and the dishonest juggler with municipal funds dreads nothing so much.

WARSAW.

From our own Correspondent.

Good sleighing.

Effie Hughes, who has been ill for the last few days, is recovering.

Mr. R. Westcott is the guest of Mr. William Payne.

Rev. Mr. Hyde is visiting a sick brother in Montreal at present.

Quite a number of the villagers attended the concert at Bethel on Monday evening.

Richard Barnes, of Otonabee, was in town Saturday.

In the absence of Rev. Mr. Hyde, Mr. Alex Watts conducted the services in the Presbyterian church on Sunday last.

Mr. L. R. Payne conducted the services in the Methodist church on Sunday in the absence of Mr. Robinson, who is holding evangelistic services at Zion.

Mrs. Brown, of Indian River, is reported very ill at present.

The Lakefield Hockey Team have been invited over for Friday evening.

CARNIVAL.

Despite the unfavourable weather an unusually large crowd attended the carnival held in the rink on Friday evening last. The doors were opened at 7 p. m. and by eight o'clock the rink was crowded with costumes and spectators. The following is a list of the characters represented.

GENTLEMEN.

F Edwards	Student
Allan Kidd	Eclipse
F Doughty	Uncle Sam
A Edwards	Commercial Traveller
Herb Kidd	New Woman
R F Choate	Li Hung Chang
B James, jr	Jack of Clubs
Chas Conway	Dusty Rhodes
Fred Tully	Bottle
Oliver Earle	Highland Chief
H Choate	Robin Hood
R Lyon	Boot Black
O Lyon	Camper
Bert Kidd	Paddy from Cork
W Lyon	The Man that Broke the Bank
F Hughes	The Hugger
J McIntosh	Dusty Miller
Chas Gow	Weary Wraggles
O Snider	Clown

LADIES.

Hattie Kidd	Summer
Mrs B James, jr	Starlight
Maude Morgan	Goddess of Liberty
Bessie Choate	Spring
Effie Gow	Red, White and Blue
Jennie Gow	Parlor Maid
Ella Garlick	Winter Idyll
Bertha Doughty	Queen of Roses
Mabel Edwards	Queen of Hearts
Edith Kidd	Highland Lassie
Miss Rondeau	Sister Marie
Ethel Doughty	Starry Night
Beattie Gow	School Girl

The prizes for the costumes were awarded as follows:

Miss Morgan—Photograph album.
Herb Kidd—Pipe and match case.
Bessie Choate—Glass dish.
Ollie Erroll—Jack knife.

The judging of the costumes being over, the next event was the mile race, for which there were the following entries,—Ed. Watts, Wasson Lyn, Herb. Kidd, C. Conway, F. Doughty, F. Tully.

A false start caused some delay, but they got away the second time. Doughty got the lead with Lyn and Conway following close. Lyn dropped out in the tenth round and Doughty falling in the 13th round left the race to Conway, who won by half a lap.

The next event was the barrel race, in which Jos. Snyder, Harry Kidd and Oscar Lyn competed. Snyder's skate coming off left the race to Kidd and Lyn. Kidd won easily.

The prizes for the races were awarded as follows:

Mile race—C. Conway, stand lamp; F. Doughty, hockey stick.

Barrel race—Harry Kidd, bag of candies.

The directors are well pleased with the carnival and intend holding another in February. A racing tournament will be held some time during the coming week, but as yet no definite date has been set.

Rheumatism is caused by lactic acid in the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla neutralizes the acid and cures rheumatism.

DEATH OF G. B. ROBERTS.

The President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company a Victim of Several Diseases.

Philadelphia, Jan. 30.—George B. Roberts, President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, died at his home this city at 4.30 to-day from heart failure, superinduced by indigestion and catarrh of the stomach.

In July last Mr. Roberts went to New England for a short rest and change, and while there more serious symptoms were developed. On his return to his home on Aug. 31 his affliction had so increased that it was necessary for him to be confined to his room. Since then he has been gradually failing, and for the past week his symptoms became more alarming, until his death this afternoon. His wife and immediate family were at the bedside when the end came. No arrangements have been made for the funeral.

Not That Kind.

Scott's Emulsion does not debilitate the stomach as other cough medicines do; but on the contrary, it improves digestion and strengthens the stomach. Its effects are immediate and pronounced.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer 'Saved my Life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels Price 75c. Sold by John Nugent 289 George Street.

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Dear Sirs,—After suffering for two years from acute indigestion I tried B.B.B. I took only three bottles, which made me as well as ever I was. I highly recommend B.B.B. to all dyspeptics. Mrs. John White, Austin Man.

Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 25 and 50c.

TRIPS TO EUROPE.

Some Restrictions That Have Been Adopted for Second-Cabin and Steerage Passengers.

New York, Jan. 30.—The following joint traffic ruling has been promulgated:

That from and north and west of a direct line from Detroit to St. Louis, inclusive, the rail proportion of through second-class and steerage and passenger fares to Europe, via ports of Portland, Me., St. John, N.B., Halifax and Montreal be not more than the fare to Baltimore, and at least $1 less than the fare to New York, it being understood that the fares from common points within the territory termed are applicable by all legitimate routes.

That the form of tickets to be used when the rail proportion of the through fare is less than the local selling fare to Atlantic or St. Lawrence ports of embarkation, shall be such as require presentation of ocean tickets to the conductor, and that the number from and steamship company issuing, name of steamer and date of sailing, should be entered on the contract of such ticket and attached to the first coupon to be collected by the first conductor.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is known by its works. The experience of half a century proves that no other preparation of the kind stops coughing and allays irritation of the throat and bronchial tubes so promptly and effectually as this.

MR. G. R. BLOUNT, Methodist minister, Dresden, Ont., says: "After a prolonged attack of La Grippe, I was very nervous and weak, and troubled with severe pains. I took one box of Miller's Compound Iron Pills and am perfectly well now." Sold in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, druggist.

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For Girls	1 50
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Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

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Yours truly,
Peterborough, Jan. 15th, '97. McFARLANE WILSON.

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Some dealers in Furs believe in selling Bankrupt Stocks but others there are who do not; yet, at the same time have offered several bankrupt stocks for sale within a short time, while claiming also to sell nothing in Furs but of their own manufacture. We certainly must stand away ahead of our competitors as we do not require the aid of such stocks but stand on the merits of our own manufactured goods, which we can always guarantee as such. Our reputation of 36 years standing without a failure is the best proof that customers believe in us and support us so well. We do not require to make any bombastic statements regarding the size or quality of our stock; both are only too well known in the town as well as in many other places at great distances. We wish to thank our customers for their patronage through the late season.

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GOSSIP FROM EUROPE

The Diamond Jubilee and the Colonial Premiers.

BRITISH PEOPLE FAVOR THE IDEA.

Mr. Chamberlain Generally Credited With the Suggestion to Invite Them—The Colonial Secretary's Speech in Regard to South African Affairs Much Commented On.

New York, Jan. 31.—Mr. Isaac N. Ford, in his special cable to The Tribune, says: The Queen is credited with the project of inviting the Colonial Premiers to London to take part in the year's festivities, but Mr. Chamberlain is probably the real author of the scheme. This is the first proposal for making the celebration a unique event and meets at once with popular approval, especially as detachments of colonial troops will accompany the Premiers and supply material for a good town show. All other plans have been commonplace and failed to appeal to the popular imagination. Royal visitors have come and gone during the reign, but never before have self-governing colonies been represented by their Premiers and the bodyguards of these officials at the Queen's commemoration in the capital of a world-wide empire.

Mr. Harold Frederic, in his special cable to The Times, says: Chamberlain's idea of inviting, on behalf of the Queen, all the Premiers of the self-governing colonies to come to England and take part, as Imperial guests, in the diamond jubilee celebrations, is looked upon as a very clever move, and since invitations are also to be extended to wives of the Premiers, it is doubtless hoped that the visitors will return to their posts duly impressed by the social fascinations of the Tory and Primrose politicians. Popular enthusiasm, though somewhat damped by the threat of the possible presence of Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany at the feast, revives somewhat at the notion of such compensating glories as the presence of a detachment of the local military forces from each colony. There can even be found envious newsmongers who prophesy a brilliant finale, in which a dukedom will be conferred on the member for West Birmingham, the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain. Without taking too seriously such prophets of the political weather so far ahead, it is certain that the notion of a pan-Britannic confrence tickles and pleases the British imagination.

AS TO SOUTH AFRICA.

Sir James Sivewright Has Angered Oom Paul—Mr. Chamberlain's Speech.

New York, Jan. 31.—Mr. Harold Frederic cables from London to The Times: Statements and counter-statements reach me from the Cape as to what Sir James Sivewright did or did not say in denouncing the emissaries from the Dutch Republics, and he himself has disputed the accuracy of the version given by one Cape newspaper, in which his speech was so worded as to be a direct challenge to Pretoria itself. Whatever may have been the exact words of this cautious Scotchman, they have certainly managed to make Oom Paul exceedingly angry and have not improved the relations between the Cape Colony and the Transvaal. How the public itself received this pronouncement is shown by the report that a shower of congratulatory telegrams is pouring in on Sir James.

It is curious to observe that at the Cape, as here, the serious question of Rhodes' responsibility for the famous raid is gradually being lost sight of. History is a plant of rapid growth in South Africa, and the raid is as dead as last year's leaves. If Sivewright really spoke as reported, it is not impossible he may be after all the man to make South Africa. Chamberlain's statement on Wednesday in the House of Commons on this subject bore more character and ability fencing with the question than would the plain denial of the speech. In courteous, conciliatory, indeed almost subdued, accents, the Minister first astonished and then deeply impressed the House, as in the gravest terms he owned that the present situation in South Africa gave cause for considerable anxiety, and more than hinted that the Chartered Company, and perhaps also the Uitlanders, might be able to make out a good case.

Mr. Isaac N. Ford cables from London to The Tribune: Mr. Chamberlain easily vindicated his reputation as the best debater in the House by a prudent and weighty speech disclosing the necessity for the redemption of Government pledges respecting South Africa. His statement that the situation had again become most critical and required the exercise of prudence and patience created a profound impression. By referring to legislation enacted in violation of the treaty of London and by enlarging the inquiry so as to include the grievances of the Uitlanders, he succeeded, almost unaided, in choking off a mischievous debate, and convincing the House that the good faith of the Government must be maintained. Indeed, so deeply were the Government committed to a searching inquiry by the Queen's speech last year, and by repeated pledges to President Kruger, that the Ministers could not have remained in office if Mr. MacLean's amendment had been carried.

Mr. W. R. Chamberlain, in his special cable to The Sun, says: The distinct note of alarm in Mr. Chamberlain's speech on South African affairs in the House of Commons yesterday aroused considerable uneasiness, which was reflected in the sharp drop in prices on the Stock Exchange to-day. The speech was certainly an able one, and as remarkable for what it did not say as for what it did. In fact it had the effect of promptly silencing opposition among the supporters of the Government to the appointment of the Committee of Inquiry, and nothing can now prevent at least the form of an investigation. The speech contained one significant phase. The committee, the speaker said, "will know that it has to shield great national interests and it will know how to subordinate personal prejudices to those higher and patriotic considerations."

This is very different from the function assigned to the committee by the Government at the last session. Then it was to be the committee's business to find out the truth of the whole miserable South African business, no matter what "interests," national or otherwise, was affected thereby. The result of the debate on the whole may be regarded as favorable to Mr. Rhodes.

The Tribune's London correspondent cables: The noblest example of true English character revealed this week is the detailed narrative of the wreck of the troopship Warren Hastings, in which the coolness and discipline of the soldiers, and their manly consideration for the safety of women and children, are brought out in strong colors. The story at once recalls the heroic conduct of the men who went down in the famous ship Birkenhead.

The new millionaire class is making trouble by its philanthropic experiments. Mr. Ernest T. Hooley, after heaping up millions in Dunlop tires and other schemes of stock promoting, has proposed to distribute the income of $160,000 among the poor of fifteen districts in Derbyshire, through orders on grocers, doctors, druggists and coal dealers adopting the charity organization plan. His generosity is recognized, but the wisdom of the method is questioned by many critics, who shrewdly forecast the swarming of paupers into the districts where the charity is doled out, and ultimately an increase in the burdens of the poor rates. Mr. Hooley is overwhelmed with warnings that this is setting a bad example and discouraging habits of thrift, and that the scholastic system of old age pensions would do less harm.

Mr. Gladstone, before his departure for the Riviera, expressed his emphatic disapproval of the proposed loan to Turkey. The idea that the Sultan should find financial indorsers among the European powers excited his indignation. The eastern question really turns, not upon financial issues nor diplomatic intrigues, but upon the health of the Czar. Whether the wound received in Japan has proved serious, or he is suffering from neuralgic headache caused by overwork, or the struggle of intriguers to supplant one another in his favor, the health of the young sovereign is impaired, and the security of Europe is imperilled thereby. Count Mouravieff's mission in Paris, Berlin and Vienna remains a mystery. But it is hardly credible that it involves the introduction of new policies.

CUBA'S AUTONOMY.

Queen Regent Christina Will Sign Premier Canovas' Scheme Next Thursday.

London, Jan. 31.—The Standard's Madrid correspondent telegraphs that Queen-Regent Christina will on Thursday next sign, at a meeting of the Cabinet, Premier Canovas' scheme for reforms in the Spanish West Indies. The scheme was devised after several conferences with the leading Conservative Senators and the Marquis de Apesteguin, the leader of the Cuban Conservatives, who is now in Madrid. The reforms will go into operation in Cuba as soon as the pacification of that island will permit. The scheme will state that the Government is willing to entertain suggestions as to West India tariff reforms and the subsequent improvement of commercial relations with the United States. The whole matter will be handled cautiously The correspondent adds that it would be premature to suppose that the scheme will effect in Cuba autonomy similar to that enjoyed by the Australian colonies and the Dominion of Canada.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Items Culled From the Despatches and Condensed Into Paragraphs for Economy of Space.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone started for Cannes yesterday. Both are in excellent health.

George F. Turner, free silver Republican, has been elected Senator for the State of Washington.

Hon. Dr. Borden is still at Dorchester, N.B., progressing favorably, but not able to leave for Ottawa.

Willard Colton, aged 54, shot and killed his wife yesterday, then shot himself, dying in half an hour.

It is announced that 2,000,000 persons are now employed upon the relief works in the famine-stricken districts of India.

The lowest price on record for corn in St. Louis was touched yesterday, when it sold down to 21⅛c to 21⅛c.

The officials of the Japanese Legation here confirm the report that the plague has broken out in the Island of Formosa.

Mr. John Wanamaker of Philadelphia is going to build a church to celebrate the escape of his big store from fire the other day.

The Rothschild syndicate of London has bought the Tom Boy gold mine in Colorado, which is said to have paid $700,0000 in dividends and to turn out $1700 a day.

The Premier is billed to speak in Orillia on Monday afternoon and in Penetanguishene in the evening. He is also to speak in Brant County next Tuesday.

China proposes to reconstruct her navy and become a first-class naval power in 10 years. She proposes to build her own war ships, but has ordered nine in Europe as a starter.

One hundred leading Philadelphians yesterday presented to the United States Senate an elaborately printed petition calling for the ratification of the Anglo-American arbitration treaty.

Lady Aberdeen proposes that the women of Canada organize what would be known as the Victorian Order of Home Helpers, for taking care of the sick and poor, as a method of marking the Queen's diamond jubilee.

Albert Cunning, a Chicago coachman, yesterday shot and killed Mrs. Mary Denning, tried to shoot her two boys, but failed, and then shot himself fatally. He was infatuated with the woman, and, after deserting his wife and family, had caused Mrs. Denning's husband to leave her.

DROPPED DEAD!

Suddenly Stricken Down by Heart Disease.

"A sad and sudden death occurred to a well-known citizen on one of the leading streets this morning."

Nearly every large city paper contains daily some such heading. The number of deaths from heart failure is very large, but it is only when they occur in some public and sensational manner that general attention is drawn to them.

Palpitation and fluttering of the heart are common complaints. With the heart itself there is nothing radically wrong. But the system is disorganized, the kidneys and liver are out of order, and the stomach is not in condition to do its work perperly. Between them all, they throw too much responsibility on the heart, and the latter is unable to stand the strain.

A box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills at a cost of 25 cents will regulate the system, purify the blood and make a new person of every sickly man, woman or child.

Dr. Chase's Liver-Kidney Pills may be had from any dealer or from the manufacturers, Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto. One pill a dose, one cent a dose.

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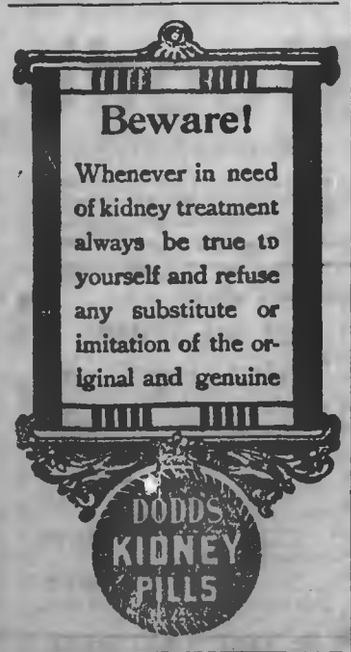
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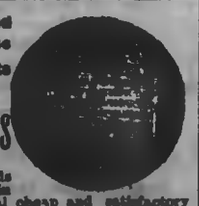

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HOURS—11.30 to 4.

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This means Great Bargains for the next few weeks in all Winter Goods.

Now is the time to buy if you want snaps in Overcoats, Suits, Underwear and Furnishings of all kinds, as everything is reduced.

Ordered Clothing also made up at Reduced Prices and all Cloths cut down in price.

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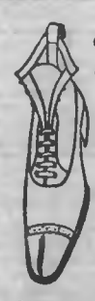

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Bouquets and Floral Designs made up in artistic styles at shortest notice.

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Talk the matter over now, and get your orders in for any work you want done in the spring or summer. If we can help you any in preparing the design or figuring out the cost, come in and we will be pleased to give you any information you require. At our show room and yard you can choose the best Canadian or Imported Granites and Marbles. All kinds of work done and satisfaction guaranteed. Monuments, Tombstones, Coping Posts and Cemetery work of any and every kind. Artistic designs and lettering faithfully executed and carved out.

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Riverside Park Skating Rink.

(LARGEST IN CANADA.)

The Riverside Park is now open and in excellent condition.

SEASON TICKETS:

Ladies	$ 75
Gentlemen	1 00
Boys	50
Girls	50
Hockey Tickets	1 50

Clubs who hold Hockey Tickets can have the exclusive use of the Hockey Rink two hours three times a week. The Hockey Rink is 200 x 75 feet. 29d13

Exit Credit!

To-day, February 1st, we inaugurate the CASH System in our business.

Through the newspapers, as well as by private circulars from our own office, our patrons and the public have been notified during the past two weeks of the contemplated change. But as there may still be those who have not yet learned of the change, we take this opportunity of again publicly announcing the fact :—

Spot Cash and One Price only

Will be the invariable rule in this store from and after this date.

Simultaneously with the adoption of the Cash system we announce a GENERAL REDUCTION IN PRICES all over the store.

Save your discounts. Your money will buy you nothing but HIGH-CLASS EXCLUSIVE-STYLE GOODS at

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Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Coal Oil.

Best brand of American Oil, only 25c. at China Hall; and Canadian for 20c. Free delivery.

Does it strike you as unreasonable that violins (full size) can be had at $1.23, $1.37 and $1.45. Over forty (40) in stock. Old stand. Peterborough Music Co.

Taken to the Hospital.

A little son of Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, in the North Ward, fell and severely cut his hand, from the palm half way up the wrist this morning. He was taken to the Nicholls Hospital where the wound was dressed.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Obituary.

Mr. Joseph Lannin, of the C.P.R. barber shop, received a telegram from Rochester, this morning, conveying news of the death of his cousin, Mr. Will Lannin, son of the late Thos. Lannin, of town. The deceased, it will be remembered, was formerly employed by the late Thos. Dolan.

Opened Out for Business.

Messrs. Mulligan and Potter have opened out a music store at 416 George street, stocked with a good supply of pianos, other musical instruments and general musical goods. The new firm are in a position to make a strong bid for a fair share of the public patronage.

Clothes For Eleven Children.

The Children's Aid Society ask for clothes for a family of eleven children ranging from six weeks to thirteen years of age, nine of whom are girls. They live back of Bobcaygeon and are in a completely destitute condition. The parcel leaves by the noon stage of Wednesday. Clothes may be sent to the police station.

Who Wants Furniture?

Who does not want furniture? Nearly every household could do with some new pieces and now is the time to buy. We have an immense stock of all kinds of all kinds of furniture—it is between seasons and we are offering special values in Bedroom Suites, Extension Tables, etc. Now is the time for bargains. Call and see the goods and ask for prices at CLEGG'S Furniture Store, 427 George street.

Mind Reading.

To do do this trick will appear at first to the outsider hard to perform; so it is until you know how, then it is comparatively simple. First tie a large silk handkerchief, folded twice, over some person's eyes. Pass your hands over his face once or twice, and gently smooth his forehead. Then quietly ask him where he can get the best groceries at reasonable prices, and if he is possessed of ordinary common sense he will answer without hesitation: From E. BROWN & Co., 394 George street, Importers of Groceries, Wines and Liquors.

The Stock-taking Sale at Oak Hall

will continue the remainder of this week. The goods must be cleared out and with that object in view we have decided to give the purchaser all the profit. Here are some of the bargains—Men's Overcoats at $1.72 and $2.47, Men's single and double-breasted Beaver Coats, black and blue, regular prices $5.50 and $6, sale price $4 and $4.50; men's black and blue Beaver Overcoats with velvet collar, elegantly lined and finished, regular price $9.50 and $10, sale price $7; a large number of all wool Overcoats, tailor-made, regular prices $7.50, $9.50, $10 and $11, sale price, $6; men's double-breasted Frieze Suits, regular price $8, sale price, $6.25; men's all wool Tweed Suits, regular price $7 and $8.50, sale price $5 and $6.50.

Thursday's and Friday's Entertainment

The management of the Opera House beg to announce to the public that, having completed arrangements with the Montreal Lecture Bureau for a grand entertainment and lecture for Thursday and Friday nights, Feb. 4th and 5th, they have succeeded in securing "Ben Hur, or the Last Days of the Messiah," illustrated by one hundred stereopticon views, sketched from living subjects dressed in Oriental costume, giving a complete resume of Lew Wallace's greatest literary work. This is one of the greatest treats that has ever been placed before the public of Peterborough. The Montreal Daily Witness says: "Association Hall has never held a more delighted audience, all having words of unstinted praise." The prices have been reduced, so that no one need miss the opportunity of witnessing one of the grandest entertainments that has ever come to Peterborough. Prices 25c. and 35c., children 15c. Now on sale. 1d

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Rink Talk and Items of Local and General Interest to Sportsmen.

HOCKEY.

This evening the Kingston Frontenacs will cross sticks with the Peterboroughs and the local enthusiasts will be given an opportunity of judging how the boys are playing this year. It is a mixed team that the Peterboroughs will play against the visitors, some of the younger men being given a chance to show what they can do against a really fast team. Dixon will play goal; Hollingshead, point; Adams, cover point; Montgomery, Phelan, Bellegham and Crossley, forward. Such a team as this should be able to give a good account of itself against any team, more particularly as the game is to be played on the local rink, where the boys have put in so many practices as to be almost unconquerable upon it. Lionel King will, it is expected, be home for the return match in Kingston with the Frontenacs and also for the first match here against Queen's University, which takes place on February 8th, a week from to-day.

The management is urged to have the players out on the ice at eight o'clock sharp, as the match is billed to begin at that hour, and it certainly is a hardship to ask the patrons to wait half an hour in the rink before the game begins.

As George Dixon is ill and Walter Phelan went up to Toronto this morning, Wasson will take the goal in to-night's match and Lefevre will play on the forward line. As it is understood that Queen's will play three of the Frontenac's on their own team against Peterborough, the latter club must be very strong this year and a grand game will be the outcome of to-night's match.

A team from the Riverside rink goes down to play Keene this evening.

The Kingston Whig says: A meeting of the executive committee of the Frontenac hockey club was held yesterday, when this team was chosen to go to Peterborough on Monday to play the first match in round two, group one, Ontario intermediate hockey series:—Goal, Lamb; point, Capt. Rigney; cover point, McDowell; centres, Rayner, W. Harty; wings, J. E. Cunningham, Murray. A return match will be played here on Friday night.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—I see by the posters that there will be a grand hockey match at the rink to-night. Now it may be amusing to some of the audience to hear school boys, and grown up men, who should know better, pounding the side of the rink with boards and sticks, and keeping up a combination of such hedious noises, but to others it has the effect of spoiling the entire evening's pleasure. If the management would insist on such noises being stopped, the patronage would largely increase. Surely approval can be signified by the clapping of the hands without creating such a noise as is painful to a sensitive person. The boards and sticks should be done away with.

Yours truly,
HOCKEY WELL WISHER.

Note.—Fully a dozen patrons of the hockey matches have also personally mentioned this grievance to the EXAMINER.

CURLIANA.

The Granites have arranged the first draw for the Kendry cup as follows:

Davidson	vs.	Edmison
Connal	vs.	Waller
Boucher	vs.	Dennistoun
Edwards	vs.	Allen
Hatton	vs.	Parker
Attrill	vs.	Dumble

To be played off this week.

Stamped Linen Goods at Miss Melville's, at very reasonable prices. Happy New Year to all.

An Invitation to All.

You are cordially invited to call at our store on Monday and Tuesday, the 1st and 2nd of February, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m., to examine and try a cup of the "Winsor Cereal Coffee," prepared by the McMullen-Winsor Coffee Co., of Chicago, Ills. A representative of the company will be present to show how to make it and to give desired explanations. This is a very healthful and pleasant beverage, with a perfect coffee flavour and taste, and can be freely used by persons unable to drink pure coffee.—Very respectfully, E. F. MASON & Co. 3d24

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A few reasons why Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens are the best: It is always ready, and writes continuously without shaking. It writes as freely as a dip pen, and feeds the ink more regularly. The principle which regulates the flow of ink is as old as split pens and equally as reliable. All our pens are filled ready for use. Drop in and try one. We will allow you to take it home, and if not satisfactory, bring it back.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

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Nothing but the very best brands kept on hand. Best quality American Oil 25c. Best quality Canadian Oil 20c. Delivered free. ADAM HALL, 407 George Street. dwtf

A SERIOUS CHARGE.

A Young Man Arrested For Stealing Sleigh Robes From the Sheds of the Charlotte Street Church.

A young man was arrested on Saturday charged with the larceny of robes from George Simpson, David Wood and Bert Tully.

Sometime ago several robes were stolen from cutters at the Charlotte street church and on Saturday one set was found in Wolstenholm's livery. On inquiry Mr. Wolstenholm gave the name of the young man from whom he had purchased them and the arrest followed.

At a hearing which was given the prisoner on Saturday evening he was released on $1,000 bail and the case enlarged until Thursday.

WONHAM MAY COME.

Peterborough's Hockey Team to be Strengthened for the Finals.

Arrangements are now being made by the hockey club to bring Wonham back from Chicago to play with the senior Peterboroughs against Queen's University team.

Wonham, it will be remembered, was a member of the Peterborough team for three years and was considered the fastest forward. The Bank of Montreal moved him to Chicago and he has been playing since with the Chicago hockey team, of which he is the captain. It is thought that with him back on the forward line, the Peterboroughs will make sure of the senior championship and be able to so reinforce the intermediates and juniors as to make a strong bid for the championships in these series as well.

Messrs. George J. Horkins, Sam Adams and Alf. Terrill have guaranteed to raise a sum sufficient to defray the expense of bringing Wonham back to Peterborough and all subscriptions will be gladly received by them.

ASHBURNHAM BRIEFS.

Mark Street Sunday School Teachers and Officers Make a Presentation to Mr. H. Fife.

On Friday evening, Feb. 19th, there will be a benefit concert in the town hall, Ashburnham, in aid of blind Willie Mitchell. Local and outside talent will assist in giving a good programme. There ought to be a large attendance to assist in this worthy object.

A very interesting letter from Rev. S.O. Irvine will be read at the meeting of the Mark street W.M.S. on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 3rd, at 3 o'clock.

On Saturday evening, Jan. 30th, the teachers and officers of Mark street Sunday school assembled at the residence of Mr. H. Fife, Harvey street, Peterborough, and Rev. Mr. Beer presented him with a beautifully framed portrait of those assembled as a mark of their good wishes for Mr. Fife, who has just retired from the position of superintendent of Mark street Sunday school.

Mr. Fife replied in a suitable manner, thanking them for their gift, and assuring them that he would cherish it as a reminder of the pleasant times spent at Mark street, and wishing them continued success in the Master's work.

Afterwards a very pleasant evening was spent together.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

Official Readings of the Thermometer, Supplied by Mr. Walter Peters, Local Meteorological Observer.

The following are correct readings of the thermometer for this morning as well as the highest and lowest yesterday:

Feb. 1,—8.30 a. m. ..... 11° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	23°	—1°

The minus sign (—) before a reading signifies below zero.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The town council meets to-night.

—The regular meeting of the Board of Education meets to-morrow evening.

—The Midland Central Poultry Association will hold a meeting this evening in the County Council Chamber.

—A year ahead of time! If this is the year 1897, how is it that the "VIKING" Bicycle for 1898 is manufactured now and on sale at Adam Hall's store? W. T. Hall and R. H. Bradburn, Agents.

—Mr. George J. Horkins has made arrangements to take the store on George street, formerly occupied by C. G. Gemmal. It will be utilized as the uptown office of the Grand Trunk Railway.

—Christian Endeavour day will be celebrated in St. Andrew's C. E. Society to-night by special graduation exercises. A number will graduate from the junior society and will receive the society's badge on their admission to the senior ranks. The service throughout will be of an interesting character. Free will offering.

PERSONAL.

Rev. W. R. Young conducted services in Pontypool yesterday.

Mr. L. V. O'Connor, B.A., spent Sunday with his parents in Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds of Bethany, are visiting Mrs. Leary, Water street.

Mrs. T. H. Hamilton, Homewood avenue, has been seriously ill for the last few days.

Rev. Father Calnan, of St. Peter's Cathedral, left this morning for Arizona for the benefit of his heath.

Mr. George Dies, general agent of the Mason & Risch pianos, spent Sunday in town, and has gone east on business.

"VIKING"

Wait for the "Viking" Bicycle. Its the wonder of the age. 1898 wheel manufactured for 1897. For sale at Adam Hall's. W. T. HALL and R. H. BRADBURN, Agents.

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Still on hand. The Peoples Coal Company's coal at $5.50. Also the best grades of hard and soft coal at lowest prices. Hard and soft wood. Also the best hardwood and charcoal.

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to keep us in mind when you are thinking of having photos taken of yourself or your friends. Remember G. E. Whiten has a first-class studio and makes only the best of work at reasonable prices. Give me a chance and I will guarantee to please you. The new Photo Studio is 128 Hunter street, opposite Oak Hall.

Men's Heavy all wool Pea Jackets, in grey and black Friese and Blue Nap, lined with heavy all wool Tweed Lining, Grafton & Co's. regular price $6, sale price during sale 3.95.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION OF PETERBOROUGH.

Programme of the Eleventh Annual Convention.

The eleventh annual meeting of this association will be held in St. Paul's church, Peterborough, on Thursday and Friday, 11th and 12th, when the following

PROGRAMME

will be presented:

THURSDAY MORNING.

10:30—A full meeting of the members of the Executive Committee asked for.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

2:00—Devotional exercises, led by Rev. Dr. Torrance.
Reports from presidents of local associations, giving the spiritual and general state of the work in their association.
Reports from secretaries of same, giving statistics and the method of raising finances.
A discussion on the above reports led by J. Gilchrist.
Topic, "The Lesson of the Past Year," by Rev. J. J. Rae.
Address by Mrs. M. A. Laine, of Toronto, who is a member of the Toronto Primary Union. All interested in Primary Work, men and women, are asked to be present.
The appointing of the Nominating Committee, who shall be the Business Committee.
Collection and adjourn.

THURSDAY EVENING.

7.30—Service of song and praise, led by Rev. Mr. McGinnis.
Address, "How we got our New Testament," by Rev. H. Symonds.
Address, by Rev. W. R. Young.
Collection and benediction.

FRIDAY MORNING.

9.30—Devotional exercises, led by Rev. Mr McLeod.
Report of Treasurer, Secretary and Nominating Committee.
A conference on Primary Work, with a view of organizing a county Union. Addressed by Mrs. M. A. Laine, and presided over by Miss Jessie Wilson.
Address, by Rev. J. McEwan, of Toronto.
Address, "Importance of Normal Study and Classes," by Rev. Mr. Clare.
Collection and adjourn.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

2.00—Devotional exercises, led by Rev. T. J. Edmison.
Address, by Dr. Couch, of Warsaw.
Address, "Laws of Teaching," by Rev. Mr. Potter.
Finance conference, conducted by S. R. Armstrong, Esq.
Address, J. A. Patterson, Esq., chairman of Provincial S. S. Executive.
Collection and adjourn.

FRIDAY EVENING.

7.30—Service of song and praise, led by Rev. Mr. Somerville.
Introduction of President elect.
Address, "The Sunday School a factor in National Life." Rev. A. T. Dykeman.
Address, J. A. Patterson, Esq.
Collection and Benediction.

Bank

President Isaac Lewis of Sabina, Ohio, is highly respected all through that section. He has lived in Clinton Co. 75 years, and has been president of the Sabina Bank 20 years. He gladly testifies to the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and what he says is worthy attention. All brain workers find Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiarly adapted to their needs. It makes pure, rich, red blood, and from this comes nerve, mental, bodily and digestive strength.

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Neuralgia

in one eye and about my temples, especially at night when I had been having a hard day of physical and mental labor. I took many remedies, but found help only in Hood's Sarsaparilla which cured me of rheumatism, neuralgia and headache. Hood's Sarsaparilla has proved itself a true friend. I also take Hood's Pills to keep my bowels regular, and like the pills very much." ISAAC LEWIS, Sabina, Ohio.

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for a few minutes, and see if it won't pay to take advantage of a saving of from 20 to 33⅓ per cent. in exclusively custom finished Winter Suits, Ulsters and Overcoats, &c.:—

SUITS—To your measure in Imported Scotch Tweeds **$13.50**

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Prophecies that "The politico-religious differences which at present disquiet many consciences will have an end, like all other things in this world."....This reminds us that we have come to the end of our stock-taking; but the disquiet occasioned thereby will have to be tolerated a while longer, until we have made a thorough clearance, or "cut the heads off" a lot of ODD LINES which have come to the surface We can't allow them to disturb the harmony of our well arranged stock, and, therefore, hand them over to you, PROFITLESS—without compunction or coercion. We prophecy the end of these Odd Lines in a very short time:—

Odd Lines of Fine Stationery,
Odd Lines of Well-Bound Books,
Odd Lines of Evening Games,
Odd Lines of Children's Sleighs,
Odd Lines of Window Blinds,
Odd Lines of Cornice Trimmings,
Odd Lines of Wall Papers,
Odd Lines of Fancy Goods.

There's a lot of good fortune and good luck awaiting those who will use a little alacrity in getting here early to make selections. The oftener you come until the end comes, the more interested will you become in these Odd-Line-Offerings. You can bank on that!

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NEW SPRING GOODS

We have many useful lines to offer you at very much reduced prices. It will pay you to visit our store often as we are opening new goods every week. Our prints are the nicest we have ever shown. Our Wrapperettes are the best values in the trade. Our efforts this year will be to give you the best class of goods at the lowest possible prices for Cash. If any article you buy does not suit we will give you your money back cheerfully. We want you to call and see our values. BARGAINS FOR THIS WEEK:—

DRESS GOODS.

500 yards All Wool Tweeds, were 60c, clearing price	25c
200 yards Plaid Dress Goods, were 50c, clearing price	40c
300 yards Fancy Dress Goods, were 75c, clearing price	50c

VEILINGS AND RIBBONS.

300 yards Veilings, were 20c, clearing price	5c
200 yards Veilings, were 30c, clearing price	15c
100 yards Veilings, were 40c, clearing price	20c
200 yards Double Face Satin Ribbon, clearing price	5c

UNDERWEAR & CORSETS.

20 Children's Drawers, were 25c, clearing price	15c
25 Children's Skirts and Drawers, were 40 and 45c, clearing price	30c
15 Ladies' White Skirts, were 60c, clearing price	40c
100 pair Corsets, sold elsewhere at 75c, clearing price	50c

JACKETS AND CAPES.

These goods we offer are not old shop worn Garments but stylish nice goods. The prices are cut to less than half:—

Jackets that were $15.00, clearing price	$ 5 00
Jackets that were $17.50, clearing price	8 00
Jackets that were $16.50, clearing price	6 00
Jackets that were $12.00, clearing price	5 00
Jackets that were $20.00, clearing price	10 00
Furlined Capes, were $15.00, clearing price	5 00
Furlined Capes, were $18.00, clearing price	11 00
Furlined Capes, were $20.00, clearing price	10 00

MILLINERY HATS & BONNETS

HALF PRICE is all we ask for Trimmed Hats and Bonnets.

We must close this stock out to make room for an unusually heavy spring purchase.

Our New Spring Goods you will find the choicest in the trade, and while we are opening them up there will be many bargains in every department. A call will convince you that we lead and others only follow.

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THE MAKING OF GOOD CHEESE.

Care Necessary on the Part of Patrons and Makers to Secure the Best Results — The Advice of a Good Authority.

At the annual meeting of the Western Dairymen's Association at Brantford, the President, Mr. A. F. McLaren, M. P., gave a most practical address. Mr. McLaren is a high authority on cheese and cheese making. He is an extensive dealer and was selected as judge at the World's Fair at Chicago. The following is a summary of the address mentioned:

The president, Mr. A. F. McLaren, M. P., in his opening address, said it was gratifying to know that prices had been better this year. At the same time it was to be regretted that the quality of a large portion of the cheese made in Ontario had not improved as it should, considering the instruction and advice given to patrons and cheesemakers and all interested during the past few years. The greatest fault to be found with last season's make was the bad flavour, due to careless patrons and the feeding of turnips, rye, apples, etc., to the cows.

He had also found that by using a starter a great number of cheese were almost ruined. He was never in favour of a starter being used, though it might be used to advantage late in the autumn. He thought it much better to heat the milk so that it would develop acid more rapidly; even if this process did take longer it was much safer. Using a starter to hasten the development of acid was like using coal oil to start a fire—dangerous. He hoped the cheesemakers would thoroughly thrash out this starter business, which had been the cause of a lot of bad cheese being in some factories during the past season. They had actually found some cheesemakers using it in June, July and August. They had also found a great many very poorly cured cheese, bad curing-rooms, not properly equipped, and seeming carelessness or ignorance on the part of cheesemakers as to the temperature required and the conditions to be maintained in properly curing cheese for export.

Mr. McLaren said he could not understand why patrons who were supplying milk to cheese and butter factories would persist in feeding improper food to milch cows, knowing at the time they were doing so the flavour of the butter or cheese would be impaired, and that with such food as turnips, rye, rape, apples, etc., the cheese would depreciate in value all the way from ½ to 2½ cents per pound according to the extent of injury to flavour.

Another great difficulty, and one for which there was no excuse, that they had to contend with, was the careless and improper manner in which cheese had been cured. Unless many of the factories improved their buildings and furnished better facilities for manufacturing cheese, it would be necessary for them to drop out of the business, especially during the early and later portions of the cheese-making season. In fact he would like to see the day when cheese factories would not open until May 1st and close October 31st. They would then have better quality, better prices, and a better reputation.

The Secretary's report showed that the number of applications received for the inspector's services was considerably less than the previous year, and the revenue from that source was fully 30 per cent. less. The revenue from fines for tampering with milk also showed more than 30 per cent. decrease. This was a source for congratulation, as it indicated that the practice of tampering with milk supplied to our cheese factories was decreasing. The report further stated that at a meeting held in January last the Board of Directors decided to organise one or two syndicates of factories for the purpose of more uniform instruction and inspection. After a large amount of correspondence with factories in various sections, a group of seventeen factories situated partly in the London and partly in the Ingersoll districts was finally secured that were willing to take hold of the scheme, and pay a fixed share of the cost.

The results showed that there was a considerable improvement in the style, finish and quality of the cheese made as the season advanced. This improvement was more noticeable where the maker was willing to accept the advice of the instructor. It would thus be seen that the syndicate scheme had had a fair trial, and had shown itself capable of bringing about a more uniform and better quality of cheese. Though the results obtained had not been as great as the most enthusiastic advocates hoped for, yet they had been very satisfactory considering the difficulties connected with testing the scheme, and if the same system was continued another year no doubt much better results would be obtained.

The report of the directors referred, among other things, to the past season's trade, which they were pleased to be able to say showed considerable improvement over that of the previous year. Prices were low at the beginning of the season, but increased as the season advanced, with the result that the autumn makes of cheese were disposed of at very considerable profit to factorymen and patrons. There had, however, been several serious difficulties connected with the season's operations, such as the turnip and apple flavours in cheese, the improper curing of cheese, etc., which it was hoped would be fully discussed during this convention.

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SUPPLEMENTARY SESSION AT BRIDGENORTH.

Instructive Addresses on Agricultural and Dairy Topics—How to Compound Perfect Rations—The Growing of Corn—The Largely Attended Evening Meeting—Good Addresses—Musical Programme.

On Saturday last two meetings of the Farmers' Institute were held at Bridgenorth—one in the afternoon and one in the evening. In the afternoon the speakers were Messrs. J. E. Meyer, of Keeseth, and G. C. Carton, of Craighurst. Both spoke again in the evening, as well as Mr. G. Y. Payne.

Mr. J. E. Meyer in opening his address explained that the greatest returns and the most benefit from the addresses which would be given, would be derived from a discussion on the same. His address was upon "How to compound rations so as to obtain results in feeding our animals." He stated that the three principal substances derived from feeding was water, protein, carbohydrates and fat. These substances were all needful in feeding. Protein produced muscle, blood and milk; carbohydrates, fat and milk and fat, produces heat and fat. It could be seen that by feeding in such a manner as to produce results out of the proportion just so much food would be wasted and the best results would not be obtained.

A large chart was exhibited showing just the proportion of digestible matter in the different kinds of cattle foods, and also the portion of the different substances mentioned before in each. In pasture grass the proportion

WAS JUST RIGHT.

The more protein in a substance the better of course it was. Clover hay was shown to be better than timothy hay, green corn or corn silage, the latter two being of about equal value. There was a great deal however in the way the harvesting was done. Perfectly cured fodder corn was almost as good as silage, though there not being as much water in the former, roots should also be fed.

With the exception of pea straw, oat straw was the best straw to feed horses in the winter.

Potatoes are a valuable food, containing more dry matter than the other roots.

Cottonseed meal, oil meal, gluten meal and malt sprouts were mentioned as valuable substances to feed as being rich in protein, which made it rather expensive. These should be mixed, however, with other foods which lacked the necessary necessary proportion of protein.

Buckwheat was mentioned as being entirely too heating for cattle food. Oats was one of the most perfect grain foods obtainable. It was the most valuable grains to give young animals, being rich in minerals or bone forming material. Rye and corn were not good for young cattle, being too heating, and not possessing enough mineral. Corn and corn meal was a fair food. Water had an appetising effect and was good, so dry foods should not be fed entirely. Roots or silage corn should therefore form an important part of every farmer's food supply. Corn should be grown on every farm. Ten acres of it was a positive necessity for fodder or ensilage.

The respective merits of the tub and cement silos was then enlarged upon and the speaker was greatly in favour of the latter. It was a little more expensive but it certainly was the best. If a silo could not be obtained, the best method of keeping fodder corn should be studied. The earlier varieties of corn should be grown, as when harvested when

NOT THOROUGHLY WILTED,

it was apt to be musty. It should be harvested early in September, wilted on the ground and then bunched in shocks to thoroughly dry. These sheaves should be set up afterwards against rails and not allowed to lie on the ground and freeze. If properly dried and set up it would not freeze and there was no better way of keeping it. The American corn was represented as being a corn which would ripen earlier. It was quite possible to raise as good a crop as was done across the border. The yellow corn was preferable to the white, making better food. The animals might leave some of the white corn stalks, but never any of the yellow, proving that it must be sweeter and more acceptable to the animals. The Golden Lensway was mentioned as one of the best varieties. The Improved Leaming and the "High Mixed Yellow Dent" were also mentioned as being first-class varieties.

Mr. G. Y. Payne then read the following instructive paper on "The Cultivation of Fodder Corn" as appended:

Corn growing is becoming extensive in this part of Ontario of late years and is a sign of successful agriculture, owing to the very important place it takes in the rotation of crops. It cleans the ground as effectually as a bare fallow, and at the same time we procure a crop and leave the field practically in as good shape as would the bare fallow. We find in corn a cheap and succulent food, whether in the form of ensilage or cured stalks. A clover sod is best for a corn crop, in fact, any sod will do, providing it is not too old. In this section the ploughing of sod for corn should be left till spring. When the ploughing is done, roll immediately after. Then harrow or cultivate enough to procure a fine mould, roll and mark both ways 3 feet 6 to 4 feet each way, placing four to five grains in a hill, and plant shallow, as corn is a surface feeder. When planted in this way the best results are obtained and plenty of room is left for the development of both ear and stalk. By this method cultivation can be given both ways, and then resort to the hoe is unnecessary. Cultivate often and late in the season, resorting to shallow cultivation.

We never hill our corn any more than to smother small weeds, and which is removed by the later cultivation. For the silo we cut corn when it is in a glazed condition, but for dry fodder it should be cut earlier, when there is more sap in the stalk. I like to have corn for the silo get some frost before it is cut, as it deadens the leaves and leaves it in better shape to go into the silo, as the sap from the stalks will remoisten the leaves, and thus leave the silage in good condition for feeding. By the proper cultivation of corn we can insure ourselves against unfavourable conditions of the weather. Corn should be harrowed at least twice when it is coming up. This year we used the horse rake to good advantage when the corn plant

WAS IN ITS INFANCY.

It stirred the surface and checked the weeds in a marked degree. Then later the harrow was applied. Then then the horse hoe. The corn crop is one of the most important of fodder crops, and let it be remembered that it derives about 60 per cent. of its plant food from the air. Therefor, it is very necessary to allow it to have all the light and warmth possible.

Many farmers commence using their corn too early in the season, and therefore do not obtain the results that they should. When it is tasselling it has scarcely one-third of the feeding value that it has at the glazed stage. Corn is a plant that can be assisted in its growth or retarded, therefore, frequent cultivation is the success of the corn grower. I urge you as dairy farmers not to neglect the growing of corn. It is the cheapest pasture you can have, and if you have a silo it ensures you a succulent food throughout the winter.

Quite a few of those present took issue with Mr. Payne on allowing the corn to be touched with frost before being put in the silo, but he had tried both methods and contended that there was enough sap in the stalk to re-moisten the leaves after the corn was converted into ensilage.

None of those present had ever seen ensilage quite sweet, but Mr. Caston predicted that there would come a time when corn could be preserved in all its sweetness in the silo. This would be one of the greatest benefits to the farmer.

The next address was that given by Mr. G. C. Caston, of Craighurst, Simcoe, who spoke on the "Best varieties of small fruits and the modes of cultivation."

The speaker announced that he would speak on orchard fruits and grafting and leave the other subject until the evening. He did not think that

IT WAS NONSENSICAL

to speak on the cultivation of apples, although the past year had been such a productive one. He thought that the apple would steadily increase in commercial value as the market abroad was opened up for Ontario fruit, which was acknowledged to be the best grown.

There was no section in North America where the climatic condition changed within so short a distance as Ontario, owing doubtless to its geographical situation, and doubtless, to the large bodies of water lying adjacent to it. Although in the Georgian Bay fruit belt, apples, plums and peaches could be readily grown, while though he lived within 25 miles of the place, and south of it at that, the thermometer dipped down altogether too low to attempt the production of peaches or the tenderer grades of apples.

The Northern Spy, as a winter apple, was a universal favourite, but as the trees took about 20 years to mature and then immediately begn to decline, they were a discouraging crop to produce. By top grafting, however, on a hardier variety the apple could be procured fully ten years earlier and the tree would live much longer.

In 1885 he had a peculiar experience with his orchard. When the trees were wet with fog and rain it suddenly turned cold just after New Years and the thermometer went lower than it had done in 30 years. A great many trees failed in the spring, looking as though they had been scalded in the crutches. The varieties known as "iron clad" trees survived all such winters, so the speaker argued that if the tenderer varieties were grafted in amongst the branches of these hardier kinds the result would be satisfactory, and he found this to be the case as the trunk and roots of the old ironclads were sufficiently hardy to perfectly nourish the varieties which were top-grafted into it. In this manner he could grow the most delicate varieties known.

Mr. Caston was enthusiastic on the orchard question, and claimed that any farmer who gave his orchard

HALF THE ATTENTION

he gave to his other crops, that portion of the farm would be the most profitable.

It was urged upon the audience the advisability of doing their own grafting, as then they would know exactly what they were growing. Cases were instanced where nurserymen sent out samples of grafts when they did not possess a bud of the variety asked for.

The King was mentioned as the apple which brought the highest price in the old country, and the fact of it being a very shy bearer could be overcome by top grafting on the hardier varieties. To do this the last year's growth of a bearing tree was the best to procure. The seeds should be taken from a hardy native seedling and planted in rows about three inches deep in the fall and carefully cultivated. When they come up in the spring they should be thinned out and the choicest allowed to grow and trimmed, up properly. When sufficiently large they could be transplanted and at the proper time have the variety wanted grafted into them. The grafts should be cut early in March, before the sap started, and kept in sawdust until the grafting time arrived in the warm weather. The grafts should be pared to a wedge shape with a bud at the shoulder, and cut off to a length including two or three buds. The limbs of the seedling upon which the graft was to be made ought to be about an inch or a little less in diameter and the tops of some of these limbs cut neatly off. A split was then made and the graft inserted in such a manner that the inside layer of both barks come directly in contact, as it was at this point the growth took place. In waxing, the cracks on both sides should be covered, as should be the case with the entire top of the seedling, the idea being to exclude all the air. The wax should be made of tallow, beeswax and rosain—half-pound tallow, a pound of beeswax and two pounds of rosin. These should be melted up in a kettle and afterwards pulled until yellow. In the grafting one of the leading limbs should not be cut off at once, but the new top should be put on about a third at a time, when the growth of the tree would not be checked.

Mr. Caston advocated the month of June as the time for pruning. He found there was no bleeding then and it had the tendency to

PRODUCE EARLIER BEARING.

There would be considerable growth over the wound before the cold weather.

Mr. J. E. Meyer followed in an interesting address on poultry. He knew that all farmers kept poultry and his hints were calculated to explain how they could be kept at a profit. Fowl could not thrive in damp quarters. A good foundation was therefore necessary under the house, which should be erected with a balloon frame over which tarred paper should be tacked and afterwards lumber nailed on the outside upright and battened. Tarred paper should also be put on the inside and over this matched lumber should be put on. Too many windows were not advisable, as though pleasant on a sun-shining day in winter, yet at night the warmth rapidly escaped through them. A house 15x20 was necessary for a hundred hens in the winter. Perches should be placed over a platform in order that it could be cleaned off easily and the droppings not be on the floor for the hens to run about in. The keeping of late chickens through the winter and of old hens after their usefulness is over was disparaged. Only good plump hens, slightly red about the head at this season of the year, should be kept through the winter for profit. Green food should be given the hens in the winter, as plenty of it is eaten in the summer. Roots would do. Meat ought also to be provided. Soft food was good in the morning. Clover hay with a little grain put in hot water and steamed was always appreciated.

The speaker urged the doing away with the cocks, except for breeding purposes, as the eggs could never be perfect in summer unless this was done, as the heat of summer started the germ of life in the eggs from a flock in which cocks were kept. If there were no cocks this could not be the case. An infertile egg was not spoiled by being under a sitting hen for eight or ten days, as being no germ of life in it, there was very little difference between them and the fresh eggs. These infertile eggs could be packed and sent to England and landed there just as fresh as the eggs from France.

Chickens should not be removed from the nest after being hatched until they were 24 or even 48 hours old, nor should they be fed until that time.

A hen is not profitable after the second winter, and the age of fowl may be kept track of by punching a hole in the web of the feet when they are chickens.

The subject was then enlarged upon regarding the different breed of fowl to keep. For eggs, the Leghorns, Red Cap and Blue Andalusians were mentioned and for both a table fowl and for eggs combined the Plymouth Rock and Wyandotte were spoken of.

The Evening Meeting.

Mr. Caston in the evening took up the subject of "Small Fruits." With a suitable sale and prospects of a good market any man, he stated, would find the production of small fruits a profitable and pleasant business.

Usually the small fruits in connection with a farm were raised in what is generally known as "the garden"—a small plot of ground with a house on one side and a high fence around it. When it needed the most attention it was neglected and not prospering, was often given up as bad job. The small fruits should be cultivated in the open fields where a horse could work amongst them. Regarding strawberries, the speaker advocated planting them in September, when a crop could be gathered next season. The plants should be procured from some well known grower and not from the nurseries. High priced varieties should be avoided, as the old kinds were the best in the long run. After being set out, they should be watched, and their roots all turned down properly. They were easy to plant the best way being simply to shove a spade down in the ground and bending it forward place the roots in the space thus left. On removing the spade a stamp of the foot completed the planting. The plants should be put in 15 inches apart in rows about three feet distant from each other. A cultivator run

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CUBAN HOME RULE.

An Outline of the Proposed Measure Offered by Spain.

New York, Jan. 29.—A despatch from The Herald's correspondent in Havana, sent via Key West, says: I have seen an absolutely authentic draft of the home rule measure which Spain is about to concede to Cuba. The act provides for a Legislative Assembly, wholly elective by an enlarged suffrage, and composed of a Senate and lower House. Besides having the sole power to vote an especial budget of the island, this chamber has full power to draw up and control the budget of what may be termed the Imperial expenses of the army and navy of Spain, insofar as they are legitimately to be shared by Cuba. This budget of material expenses will be sent to Madrid for the approval of the Cortes. With the Governor-General is vested the power to appoint all officials in the Cuban Government with the exception of the Directors-General, or collectors of the ports, and members of the Secretaries-General of the Governor and civil Governors of Provinces, who are to be selected by popular vote. All officials who shall be appointed by the Governor-General must be confirmed by the Assembly created by the reform measure in the same way that Federal appointments require confirmation by the Senate in the United States. The Senate Assembly will have full and exclusive power to initiate all money and tariff bills, and no bill of this nature can be presented or considered by the Madrid Government until it has been approved by the Cuban Assembly. The reform measure was read to Mr. Olney in Washington last December by Minister De Lome and met his unqualified approval.

Liberal as these concessions seem, I do not believe the Cubans will accept any agreement to which the United States is not directly or indirectly a party. This guarantee is now being sought in the commercial agreement being negotiated at Washington.

Approved at Washington.

New York, Jan. 29.—The Herald's Washington special says: At no time since the war in Cuba began have the officials of the Cleveland administration felt so hopeful of a peaceful settlement of the problem as at the present time and nothing has encouraged them so much in this view of the situation as the story from Havana giving a summary of the sweeping home rule measure which Spain is about to inaugurate. This was good news to the President and officials of the State Department.

Palma Says it Won't Go.

New York, Jan. 29.—Senor T. Estrada Palma of the Cuban Junta, in this city, when asked his opinion of the proposed home rule measure which Spain is about to concede to Cuba, a copy of which was published in a morning paper, said: "Unconditional and absolute independence is all that Cuba will ever accept from the Government of Spain. If she cannot have it she prefers extermination. It is scarcely worth while to discuss such a proposition. It has not been made, and, if it should be, it will receive no consideration at our hands."

MORE FIGHTING.

Spaniards Claim to Have Defeated the Insurgents in Two Skirmishes.

New York, Jan. 29.—A despatch to The Journal from Havana says: Official Spanish reports state that a Spanish column raided the insurgent camp at Guanabo at daybreak, taking it after slight resistance. Three insurgents were captured and four women and 12 children were wounded. Twelve Cubans were killed, among the latter being Capt. Alexander Rivera and Lieut. Manual Perez. The Spanish losses are reported as follows: One private killed, one wounded seriously, and a sergeant and six privates slightly wounded.

Killed 39 Insurgents.

Havana, Jan. 29.—Col. Zabalza, with his column, left San Jose de las Lajas, in the Province of Havana, for the purpose of making a reconnoissance. In the Chaves Hills the column met the combined rebel parties of Castillo and others leaders, who received the troops with a heavy fire of musketry. The rebels then deployed, and the positions they took cut off the retreat of the troops. Col. Zabalza ordered a cavalry charge, which the rebels resisted with remarkable strength, but they were finally driven away, leaving on the field 39 of their dead, all of whom had been killed by the machetes of the cavalry. The troops had six men wounded.

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THE DIAMOND JUBILEE.

An Ottawa Man's Scheme for Its Celebration—Funds for India—Notes From the Capital.

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Suggestions for celebrating the diamond jubilee of Her Majesty are plentiful just now. Mr. H. J. Morgan is out with proposals which have considerable merit. He suggests: (1) The issuing of a proclamation for a day of general thanksgiving in all the churches; (2) a collection at such thanksgiving service, the total proceeds in each church to be applied by the authorities of such church to some object or objects which shall truly commemorate the life and example of the Queen; (3) the institution in Canada of a medal to be called "The Royal Victoria Medal," to be given by the Governor-in-council from time to time as a reward for conspicuous acts of merit rendered by natives of Canada or others resident therein; (4) the extension to Canada of the "long service militia medal," first advocated by Mr. Morgan in 1892; (5) the erection in Ottawa of a building having sufficient accommodation to be used as a national library, a national museum, a national gallery of art, and as the headquarters of the geological and natural history survey of Canada.

Mayor Bingham's Indian famine fund now exceeds $2400.

Colonial Secretary Chamberlain, replying to a cablegram from the Governor-General, with reference to the movement for relieving the suffering in India, has telegraphed to His Excellency, remarking that the energetic action of Canada will be warmly appreciated. His Excellency has arranged to send the results of the Canadian subscription direct to Calcutta, care of the chairman of the Central Relief Committee. This, Mr. Chamberlain remarks, will no doubt be the best method.

The will of the late Richard Nagle has been filed for probate, Mr. Henry Phelan of Peterboro and Thomas Fortye of the same place, are named as executors. By the terms of the will $1000 is given to St. Patrick's Asylum of Ottawa, and the balance of the estate is divided between the daughters of the deceased in the following proportions: One half to Mrs. Phelan and one-fourth each to Mrs. T. B. Brophy and Mrs. H. J. Friel. The value of the estate is placed at $74,252, of which $52,550 is real estate, $15,000 is timber limits, $6342 is cash in the bank.

Mr. Snetsinger, M.P., headed a deputation consisting of A. F. Mulhern, Mayor of Cornwall, L. A. Ross, John Bergin, Hugh F. Cummings, D. C. Flack, Angus Lalonde and others, which asked the Government for an extension of the charter and also the subsidy of the Ontario and Pacific Railway. The projected road is to run from Cornwall to Ottawa, and crossing at Cornwall, connect with the American railways, making a direct line from the Capital to New York. An application will be made next session of Parliament for an extension of the charter.

Mr. E. Pacaud of L'Electeur was in town to-day and had an interview with Mr. Laurier.

Hon. George E. Foster, the president, and Mr. Murray, the eastern manager of the British Canadian Gold Fields Exploration Development and Investment Company, left to-day for Rossland to make an inspection of the properties the company have under development.

Mgr. Pascal of Saskatchewan, had an interview with Mr. Sifton to-day in reference to the necessary number of colonization priests in the territories.

Carleton County Council this morning, on motion of Mr. Ballantyne, passed a resolution condemning the cumulative voting system, and declaring in favor of dividing the present County Council divisions into wards.

The Ottawa licensed victuallers are going to endeavor to secure a repeal of the bylaw passed last year, cutting down tavern and shop licenses for 1897.

Fought With Hammer and Wrench.

Charleston, Ill., Jan. 29.—At 11 o'clock this morning Ed. Henderson and his nephew named Boyle quarreled in a machine shop here. One man used a monkey wrench as a weapon and the other a hammer. Royle received wounds which caused his death a half hour afterwards, and Henderson's head is so badly crushed that he cannot live.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—The market is dull and unsettled, with buyers holding off. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.75.

Bran—Trade dull, with bran quoted outside west at $7 to $7.50 and shorts at $9.

Wheat—This has been a very dull day locally. The further declines in Chicago and Liverpool had the effect of making buyers scarce. Red wheat is nominal at 75c to 77c, and white at 77c to 78c outside. No. 1 Manitoba hard can be bought at 74c afloat, Fort William, and at 79c afloat, May delivery. It is quoted at 90c, Toronto freight.

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TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

The receipts at the western yards to-day were fair, amounting to 58 car lots. The demand continues good for cattle, and prices show no change. There were sales of exporters at 3½c to 4c per lb., the latter being exceptional, as offerings of choice animals are scarce. Bulls brought 3c to 3½c per lb. Butchers' cattle firm for best qualities, which sold at 3½c to 3¼c per lb., good to medium at 2½c to 2¾c, and inferior at 2c per lb. Milch cows sell at $35 to $55 each, and calves at $4 to $8 each.

Sheep and lambs in moderate supply and prices steady. Choice sheep sold at 3c to 3¼c per lb., and butchers' at 2½c to 2¾c. Lambs are firm, there being sales at 4c to 4¼c per lb., according to quality.

Hogs are firmer, with receipts of 900 head. The best sold at 4¼c to 4¾c per lb., weighed off cars, thick fats at 3¾c, lightweights at 4c, sows at 3c to 3½c, and stags at 2c to 2¼c per lb.

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London—Wheat off coast weak; on passage weak and generally 6d to 9d lower. English country markets dull. Maize [illegible].

Liverpool—Wheat futures weak at 6s 4½d for Jan. and Feb., 6s 5d for March and May, and 6s 4d for July. Maize easy, at 2s 5½d for Feb., 2s 5¾d for March and May. Flour 24s.

EXPRESS CAR LOOTED.

Robbers Detached It From the Train, Then Robbed and Burned It.

San Francisco, Jan. 29.—Train No. 15, the northbound Oregon express, was held up this morning at Shady Point, two miles south of Roseburg, Oregon, by two or three men. The express car was detached from the train by the robbers and the door blown and looted. The express car then took fire. The conductor and the trainmen worked hard to save the car after the robbers had gone, but the car and contents were destroyed. The passengers were considerably shaken up and frightened, but no one was injured.

A GAS GUSHER STRUCK.

Attercliffe Station Rejoices Over the Discovery Made Yesterday.

Attercliffe, Jan. 29.—A great flow of gas was struck to-day at the Attercliffe Station gas well. In the test the flame reached a height of 25 feet. The gas was struck in the Clinton limestone at a depth of 500 feet. The Medina rock has not been reached yet, and Contractor John Carmody is confident of getting a much stronger flow before he gets through the Medina.

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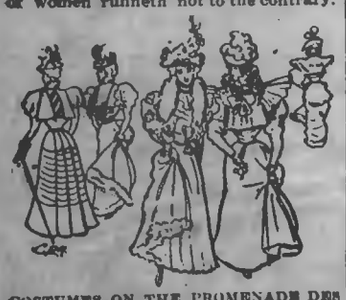
BRILLIANT FLASHES OF COLOR IN THE GAY WORLD OF PARIS.

Costly Fabrics Displayed on the Promenade des Anglais — This Season Parisians Are Wearing Fortunes in Diamonds and Using Perfumes.

(Special Correspondence.)

Nice, France.—Nice is the winter Saratoga of France, with its immense hotels and its jumble of fashionable folk, feeble folk and fast folk. From 2 o'clock in the afternoon until 3.30 it is summer here. The sun shines down upon the broad, bright curve of the promenade des Anglais, where the Mediterranean laps it on one side and palms are green and violets sweet upon the other. There is the sound of music from the casino on the jetty, there is the damp, warm smell of roses, and there is the gay panorama of women under rainbow-hued parasols, who loll upon the benches and radiate that full joy of life which is in warmth and sunshine. French officers in brilliant uniforms pass and repass, invalids lie back in wheel-chairs, and American girls chatter bad French and stare frankly at the tall Englishwomen who sit splendidly erect in perfectly appointed carriages, the petite Frenchwomen who whiz by on "bicyclettes," and the rouged habitues of Monte Carlo who promenade by twos and threes, with faces young and old at the same time.

Nice is Saratoga too in the brilliance of its costumery. All France, for that matter, is wallowing in paint pots. The purple and gold put on to welcome the Czar last autumn demoralized the dressmakers and swept away the soft, delicate tints and the delightful half-tone of color that have given Parisian elegantes their reputation since the time when the memory of women runneth not to the contrary.



COSTUMES ON THE PROMENADE DES ANGLAIS, NICE, FRANCE.

Like Saratoga, Nice is a little extreme, but it is true of Paris as of the promenade des Anglais that never before were such blows of broad color aimed full at one's eyes. Against the green of the palms and the white marble of the palace hotels, street dresses of sky-blue velvet of rose color or yellow have indeed this advantage, that one takes them, like the rest of the magnificent spectacle, with easy credence as a scene out of fairyland. As one young woman said to me this afternoon: "It's not real; the stage is set for an opera and the chorus is coming on."

As she spoke ruby seemed for the moment to dominate the moving pageant with its wine-red sparkle and glow. Parasols of ruby silk, toques and capotes or ruby velvet, knots of ruby ribbon in the hair and at the waist, and just where it lent most emphasis to the picture, a long ruby satin cloak brocaded with black, made things look as if the red calcium light had been turned on.

Five minutes later the picture was green, then it was violet and by and by all parti-colored with blue and green silks worn together and combined with ermine. A girl in a cream-colored gown wore a cape of sable fur edged with cream-colored lace. The face was caught on one shoulder with a knot of pink roses, and on the other with a bunch of black ostrich plumes. Her hat had a black velvet crown and the brim was smothered in roses. Long black plumes swept a half-circle and touched her cheek. A Russian countess wore a turquoise blue cloth dress under a long cloak of dark green velvet lined with sable. A broad collar of white lace covered her shoulders, and was knotted with greenish white ribbons. Her hat was of greenish white velvet, with trimming of turquoise-blue ribbon and yellow roses. A girl with a dark, piquant face sat on a breach with a man in a coat wonderfully frogged and braided. She poked the grass with a yellow parasol, flounced with black lace, and all her costume was in black and yellow. Her dress was yellow silk with black velvet ribbons running about the skirt from a little below the hips to within a foot and a half of the hem. The yellow silk waist was made with a black velvet vest and a bolero edged and barred with black velvet. Her hat was of yellow straw with black ribbons, black lace and yellow flowers. Straw hats are almost as common in Nice as felt or velvet ones.

And through it all the music throbbed and the tinkle of glasses came from the open windows of the cafes above the bathing houses along the shore. It did not seem as if in real life the richest of furs would be slashed into little bits to make up with lace and feathers and ribbons, or as if ermine would be dotted all over with flowers, or jewels worn with such reckless profusion out of doors. One accepts it at Nice with the theatrical setting of mountains and water and olive groves and orange trees, but when it comes to everyday living, if French fashions conquer as they have in the past, a good many people are going to have a good many feelings roughly revised.

For France is doing things she would have shuddered at a year or two ago. And not in colors only. French novelists are expressing their grief in French newspapers over Parisians who wear fortunes in big diamonds with tailor gowns. That began with the scramble to show all one's possessions on all occasions before the Czar. I have not seen any such lamentable lapses, but I have noticed another thing over which outcry is beginning to arise; perfumes are used to suffocation, and, as if abuse of the more delicate odors was not enough, theatres, concert halls and churches are redolent of musk, long tabooed, but now brought forward as according well with the violent colors of the autumn years of the century. The above mentioned moralists attribute its use to the "nouveaux arrives," but by such reckoning there must have been a deal of jumping of the hedge of the charmed circle very recently. At any rate, French women of all classes are taking to perfumed gloves, which were about the only articles of dress left to add scent to. But enough of jeremaids. France is queen of fashion still, though she may be pulling down the walls of her palace, and so let us return to clothes as they are worn.

Here are a few of the best of the promenade dresses I have seen in Nice. A velvet costume of bishop's purple with a broad edge of chin-chilla at the hem. For the bodice, a bolero of the velvet edged with a soft lace of cream color verging to gray. Cascades of a similar lace fell over the bodice from the shoulders. The bolero opened upon a vest of grayish mousseline de soie laid in fine plaits and having a dainty lace collar. The sleeves had small puffs of the purple velvet at the shoulders. Below the puffs close wrinkled sleeves of gray velvet came to the wrists and ended in lace ruches Three was a folded belt of gray velvet and a braod hat of gray velvet with black plumes.

A dress of a soft reddish brown cloth of a dead leaf tint, as nearly as the color can be described. This was worn by a young French girl. The skirt had a wide flounce of galloon embroidery in a lace pattern, so arranged as to simulate a long overskirt caught up behind. The silk blouse was of a darker, richer tint than the skirt, and was made with a bertha of the embroidery used upon the skirt. Sleeves only a trifle full upon the shoulders, a belt of reddish brown ribbon knotted to the left of the waist, a little boa of mink fur and a mite of a turban-like hat with trimmings of brown paradise bird plumes, made a toilet remarkable for its effective simplicity in this city of flamboyant display.

At Nice women wear short gloves because their sleeves are so long and tight, but of these and of indoor and evening dress much must wait to be told.

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London—Opening—Wheat on passage rather easier and partly 3d lower. English country markets cheaper. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

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Paris—Wheat 22f 40c for Feb. Flour 47f 55c for Feb.

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These two columns of prices with short description, are proof of sincerity. We could more easily fill this space with boasting words and interspered with few prices—"like scanty plums in poor house puddings,"—but long stories are waste of time. Life is short—words weary—PRICES INTEREST—

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Astrachan Gauntlets	worth	$5.00, now	3 50	Grey Lamb Capes, $15.00 to $25.00, worth $25,00 to $35.00.	
Seal Gauntlets	worth	$16.00, now	11 00	Black Coney Muffs, from 50c up.	
Hampster Lined Fur Cloaks	worth	$30.00, now	20 00	And all other goods at proportionate rates.	

From those who have not bought yet, we ask a careful look through our stock and prices, as an opportunity is given in this sale which is very rarely offered—continuing only to Feb. 15th. All accounts due the firm must be settled before that date.

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between the rows would do away with the runners. A litter of straw over the plants weathered them through the winter all right.

OF ALL THE VARIETIES

Michael's Early, worked in with the Hamland, was very good, with the Williams as a medium berry.

The difference between pistilate and staminate plants was explained which led up to a few interesting remarks on the hybridising of fruits and flowers.

The culture of raspberries was then taken up. The hill system was endorsed, the bushes to be planted in hills three feet apart and the rows seven feet apart. The matter of removing the canes after bearing was mentioned and also the necessity of nipping of the top buds in the spring to make a short stockey plant. The Marlborough was mentioned as a good early variety, as well as the Cuthbert, which latter lasted out the season.

Cultivation should be stopped immediately after fruiting in order to stop the growth and allow the wood to ripen before winter. The Golden Queen as a yellow and the Hilborn and Alder for black caps were mentioned as good varieties. The Shafer's Colossal and Columbian were spoken of as fine varieties of a cross between the red and black berries.

A good word was also put in for spraying with the Bordeaux mixture by the speaker, who then went on to speak of black thimble berries. The Solder variety was highly spoken of. Gooseberries and currants received a notice and, through spraying, Mr. Caston statcd that there was no trouble in getting a good crop from them. Fay's Prolific and Cherry for reds, Grape for white, and Black Maples and Prolific for varieties of blacks were endorsed.

Mr. Meyer afterwards was called upon for an address on "What is Education, and what part does it play in Making a Successful Farmer?" Study, he stated, had to be applied to every part of the farm to make a success of it. Any cow could not be transformed into a profitable animal as a milch cow. Its characteristics had to be studied first, and if the cow does not come up to the standard it must be discarded, but all this has to be discovered through study.

THE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

received high praise at the speaker's hands, who praised it as a grand opportunity for farmers' sons to improve themselves. The College was condemned by some on account of a certain class of pupils who took a course there and turned out failures. The fact was that these students entered the College without knowing anything at all of farming, and as the rudiments were not taken up, their derived their learning principally from books and found it hard to put into practice. The college was not for such as these, but to enable farmers' sons, thoroughly grounded in the rudiments, to obtain benefit from the various experiments which were constantly going on.

Mr. Caston was again called upon and spoke on the "Lights and Shadows of Farm Life." Before embarking on his subject the speaker spent some time in regard to the enlightment which was furnished a community on every subject through the press. Although the farmers undeniably worked hard, his labour was nothing to that expended in the publishing of a daily newspaper, whose corps of writers toiled early and late to furnish the latest news.

Farming had to be carried on scientifically to be profitable in these days. Many scoffed at the word science as applied to agriculture, regarding it as something in which brawn and sinew were principally required, but the brains had to be used as well as the hands in these days of keen competition. Cheesemaking was now a successful industry because it was manufactured in a scientific manner. Canadian cheese would not be nearly what it is commercially if it was made like butter, in the different homes. On the contrary, it was made in certain centres where scientific principles could be brought to bear. The same arguments in regard to science could apply to every product of the farm.

The speaker, whilst on this cheese question urged on his audience the necessity of following dairying more largely, as the growing of grain for so many years was exhausting the soil to an alarming extent. Grain did not bring much money at present on the market, so it was abandoned for the present and dairying taken up. By the time the price of grain went up again farms would have become thoroughly fertilized again and large crops could be produced.

Fruit growing was then touched upon. As a remedy for bark lice and borers in trees Mr. Caston recommended an application of lye made from hard-wood ashes. The question of spraying for leaf insects was then entered upon and heartily endorsed. The blossoms should also be off before spraying was indulged in.

During the evening short addresses were delivered by Rev. G. R. Clare and Mr. George Fitzgerald, who occupied seats on the platform and the programme presented was varied by vocal selections from Miss Udy, Miss Blewett and Miss Mann.

THE CUNNING JAPS.

They Learned a Few Things in the United States and Now Uncle Sam is Alarmed.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Under the treaty with Japan, proclaimed March 21, 1895, which does not, however, go into effect until July 17, 1899, there is an article granting the citizens of that country the same protection as native citizens in regard to "patents, trade marks and designs, upon fulfilment of the formalities of the law." Since that treaty was negotiated the Japanese here imitated American manufactures, using trade marks and other individual signs, and imported such goods into this country at prices below those at which the same goods can be made here. Business men here protested, and Secretary Olney negotiated a brief to the treaty, which makes article xvi. of this treaty go into force and effect at once. The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations this afternoon ordered a favorable report to be made on this treaty, and it will probably be ratified at once.

AN ENRAGED HUSBAND

Chased His Wife's Paramour With a Pistol —Couldn't Hit Him, but Shot the Woman.

Cambridge, Md., Jan. 30.—Allan Grace, 33 years old, went to his home unexpectedly to-day and found Ralph Pond in his wife's room. The latter fled from the house, pursued by the enraged husband. Grace fired several shots after the fleeing man, but none of them took effect. Returning to the house, Grace sent the two remaining bullets into his wife's head. The woman will die. Grace was arrested. All the parties are well-connected.

DANGER OF WAR.

Mussulmans Would Rise as One Man if Coercion of the Sultan Were Attempted.

New York, Jan. 31.—The special correspondent of The Herald in St. Petersburg cables: In high circles keen satisfaction is felt at the happy results of the policy which sent Count Muravieff to Paris. I speak on the best authority in saying that the difficulties between MM. Cambon and Nelidoff have ceased in a manner satisfactory to Russia. I am well informed as to the state of public opinion in Turkey, and at the present moment M. Maximoff, the famous First Dragoman of the Russian Embassy at Constantinople, knows full well that if measures of actual violence, as proposed by certain powers, were taken, at a signal from the Sultan all Mussulmans, scorning death, would rise like one man, and that there is danger of war in any coercive measure that attacks the dignity and sovereignty of the Khalif. All the more so, in view of the approaching festivals of Ramadan and Bairam. The Glasnost, rather aptly, commenting on the situation, says the powers are ever so far from arriving at a decision, and were they to decide on taking action, who is going to carry out the ticklish task? In truth, the idea of coercing an independent sovereign finds no friends here. As a diplomatist remarked to-day: Let the powers, first of all, give the necessary money to Turkey which reforms entail, and which she has not got, they having put the practical means for carrying out reforms in the Sultan's hands. This will give them a justifiable call upon him to have them executed. At present people seem busy condemning the Sultan in advance.

A FARMER IN TROUBLE.

A Grenville County Man Speaks his Mind—Feels Like a New Man—Cured by Four Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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ACCIDENT AND DEATH.

A Well-Known Farmer Near Burford Leaves a Widow and Three Children.

Burford, Ont., Jan. 31.—Mr. Luther Harley, a well-known farmer, living on the Norwich-road, between the villages of Burford and Harley, died this morning, the result of an accident while engaged in hauling wood to his house yesterday forenoon. The deceased was a son of Archibald Harley, ex- M. P., and brother of James and Edmund Harley, lawyers, of Brantford, and was held in the highest esteem by those who knew him. Much sympathy is felt for the relatives of the deceased, who leaves a wife and three children.

Mrs. S. James, Seaforth, suffered for years with what is called old peoples rash. She was treated by many physicians without any result. Mr. Fear the local druggist, recommended Dr. Chase's Ointment which relieved the irritation at once and speedily effected a permanent cure of the skin eruption. Mrs. James also says Dr. Chase's Ointment cured her of Itching Piles which she had been troubled with for years.

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